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received the Everett C. Brown Award; Howell Holbrook was honored as the 2011 Chamber Member of the Year; Troy and Becky Hansel got the Retired Business of the Year Award and Jack Dailey was inducted into the Rockcastle County Agriculture Hall of Fame for his lifetime of dedication and service in promotion and advancement of agriculture in Rockcastle County. David Pensol was named by the Rockcastle County Board of Education as the new Superintendent of Schools. Pensol assumed his duties July 1st. The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court voted to proceed with the purchase of the Plasticware building from Citizens Bank. The final loan would total \$3,000,000 and would include funds for a new roof for the building. The RCHS and RCMS girls' track teams won the Class 2A Indoor State Track title. RCHS junior Michaela Hunter was a big part of that win, earning state titles in long jump, triple jump and high jump while finishing as state runner-up in the 55-meter dash. In triple jump, Michaela broke the Class 2A indoor state record and just missed the all-time Mason-Dixon record by 1.5". Winning the state title in the 800 meter relay was the team of Mikaela Sadler, Jennifer Mercer, Kateynn Hensley and Arie-Anna Lawson. Others winning state titles were: Katelynn Hensle, long jump; Jennifer Mercer, 55-meter dash and Sierra Mercer, 400-meter dash. Rockcastle Regional Hospital employees raised \$3,550 for victims, in Laurel County, of the tornadoes. A Town Hall forum on the wet/dry election was held at the high school. Travis Taylor Burton and Kathy Robinson were elected Chairman and Vice-Chair, respectively of the Rockcastle County Republican Party at the county convention held at the courthouse. Lady Rocket Katie Cowan and Rocket Ben Allen were named to the All-Tournament teams following their appearance in the 47th district basketball tournaments. The RCMS archery team qualified for the state tournament.

**In April:** Rockcastle voters turned out in force to defeat the wet vote in the county. By a ratio of 65% to 35%, 3,108 voters said no to the measure while 1,712 said yes. 115 people participated in the Rocket Runner 5K and Linda Brock of Mt. Vernon won the fastest female walker title with a time of 43:27. The 5K was held to benefit the RCHS girls' track and cross-country teams. Chris Kerns, a Berea firefighter and a volunteer on both the Mt. Vernon and Brodhead volunteer fire departments was killed when

his truck collided with a CSX train at a crossing on Twin Tunnel Road at Orlando. Over 400 participants turned out for the Redbud Health Walk. The City of Livingston unveiled a "Trail Monument," commemorating three early pioneer trails which all played a part in the success and founding of Livingston. William E. Phelps, 89, of Cleft Rock, lost his life in a one-vehicle accident on Sand Springs Road. The RCHS JROTC Drill and Rifle Team competed in the annual SGM Paul C. Gray JROTC Invitational at North Hardin High School. Cadet Josh Linville won first place in precision rifle shooting. Rockcastle County teachers were told once again that they would not receive a raise during the 2012-13 school year. A lightning strike destroyed the training tower at the Mt. Vernon Fire Department on old U.S. 25 and Baccalaureate Services were held at Northside Baptist Church for the Class of 2012. Former Rockcastle County Judge/Executive Roland Mullins' book, *The Laurel Spur*, was published by Lulu Publishers. Graduation, for the 40th class at RCHS, was set for Friday, May 11th. The Kentucky Music Hall of Fame purchased two historic properties, the former home of John Lair, founder of Renfro Valley and the Aunt Polly House. By a large margin, Eliza York was elected Rockcastle County Circuit Clerk and David Meade of Lincoln County was elected to fill the seat of retiring state representative Danny Ford. The annual Relay for Life met and exceeded their annual goal of \$38,000 by raising \$38,798.18. The Rockcastle County Fiscal held the first reading for the 2012-13 county budget. The budget shows expected revenues of almost \$6,000,000.

**In June:** SourceCorp announced its intention to shut down operations in Rockcastle County on June 8th. CAP announced the closing of two facilities in Mt. Vernon: Rainbow Respite, an eight bed residential respite program for people with disabilities and Healing Rain, a 12 bed residential drug recovery program for women. A Mt. Vernon pharmacist was murdered, while returning to her car from jogging, in Russell County. Kevin Fletcher was named Mt. Vernon Police Chief, filling a vacancy that had been in existence for some time. Jason Coguer was named Director of Instruction and Special Education and Chris Cornelius was named Director of Transportation and Facilities. Coguer filled a vacancy created by the hiring of David Pensol as the new Superintendent of Schools in Rockcastle County and Cornelius was named to his position which the board changed to a cer-

tified position from its former classified position. Steve Taylor resigned as chairman of the Rockcastle County Industrial Development Authority over a dispute of the pay for Executive Director Holly Hopkins for 2012-13.

“Sheriff”

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sheriff's budget in the form of matching social security and medicare, retirement, health insurance, gas allowance, loans to meet expenses, etc. County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis told McNew that the court's only requirement to the sheriff's department is to provide office space and make sure the sheriff's salary is paid. He said "it grates me that people, even some in the sheriff's department do not realize how much help we give the department."

McNew presented the court with budget comparisons from 2012 to 2013 and said without the court's help, Sheriff Peters would

be down to himself, a clerk, one deputy and a part time security officer.

The amount requested by the sheriff's department does not include a pending judgement they will have to pay, which could amount to as much as \$20,000, over the pay for security guards at the hospital.

The court will have a special callled meeting to make a decision on the request on Friday of this week.

“Dishwasher”

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Bradley told officers that he had recently returned home from a trip to Richmond and that he did not see the dishwasher in his yard.

The dishwasher was later identified by the owners and returned to the former restaurant.

Bradley was charged with receiving stolen property under \$10,000. He remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$5,000 cash bond.

Mt. Vernon woman arrested for shoplifting and prostitution

By: Doug Ponder

A Mt. Vernon woman was arrested for shoplifting and prostitution after police responded to a complaint at the Family Dollar in Mt. Vernon.

Arrested was Jessica Kay Price, 32, of Mt. Vernon.

According to Mt. Vernon Police reports, Rockcastle 911 received a call from a Family Dollar employee saying Price had stolen a tote bag and put it into her vehicle. The employee also said that Price came back into the store and attempted to leave with another purse without paying for it.

When employees confronted Price, they found a purse containing various personal hygiene items. Price returned the purse and items to the employees and drove away before police could respond to the scene. The employees told officers that the value of the items found in the purse was \$63.20.

While searching for Price's vehicle, Assistant Chief Barry Adams and officer Jeff Harness observed Price riding in the passenger seat of a silver 2004 Nissan Frontier on Paul Street in Mt. Vernon.

After initiating the traffic stop and searching the vehicle, officers found a tote bag and other items reported stolen from the Family Dollar store. Officers also discovered various items that were reported as stolen from the neighboring Dollar General Store in Mt. Vernon.

The value of the combined items found in the vehicle from Family Dollar was \$46.11. The value of the items from Dollar General was \$65.61.

Upon further question-

ing, Millard Richmond, 69, of Richmond, who was the driver of the vehicle, told officers that Price had called him on his residential phone and asked him to meet her at a local hotel in Mt. Vernon so they could have sex. He also told officers that he had already paid her \$100 to have sexual relations with him and that Price told him that she needed the money so she could get out of jail.

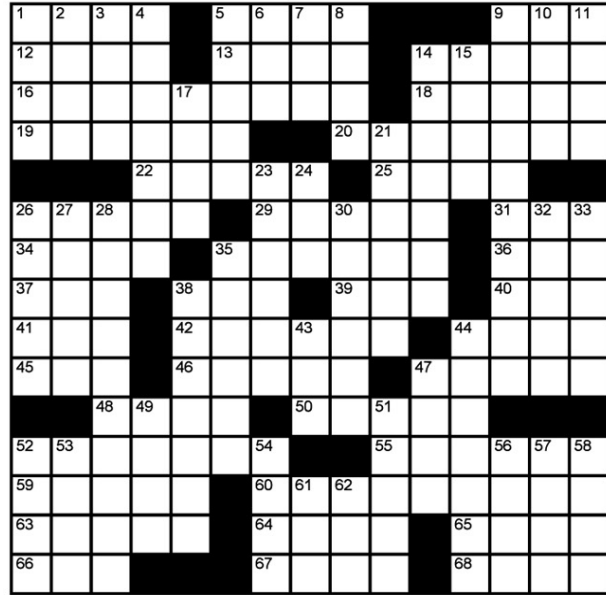
Price admitted to officers that she met Richmond at a local hotel for sex. However, Price said she was paid \$250 instead of \$100 and that the sex was consensual even though she was paid.

Price was charged with prostitution and three counts of shoplifting. She was lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center and later released on a \$1,000 unsecured bond.

Richmond was charged and cited for soliciting prostitution. His arraignment date was set for January 14th.

Kentucky Crossword # 565

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ACROSS

- 1. Calumet \_\_\_\_
- 5. Archaeological find
- 9. Dark horse
- 12. Flu symptom
- 13. Fencing sword
- 14. Start of a refrain
- 16. It borders Kentucky
- 18. Stair part
- 19. Irvine, KY is this county's seat
- 20. Kentucky county, home to the first Methodist College in the world
- 22. Jacket parts
- 25. Curved molding
- 26. Old wizards
- 29. Stocking material
- 31. Recipe amt.
- 34. Canadian tribe
- 35. Lexington \_\_\_\_ Leader
- 36. Call to Bo-peep
- 37. Home to "Comment on Kentucky"
- 38. Gender
- 39. Mr. Rogers
- 40. Circle segment
- 41. Grab a bite
- 42. Kentuckian Alben Barkley was his "Veep"
- 44. Merriment
- 45. Tarzan portrayer
- 46. Fable writer
- 47. Danube tributary
- 48. Burlesque bit
- 50. Pilgrim's destination
- 52. Marion County's seat, named for the biblical city of cedars
- 55. Kentucky town,

- birthplace of Bill Monroe
- 59. Not chronic
- 60. "The southern side of Cincinnati"
- 63. Tiniest bit
- 64. Show horse
- 65. Noted Canadian design school
- 66. Dress (up)
- 67. Sciences' partner
- 68. Call letters of KY's first commercial radio station (Louisville 840-AM)

- seat
- 27. "He's \_\_\_\_ nowhere man" (Beatles lyric)
- 28. Site of Lincoln's famous speech
- 30. Mexican shawl
- 32. Eastern wrap
- 33. Harness racer
- 35. Regarding this point
- 38. Like some glass
- 43. Delivery person?
- 44. Kentucky birthplace of Diane Sawyer and Billy Vaughn
- 47. Computer symbol
- 49. Prince William's bride
- 51. Baby beds
- 52. Wear well
- 53. Audio effect, or a Mammoth Cave river
- 54. Sweet 16 org.
- 56. Hankering
- 57. Weather radio network
- 58. Concludes
- 61. "Catch-22" pilot
- 62. Wine holder

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Notice of Vacant Rockcastle County Board of Education Seat

The Kentucky Commissioner of Education is seeking applications to be considered for appointment to the Rockcastle County Schools Board of Education. You are invited to nominate yourself or someone you know who is qualified to serve on the Board of Education representing Educational Division 4 of Rockcastle County Schools. The vacancy was created by resignation of the prior member.

