

Classifieds

CLASSIFIED RATES

- Local Rates - \$4 for 25 words or less - .10 each additional word
- Display Classifieds \$5.00/Inch

Deadline for Classifieds is 10 a.m. TUESDAY

For Rent

2 Trailer Lots in Brodhead for rent. Call 758-8226. 18x4

Trailer. \$350 month. No pets. 859-358-3560. 21x2ntf

50 acres of pasture land for rent, Mt. Vernon. 256-4252. 21x2p

For Rent: 2 bedroom house, 150 Fair Street, Mt. Vernon. Large storage building. No pets. \$350 month/\$350 deposit. 606-758-9683 or 606-510-3719. Cecil King. 19xntf

Like rent to own! Homes in your area set up ready to move in! Easy owner financing with minimum \$2500 down! Save thousands while they last! Call today 606-678-8134.

For Rent
Maple St. Storage of Brodhead
256-2884 or 606-308-2491

2BR/1BA home on Terry St., Mt. vernon. \$350 month plus deposit. 256-8603 or 606-308-5459. 20xntf

Trailers and house in Brodhead. No pets. 758-8922. ntf

Accepting applications at Mt. Vernon Housing Authority on Mondays 4 to 8 p.m. and Wednesdays and Fridays, 4 to 6 p.m. Rent based on income. 256-4185. 14xntf

Accepting Applications: For 2 and 3 bedroom units at Valley View Apartments. Rent based on income. Call 256-5912. Equal Housing Opportunity, TDD for hearing impaired only. 1-800-247-2510. 36tfn

Property For Sale

Beautiful 15 acres +/-, secluded, wooded, natural spring, 1515 ft. frontage on Roundstone Creek. Minutes to Renfro Valley. Shack, pole barn started. \$15,000 obo. 606-723-5075. 21x2p

House and Lot on West Main St. in Mt. Vernon. 606-758-4729. 15xntf



For Sale
 1,660 sq. ft. house with 2 car garage approx. 500 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms and 2 baths, living room, kitchen/dining, security system, 10x25 deck with pull out awning on a 1 acre lot. House located in Quail community and only 15 min. from I-75.
For information call 606-758-0030.



For Sale: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick ranch, attached garage, central heat and air, situated on over an acre with nice barn, shed, and gazebo. Located just off US 25, one minutes from I-75 Exit 59. \$119,000.
606-386-1364

Do you need a quite, peaceful atmosphere?
 Come join us at

Mt. Vernon Manor

You must be 62 or over, handicapped or disabled
 These income based apartments feature:
 Bedroom Unit - Fully Equipped - Kitchen Energy Efficient - Heating and Cooling System
 On-site Laundry - Ample Parking
 On-site Management and Maintenance Services
Call 606-256-5223 or TDD # 1-800-648-6056
 Office hours are Tuesday 12 to 3 and Friday 8 to 3
 Equal Housing Opportunity

Are you 62 or over? Are you handicapped or disabled? Are you looking for "Good Ole Kentucky Hospitality?"

Come join us at Town Branch Apartments

These income based apartments consist of:
 Bedroom Unit - Fully Equipped - Kitchen - Energy Efficient - Heating and Cooling System
 On-site Laundry - Ample Parking
 On-site Management and Maintenance Services

Call 606-256-3989 or TDD# 1-800-648-6056
 Our office hours are: Monday 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. & Thursday Noon to 3 p.m.

For Sale or Rent/Lease: 8640 sq. ft. building (former Cumberland Valley Home Health). Located in Rockcastle Industrial Park. Approx. 100 parking spaces. Will consider partial sq. footage. Call 606-308-3500 or 606-308-2319. 12xntf

Lots in Castle Ridge Subdivision. Use same entry way as Bible Baptist Church. All lots have city sewer and underground utilities. starting at \$12,900. 606-256-5692 • 256-4504 • 308-3730. 50x1

Mobile home lots, located in Sunnyside Mobile Home Park. 1/2 acre lots - \$500 down and \$100 per month. Call 606-256-5692 or 606-256-5648. 50x1

80 Union Chapel Road. 1600 sq. ft. 3BR/2BA brick ranch, located on one acre. Completely remodeled. Minutes from I-75. Call 765-969-0613 for details. 23xnt

We will not be undersold! New, used and repo homes available. Cheapest payments around! Zero down if you've got land! Easy financing! Call now to get preapproved 606-678-8134.

ONLINE AUCTION KENTUCKY

Bank-Owned HOMES
730 CRAB ORCHARD ROAD BRODHEAD
3 BR, 2 BA • 1,560 SF
2+/- Acres
 AGENT: Sandy Adams
 RealtyWorld Adams & Associates
 859-623-1900

1% to Buyer's Agents!
 • No Back Taxes or Liens
 • Insurable Title

WWW.Online BidNow.com
HUDSON & MARSHALL
 Honesty. Integrity. Value.
866-539-4174
 B. G. Hudson, Jr., broker 67244; Samuel Webb Marshall, RP675

Posted

Absolutely No Trespassing, hunting, fishing or 4-wheelers on property belonging to Willard Wynn, located on Sweetwater Road. Violators will be prosecuted. 21x2

Posted: Absolutely no trespassing on property belonging to Anthony Prewitt at 110 Lovell Court. 21x1p

Posted: No trespassing on land belonging to James and Dorothy Rash heirs on Rash Branch Road off Chestnut Ridge. No hunting, camping, ATVs, trespassing for any purpose. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. (1/10/14)

Posted: No hunting or trespassing on property belonging to Carol Blackburn, 1435 Marler Hollow. Violators will be prosecuted. (3/7/14)

Posted: No trespassing on Crawford Place - Old Brodhead Road. Danny Smith. 47ftn

Posted: Absolutely no hunting, fishing or trespassing on property belonging to Mark and Debbie Cummins. Violators will be prosecuted. 9x52p

Posted: No trespassing, hunting or fishing on land belonging to Rachel Denney on Hwy. 3245 (former Reggie Bengé property).

Posted: No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Jason and Sara Coguer at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.