Under the provisions of KRS 160.190(2) this appointment is effective until the November 2014 regular election.

This is a public service position and the person appointed will not be employed by the Rockcastle County Public Schools.

REQUIREMENTS

Board members must be:

- At least 24 years old.
- A Kentucky citizen for the last three years.
- A registered voter in Rockcastle County and in the Climax/Orlando voter precincts.
- Have a high school diploma or GED certificate.
- Must be in compliance with anti-nepotism state laws.
- Cannot provide contract services for the school district.

RESPONSIBILITIES

School board members are involved primarily in the following areas:

- Developing policy that governs the operation of schools.
- Providing visionary leadership that establishes long-range plans and programs for the district.
- Hiring the district superintendent and issuing annual evaluation reports.
- Setting local tax rates and practicing vigorous stewardship to ensure that all school district funds are spent wisely.

Applications must be postmarked by January 14, 2013.

Applications for this position are available from:

- Rockcastle County Board of Education – 245 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
- The Kentucky Department of Education, address below.

All applications must be mailed directly to: Commissioner of Education  
 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Capital Plaza Tower  
 500 Mero Street  
 Frankfort, KY 40601

The Kentucky Department of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.



Peggy McClure was the lucky winner of the Christmas Stocking drawing.

She is shown above with Haley and Ayley McClure.

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Danette Craig, Pharmacist/Owner

# Church Directory

**Believers House of Prayer**  
156 Scenic View Lane  
U.S. 25 N, left at 18 mile marker  
Renfro Valley, Ky.  
Sabbath School Sat. 10-11 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Pastor: Bill Davis  
bhbp@ymail.com

**Bible Baptist Church**  
100 Higher Ground (off US 25)  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Church Phone 606-256-5913  
e-mail: www.biblebaptist.org  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship/Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Video services Tues., Thurs., & Sat. at 11 a.m., 4 p.m. & 9 p.m.  
Channel 3 - New Wave  
Cable Channel 5 in Berea and Richmond 1 p.m. Wednesdays  
Pastor: Don Stayton  
Associate Pastor/Youth: Bro. Jeremy Ellis  
Kids for Christ  
Children's Ministry: Bro. Jarrod Amyx  
Secretary: Jo Roberts  
Music Director: Dan Dull

**Blue Springs Church of Christ**  
7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd)  
Services:  
Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Preaching Brethren  
Zade McClure, Gary Reppert, Marcus Reppert  
Contact Info:  
Marcus Reppert  
104 Byrda Way • Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-308-2794  
marcusreppert24@hotmail.com

**Bride of Christ Church**  
100 High St. Mt. Vernon  
Sundays 6:00 p.m.  
Thursdays 7:00 p.m.  
Pastor Darlisa Holder  
606-416-7136  
606-379-6335

**Brodhead Baptist Church**  
Corner of Silver & Maple St.  
Brodhead, Ky. 40409  
606-758-8316  
Sunday Bible Study 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.  
(Nursery Provided)  
Sunday Youth Bible Study 5 p.m.  
Wednesday Adult & Youth Worship/Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Children's Programs: RAs & GAs  
Mission Friends and Creative Ministry  
Ralph Baker, Pastor  
Brodhead Christian Church  
237 W. Main St. Brodhead  
606-758-8721  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Tracy Valentine, Preacher  
606-758-8662  
Cell 606-305-8980

**Brodhead Church of God**  
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead  
758-8216  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.  
Terry Orcutt, Pastor  
Brush Creek  
Holiness Church  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.  
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.  
Special Service 1st Sunday or each month at 11 a.m.  
Lonnie Reese McGuire, Pastor  
Buffalo Baptist Church  
Located 15 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd.)  
606-256-4988  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Tim Owens, Pastor  
Calloway Baptist Church  
76 Calloway Branch Rd. (Off US 25) • Calloway  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.  
George Renner, Pastor  
256-8812 • 606-224-4641  
Central Baptist Church  
86 Maintenance Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456  
606-256-2988  
centralbaptistky.org  
Pastor: Mark Eaton  
Home of "Central Baptist Christian Academy"  
K-12 Private School  
"Central Time" Radio Broadcast  
WRVK 1460AM  
Monday -Friday 11:15 a.m.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning and Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study, Prayer Meeting and "Patch the Pirate Club" 7 p.m.  
Transportation and Nursery provided for all services  
Mark Eaton, Pastor  
Church of Christ at Chestnut Ridge  
2 miles south of Mt. Vernorn  
Turn left off US Hwy 25  
Sundays 10:00 a.m.  
Wednesdays 7:30 p.m.  
Bro. Ova Baker  
Bro. Dale McNew  
Bro. Philip Scott  
Church of Christ on Fairground Hill  
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.  
Different speaker each Sunday  
Climax Christian Church  
Hwy. 1912  
308-2806 - 256-4138 - 256-5977  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Wade Johnson, Minister  
Climax Holiness Church  
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.  
Thursday Nights 7 p.m.  
3rd Sat. of every month at 7 p.m.  
Conway Missionary Baptist  
U.S. 25 between Mount Vernon and Berea  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship

11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service and Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth Meetings: Sunday 5 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Bobby Turner, Pastor  
606-758-4007  
Crossroads  
Assembly of God  
Hwy. 150 • Brodhead  
Bro. Steven Vanhook, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.  
Dixie Park Cornerstone  
700 N. Powell St. Berea, Ky.  
859-623-8292 • 859-985-2484  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Gene Smith, Pastor  
Fairview Baptist Church  
520 Fairview Loop Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday Services  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Choir 6 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.  
Wednesday Services  
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.  
Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.  
RAs and GAs 7 p.m.  
Mission Friends 6 p.m.  
Vaughn Raser, Pastor  
606-256-3722  
email: fairviewbapt@aol.com

**Faith Chapel Pentecostal**  
S. Wilderness Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Saturday Service 7 p.m.  
Jack Carpenter, Pastor  
First Baptist Church  
340 West Main Street  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922  
Bro. Eddie Nation, Pastor  
website: www.fbcmtky.org  
email: fbcmtvernon@newwave.net  
Sunday Services: 8:30 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
Wednesdays: AWANA and Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m.  
Live Broadcast WRVK 1460AM  
Sundays at 11 a.m.  
Broadcast on New Wave Cable Channel 3 Tues., Thurs. & Sunday at 10 a.m., 3 p.m. & 8 p.m.  
First Christian Church  
West Main St. Mt. Vernon  
606-256-2876  
Bro. Bruce Ross, Pastor  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Flat Rock Missionary Baptist  
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004  
Orlando, Ky. • 859-925-4048  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Thursday Night Visiting 7 p.m.  
Contact: Doris Brown  
606-256-0188  
burtonpromos@prodigy.net

**Freedom Baptist Church**  
Freedom School Rd.  
Mt. Vernon  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 6 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting & Youth/Children Classes 7 p.m.  
www.freedombc.com  
email:  
pastor@freedombc.com  
Pastor: David Sargent  
606-256-2968

**God's Church of Zion**  
35 McFerron St.  
Mt. Vernon, KY  
Wed. Night 7 p.m.  
Sunday School 2 p.m.  
Sunday Worship 3 p.m.  
Pastor: Fred Hecker  
Hickory Grove  
Pentecostal Church  
Hwy. 1505 (6 miles from Brodhead)  
Brodhead, Ky.  
Randal Adams, Pastor

Youth Pastor, Scott Adams  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sun. & Wed. Evening 7 p.m.  
Lighthouse Assembly of God  
Hwy. 1004 • Orlando, Ky.  
Tim Hampton, Pastor  
606-256-4884 • 606308-2342  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Little Country Church  
Jarber Rd.  
Turn left off Rev. Green Loop onto Jarber Rd.  
Jack Weaver, Pastor  
Sunday 6 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.  
Livingston Baptist  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Adult & Youth Classes Available  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Bro. Steve McKinney, Pastor  
606-758-4097  
email: stevemc64@alltel.net

**Livingston Christian Church**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Arthur Hunt, Minister  
Livingston Pentecostal Holiness Church  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Jim Miller, Pastor  
606-256-1709

**Macedonia Baptist**  
Scaffold Cane Road  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Bro. Barry Hurst, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Maple Grove Baptist  
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)  
Orlando, Ky. • 606-256-1873  
Bro. Jerry Owens, Pastor  
Home Phone 606-256-3075  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
WRVK Broadcast 2 p.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

**Maretburg Baptist Church**  
2617 New Brodhead Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456  
Wayne Harding, Pastor  
Phone: 256-8844  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sun. Discipleship Training/ Sunday Youth Missions 6 p.m.  
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
www.maretburgbaptist.org  
maretburgchurch@yahoo.com

**McNew Chapel Baptist**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Jerry Ballinger, Pastor  
Mt. Vernon Church of God  
1025 W Main St.  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Bobby Owens, Pastor  
859-986-1317

**Mt. Vernon Church of the Nazarene**  
40 Fair Street • Mt. Vernon  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
David Smith, Pastor  
Mt. Zion Baptist Church  
859-200-5640  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Josh Chasteen, Pastor  
New Hope Baptist Church  
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.  
Orlando  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.  
Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor  
Northside Baptist Church  
777 Faith Mountain Rd.  
(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon

606-256-5577  
Sunday  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Hispanic Services 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Adult & Youth Worship 7 p.m.  
New Wave Cable (KET2 ch. 3)  
Tues., Thurs., Sun.  
9 a.m., 2 p.m., 7 p.m.  
Ottawa Baptist Church  
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Children's Church 11 a.m.  
Sunday Discipleship Training/Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Services  
Youth Choir 6 p.m.  
Children's & Youth Bible Study 6:45 p.m. • Service 7 p.m.  
Jim Craig, Pastor • 758-8453  
ottawabaptist@windstream.net

**Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Catholic Church**  
515 Williams St (across from MVES)  
Mount Vernon, Ky.  
606-256-4170  
Mass Times:  
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.  
Sabbath Mass: Sat., 5 p.m.  
Holy Days 5 p.m.  
Fr. Frank Brawner, Pastor  
Sister Joyce Moeller,  
Pastoral Associate  
Philadelphia United Baptist  
834 Bryant Ridge Rd. Brodhead  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.  
Saturday Service 7 p.m.  
Gordon Mink, Pastor  
606-256-9724

**Pine Hill Holiness**  
5216 S. Wilderness Rd.  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456  
Chris Davidson, Pastor  
256-5955  
www.pinehillholiness.com  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sun. Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Thursday Night Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Sat. Night Worship 7:00 p.m.  
WRVK (1460 AM) Broadcast  
Noon Sundays  
Pine Hill Missionary Baptist Church  
81 Limeplant Hollow Road  
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456  
Bro. Clyde Miller, Pastor  
859-986-1579  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting & Youth Service at 7:00 p.m.  
Prayer Partners Ladies Meeting monthly every 2nd Tues. at 6:30 p.m.