Posted: No trespassing on property known as C.B. Owens Farm across from Fairgrounds in Brodhead. Violators will be prosecuted. 25ftn

Motor Vehicles For Sale

2009 Yamaha Silverado V Star, 650 cc. 2007 Honda Shadow, 600cc. Call 606-758-4985. 6xntf

2006 Chevy Cobalt, 2.2 Liter 4 cyl., sunroof, orange. \$4,250. 606-386-1470. 21x1p

Professional Services

GUNS -- Lovell's Gun Repair. Mike Lovell -- gunsmith. New and used guns for sale. Ammo. Repairs. Hot bluing. Hours Monday-Friday 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. only. Maple Grove Road. 606-256-3539. 11x52p

Mowing and weedeating. Good job at a fair price. Free estimates. 308-1195. 20x2p

"The Handyman" Window and screen washing, gutters cleaned, dryer lint removed. 606-386-0405, Garry and Trish. 18x4p

International professional all breed dog grooming. Call 606-260-5079. 18x4

Owens Monument: Located behind Owens Fu-

neral Home in Brodhead. Open Mon-Fri. 8 to 5 and Sat. 9 a.m. to noon. 606-758-9600. 14xntf

Notice: Will haul off or buy scrap metal, junk cars or trucks. Metal hauled for free. 231-6788. 14xntf

Grave Markers & Monuments: In stock at all times. McNew Monument Sales, US 25, 4 miles north of Mt. Vernon. Phone 256-2232.

U Call We Haul! Moving? Need Help? Cars, furniture, construction cleanup -- anything that fits on a truck, large or small! *No Garbage!!* Light backhoe and landscaping. 256-9222 or 606-308-1629.

Gail's Pampered Pooch 57 West Main St., Brodhead. For appt. call 606-758-0064

Parrett Bros. Paving

Driveways, Parking Lot
859-537-3066 • 859-537-3064
859-537-3068



STEWART'S SALVAGE Owner: Clayton Stewart
 We also buy batteries, converters, aluminum wheels and radiators, starters, and alternators.
 Used tires and parts for sale at dirt cheap prices.

Make \$1,000 selling your old scrap cars-trucks and farm equipment and machinery.
 Call 24 hours a day. If no answer, leave message and your call will be returned.
859-358-3560 or 606-256-3841 anytime



Rocket Carpet Cleaning

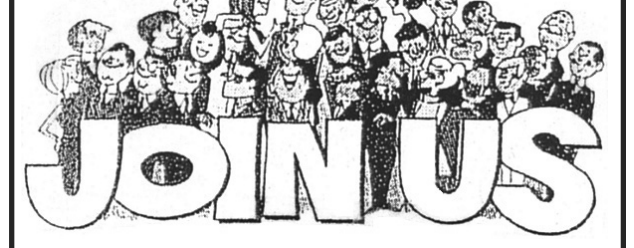
"A Clean Carpet is a Healthy Carpet!"
David Owens manager
606-256-9870






NO classifieds can be placed over the phone without paying at time of placing advertisement

CLASSIFIED ADS NOTICE

For your convenience, we now accept VISA and Mastercard
 To place your classified, have your credit card ready and call
(606) 256-2244



JOIN US

at Mt. Vernon Heights
(formerly Mt. Vernon Greens)
NOW NO INCOME LIMIT
 Are you looking for a convenient place to live? Are you wanting to be within walking distance of hospital, schools, stores and the beautiful downtown shopping area?
If you said yes to any of the above, you need to apply at MT. VERNON HEIGHTS APARTMENTS
 This complex consists of: • One and two bedroom units
 • Fully equipped kitchen • Central heating and cooling • Ample parking
 • On-site laundry • On-site management and Maintenance service
For more info. phone 606-256-5223 TDD # 1-800-648-6056
 Mon. & Tues. 4 to 6:30 p.m. and Wed. 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
 **1 Bedroom 356⁰⁰ • 2 Bedroom 430⁰⁰** 

Are you looking for relaxation?
 Are you 62 or over, elderly, handicapped?
Livingston Manor
 is the place you need to be!

Come and check out these income based apartments:

- Bedroom Unit - Fully Equipped
- Kitchen - Energy Efficient
- Heating and Cooling System
- On-site Laundry • Ample Parking
- On-site Management and Maintenance Services

Call 606-453-4311
 **TDD # 1-800-648-6056** 
 Office hours are:
 Tuesday 8 a.m. to Noon • Thursday 8 a.m. to Noon

Help Wanted

Peach City Now Hiring. Apply in person, 9 to 5, at 6512 Hwy. 461. 18x10p
Goff Excavating is seeking truck drivewr (dump truck and low boy experience). Some equipment operating -- experience helpful. Good pay with benefits. Call 606-256-4068. 21x1

Now hiring for light industrial positions in the Somerset area, temp to perm. Must be available for all shifts. Pay ranges from \$9 to \$13 per hour. To apply, go to www.jcmalone.com and complete an online application. 15x8
Driver: Dedicated routes. Set schedule. Good pay, equipment, benefits! CDL-

A, 2 yrs. 23yoa. John: 937-773-9280. 20x2p

Notices

The City of Brodhead will be accepting quotes on various blacktopping patch work on several streets in the city limits of Brodhead. For detailed description, call

606-758-8635. Descriptions may be mailed or faxed or you can get a copy at Brodhead City Hall, 7 West Main St., Brodhead, Ky. Quotes must be into City Hall by Friday, May 17, 2013 before 2 p.m. The city reserves the right to refuse any and/or all quotes and may choose by quality or price. 21x1

Notice is given that Kenneth Cope, 1274 Little Clear Creek, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has filed a final settlement of his accounts as administrator of the estate of Mary M. Cope, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held May 29, 2013 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 21x1

Notice is hereby given that Carla Nicole Green, 1386 Flat Gap Road, Berea, Ky. 40403 has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Gonneta Jean Green. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Carla Nicole Green, or to Hon. Kendall L. Duerson, P.O. Box 523, 117-A Clay Drive, Berea, Ky. 40403 on or before October 21, 2013 at 11 a.m. 19x3

Yard Sales

Fabric Sale, \$2 yard and yard sale. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 9, 10, 11, 9 to 6. 2 miles on 1004 (Orlando Road) on left. Signs will be posted. Rain postpones to next week.

Yard Sale in front of Bradley's Odds and Ends, 445 Richmond St., will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday the rest of the summer. In case of rain, sale will be moved inside. 21x2p

Cupps Chapel Holiness Church will be having a yard sale Friday and Saturday, May 10 and 11, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., located at 6 Mullins St., first trailer on right. We will be glad to have you come, visit with us. Rain cancels.

Saturday only, May 11th, 1 1/2 miles out Freedom School Road. Rain or shine. Karaoke system, jewelry, men's, women's and junior clothes, CDs, household items and more.

Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10 9 to 4 at Lighthouse Assembly of God church (behind the old Jean's Restaurant). Items include: two televisions,

dvds, magazines, household items, comforter and sham set, lamps, seasonal decor, desk organizers and accessories, plastic shelving units, purses, shoes, golf clubs, 2 chairs, clothing and much more. Given by Sonya Robinson and Tena Mullins. Rain or shine.

Garage Sale: 840 West Main, home of Mary Ponder. Thursday, May 9 and Fri., May 10th, 8:30 to 4 p.m.

Miscellaneous For Sale

Hay For Sale. \$2.50 per bale. 606-256-8911. 21x1

Sigmon Farms now has cabbage, broccoli and cauliflower plants and a variety of tomato plants for sale. For more info, 256-2781. 21x2

Fresh, country, brown. Cage free, pastured, no antibiotics, hormones or steroids. \$3 dozen. Shire Farm, 5 minutes from downtown Mt. Vernon. 606-256-8580. 18x10

Wanted

Wanted to buy: Brodhead High School yearbooks - 1966, 1967, 1968. Call 606-379-6197. 20x2p

Wanted To Buy: Your antiques and collectibles. Antique glassware, furniture, quilts, all types of military items, clocks, watches (working or not), pocket watches and wrist watch parts, pocket knives, coins and paper money. All types of gold, silver scrap, cast iron banks, toys, lighters, crock jugs, cast iron skillets, marbles, pocket knives, fishing items, Indian Arrowheads, and much, much more. Also buying partial estates. Over 25 years experience. Call Clarence Reece at 606-531-0467. 47xntf

Pets

Livestock Protection Pups for sale. Great watch dog. Call 859-358-6566. 4xntf

Subscribe to the Signal
 Call 256-2244



Drug Tip Hotline
1-866-424-4382
(No fee - your name is not required)

Toll-free Treatment Help Line
1-866-90-UNITE

Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation Center, a Signature HealthCARE Community, is currently conducting interviews and seeking candidates for the following Nursing full time hourly positions noted in parenthesis by each position title:

- **State Registered Nursing Aides (3)** – experience performing direct long term Resident care duties under the supervision of licensed nursing personnel preferred. Newly certified with exceptional customer service skills encouraged to apply.
- **LPN or RN Charge Nurses (3)** – RNs preferred and long term care experience a plus; supervisory position responsible for day-to-day nursing activities and personnel.

All qualified candidates should apply in person on or before **Monday, May 20, 2013,** to receive immediate interview consideration.

All correspondence related to these current openings should be sent to:

Rockcastle Health & Rehabilitation Center
Attn.: Human Resources Director
 371 West Main Street
 Brodhead, KY 40409
 Email: hr.rockcastle@signaturehealthcarellc.com
 Signature HealthCARE is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON)

Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation Center, a Signature HealthCARE Community, is currently seeking a detail-oriented and highly organized RN with a strong background in nursing care and standard practices, long term care regulations and care plan charting.

RNs with required current state licensure and 3+ years of experience in long term healthcare are preferred candidates. Ideal candidates for consideration will possess practical knowledge of medical practices and procedures, as well as laws, regulations and guidelines that pertain to long-term healthcare. Prior management/supervisory experience is also preferred.

All qualified candidates must submit a **cover letter of interest and current resume.** Please submit via email to hr.rockcastle@signaturehealthcarellc.com or in person at the Human Resources Office. Please address all correspondence related to this current opening as follows:

Rockcastle Health & Rehabilitation Center
Attn.: Human Resources Director
 371 West Main Street
 Brodhead, KY 40409

Signature HealthCARE is an equal opportunity employer.

Yard Sale

Friday and Saturday, May 10 and 11
 110 Greenway Drive, Mt. Vernon (corner of School and Williams St.), 3rd house, home of Jack and Shelley Lewis.
 Held by Lisa and Victoria Clontz and Lauren Clontz Blair.
 There will be something for everyone. Books, dishes, appliances, microwaves, vacuum cleaner, yarn, fabric, toys, pillows, women's clothing, coats, shoes, purses, hats, books, beach towels, small dresser, oak changing table, elliptical machine, sit-up bench, radios, holiday decorations, TVs -- and did we mention books?
Can't miss this one!!

RN position for Hospice Care Plus, Berea. Full time with excellent benefits including 31 days of paid time off per year and benefit package. Graduate of accredited school of nursing, Ky. RN license and one year of experience required. For more information call 859-986-1500 Sue Lunsford, HR Coordinator or send resume to sue.lunsford@hospicecp.org. EOE

Wayne Stewart Adult Health Care, an EOE, has the following job opportunity available in Mt. Vernon, KY:
Health Care Associate: Nursing Assistant: PRN (as needed) day-time position. Provide patient care in a team oriented atmosphere. Geriatric experience preferred. CNA preferred but not required. Competitive wages and benefit package available. Minorities are encouraged to apply.
Apply in person or send resume to:
 Wayne Stewart Adult Health Care
 Attn: Stacey Kerns, RN
 439 Jerri Lane • Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

Subscribe to the Mount Vernon Signal

In-County - \$20.00
Out-of-County - \$27.00
Out-of-State - \$35.00 • Prices Per Year
 10% Discount to Senior Citizens

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State _____ Zip _____
 Please specify.....New ___ Renewal _____

Mail to: Mt. Vernon Signal • PO Box 185 • Mt. Vernon, KY 40456

David Spoonamore ROOFING
 Free Estimates
 25 Years experience
 Call 758-4457 or 606-392-3573

MOBILE PRESSURE WASHING
 Decks, concrete, aluminum and vinyl siding, brick and stone, machinery, equipment and much more.
Benny Rader
 606-386-1299
 Big Discount for all Churches - Call us!