**Pleasant Run Missionary**  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.  
1st Sunday in Month Church at 2 p.m. at Rockcastle Respiratory Care  
Bro. Gary Bowling, Pastor  
Call Church News to 256-2244  
Deadline is Noon Tuesday

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# Lady Rockets win Danville tourney; place third in Landair Classic in TN

By: Doug Ponder

The Rockcastle County Lady Rockets had a very successful run during their

Christmas break.

The Lady Rockets went 5-2 in two different holiday tournaments winning the

Danville Lady Admirals Christmas tournament and finishing third in the Landair Classic tournament in Greeneville, Tennessee.

At Danville, the Lady Rockets defeated Bates Creek 80-55 and Bell County 60-57 and then bested Danville 63-57 in the championship game.

In the opening game against Bates Creek, senior guard Michaela Hunter led all scoring with 23 points, senior forward Emily Miller was next with 18, sophomore forward Amelia Eversole got 10, senior guard Alexis Chasteen scored 9 and junior forward Kayla Reynolds had 6. Eighth grade guard Mahala Saylor and eighth grade guard Jayna Albright were both credited with 2 points each.

During the Bell County game, Michaela Hunter again led the Lady Rockets in scoring with 20 points, Emily Miller was next with 11, Alaina Coguer had 9, Amelia Eversole got 8, Sara Adams scored 6 and Alexis Chasteen and Kayla Reynolds got 2 each.

In the championship game against Danville, Michaela Hunter once again led in scoring with 26 points, Alexis Chasteen was next with 16, Amelia

Eversole had 8, Alaina Coguer got 5 and Sara Adams got 4. Emily Miller and Kayla Reynolds were both credited with 2 points each.

After Christmas, the Lady Rockets packed their bags for Greeneville, Tennessee where they won three games and finished third in the 16 team tournament.

In the first game, the Lady Rockets defeated North Greene 48-39. The Rockets trailed until the fourth quarter when they turned up the offense and outscored North Greene 19-11 to win the game.

The Lady Rockets were led in scoring by Alexis Chasteen with 18, Sara Adams was next with 12, Michaela Hunter, who got into early foul trouble, had 8, Alaina Coguer got 7, and Amelia Eversole scored 2.

In game two, the Lady Rockets got a superb performance from Hunter who finished the game with 27 points, 7 assists, 7 steals and 8 rebounds as the Lady Rockets went on to beat Chuckey-Doak 62-52.

Other Rockets scoring were Amelia Eversole with 13, Alexis Chasteen 12, Sara Adams 6, and Kayla Reynolds 4.

During the third game,

Morristown West applied special defense to Michaela Hunter and beat the Lady Rockets 53-46.

Despite the special defense, Hunter once again led the Lady Rocket's offense with 15 points, 10 rebounds and 7 assists.

Other Rockets getting into the scoring column were Kayla Reynolds with 9, Sara Adams and Amelia Eversole with 8 points each and Alexis Chasteen scored 6.

During the Lady Rockets final game of the Landair Classic they defeated Christian Academy of Knoxville

68-62.

Michaela Hunter would come up one assist shy of recording the first triple-double in the history of the Landair Classic as she finished with 22 points, 12 rebounds and 9 assists. At the end of the tournament, Hunter was selected to the all-tournament team.

Other Rockets getting into the scoring column in the final game were Sara Adams with 18 points, 15 coming from five three point baskets, Alexis Chasteen was next with 16

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Senior guard Sara Adams attempts a three point basket during the Somerset game on Tuesday. Adams has been hot from the three point line shooting five three point baskets during the final game of the Landair Classic against Christian Academy of Knoxville.



Senior guard Emily Miller attempts a lay-up during Tuesday's 58-52 loss to the Somerset Briar Jumpers. The Lady Rockets will join the Rockets in a double header on Friday night when they will both take on the Pulaski County Maroons at home. Tip-off for the Lady Rockets game is at 6 p.m.



The Rockcastle Lady Rockets were the champions of the Danville Lady Ads Christmas Tournament held during Christmas break. They had victories over Bates Creek, Bell County and Danville in the championship game. Members of the team are shown above, front row from left: Mahala Saylor, Alaina Coguer, Abby Chasteen and Kayla Reynolds. Second row from left: Morgan Renner, Jaclyn White, Brianna Hansel, Sara Adams, Emily Miller, Michaela Hunter, Alexis Chasteen, Kali Lay and Ashley McKinney. Back row from left: Amelia Eversole, Hannah Sowder, Rebekah Ponder and Kelsey Mattingly.

## Girls and boys lose return match to Briar Jumpers

After winning their first game of the season against district Somerset at Somerset 67-53, the Rockcastle Lady Rockets faltered Tuesday and lost the return match 58-52. The win for the Lady Briar Jumpers could be attributed to free throws since Somerset was 26 for 31 at the free throw line and the Lady Rockets were 8 for 12.

In the first quarter, the Briar Jumpers "jumped" out to a 13-1 lead and it was 13-5 at the end of the period. But, in the second quarter, the Lady Rockets, behind 6 points by Michaela Hunter, tied the score at 17-17 and, at half time the Rockets were up 26-21. However, in the third quarter, some cold shooting and four turnovers by the Rockets put Somerset

up 36-33. The fourth quarter saw the Rockets tie the score at 36 all but the Briar Jumpers, on two free throws, and a basket, went ahead and slowly built their lead, mainly at the free throw line where they were 11/12 in the fourth quarter, to the final 58-52.

Leading the scoring for the Rockets was Hunter with 17; Sara Adams got 14; Alexis Chasteen scored 12 points, 8 in the second half; Alaina Coguer got 3 and Kayla Reynolds, Emily Miller and Amanda Eversole scored 2 points each.

The Rockets, who had lost to Somerset by 12 in their first encounter, got blown out Tuesday, losing

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## Rockets win three games over holiday break

By: Doug Ponder

The Rockcastle County Rockets have gone 3 for 5 over the past two weeks after playing in the Legacy Nissan Shootout tournament and Edmonton State Bank Holiday Classic tournament.

After losing by only two points to Whitley County 55-53 in the first round of

the Legacy Nissan shootout, the Rockets beat Garrard County 78-49 in the second round. The Rockets would then lose their final game of the tournament to Bell County 47-38.

In the opening game against Whitley County, senior guard Ashton Arvin led in scoring with 14 points, senior guard Sam Pensol was

next with 12, and junior forward Josh Mason had 9. Senior forward Zach Poynter and senior guard Bryson Amyx were credited with 4 points each while senior guard Jon Curtis Wilson and junior guard Gage Reynolds were credited with 2 points each.

During the Garrard County game, Sam Pensol led the Rockets in scoring with 16 points, Josh Mason was next with 15, Dakota Hasty had 11, Ashton Arvin and Corey McPhetridge were both credited with 8, Bryson Amyx had 3 and Blake Mullins scored 2.

In the last game of the Legacy Nissan Shootout against Bell County, Sam Pensol once again led the Rockets with 11, Ashton Arvin was next with 7, Corey McPhetridge had 5, Tyler Harper got 4, Josh Mason and Bryson Amyx were both credited with 3 each, Dakota Hasty had 2 and Gage Reynolds got 1.

The Rockets then headed to Metcalfe County to play in the Edmonton State Bank Holiday Classic tournament where they came away with two wins and two losses.

In the opening round, the Rockets lost a heartbreaker to North Bullitt 51-50. However the Rockets bounced back in the second round of the tournament with a 62-53 win over Todd County Central.

During the third round of the tournament, the Rockets lost another close game, to Butler County 75-72. How-

ever, the Rockets then beat Metcalfe County 72-40 in their final game of the tournament.

In the opening game against North Bullitt, Josh Mason led the Rockets in scoring with 16, Dakota Hasty was next with 13, Sam Pensol had 8, Ashton Arvin 6, Ben Allen 5 and Corey McPhetridge got 2.

During the Todd County Central game, Josh Mason once again led the Rockets with 16, Ben Allen was next with 14, Sam Pensol had 13, Corey McPhetridge scored 12, Ashton Arvin 8 and Blake Mullins had 3.

In the Butler County game, Sam Pensol led the Rockets with a career high 27 points, Josh Mason was next with 13, Ben Allen had 11, Corey McPhetridge got 9, Jon Curtis Wilson and Ashton Arvin were both credited with 5 and Blake Mullins had 3.

During the final game against Metcalfe County, Josh Mason had a career high 19 points, Corey McPhetridge, Ashton Arvin and Gage Reynolds were next with 8 points each, Ben Allen had 7, Jon Curtis Wilson got 6, Bryson Amyx scored 5, Tyler Harper had 4 and Zach Poynter 2.

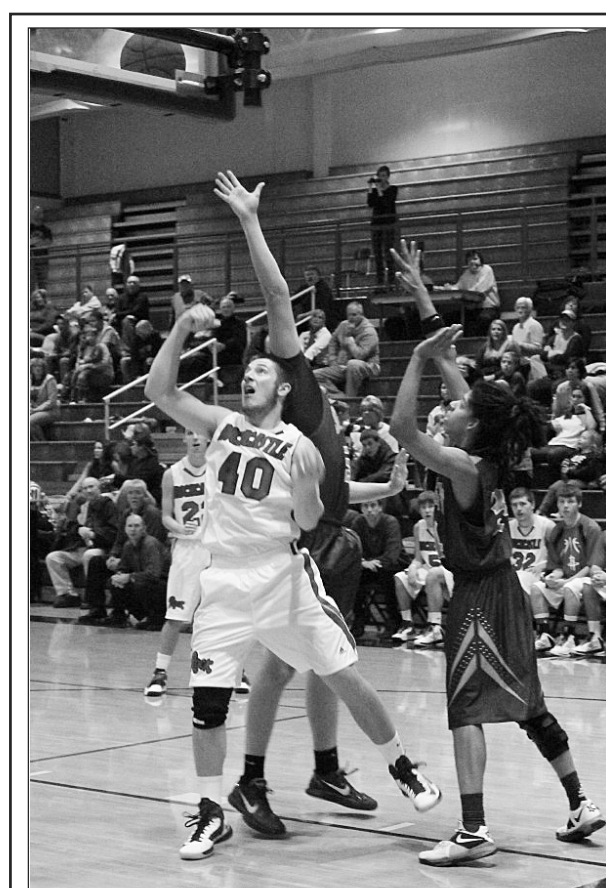
Head Coach Benny Blanton said that he believed his team played well against some tough opponents during the tournaments, despite losing five games.