Classified Deadline is 10 a.m. Tuesday

Shawn Thacker
 Free Estimates & Quality Lawn Care
 shawnthackerlawnservice@yahoo.com

Thacker Lawn Service
 "Measuring Quality One Yard at A Time"

289 Proffitt St.
 PO Box 280
 Brodhead, KY 40409
 606-308-1199
 or 606-758-8322

PERRY'S Autobody & Auto Rental Service
 24/7 Wrecker Service Available
PERRY & AMY MINK PROPERTIES, LLC
 Storage and Rental Units • 12x20 units fully lined floor to ceiling & fenced for your security
 Fairground Hill off Hwy. 150 • 110 Old Somerset Rd. Mt. Vernon
606-256-5198 or 606-308-1008

Winstead's Heating & Air

Financing Available through Wells Fargo *w/ approved credit

American Standard

Visa, Mastercard, Discover **Pat Winstead** HM04434
 606-256-1038 • 606-308-4825

John's Appliance Repair

Faucet & Toilet Repair
 Mobile Home Repair

John Tyler, Owner • 606-308-5646

Carpenter's Dozer & Backhoe Service
 Mt. Vernon, Ky.
 Basements • Building Sites • Roads • Ponds • Crushed Stone Hauling
 Fill Dirt • Topsoil • Clearing • General Farm Maintenance
 Footers • Licensed Septic Tank Installer • Boom Truck Service
606-256-5370 or 859-661-2814

Town & Country 24 HR. WRECKER SERVICE
 All Types of Mechanic Work
 Call 256-9634 days or 256-4650 nights

HOPKINS ROOFING
 New or Old Roofs • Free Estimates
Tim Hopkins • 606-758-9055

Lester Kirby Tree Trimming
 No Job Too Big or Too Small
 Fully Insured • Free Estimates
 We also do stump removal
 Home 606-256-3626 • Cell 606-308-2016
 Seasoned Firewood For Sale Cell 606-308-3548 Seasoned Firewood For Sale

CLIFFORD COLLINS BACKHOE, LLC.
 Excavating and Hauling
 Septic Tanks & Other Concrete Products
 5076 S Wilderness Rd. • Mt. Vernon, Ky.
(606) 256-2535

Kentucky Auto Exchange
 Public Auto Auction • Dealers Welcome
 Every Saturday and Tuesday at 7 p.m.
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
 Located on Exit 38 in London on Hwy. 1006
(606) 878-7815

DOGWOOD GIFTS & GARDEN CENTER
 • German tomatoes, old-fashion yellow, Rutgers & 15 other varieties
 • Hanging Baskets • Bedding plants
 • Annuals & Hardy Plants • Herbs • Cabbage, Broccoli, Cauliflower
256-3007
 Hwy. 25 Junction 3275 - corner of Brindle Ridge Rd. on Hurricane School Rd.

Morgan Plumbing Service & Repair
 New Construction • Commercial & Residential Service
 Fully Insured • All Work Guaranteed
256-4766 • 606-232-0666
MPL #6761

CE63745 ME28463

LAKESIDE ELECTRIC
 INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL
 LICENSED & INSURED
 Danny Offutt Phone (606) 271-6367
 Owner

Subscribe to the Signal
 Call 606-256-2244

"Mr Fix It" Ken Howard

606-256-1976 or 606-215-5462

CARPENTRY, YARD WORK, SIDEWALKS, LANDSCAPING, BARNS, FENCING, HOUSEHOLD REPAIRS, APPLIANCES

MADISON TERMITE and PEST CONTROL
 Call Paul Burton - Day or Night
256-2318 - Mt. Vernon

STOP TERMITES ROACHES WATERBUGS

Heating & Air
 Heating & Air Conditioning **Amana** Goodman
 LASTS AND LASTS AND LASTS™ Thank goodness for Goodman.

COMPLETE HOME COMFORT
 Locally owned and Located at:
 575 Richmond Street • Mt. Vernon, Ky.
Rodney Smith
Office: 606-256-1683 • Cell: 859-661-5986
 We service all Brands and Models • 20+ years experience
 Free Estimates - Affordable Service - Call for Rates
 Expert Installation & Troubleshooting • Friendly Hometown Service
Heat Pumps and Gas Furnaces
 We also sell Gas Logs and Heaters
 Fully Licensed and Insured HVAC and Electrical • MO-4808 and CE63779

BEE Garbage
256-2334
 Weekly residential curbside pickup
\$17⁰⁰ per month with Curb Cart

Mechanic On Duty
 All Types of Repairs
 We do muffler & exhaust replacement and custom pipe bending
David's Tire Center
 24 Hr. Towing & Recovery LLC
 1431 S. Wilderness Rd. (US 25) Mt. Vernon
 David & Josh Thompson, Owners Save On All Major Brand Office/24 Hr. Wrecker Tires For Cars & Trucks 606-256-4606 Farm Tractors • Lawn & More

On-Site Computer Service

Tired of sending your computer away to get it fixed?

Call and let us come to you for all your computer needs!

Setup, Consultation, Software/Hardware Conflicts Virus/Spyware Removal Reasonable Rates

Call **Spencer Bengé**
606-308-5653

Subscribe to the Mt. Vernon Signal
 \$20 in county
 \$27 out of county / in-state
 \$35 out of state
 10% discount for seniors
Call 606-256-2244

Thinking About Cleaning Your Carpet? Some things to think about...
 What is the best way to clean my carpet, should I use the old technology of steam cleaning or the new technology of dry foam?
 Test results from Consumer Report, 2008.

Option 1: Steam Cleaning-How does it work?
 A. Steam Cleaners saturate your carpet and floor pad with hot (150° degree) soapy water containing lye and beach to help dissolve stains.
 B. After your carpet reaches its maximum saturation point the solution is then extracted by means of a commercial shop vacuum. The results: Removes less than 20% of the soil from the carpet driving the remainder down deeper into the carpet fibers. The lye/bleach solution used by steam cleaners to dissolve stains fades carpet colors. Drying time is 1 to 5 days depending on the carpet texture. As a result of the water saturation, carpet fibers harden and the floor pad remains damp, which promotes bacteria growth and mildewing, causing carpet threads to rot, shorting the life of your carpet. Carpet manufacturers recommend that you do not steam clean carpets.

Option 2: Dry Foam-How does it work?
 C. Carpet fibers are agitated with carpet combs to separate the fibers loosening dirt particles, which are then dry cleaned with an industrial strength vacuum.
 D. The carpet is then shampooed with horse hair brushes using Dry-Foam lather, a solution that contains six different cleaners and fabric softener, color brightener, deodorizer, disinfectant, crystalline agent, scotch guard, & degreaser. Does not contain lye or bleach.
 E. Carpet fibers are then groomed to fluff up worn walk areas to give a uniform look to the carpet.
 The results: Removes over 90% of carpet soil. Rejuvenates and brightens colors and patterns of carpets. Drying times is less than 2 hours. Floor pads remain dry-Fabric Softener makes carpets soft again-Promoting the life of the carpet.
 Carpet manufacturers recommend Dry Foam to clean Carpets.

Caudill Dump Truck Service
 Rock • Gravel Rock & Job Quotes
 Agr. Lime Driveway Spreading
 Sand Dumping/Stockpile

Contact for competitive pricing:
 Myron - (606) 308-1387

Rocket Carpet Cleaners
 Circular Dry Foam Cleaning
(606) 256-9870

Award-Winning Water Features & Landscaping
 Max Phelps
 Member I.P.P.C.A.
606-416-3911
 www.rockcastles.net

Adoptable Shelter Dogs



Hello. My name is Dan and I am a Pyrenees mix. I am a male approx. 1 1/2 years old. I was picked up and brought into RCAS as a drop-out in the Rose Hill section of our county. I am friendly but sometimes I am also a little on the shy side as well. I would make a great watch dog because I like to bark at the vehicals when they start up the hill to the shelter. If your family has room for a large dog like me then contact the shelter @ 606-256-1833. (kennel 9)



Hi Everybody! My name is Rocky and this is my story. I was abandoned by my people on the banks of the Rockcastle River a couple of weeks ago and I was very scared. Just when I was about to give up, a nice fisherman happened by and took me home with him and cared for me really good! But, the nice fisherman had another big dog that didn't like me too good and now I am being cared for at RCAS. I am a male Chocolate Lab about 8-9 weeks old and am very playful and loving. I am also VERY excited about getting my new family. If you can give me a home then contact the shelter @ 606-256-1833. (kennel 14)

Email the Signal office at mvsignal@windstream.net

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

BANANA BREAD

3 ripe bananas
1/4 cup sugar
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
2 eggs, beaten
2 cups self-rising flour
1/3 cup chopped nuts, your choice
Preheat oven to 350°.

Mash the ripe bananas in a large bowl. Add sugar and oil; stirring to mix with bananas. Add beaten egg; stirring to mix with banana mixture. Add flour and mix well. Finally add nuts. (All the stirring and mixing is done by hand with a large spoon or spatula. No need for an electric mixer.) Pour into a loaf pan sprayed with nonstick spray. Bake at 350° for 35-40 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Let cool.

RHONDA'S BANANA PUDDING

2 cups cold milk
1 small box instant French vanilla pudding
1 can Eagle Brand® condensed milk
1 container (8 ounce) sour cream
1 container (8 ounce) Cool Whip®
4 or 5 bananas
Box of vanilla wafers
Mix cold milk and pudding;

Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive

The 21st annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive is this Saturday.

The event is sponsored annually by the United States Postal Service whose mail carriers, across the nation, will pick up donated food items from beside homeowner's mailboxes.

Mail carriers will place a sturdy plastic bag in mailboxes before the event, scheduled for Saturday, May 11th. Participants are asked to fill the bag with non-perishable food items and leave it by their mailbox on the 11th.

If you are interested in participating in the event but can't leave your donation by your mailbox, you are asked to take it to the nearest post office.

add Eagle Brand®. Chill for 10 minutes. Stir sour cream and Cool Whip® into pudding mixture with a spoon. Layer bananas and wafers; pour pudding over each layer. Chill.

TOM'S FRIED BANANAS

Tom was from Berea, and although he was not attending college when we were there, he hung around campus a lot. He spent as much time as we did in the Snack Bar playing bridge and drinking Cokes or coffee. Tom was a jewelry designer and maker, as well as a gourmet cook and phenomenal gardener. He had a collection of orchids that defied nature. He could get anything to grow that he set his mind to, and he could name every plant that he saw. He served this dish for breakfast or for a dessert. Bananas
1/2 teaspoon butter per banana
Melt butter in a non-stick skillet over medium heat. Peel banana and slice in half horizontally. Place cut side down in skillet. Cook for about a minute on one side and turn over to let other get warmed. Cook for another minute.



Davis receives Ann Phipps Award

The National Head Start Association, Inc. created the Ann Phipps Memorial Award to recognize and honor those parents and/or organizations, who, by record of dedicated services to Head Start families, exemplifies the life of Ann Phipps. Ann Phipps was a Head Start Director from Akron, OH who made considerable contributions to the Head Start Community. To carry on the memory of Ann Phipps, the Kentucky Head Start awards the Ann Phipps Memorial Award and a \$250.00 Ann Phipps Memorial Scholarship to two parents who show significant accomplishments in their lives.

Cozette Davis, a current Head Start Parent, was selected as one of the recipients this year and was invited to attend the annual Kentucky Head Start Training Conference to receive her award. Cozette has completed her Associates of Arts Degree and is currently taking leadership and Organizational Behavior classes that will transfer for her Bachelor's Degree. The award and scholarship was presented to her on April 24th during the banquet.