"We lost three games by

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Senior guard Bryson Amyx takes a charge during Tuesday's home game against the Somerset Briar Jumpers. The Rockets will join the Lady Rockets in a double header on Friday night when they will both take on the Pulaski County Maroons at home. Tip-off for the Rockets game is at 7:30.



Senior center Ben Allen blocks out a Briar Jumper defender during Tuesday's 75-49 loss against Somerset. Allen recently returned to the Rockets lineup after injuring his right patella tendon during warm-ups at Rocket Madness.



# Kentucky Afield Outdoors 2012 Year in Review

It was a year for deer and bear season records, expanded public hunting opportunities and improved access to Kentucky's premier trout stream.

Here's a look back at a few of the top stories from 2012:

Kentucky hunters harvested a record number of white-tailed deer.

With 35 days of archery hunting and a two-day

## “Somerset”

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75-49, the Rockets led 8 to 4 in the first quarter on two three point baskets by point guard Sam Pensol but that was the last time they would lead as Somerset came back to tie the score at 8 all and then outscore the Rockets 28-14 in the first half for a half time lead of 36-22.

Free throws did not play a part in this game as each team shot free throws 6 times with Somerset going 3/6 and the Rockets 1/6.

Leading the scoring for the Rockets was Pensol with 11, including three three point baskets; Josh Mason got 10; Corey McPhetridge and John Curtis Wilson each had 6 points; Ashton Arvin and Blake Mullins had 5 each and Ben Allen, Gage Reynolds and Tyler Parker each scored 2 points.

## “Lady Rockets”

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points, Amelia Eversole had 6, Kayla Reynolds got 4 and Alaina Coguer scored 2.

Head Coach Chrysti Noble said she is pleased with her team's effort that they gave in both tournaments over the holiday break.

“I am pleased with this team's effort over the holidays and I believe we showed signs of the killer instinct I have been looking for,” Noble said. “But we have got a long way to go and we have to stay focused as the 12th region is much more balanced and talented this year.”

The Lady Rockets will join the Rockets in a double header on Friday night as they will both take on the Pulaski County Maroons at home. Tip-off for the Lady Rockets game is at 6 p.m.

Noble said that Pulaski County is ranked 7th in the 12th region and that they are a much improved team over the past couple of seasons.

“The Lady Maroons reached the regional tournament last season for the first time since 2004,” Noble said. “They returned their star player Brittany Warren from last season who averaged over 18 points and 3 rebounds last year, if we want to win we will have to shut her down during the game.”

## “Rockets”

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three points or less,” Blanton said. “It's hard when you lose close games like that because you know your team played well, it's just that they didn't close out the game.”

The Rockets will join the Lady Rockets in a double header on Friday night when they will both take on the Pulaski County Maroons at home. Tip-off for the Rockets game is 7:30 p.m.

Blanton said that Pulaski County is ranked number one in the 12th region and 29th in the state. He said his team will have to play at a high level if they want to stay in the game against the Maroons.

“Pulaski County was the favorite to win our region this year as they returned shooting guards Taylor Gover and Kody Johnson who are two of the region's top ranked players,” Blanton said. “They will definitely be one of the toughest teams we have played all year.”

youth season remaining before season's end, hunters eclipsed the overall deer harvest total record. As of Dec. 18, hunters harvested 126,923 deer. This total breaks the previous season record of 124,752 set in 2004.

Earlier in the fall, hunters reported bagging 92,737 whitetails during Kentucky's modern gun season which ended Monday, Nov. 25. Last spring, a record 68 deer from the 2011-12 season in Kentucky qualified for entry into the Boone and Crockett record book, the most for any state or Canadian province.

Bear season in Kentucky has come of age.

Kentucky's 2012 bear season was the first time hunters reached the harvest quota and in the process set a new state record.

Doug Adkins of Jenkins, Ky. took a 410-pound male bear in Letcher County. “That's the field-dressed weight,” said Steve Dobe, bear program coordinator for Kentucky Fish and Wildlife. “The live weight would have likely exceeded 450 pounds.”

Hunters purchased 359 permits for the 2012 hunt. Nine of the 11 bears taken were males.

By the late 2000s, black bears had made a comeback and were well established in eastern Kentucky. These bears did not come to Kentucky by a planned restoration effort, but by natural range expansion. Bears again colonized eastern Kentucky's mountain region from the neighboring states of West Virginia, Virginia and Tennessee, where bear populations were never extirpated. herd along with excellent potential for small game and wild turkey.

New fishing opportunities await Kentucky anglers in 2012.

Anglers have two new places to wade fish in the trout-rich Cumberland tailwaters: the island adjacent to Rainbow Run shoal and Long Bar Island. This 75-mile section of river extends from Lake Cumberland's Wolf Creek Dam to the Tennessee line.

Both properties are in a bend of the Cumberland River near the Rock House, a natural arch off Ky 379 on the Russell-Clinton County line.

Long Bar is on the left side of the river, just upstream of the Rock House. It is off Ky. 1730 on Wells Bottom Road in Clinton County.

Rainbow Run is on the right side of the river, just downstream of the Rock House, and can only be

reached by boat.

With hope, Kentucky Fish and Wildlife will have

many other positive accomplishments in 2013.



Senior guard Michaela Hunter attempts a jumpshot during Tuesday's 58-52 loss against the Somerset Briar Jumpers. Hunter led the Lady Rockets offense with 17 points.

# Swim Rockets place 3rd at Barbourville

As the weather is cooling down for the season the Swim Rockets are heating up in the pool. In their last meet they placed 3rd out of 7 teams. The Women's 200 yard Medley relay team of Lauren Burton swimming backstroke, Holly Cromer swimming breaststroke, Kellan Coffey swimming the butterfly and with Rachel Cain pulling anchor with the freestyle were able to get the meet off to a good start by winning the event. The Women's 200 yard freestyle team of Rachel Cain, Kellan Coffey, Emily Childress and Lauren Burton also placed 1st with a new school record and by finishing 15 seconds ahead of the next place team. Overall the women team finished 1st of 7. The Swim Rockets were one of the smaller teams competing that night. There was 13 out of 19 faster times in the individual events.

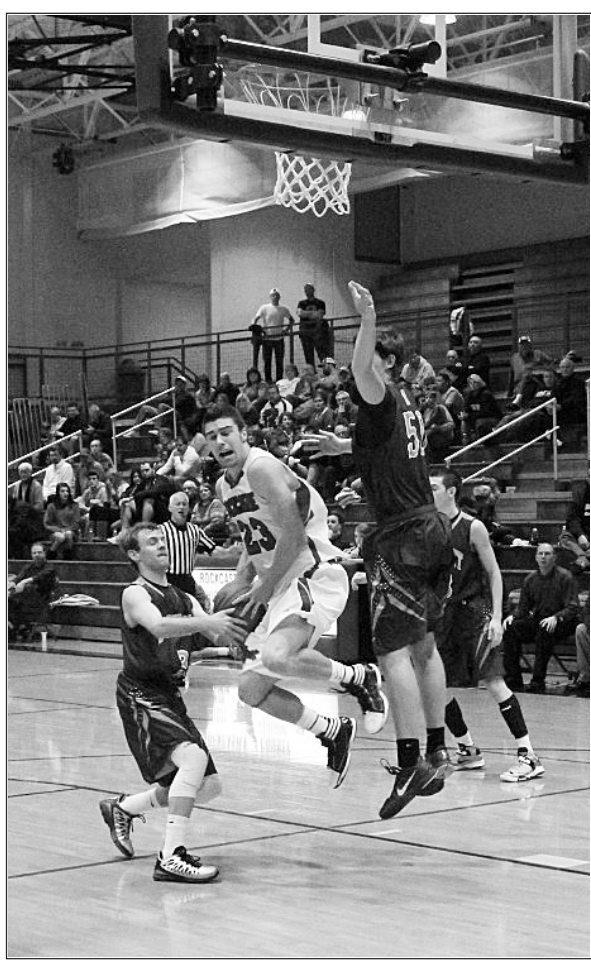
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Jacob Houk swimming freestyle.



Holly Cromer swimming breaststroke.



Junior guard Corey McPhetridge attempts to thread the lane during Tuesday's 75-49 loss against the Somerset Briar Jumpers. The Rockets went 3 for 5 during the Legacy Nissan Shootout and the Edmonton State Bank Holiday Classic.



Junior forward Josh Mason attempts a lay-up during Tuesday's 75-49 loss against the Somerset Briar Jumpers. Mason scored 10 points during the game.



Amelia Eversole, Alexis Chasteen, Alaina Coguer trap a Lady Briar Jumper during Tuesday's home game against Somerset. The Lady Rockets went 5 and 2 in two different holiday tournaments winning the Danville Lady Admirals Christmas Tournament and finishing third in the Landair Classic Tournament in Greeneville, Tennessee.

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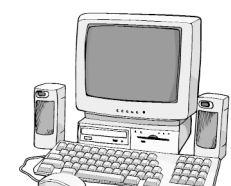
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Christmas was saved for a Mt. Vernon family after they lost their home to a fire on Christmas Eve night. Amy Cromer, 26 and John Wells, 24 lost their Sand Springs home to the fire. The couple also lived there with three children eight-year old Jase Cameron, six-year-old Jaden Cameron and two-year-old Dawson Cameron. The house was a total loss and only a few Christmas presents could be saved. After the fire, the family stayed the night with Cromer's aunt at her apartment in Livingston. On Christmas morning, Cromer received a call from Neal James, otherwise known as the Turtleman's friend in the Animal Planets TV show "Call of the Wildman." James told Cromer that he had a carload of presents that Santa Claus had dropped off at his house for the children. James arrived at the apartment an hour later with a trunk load of gifts for the children. Also pictured at right is James' brother-in-law Ron Tillet.



Also pictured at right is James' brother-in-law Ron Tillet.

## “Fire”

(Cont. from front)

aunt at her apartment in Livingston. On Christmas morning, Cromer received a phone call around 6:30 from Neal James, otherwise known as the Turtleman's friend in Animal Planet's TV show "Call of the Wildman." James is a distant relative of Cromer.

James told Cromer that he had a carload of Christmas presents that Santa Claus had dropped off at his house for her kids.

"It was a weight lifted off of my shoulders to hear what he had to say," Cromer said. "I was afraid that my kids were not going to have a good Christmas but all of that changed with one phone call."

An hour later, James arrived at the apartment with a trunk load of gifts for Cromer's three children.

"He opened up the back hatch of his car and it was completely full of presents," Cromer said. "My kids were so excited! They immediately started going through them and digging in them."

The gifts included a Nerf gun and scooter for Jase, a pony doll and a children's vanity mirror for Jaden and an electric four-wheeler for Dawson.

"I told him I couldn't thank him enough for saving Christmas for my family," Cromer said. "He told me to not give the glory to him, but instead to give all the glory to God."

Since finding out the news about their house fire, Cromer said she has received hundreds of phone calls and Facebook messages from people who are reaching out to help her family.