Ray Osborne was recently awarded the Regional Operator and the Earl T. Mitchell, Water Operator of the Year for the State of Kentucky, by the Kentucky Water & Wastewater Operator's Association. Osborne has been employed with the City of Mt. Vernon for 3 1/2 years. Pictured are, from left: Rodney Trowbridge, Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant, Ray Osborne and Frank Baker.



now providing



an
American-owned and operated company
to our
Mt. Vernon and Rockcastle County Customers
US 25 South • Mt. Vernon



EXCELLENCE DEFINED

Saint Joseph Berea Celebrates National Nurses' Week • May 6-12, 2013

Saint Joseph Berea honors our nurses this week for their tireless efforts and crucial role they play in the health and well-being of our patients and the communities served. Today's nurses make sacrifices on a daily basis to provide expert care during times of disaster and crisis, while making a difference in the lives of their patients and in the nursing community.

As we move forward in our journey to offer the state's best care with KentuckyOne Health, our nurses provide a critical role toward the building of the highest quality system in Kentucky.

Melissa K. Agee, RN	Deborah D. Clark, RN	April E. Harris, RN	Victor R. McCane, RN/	Katie Sexton, RN
Milzi M. Alexander, RN	Carrie E. Cornett, RN	Phyllis A. Hendricks, RN	Surgical Services	Emily S. Shaw, RN
Charolette K. Anglin, LPN	Kevin H. Cosby, RN	Erin C. Holbrook, RN	Director	Elizabeth A. Sheffer, RN
Charity A. Arthur, RN	Melissa K. Cosby, RN	Danyelle J. Hornbeck, NA	Frances E. McKeethan, RN	Kristy R. Slone, RN
Adrienne M. Ashburn, Tech	Brandy M. Coyle, RN	Kimberly D. Howard, NA	Bonnie A. McQueen, Charge	Diane M. Snyder, RN
Juliana M. Atkins, RN	Laura E. Damm, Tech	Kristina M. Howard, US	Specialist	Brenda K. Sowder, RN
Bernice Baird, RN	Robin Blanton, RN	Lisa G. Johnson, NA	Brenda S. Merritt, US	Ashley R. Spurlock, CNA
Kristina L. Barron, RN	Bethy R. Durham, SEC	Mary K. Johnson, RN	Barbara E. Mills, NA	Debby L. Stout, NT
Leslie M. Behm, RN	Robin A. Ennis, US	Slephaine D. Kauer, RN	James M. Morcip, NA	Greta P. Thompson, RN
Jami L. Belcher, RN	Marsha C. Erwin, NA	Lesa A. Kilbourn, Central	Nancy S. Mowbray, RN	Lori J. Vickers, RN
Lindsay L. Blair, RN	Patricia S. Estep, RN	Scheduler	Kay B. Mullins, RN	Ruth S. Walker, RN
Robin Blanton, RN	Laurie M. Faught, RN/Acute	Robert C. Kilbourn ORT/SA	Jamie B. Neesley, NA	Paul B. Willis, RN
Mildred M. Bolkins, RN	Care Clinical Manager	Teresa L. King, RN	Ann L. Panciera, RN	Sherry L. Wilson, RN
Carri A. Bray, RN	Amber B. Field, RN	Holly R. Fort, RN	Gwen D. Perch, RN	Homar P. Worley, RN
Denise D. Browning, NA	Mary J. Frazier, US	Stephanie D. Koher, RN	Ruth A. Prewitt, RN	Amanda N. Young, RN
Elizabeth D. Bryant, RN	Brooke Gabbard, RN	Karla J. Lake, RN	Summer R. Price, RN	Leslie N. Crawford, RN
Paula J. Bullock, ORT	Jessica E. Grant, US	Kathy W. Lakes, NA	Theodora H. Przybys, US	Quality Assurance/Risk
Kimberly D. Campbell, NA	Julie L. Ham, RN	Sharlene W. Lamb, RN	Clarissa Ramsay, RN	Management
Tammy L. Carter, RN	Craig S. Hamilton, RN	Brenda R. Mahoney, RN	Diane J. Robinson, RN	Debra Hamilton, RN, Case
Crystal M. Catron, RN/	Rebekah E. Hamilton, RN	Brenda J. Marcum, RN	Callean S. Rogers, RN	Management
Acute Care Clinical	Vicki J. Hamilton, RN/Emergency	Wilma J. Masters, CCST	Patricia F. Rutherford, RN	Jeanie Hogg, RN
Manager	Department/Clinical	Darlene Matekovich, RN/	Sarah N. Saylor, RN	Physician's Office
Johnna D. Caudill, RN	Manager	Acute Care Manager	Kelsay M. Scenters, RN	Betsy Reynolds, RN,
Susan G. Centers, RN	Manager	Darcy D. Maupin, RN/	Chris Schweighardt, RN,	Physician's Office
Sheila M. Chasteen, RN	Mona S. Hanna, RN	Emergency Department	CNO/COO	
	Bonnie M. Harding, Tech	Manager	Laura L. Secor, RN	

Saint Joseph Berea
KentuckyOne Health™

SaintJosephBerea.org
KentuckyOneHealth.org

follow us on twitter like us on facebook

Mount Vernon Signal

Serving Rockcastle County Since 1887

Mount Vernon, Kentucky 40456 - (606) 256-2244

Volume 127 • Number 21 .50 per copy

Thursday, May 9, 2013



A large group of Rockcastle Countians met on the courthouse lawn last Thursday for the 62nd annual National Day of Prayer. The public attended the event to spend time in prayer for our government, military, churches, schools and families. Shown at right is guest speaker Kent Ostrander, Executive Director of the Family Foundation of Kentucky. Brother Luther Allen led the crowd in singing and special music was provided by Zack Rice from Cornith Baptist Church in London. Opening prayer was led by Senator Jared Carpenter and closing prayer by Brother Randy McPherson. Lunch was provided by the Kiwanis Club following the service.



RCIDA okays White House Clinic plans at Monday's meeting

Final plans for White House Clinic were presented to the Rockcastle County Industrial Authority board Monday and those plans were approved. The action clears the way for bids to be let for the 8,972 sq. ft. building in Rockcastle Business Park South and, a spokesman said Monday that construction would probably be complete in early 2014.

The clinic will offer a full range of medical services -- pharmacy, dental, a physician and nurse practitioner a mental health facility, etc. Client payments will be on a sliding scale based on income.

At the meeting, Holly Hopkins told the board that B&H Tool had decided to move their laser operation, presently located in Richmond, to their facility in Rockcastle Business Park South (RBPS) and would be constructing a new building behind their present one. Hopkins said it was not known at this time if there would be additional employees hired since it had not been determined by B&H how many employees from the Richmond location would transfer to the local site.

Hopkins also told the board that there was presently a hiring freeze in place at SourceHOV because the veterans administration was changing how they transmit information to the company for processing, causing a delay in production.

Construction of water and sewer lines for the new emergency services building was discussed with Hopkins informing the board that a grant would not be sought for the approximate \$75,000 project. Hopkins said that County Judge/Executive Buzz Carloftis has agreed to use county equipment and workers for the project and believes it can be done that way for "pennies on the dollars."

A draft budget for RCIDA for 2013-14 was presented to the board. The budget shows expected receipts of \$934,529 and appropriations of the same amount.

The largest items in receipts includes a transportation grant of \$418,140 which is still outstanding, approximately \$148,000 from county government and \$304,750 in lease payments from SourceHOV.

Appropriations include salaries of \$87,000 (including benefits), the transfer of the DOT grant funds (\$418,140) to the county when received and direct payment of all proceeds of the SourceHOV lease (\$304,750) to Community Trust Bank for repayment of the construction loan for the building.

Deadly bat disease found inside two caves in Rockcastle County

By: Doug Ponder

Forest biologists with the U.S Forest Service and Daniel Boone National Forest recently discovered a deadly bat disease inside two caves in Rockcastle County.

Tests taken this winter by biologists confirm that a deadly bat disease called the white-nose syndrome was found in bats at the Goochland Cave and Smokehole Cave near Livingston.

The tests were conducted inside 38 bat hibernation caves in the Daniel Boone National Forest this winter. Besides the two caves in Rockcastle County, white-nose syndrome was also found inside four other caves in Pulaski and Jackson County.

Biologist Sandi Kilpatrick said that white-nose syndrome is a white fungus that appears on the muzzle and other body parts of bats. She said the disease was first detected in New York in 2006 and that it has now spread across eastern United States and into the Daniel Boone National Forest.

"White-nose syndrome has spread rapidly across the United States as far west as Missouri and north as Canada," Kilpatrick said. "An estimated 5.7 to 6.7 million bats have died because of the disease. So it was upsetting to discover the disease has now made it to the Daniel Boone National Forest."

Kilpatrick said there is no evidence that white-nose syndrome can cause sickness in humans. However, she said

(Cont. to A10)

Livingston Founders Day Trail Festival is Friday and Saturday

The first annual Livingston Founders Day Trail Festival is this Friday and Saturday in downtown Livingston.

The festival and vendors will open both days at 5 p.m. Games, inflatables and hayrides will also be available for the kids throughout the festival.

Events will kick-off on Friday with an opening ceremony at the trailhead stage from 6 to 7 p.m. with speakers Billy Medley, Livingston Mayor Jason Medley, Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant, parade Grand Marshall Lucille Carloftis and County Judge Executive Buzz Carloftis. There will also be a Life Flight helicopter air display at 6:30 p.m.

There will be bluegrass and gospel music on all

Mt. Vernon man arrested for drug trafficking

By: Doug Ponder

A Mt. Vernon man was arrested for drug trafficking last Wednesday when a police officer made a traffic stop on MacKenzie Lane in Mt. Vernon after he allegedly ran the officer off the roadway.

Arrested at the scene was Robert Blake Lovell, 28, of Mt. Vernon.

According to Mt. Vernon Police reports, Assistant Chief Barry Adams made the stop after meeting Lovell's vehicle in the middle of the road in a curve, causing Adams to have to pull his cruiser onto a curb off the roadway.

When Adams approached the vehicle, he noticed that Lovell appeared to be very nervous and that his hands were shaking.

(Cont. to A10)

three stages Friday night from 8 to 10 p.m. Sagegrass will perform on the Trailhead Stage, Dogwood Ridge on the David's Tire Bluegrass Stage and Hot Pursuit on the Climax Water Sound Stage.

Also, members of Livingston Fire and Rescue will be selling food during the week end. On Friday night, at the fire department, there will be a chicken and dumpling dinner, starting at 7 p.m. and, on Saturday,

Relay for Life is next Friday

The annual Cancer Survivor Dinner and Rockcastle County Relay for Life will be held next Friday, May 17th.

The Cancer Survivor dinner will be held at the Rockcastle County High School cafeteria at 5:30 p.m. Food and entertainment will be provided by Roundstone Baptist Church.

Those planning to attend the dinner are asked to call

(Cont. to A10)

Road work at intersection of Hwy 150 and 2108 coming to a close

Reconstruction of the Hwy 150 and Hwy 2108 intersection at Mareburg is coming to an end in the near future.

The road construction project included new turn lanes on Hwy 150 as well as the installation of caution lights to improve safety at the intersection. Repair work to the ditches at the intersection is also being conducted during the reconstruction project.

The \$730,000 project was awarded to Elmo Greer

(Cont. to A10)

hamburgers, hot dogs, etc. will be available, starting at 11 a.m.

On Saturday, the Wildcat Mountain Triathlon race will start at 8 a.m. with registration beginning at 7 a.m. A Lumberjack contest will start at 10 a.m.

Following the triathlon and lumberjack contest, a car show will take place at the David's Tire Bluegrass stage area from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Line-up for the parade

(Cont. to A10)

Mt. Vernon man arrested for child abuse Friday

By: Doug Ponder

A Mt. Vernon man was arrested last Friday for child abuse after being accused by doctors and police of throwing a four-year-old's head against a wall.