"So many of our relatives, friends and former classmates have helped by sending food, clothes, toi-

leties and other supplies," Cromer said. "It's hard to lose everything in a house fire the night before Christmas, but we are thankful to have so many people who wanted to help."

Cromer said that she also received news from Sam Cornett of the National Indian Association, who told Cromer to find a trailer for sale and that he would make a down payment on it. He also told Cromer that if her family wanted to rent a house instead, that he would pay the rent for the first five or six months.

Cromer said that she and her family are very appreciative of the help they have received during their tragedy and that she couldn't thank everyone enough.

"I knew that people would want to help but I didn't know people would help as much as they have," Cromer said. "Thanks to everyone's help, things are slowly returning to normal for my family."

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Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue and the Mt. Vernon Police Department responded to a two vehicle accident Tuesday night on U.S. 25 near Wendy's in Mt. Vernon. Authorities say Donnie Hammond 52, of Knox County was driving a Robinson Sausage box truck on Hwy 25 when the engine blew out creating smoke across all four lanes of traffic. Dusty Lee Richardson, 31, of Mt. Vernon was traveling west on US 25 and rear-ended Hammond's truck. Hammond refused treatment at the scene. Mrs. Richardson and four passengers in her vehicle had to be treated for minor injuries.



Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue and the Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department responded to a single car accident Christmas Eve morning on New Brodhead Road in Mt. Vernon. Authorities say Dortha DeBorde, 75, of Mt. Vernon was traveling west on New Brodhead Road when she lost control of the vehicle. Deborde reportedly overcorrected causing the vehicle to flip multiple times. DeBorde and her passenger Charlene Reynolds, 76, of Mt. Vernon were transported to the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. Reynolds was treated for non-life threatening injuries and later released. Deborde was flown to the UK Medical Center where she died on Sunday, December 30th, following a surgery.

## Wet/dry vote highlights first six months of 2012

A decision over the future of the Cedar Rapids Recreation Center was made, a special election saw voters in Rockcastle County give an emphatic no to the sale of alcohol in the county and, in the May primary election, Eliza York was elected Circuit Court Clerk. These were just a few of the top stories in the first six months of 2012 in Rockcastle County.

**In January:** Jada Hayes, 7 and Malachi Hayes, 5 of Mt. Vernon lost their lives in a traffic accident on the new Hwy. 150. A majority of the board of education turned thumbs down to a proposed school property-wide smoking ban. Brenda McKnight and Larry Hammond filed as candidates for the seat of Circuit Clerk Teresa Vanzant who planned to retire in December. A new Wellness Center opened at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. Long-time state representative Danny Ford announced his plans to retire in December of 2012 and U.S. Navy Captain (Ret.) Roger Coldiron announced his candidacy for Ford's seat. A grand re-opening ceremony was held for the newly renovated Citizens Bank in Brodhead and Joe Mullins, who had served as a member of the Mt. Vernon City Council for over 20

years, died. His youngest son, Cliff, was named to fill his unexpired term.

**In February:** Eliza York filed for the office of Circuit Court Clerk. The Mt. Vernon City Council approved a 36% water rate increase to pay for a water tank capital improvement project. Local pastor Mark Eaton entered the race for state representative. A petition, containing 1,411 signatures, to place a wet/dry vote on the ballot in the May primary was presented to County Clerk Danetta Ford. Ford's office verified 816 of the signatures and a special election was set for March 31st by County Judge/Executive. The date had to be moved to April 3rd because of a state law that said the election had to be held on a Tuesday. Trevor Todd, a 4th grader at Roundstone Elementary School, was the overall county spelling bee winner. Mahala Saylor, RCMS, was the 2nd place winner; Elijah McKinney, BES 5th grader, got 3rd and Caroline White, a 5th grader at MVES was fourth and the City of Livingston began the process to become the first Trail Town in Kentucky.

**In March:** The former Plasticware building and machinery were sold at a Master Commissioner's

Sale. The equipment brought \$3,170,000 and was bought by Anchor Packaging. Citizens Bank bought the building for \$2,343,000, the total of the mortgage the bank held on the property. Seven people were arrested for manufacturing methamphetamine in seven separate meth lab raids. Cedar Rapids, which was purchased by a group of former and current members, after members of the fiscal court declined to approve the purchase of the facility for operation as a county park, was reopened March 1st for

golfing and the sale of swim, family and individual memberships. David King, of King Bottling, producers of Climax Water, received the Small Business of the Year Award at the annual Farmers/Business Banquet. Others honored included: Shirley Cummins, Executive Director of Rtec, recipient of the 2011 Large Business of the Year Award; Steven Eversole, owner of Back Porch BBQ, received the Business of the Year Award; Mike Deborde re-

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## Christmas saved for family after losing home to fire

By: Doug Ponder

Christmas was saved for a Mt. Vernon family who lost their home to a fire on Christmas Eve night.

Amy Cromer, 26 and her boyfriend John Wells, 24, lost their Sand Springs home to a fire on the night before Christmas when the family wasn't home. The couple lived there along with three children, eight-year-old Jase Cameron, six-year-old Jaden Cameron and two-year-old Dawson Cameron.

The house was a total loss and the couple did not have homeowners insurance. Only a few Christmas presents could be saved from the residence during the fire.

However, after the Christmas presents were saved, severe fire and smoke damage was discovered once they were unwrapped.

Cromer said she had taken her children with her while she was doing some last minute Christmas shopping. Cromer also said that Wells was at work during the time of the fire.

"Neither one of us smelled a burning smell when we left and we had also turned everything off. So we really don't know what happened," Cromer said. "I just thank the Lord it didn't happen when we were all asleep."

After the fire, the family stayed the night with Cromer's parents.

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## Sheriff's Dept. asks for more help from court

Dale McNew, financial officer for the Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department, told the court that without additional financial help from the court, Sheriff Mike Peters would have to reduce his staff even further.

McNew said the depletion of the forfeiture funds has caused over \$63,000 in expenditures to have to be added to the general budget.

The additional funding requested is \$9,340 monthly, in addition to the over \$229,000 contributed in 2012 to the

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## Mt. Vernon man arrested for stealing dishwasher from local restaurant

By: Doug Ponder

A Mt. Vernon man was recently arrested for receiving stolen property after allegedly stealing a dishwasher from a former Mt. Vernon restaurant.

Arrested was Dale J. Bradley, 28, of Mt. Vernon.

According to Mt. Vernon Police reports, officers Jeff Harness and Adam Stallworth responded to a complaint of a theft at the former Rock Fire Steakhouse on 75 Holt Drive in Mt. Vernon.

Once officers arrived, the owners of the restaurant said that their commercial dishwasher had been stolen. The owners also told the officers that the value of the dishwasher taken was estimated at \$1,000.

Upon further investigation, officers noticed a dishwasher sitting at the end of Bradley's driveway on 205 Holt Drive, approximately one mile from the restaurant. Officers also noticed that there was no frost on the

dishwasher, despite there being a frost on the ground.

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## Ford named Surplus Property Director by Gov.

By: Doug Ponder

Governor Steve Beshear recently appointed former Representative Danny Ford as the Surplus Property Director in the Kentucky Finance and Administration

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## Swearing-In ceremony for Meade is Sunday

The official swearing-in ceremony for representative-elect David Meade will be held Sunday at the Lincoln County Courthouse at 3 p.m.

The ceremony will be conducted by Chief Circuit Judge Jeffery Burdette.

The public is invited to attend.



Western Volunteer Fire Department and Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue responded to a house fire on Hwy 618 last Thursday night in Quail. Authorities say the house, which was completely destroyed, was owned by Dallas Kirby, 62, of Mt. Vernon. The cause of the fire remains unknown.

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# ramblings...

by *perlina m. anderkin*  
 It's always nice to get a full week off at Christmas, although I hope our readers missed us. The rest of the year, when everyone is enjoying their "summer" vacation, we have to settle for the occasional long weekend because we are all (particularly me, of course) so essential to each week's publication.

What would probably have been the highpoint of the week for me was when I finally whined long enough, that eldest daughter, Jamie, caved and took me shopping at Dillard's in Lexington. I really like that store and, mainly, my credit card was empty so I was good to go. But, no good deed goes unpunished and Jamie is a prime example of that. At the conclusion of the shopping trip, thank goodness it wasn't earlier, I realized that my billfold was missing from my purse and we spent some time frantically running through the store, trying to retrace my steps and recover my wallet. But, alas, it was all in vain as it had disappeared with my credit cards and cash.

I spent the trip home calling companies trying to get cards stopped and mostly

succeeded even though the first question after I had punched the number for a lost or stolen card, usually from a robot, asked was for my account number.

Now I ask you, if I had my account number wouldn't I have my card? But we won't go there. Suffice it to say I managed to take care of them all except VISA who kept insisting on knowing which bank the card was obtained through for which I had no answer. I managed to get it taken care of the next day by giving them my account number off my statement.

Jamie did get some measure of revenge by reminding me, every time I asked for something on the way home, that I had no money so I was out of luck. She was just kidding, and fulfilled my every request, but had way too much fun doing it.

I have reasoned out that it was all Jamie and granddaughter Kayla's fault I lost the billfold because by now they should have realized that I need someone watching me, especially when I am out in public to make sure I don't harm myself or others.

Anyway, a *Happy New Year to all our readers.*

## Points East

By **Ike Adams**



When last I left you, readers, my fruitcake was out of the oven, cooled and ready for the display and serving apparatus.

Loretta has this big 15-inch, crystal cake plate that is mounted on a sturdy base and pedestal. The plate has a deep, thick, glass cover with a knob on top and, I'm guessing, the whole thing stands about 20 inches tall, from knob to table, and weighs about twenty pounds. The cover, alone, weighs well over five.

The point I'm trying to make here is that whatever goes under that cover and gets set out where people can see it, is going to be the center of attention to anyone who wanders into the same room where it is sitting.

If I do say so myself, my blemish-free fruitcake, ever-so-lightly dusted with confectioner's sugar, looked the model of glass covered perfection as it sat there in the dining room from dawn on the day before Christmas until we finally served dinner at 6 p.m. on the big day.

In retrospect, I can't believe that nobody thought to take its picture.

But anyway, when Loretta helped herself to the first slice, sniffed the bite on her fork and finally popped it into her mouth where she rolled it around for several seconds, I sat back, holding my breath and waited for the verdict.

After she swallowed, she nodded her head and said, "Oh, it'll do. It's very good, but it's still not in the same league as Bob's."

The verdict was, in fact, much better than I'd expected. The fact that my too-discerning wife declared it anything better than edible was enough. The fact that she mentioned it in the same breath as our friend, Bob Kennedy's, fruitcake in nothing short of high praise.

My pal, Bob, who lives in New Haven, CT, where he is Director of Operations

for Yale's Timothy Dwight College, takes the time, every year, to bake fruitcakes for me and three other of his closest friends.

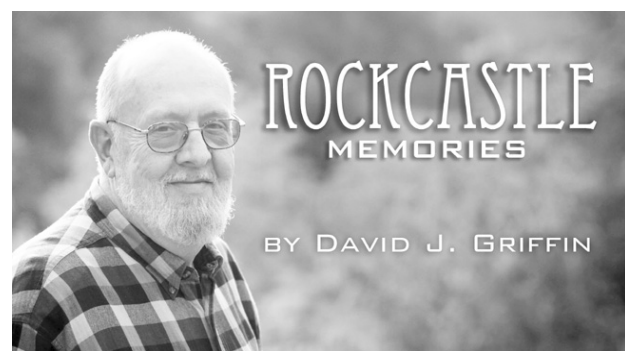
Bob bakes his cakes in a bread loaf pan, wraps them in cling wrap and ships them in sturdy, cardboard, USPS priority-mail packages. Our mail man pulls into the driveway, honks because he has something that won't fit in our mail-box, and then, before handing it over, he closes his eyes and takes one last, deep sniff of the package.

We don't even have to look at the return address to know who it's from and what's in it.

Loretta always says that we ought to keep the Bob cake and serve it at a holiday meal and I always say "sure" as I unwrap it, put it on a serving tray, and start a pot of coffee. Truth of the matter is that I ain't sharing this cake with anybody except Loretta. The package had just my name on it and I'm calling the serving shots and if she wants any, she'd better be grabbing a plate.

So, for ten mornings or so after its arrival, we both savor a slice of Bob's fruitcake and I usually sneak another right before I go to bed. The cake would not last nearly as long as it does if I didn't have diabetes.

I believe that I'm using most, if not all, the same ingredients in my humble attempt as Bob does in his, but the final product that I turn out is not even close to his. On the bright side though, my cake will still be around for at least a month and we had to struggle to make Bob's last ten days.



*This is dedicated to the ones I love - my readers*

Seven years ago, my first column appeared in the Mt. Vernon Signal. Entitled "The Chicken House," it was about working in my dad's business when he was raising 13,000 broilers every nine weeks. Since that time, I am proud to say that I have never missed an issue - a sum of 357 weekly stories. Believe me when I say that none of that would have been possible without your continued encouragement, support, and devotion to my column.

Thank you number one is to the *Signal*: for its assistance and for permitting me to be a small part of this weekly publication.

I have simply been overwhelmed by the responses that I have received from you, my readers, and I will be forever grateful. On occasion, I have been the recipient of as many as 100 emails, notes, and calls regarding a single article. Almost every week, I can count on 30 to 40 of you to contact me expressing your satisfaction and continued support. I count on you to give me details that I have omitted or recommendations for future stories. Thank you from the bottom of my heart. That is thank you number two.

As most everyone knows by now, I have published my first book, *View from the Mountain*, which is mainly a collection of the stories I have told in the *Signal*. Each article was reviewed, updated, and edited (when necessary) to make them "fit" into the book. At the time of publication, I had no idea

how the book would be received. However, to date I have had to re-order four times, and sales continue beyond expectation.

To those of you who have contacted me and purchased my book, thanks seem much too small a word. Marty at Cox Hardware in Mt. Vernon held the first book-signing for me, and I loved seeing many of my friends and becoming acquainted with other readers of my column. Thank you for taking the time to come by and chat with me. I will be forever appreciative of your encouragement. And that is thank you number three.

So to borrow an expression from the old group The Mamas & the Papas, "This is dedicated to the ones I love" - and that is you.

One final note. I want to let my readers know that my email address has changed after all these years. If you wish to contact me, my new email address is themtnman@att.net

If you would like to contact me about my column or my book, I can be reached at: P.O. Box 927 - Stanton, KY 40380. Or you can give me a call at: 606-424-2510. Please continue to keep in touch.

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## Our Readers Write

### Enjoy the Signal...

Dear Editor,

Just a note to let you know how much we enjoy the *Signal*. We live in North Ft. Myers, Florida so we depend on the *Signal* to keep in touch with things back home. We especially enjoyed the recent articles about the founding of Mt. Vernon and the 1951 Brodhead basketball team by David Owens. We cut out the Blast from the Past photographs and clip the out the pieces done by Mr. Owens to put in our Rockcastle History scrap-

book. Of your feature writers he is our favorite. Keep up the good work!

*Perry and Julie Sizemore*

### Cash Express says Thanks...

Dear Editor,

Cash Exress would like to thank the Boy and Girl Scout troops of Mt. Vernon and a special thanks to Bill's This and That for their outstanding contributions to the 8th Annual Coat and Toy Drive for needy children and their families.

*Jessica and Emily*

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To register for this program, please call 1-800-272-3900 or e-mail [infokyn@alz.org](mailto:infokyn@alz.org). Registration is required. Program provided by the Alzheimer's Association and the Pulaski County Cooperative Extension Office.

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# Obituaries



## Dorothea DeBorde

Dorothea Mae DeBorde, 75, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, December 30, 2012 at the UK Hospital in Lexington. She was born June 25, 1937 in Lee County, the daughter of the late Sampson and Lucy Brown Sandusky. She was a housewife, enjoyed fishing, being with her family, enjoyed doing community service, and was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors are: two sons, Glen Renner and George (Billie) Renner, all of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Vickie (Donnie) Mullins of Mt. Vernon; one brother, Lester Sandusky of Sedalia, MO; one sister, Gladys (Jim) Hackney of New Paris, OH; two grandchildren, Tasha Dodd, and Brooke Renner; and one great grandchild.

Besides her parents she was preceded in death by: six brothers, James, Otis, Hershel, Sampson Jr., Johnny, and Billy Sandusky; and one sister, Lou Inman.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. (today) Thursday, January 3, 2012 at Cox Funeral Home with Bros. George Renner and Randy McPherson officiating. Burial will be at Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be: Dan Sandusky, Glen Renner, Donnie Mullins, Eddie Alcorn, Shelly Alcorn, Gary Scott, Jack Weaver, and Danny Riggsdy.



## Margaret Eva Graves Jones

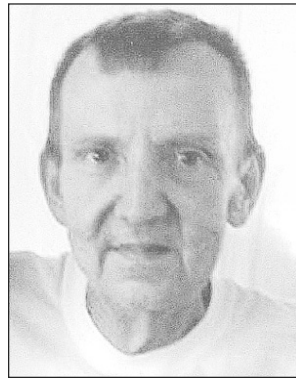
Margaret Eva Graves Jones, 103, of Goshen, OH, died Wednesday, December 26, 2012 at Hospice of Cincinnati. She was born in Springfield, IL on July 14, 1909 the daughter of Charlie and Vacey McFerron Lovins. She was a homemaker and was a member of the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ.

She is survived by her step-children, Russell (Lorene) Jones of Goshen, OH, Charles (Marcia) Jones of Greenville, OH, Vernes (Casandra) Jones of Reading, OH, Rissie (Carl) Wagner Carl of Mt. Healthy, OH, and Ina Rose (Norman) Carpenter of Aurora, IN. Also surviving are several grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Doc Graves and Roy Jones and step-children, Roy Jones, Jr. and Inene Sands.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, December 31 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel. Burial followed in the Burnett's Chapel Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Butch Byers, Billy Graves, Doug Jones, Mike McFerron, Robby McFerron and Merle O'Hair.

Please visit [www.DowellMartin.com](http://www.DowellMartin.com) to view online obituary.



## James Mason

James Calvin Mason, 57, of Mt. Vernon, died Tuesday, December 25, 2012 at his home. He was born July 23, 1955 in Rockcastle County the son of the late Calvin and Betty Alcorn Mason. He was a machine operator for the Jefferson Smurfette Co., enjoyed fishing, spending time with family and friends and was a member of the Pine Hill Holiness Church.

Survivors are: two sons, Jimmy and Brandon Ritter, both of Lebanon, OH; three daughters, Johna Page Pendleton of Dunnsville, Bethany Hartmier of Lebanon, OH, and Shana Miller of Blanchester, OH; three brothers, Ricky and Donnie Mullins, both of Mt. Vernon, and William Mullins of Michigan; nine sisters, Dora Rash, Louise Mink, Pamela Durham, Gail Bullock, and Tammy Thomas, all of Mt. Vernon, and Martha Fletcher of Eubank, Flora Smith of Sunbury, OH, Linda Dunnington of Dayton, OH, and Rose Ong of Columbus, OH; six grandchildren; and one special friend, Linda Bradley Todd.

Besides his parents he was preceded in death by: one brother, Douglas Mullins; and three sisters, Emily Escobio, Carolyn Harrison, and Juanita Mason.

Funeral services were held Friday, December 28, 2012 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Vernon Doan officiating. Burial was in Cresthaven Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Nick Thomas, Robbie Thomas, Mike Bullock, Johnny Bullock, Joe Rush, Jimmy Ritter, Brandon Ritter, and Scott Miller.

Send condolences online at [www.coxfuneralhomeky.com](http://www.coxfuneralhomeky.com).

## Carolyn Johnson

Carolyn Joyce Johnson, 68, died Sunday, December 30, 2012 at her home in Berea. She was the daughter of the late Jake and Ella Mae Terrill Johnson. She was a native of Berea and a retired employee of Gibson Greeting Cards.

She is survived by: her daughters, Connie (Larry) Ishmael of Richmond, Beverly (James) French of Mt. Vernon, and Barbara (Walker) Judd of Berea; her son, John Gay of Berea; her sister, Pat Deatherage of Berea; her brothers, Edgar (Patsy) Johnson of Berea, Doug Johnson of Berea, John (Sue) Johnson of Ft. Myers, Florida, and Jake (Shirley) Johnson of Berea; her grandchildren, Teresa Douglas, Robert Ishmael and Brian Ishmael, all of Richmond; her great grandchildren, Kingston, Brooks, and Gabe Ishmael, all of Richmond.

She was preceded in death by: a daughter, Teresa Joyce Gay; her brothers, Frick and his wife Glenna Johnson, and Charlie Johnson.

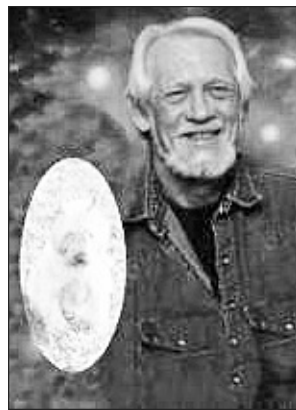
Funeral services were held January 2, 2013 at the Davis & Powell Funeral Home with Rev. Wayne Dunn officiating. Burial was in the Berea Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Hospice Care Plus. [www.davisandpowellfuneralhome.com](http://www.davisandpowellfuneralhome.com)

## Kevin Jones

Kevin Jones, 35 of Brodhead, died Tuesday, January 1, 2013.

Arrangements are entrusted with the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals and are incomplete. [www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com](http://www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com)



## Teddy Day

Teddy Lee Day, 61, of Crab Orchard, died Friday, December 14, 2012 at his residence. He was born December 11, 1951 in Brodhead, a son of the late Oscar and Alice McKinney Day. He was a member of the Baptist faith, and a member of the V.F.W., who was a master plumber. His hobbies and interests included fishing, mushroom hunting and his grandchildren.

He will be lovingly remembered by: his two children, Christopher Shawn (Brandy Michelle) Day of Crab Orchard, and Roxanna King of Brodhead; six grandchildren, Shanna Michelle Day, Christopher Shawn Day, Jr., Tyler Lee Day, Sarah Marie Blakey, Samantha Nicole Hicks and Haley Nicole McElroy; five brothers, Charles Day, James Day, William (Ruby) Day, Chester (Paula) Day and Joe (Janet) Day, all of Brodhead; one sister, Margaret Barnett of Brodhead; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Nannie York Johnson.

A memorial service for Teddy Lee Day will be scheduled at a later date.



## Inez Vaughn

Inez Vaughn, 74, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, December 20, 2012 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born Feb. 5, 1938, a daughter of the late Ance and Alice Denny Vaughn. She was a loving and devoted mother and grandmother, who enjoyed gardening and spending time with her grandchildren. She was a member of Northside Baptist Church. She had previously been employed at Classic Rattan Furniture of Nicholasville and was a Caretaker for several family members.

She will be lovingly remembered by: her daughter, Mrs. Teresa Daniel of Mt. Vernon; four grandchildren, Travis (Morgan) Still, Austin Daniel, Rachel Spoonamore and Tiffany Spoonamore, all of Mt. Vernon; a great grandchild; Payton Jessica Still; a sister, Helen (Radford) Evans of Aurora, IL; special nieces, Brenda (Glenn) Click and Loretta (Coy) Renner; as well as a host of other family and friends.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by: three brothers, Albert, Walter and Elmer Vaughn; and four sisters, Evelan Sargent, Allie Christine Vaughn, Sarah Elizabeth Vaughn and Thelma Gregg.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, December 23, 2012, at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Dakota Molina and Bro. Randy McPherson officiating. Burial was in Piney Grove Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Travis Still, Austin Daniel, Neal Butler, Robbin Renner, Randy Renner and Jason Gregg.

Honorary casketbearers were Matthew Spoonamore and (Bud) Horton.

Condolences may be made at [www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com](http://www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com)

## Gervis Ray Sutton

Gervis Ray Sutton, 85, of Crab Orchard, died Friday, December 28, 2012 at the University of Kentucky Hospital in Lexington. He was the husband of the late Deborah (Rutledge) Sutton who preceded him in death on January 2, 2001. He was born in Harlan, on April 16, 1927, to the late James Monroe and Zora Bell (Kincer) Sutton.

He was a Kentucky Colonel and was a veteran of the United States Navy and the United States Army having served in both WWII and the Korean War.

He is survived by: sons, Alan Sutton of Bolder, CO, Greg (Lisa) Sutton of Unionville, IN, and Wayne (Missie) Bolen of Florence; daughters, Lori Anne Bolen, of Crab Orchard, Tracey (Evan) Causey of Corbin, and Tina (Michael) Bratcher, of Crab Orchard; fiancée, Joanna Rose of Crab Orchard; sister, Thelma (Roger) Carlsmith, of Oregon; three grandchildren, Zachary, Allyson and Dax; and sister-in-law, Margie Sutton of Frankfort.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by: his step mother, Julia M. Sutton; brothers, Guyles and Lewis Sutton; and sisters, Edith Sutton and Ruth Hill.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 5, 2013 at the McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Dan Gutenson officiating. Burial will be in Piney Grove Cemetery with Military Funeral Honors by the Caswell Saufley American Legion Post # 18.

Visitation will be from 4 - 8 p.m. Friday, January 4, 2013 at the McKnight Funeral Home Chapel

Pallbearers include: John Mink, Alan and Greg Sutton, Wayne Bolen, Evan Causey and Michael Bratcher.

Memorial Contributions can be made to the Caswell Saufley American Legion Post 18, P.O. Box 74, Stanford, KY 40489 or The Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675.



## Lena Graves Gibson

Lena Graves Gibson, 78, died December 26, 2012 in Goshen, NY. She was a former resident of Sand Springs, and the daughter of the late William Leonard and Lavada Kirby Graves. She was born June 11, 1934 in Lynch.

She is survived by: her daughter, Donna Pittman Stinson; grandsons, Daniel and David Stinson, Jr., all of Middletown, NY; five brothers, Stanley of Peru, IN, Clinton (Lynn) of Pinellas Park, FL, Boyd (Joanne), of Amelia, OH, Raymond, of Somerset, and Dallas, of Mt. Vernon; one aunt, Marie McKinney of Brodhead; and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by: her parents; sister, Vina Lou Renner; two infant brothers, Lovell and Owen; and sister-in-law, Mary Alice Bustle Graves.

Lena was much loved and will be dearly missed by her family and friends.

A Memorial Service will be held locally in the Spring.



## In Memory of Johnny Taylor

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## William "Tony" Hayes

William Anthony "Tony" Hayes, 30, of Mt. Vernon, died Saturday, December 22, 2012 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington. He was born Nov. 27, 1982 in Louisville, a son of William Clay Hayes and Rhonda Elaine Boyle Hayes. He was a member of the Baptist faith. He had been a maintenance/machine operator for 11 years at Mt. Vernon Plastics. He enjoyed fishing and hunting as well as playing pool and chess.

He will be lovingly remembered by: his parents, Bill and Rhonda Hayes of Mt. Vernon; a brother, William Michael "Billy" Hayes; and half brother, Gregory Ryan Scott Bradley; his paternal grandmother, Christine McFerron; aunt, Debra Prewitt; uncle, Gary Hayes; cousins, Christie Spalding, Deana Hayes and Josh Hayes; and a host of friends and neighbors.

He was preceded in death by: his two children, Jada and Malachi Hayes; and paternal grandfather, Johnny McFerron.

Services were held Wednesday, December 26, 2012 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Tony Shelton officiating.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contribution be made to the Tony Hayes Burial Fund, P.O. Box 658, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

Condolences to the family may be made to his online registry at [www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com](http://www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com)



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### 50th Wedding Anniversary

C.C. and Mary Ponder celebrated their 50 years together on Christmas Day. They were married on December 25, 1962 at Calloway Missionary Church by J. William Hall, pastor of First Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon. They have one son, Brian and daughter-in-law, Jennifer and two grandchildren, Logan and Emily. C.C. is the son of the late Clayton and Lucille Ponder and Mary is the daughter of the late Basil and Maxine Moore.



### 50th Wedding Anniversary

James E. and Roberta (Bullock) McClure, of Mt. Vernon, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, December 1, 2012. Their daughter, Krystal Kelley, hosted an open house in their honor with a three tier wedding cake and punch. They want to thank everyone for their attendance and gifts.

### “Ford”

(Cont. from front)

Cabinet. As Surplus Property Director, Ford will oversee the disposal of excess federal and state surplus property that is not currently being utilized.

Ford started his new job on Wednesday and will make \$85,000 a year in his new position. As a retired

state legislator, Ford could also receive an enhanced state pension as well once he retires from his current position.

In 2005, the Kentucky state legislature approved a retirement pension program which allows lawmakers to receive a higher retirement pension if they get better paying government jobs for at least three years once they retire from the state legislature.

However, Ford said that he wanted to clarify that by taking his new position, the retirement pension he would have received as a retired legislator was postponed. He said he will only receive one retirement pension when he actually retires and that the amount of his retirement pension will be based upon the annual salary of his current position at the time of his retirement.

“A lot of people think that I am double dipping and that I am receiving a retirement pension while working in my new position,” Ford said. “That is not the case at all. I will not receive a pension until I retire from my current position.”

Ford said that he is thrilled and looks forward to the challenge of helping the state in handling their surplus property.

“I have forty years of experience in this line of work,” Ford said. “I believe I can be of benefit to the surplus property program.”



Jase Samuel Lear celebrated his 1st birthday on November 18th at the John Lair Home in Renfro Valley. We appreciate all our friends and family who made his day so special! Jase's proud parents are Jason and Jamie Lear. Grandparents are Terry Lear, Donna Smith, Michael McFeron and Patsy Ramsey.

# Mt. Vernon pastor resigns

By: Doug Ponder

A well-known Mt. Vernon pastor recently resigned after accepting a new position at another church.

First Baptist Church Senior Pastor Eddie Nation resigned after accepting a position as Senior Pastor at First Baptist Church in Centre, Alabama.

Nation said that the decision for him and his family to leave was hard for them. However, he felt that God was calling him to preach at First Baptist Church in Centre.

“It was tough and it was really hard on all of us,” Nation said. “However, I feel that God has opened a door for us and I felt a calling from him to take the position.”

Nation became the Senior Pastor at First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon on August 5, 2001. After being the pastor at First Baptist for over eleven years, Nation said he has made many friends with his church family and community.

“Everyone here has always been like an extended family to us,” Nation said. “The hardest part of our decision was leaving everyone at our church and in our community. I will always plan to come back and visit as often as I can.”

Nation's last church service at First Baptist in Mt. Vernon will be Sunday, January 13th. His first service at First Baptist Church in Centre will be on Sunday, January 27th.

Nation said that members of First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon will select a pulpit committee within the next few weeks to begin the search for a new senior pastor. Until then, Nation said Kentucky Baptist Convention Consultant Alan Dodson will be preaching during the worship services.

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Members of the recently-formed Girl Scout troops 1857 and 1858 at Roundstone sang Christmas Carols for residents of The Terrace in Berea on December 15th. Participating were, front row, from left: Emily Hounshell, Cameron Hall, Haley McClure, Ayley McClure. Second row: Delaney Kemper, Lacey Hounshell, Taylor Hall, Hannah Robinson and back row from left: Shelbie Baker, Ashley Garrett and Sarah Powell.

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### Circuit Clerk's New Hours

New hours went into effect for the Rockcastle County Circuit Clerk's office on Wednesday, January 2nd. The office will be open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. On Thursdays, the office will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month, the office will be open from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

### Body Recall Classes at Wellness Center

Community Body Recall Classes are now available at the Wellness Center at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. The classes will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. and participants can join any time. Body Recall is a program of lifetime for people of all ages and at all levels of physical ability. It is a structured program of slow, natural movement that is safe and pain-free. Fee is \$35 for yearly membership and a \$2 class fee for each session. A fitness center membership is included if members prepay the class fee. Come join us! Contact Betty Purcell, instructor, 256-7704.

### CCFFG Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Concerned Citizens for Fair Government (CCFFG) will be Thursday, January 17th at 6 p.m. on the third floor of the courthouse. Please use rear entrance. The group meets the third Thursday of each month.

### Kiwanis Meeting Change

Effective January 3, 2013, the Kiwanis Thursday luncheon meeting will be held at the Tea Cup Cafe, Main St., Mt. Vernon.

### VFW News

During the winter months, the post will be closed Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Sunday. On Saturday, December 22nd the Lose Change Band will be performing and on Monday, Dec. 31st (New Year's Eve Party), Josh Logan will be performing. The public is invited.

### Brodhead Lodge Meeting

The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #556 meets every third Saturday at 7 p.m. on Main Street in Brodhead above Brodhead Pharmacy.

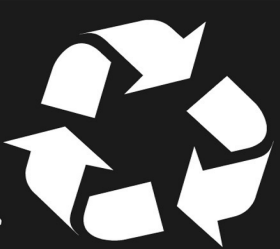
### RCDB Meeting Notice

The Rockcastle County Development Board meets the 4th Wednesday of each month at noon at the Rockcastle County Courthouse 3rd floor Technology Center. The public is invited to attend.

### NA Women's Meeting

The Women's NA Serenity Group of Mt. Vernon meets each Monday at 8 p.m. at the Christian Appalachian Project Community Center, 64 Beiting Lane, Mt. Vernon. Open meeting, non-smoking.

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### Request for Bids

### Rockcastle County Fiscal Court Road Department Equipment

The Rockcastle Fiscal Court seeks bids for the following equipment for consideration:

- (New) John Deere Cab Tractor Heavy Duty Axle w/Heat & AC / min 87 PTO hp / 2WD / 20 ft Boom Mower 50" head
- John Deere Cab Tractor Heavy Duty Axle w/Heat & AC / min 87 PTO hp / 4WD / 20 ft Boom Mower 50" head
- New Holland Cab Tractor Heavy Duty Axle w/Heat & AC / min 87 PTO hp / 4WD / 20 ft Boom Mower 50" head
- (Used) New Holland Tractor Heavy Duty Axle w/Heat & AC / min 87 PTO hp / 4WD / 20 ft Boom Mower 50" head

Bids will be accepted in the Office of the County Judge-Executive until 9 a.m., Thursday, January 10th

Rockcastle County reserves the right to reject any and all bids

/s/ Buzz Carloftis, County Judge-Executive



# News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



## District Civil Suits

Capital One Bank vs. Nicole C. Blair, \$906.05 plus claimed due.  
 Unifund CCR LLC vs. Andrew D. Gehret, \$2,862.76 plus claimed due.  
 Midland Funding LLC vs. Coby Neal, \$570.28 plus claimed due.  
 Mt. Vernon Heights vs. Carolyn Cope, forcible detainer complaint.  
 Asset Acceptance Corp. vs. Layne Nicely, \$4,483.66 plus claimed due.  
 Merchants Acceptance, Inc. vs. Estill Hopkins, et al, \$2,156.87 plus claimed due.  
 C-00328

Angela Stallworth-Mink, petition.

American Express Bank vs. B. Fulcher Reynolds, et al \$20,399.06.

Cabinet for Health and Family Services vs. David Taylor, complaint for child support and medical support.

Juanita Jones vs. Tommy Isaacs, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Credit Acceptance Corp. vs. Leslie Wilson, \$6,372.40 plus claimed due.

April M. Couch vs. Christopher Couch, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Wells Fargo Bank vs. Misty Allen Barker, et al, \$58,229.94 plus claimed due.

Tyler Strunk vs. Edith Smith, petition for dissolution of marriage.

HSBC Bank vs. Chad and Mary Abney, \$115,913.44 plus claimed due.

Berea Health Care, Inc. vs. Roger Brown, et al, \$37,597.86 plus claimed due.

Denise J. McDuffett vs. Thomas A. McDuffett, petition for child support. CI-002889.

## Marriage Licenses

Leslie A. Gore, 30, Berea, student to Richard A. Jackson, 52, Berea, electrician. 12/17/12.

Danielle Frances Chappell, 33, Mt. Vernon, unemployed to James Samuel Baggett, 35, Mt. Vernon, firefighter. 12/20/12.

Christina Ann Headrick, 33, Brodhead, unemployed to Daniel Cull Hurley, 48, Brodhead, factory. 12/26/12.

Emily Lauren Collins, 20, Livingston, unemployed to John Richard Reeder, Jr., 24, Livingston, Air Force. 12/27/12.

## Deeds Recorded

Jeffrey A. and Connie S. Thompson, property on Copper Creek Road, to Stacy D. and Michelle D. Hall. Tax \$35.

Darrell and Wanda Ellison, property in Benton Bullock Subdv., to Rodney Ellison. Tax \$20.

Ann Lair Henderson, property in Crawford Hgts. Subdv., to Mary H. and Charles L. Fore. No tax.

Roy Robert and Patricia Anne Burt, property in Rockcastle County, to Andrew C. and Ione I. Lawson. Tax \$7.

Kathy Wright, Kathy and Roy Wright, Janice and Dwain Adams and Jimmy and Priscilla Hoskins, property in Blue Heron Circle, to Kathy Wright, Janice

Adams and Jimmy Hoskins. No tax.

Teresa M. Mize, property on School House Hill Road, to Rodney and Regina Griffin. Tax \$310.

Harold and Sandy Whitaker, property on School House Hill Road, to Rodney and Regina Griffin. Tax \$100.

Samuel J. and Ruth Evelyn Mullins, property on Climax Road, to Rockcastle County, Kentucky. Tax \$15.

Robert D. and Melinda Monk, property on old U.S. 25, to Jeffrey and Amy Navarre. Tax \$7.

Donald L. and Dorothy M. Wilson, property on Barnett Road, to Donald L. and Dorothy M. Wilson and Donial Ray Wilson. No tax.

Jimmy Clark, property in Conway Village Subdv., to Mary Shelton. Tax \$7.

Dianne Darnell, property in Rockcastle County, to Wannetta and Jack Leach. Tax \$25.

Tammy Y. Hasting, property on Brodhead/Conway Road, to Federal Home Loan Mtg. Corp. No tax.

William Kenneth and Juanita McGuire, property on Copper Creek Road, to Richard Birney. Tax \$2.

John William and Barbara June Turner, property on waters of Long Branch, to Jeffrey C. Harness. Tax \$35.

Family Dollar Stores of Ky LTD, property in Rockcastle County, to Realty Income Properties 19, LLC. Tax \$1,345.00

Robert and Shirley Wilson, property in Rockcastle County, to Jearl Dixon. Tax \$10.

David F. and Marsha B. Parsons, property on Clear

Creek Road, to Aaron T. Scheif-Caldwell and Amy K. Caldwell. Tax \$50.

Courtney W. and Amber C. Adams, property in Rockcastle County, to Courtney W. Adams.

Estate of Ruth Eckland, property in Scaffold Cane, to Don and Roma Eckland. Tax \$70. (103)

## District Court

December 19, 2012

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

Brian K. Baker: criminal littering, \$250 fine/suspend \$100 plus costs.

William L. Baker: driving on DUI suspended license, failure to wear seat belts, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Jerry Barron: alcohol intoxication in public place, \$50 fine and costs.

Ronnie D. Bird: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

James M. Brown: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Joseph S. Burke: public intoxication, bw issued for fta.

Anthony J. Conner: possession controlled substance, \$100 fine and costs.

Tracy M. Cope: theft by unlawful taking, bond (\$188.58) applied.

Timothy D. Dillingham: failure to wear seat belts, failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Rebecca J. Gadd: theft by

unlawful taking, \$250 fine/\$100 suspended on condition, plus restitution.

Amanda L. Goff: fines/fees due (\$743), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

James Luther Linville: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Jorge A. Moreira: operating w/inactive/cancelled/revoaked weight distance tax license, bw issued for fta.

Garner P. Mink: driving DUI suspended license, 60 days/probated two years on condition.

Lorie Mudd: fines/fees due (\$438), bw issued for fta/9 days in jail or payment in full.

Glen D. Partin: possession of marijuana, bw issued for fta.

Donald L. Renner: careless driving, \$100 fine/\$50 suspended plus costs.

Eric D. Smith: drug paraphernalia, 120 days/probated two years on condition; possession of synthetic drugs, 60 days/probated two years on condition.

Rene Taylor: alcohol intoxication in public place, bw issued for fta.

Kelly D. Whitaker: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs and operating vehicle w/expired operators license, bond applied.

Marjorie Woods: harassing communications, \$100 fine/suspended on condition plus costs.

Speeding: Justin R. Bivens, paid \$133 costs/state traffic school (sts) requested.

Robert L. Vanwinkle: defective equipment, \$25 fine/suspended plus costs.

## Circuit Civil Suits

Champion Preferred Automotive Sales vs. Marion Alcorn, \$10,341.62 plus claimed due.

Tax Ease Lein Servicing LLC vs. Stella Thompson, \$574.18 plus claimed due.

Jason Neal Hansel vs.

## Elliott graduates from Western Kentucky

As part of Western Kentucky University's fall commencement ceremonies on Saturday, December 15, 2012, Amy Elliott received her Master of Arts in Education degree from the College of Education and Behavioral Sciences. She maintained a 4.0 GPA throughout her years of graduate school. Amy graduated from WKU in 2008 with a B.S. in Elementary Education. She is also a 2004 graduate of Rockcastle County High School. Amy is currently employed by Warren County Public Schools. Elliott is the daughter of

Dennis and Pam Elliott, the granddaughter of the late Kenneth and Lois Elliott, and of Murphy and the late Eva Martin.



Amy Elliott

## USDA announces Habitat Initiative

The US Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has an exciting new initiative in several eastern and southeastern Kentucky counties that may be of interest to landowners. The Southeast Kentucky Early Successional Habitat initiative is focused on creating and maintaining areas of early successional habitat for wildlife on privately owned nonindustrial forestland and agricultural land. Early successional habitat includes areas of young regenerating forest, weedy old fields, and shrubby reclaimed mine lands. This initiative is being offered in Kentucky under the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP).

initiative area due to forest maturation and a lack of active forest management.

Emphasis will be placed on conservation practices including Forest Stand Improvement (TSI, patch clear cuts, edge feathering), Brush Management (controlling invasive species), and Tree/Shrub Establishment (planting desirable species), but other practices are available also. Detailed conservation plans and recommendations will be developed for program participants by wildlife biologists with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR), in conjunction with NRCS conservationists.

The Southeast Kentucky Early Successional Habitat initiative is being offered in the following Kentucky counties: Bell, Breathitt, Clay, Elliott, Floyd, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Pike, Rockcastle, Whitley, and Wolfe.

Applications for EQIP are accepted at local NRCS offices year-round. However, to be considered for funding during 2013, applications must be received by one of two upcoming ranking cut-off dates: January 18 and April 19, 2013.

For more information or to apply for the Southeast Kentucky Early Successional Initiative, please contact your local NRCS District Conservationist (<http://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app>) or KDFWR Private Lands Biologist.

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