Arrested was Nathaniel Dale Whitis, 25, of Mt. Vernon. According to the Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department, Sheriff Mike Peters responded to Dr. Callie Shaffer's office after receiving a physical abuse complaint involving a four-year-old boy.

Upon arrival, doctors told Peters that they observed a large bruise on the boy's forehead and also what appeared to be finger/hand prints around his neck. Doctors said they also discovered several broken veins in both of the boy's eyes, which is usually the result of someone being grabbed by the neck and choked.

During examination, doctors also told Peters they discovered several other bruises on the boy's face, neck, behind both ears, right thigh and left hip. Doctors said these injuries are also the result of squeezing of the neck and

(Cont. to A10)



Brindle Ridge Fire Department and Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue responded to a trailer fire Wednesday morning on Grace Loop Road in Roundstone. Authorities say the trailer was abandoned and no one was inside at the time of the fire. The cause of the fire remains unknown.

Of Special Note Inside

- Viewpoints Pg. A2
- Sports Pg. A8 & 9
- Obituaries Pg. A3
- Courthouse News Pg. B2
- Church News Pg. A6
- Classifieds Pgs. B5-7

Contact us at: mvsignal@windstream.net
Deadline submission is Noon Tuesday

Call
606-256-2244 for
Advertising &
Subscriptions





The Way I See it

By Doug Ponder

Last Thursday, hundreds of Rockcastle Countians met on the courthouse lawn for the 62nd annual National Day of Prayer.

The event is held each year as people meet to spend time in prayer for our churches, families, government, military and schools.

Guest speaker Kent Ostrander, who is the Executive Director of the Foundation of Kentucky, spoke about how Christians need to step out in their faith and witness to a lost and dying world.

After the event was over and I had come back to the office, I found myself thinking what can we do better, as Christians, to reach those who are backslidden or lost? While pondering on this question, one word kept coming to my mind and that word was "compassion."

Compassion is defined as the understanding for the suffering of others and the urgency in wanting to help them come out of that suffering.

In turn, as a Christian we should show compassion for those who are lost and we should have an urgency to share the gospel with them in hope that they will trust in Jesus Christ and get saved so they won't have to spend an eternity in hell when they die, which is the highest degree of suffering!

Unfortunately, I think many of us Christians often fail in this category of showing compassion when we witness to others and a lot of times I believe we fail at it miserably.

Last May, I wrote an article about the tornados and storms that rolled through

East Bernstadt, leveling hundreds of homes as it also killed a few people and injured numerous others.

Fortunately, only minor structure damage was reported in Rockcastle County and only one storage building was destroyed in Brodhead as a result of the storms. The other good news we received was there were no deaths or injuries in Rockcastle County.

Trying to be clever, I used the phrase "Rockcastle County is spared from Mother Nature's wrath" in both my headline and my article.

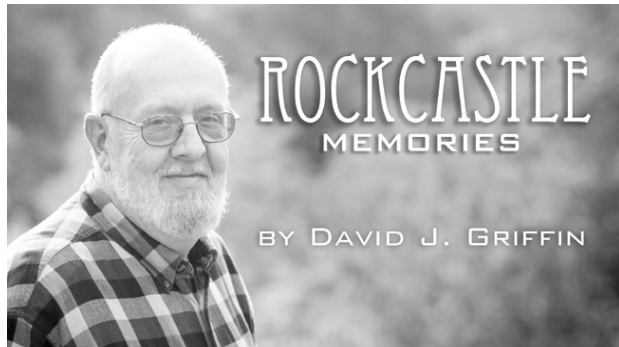
After the article was written, a prominent person in our community, who I had known all my life, told me I was disgracing God in that article as the weather came from God and not Mother Nature.

My reply to him was that I had no intentions of disgracing God and if I did I was sorry. I told him I was just simply trying to be clever and use something catchy to make the article more appealing to readers.

I remember us shrugging it off and making simple small talk with each other before both of us eventually said goodbye and hung up the phone. Truth is, I was actually offended by what he had said to me but I never told him about it and I still haven't till this day. But I now realize that I was actually disgracing God with that statement.

During the time of this conversation, I was what many would consider a backslidden Christian, as I

(Cont. to A4)



ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES

BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

1960's Slang Terms and Phrases

Teenagers during the 60's generation, like others before us, attempted to set ourselves apart from the older generation in a number of ways. One way was by coining words or phrases in a manner that might put a twist on original meanings – in other words, to use language in a way that had not been done before that time. We wanted to be unique and have a language all of our own.

For example, the word bookin' meant to go real fast in a car, and the term cruising meant driving up and down the streets looking for members of the opposite sex.

I grew up in a family where language and slang terms were closely scrutinized. As dedicated Christians, my mother and my grandparents tolerated no foul language, nor any vulgar terms.

I can only recall Pop and Mommie Katie ever using one questionable phrase each. When Mommie Katie was severely agitated at someone, she would say, "They are the guts of the earth!" When she made that remark, we all knew she was extremely disturbed, and we gave her a wide berth. Likewise, when Pop felt the need to express himself in a distressed manner, he would say, "Hell-O Pete!" If you questioned his use of the term, he would justify his language by claiming, "I was just saying hello!"

There are many slang terms that began in the 60's, and there is obviously not space to cover them thoroughly in one column; but there were a few that meant something special to me.

Several of the expressions related to our world of automobiles; they were our babies. If a car had bucket seats, we called them birth control seats. If we said someone was burning rubber or they were peeling out, then the driver was leaving black rubber marks on the highway in a swift get away. Our cars were often referred to as rides, as in "He's got a cool ride." If one of our rides

was pretty, had neat wheels, but no power, we said it was all show and no go! And of course there was shotgun – which is what you had to call out in order to claim rights to the front seat of the passenger side of the car.

A number of our terms meant something was that was great by us. Some examples might be: bad, bitchin', cool, or far-out. If a girl was extremely good looking, we would say that she was fine as wine, a fox, or maybe just groovy, meaning really cool.

Some of our slang terms were not original with us but were used often. Some samples might be: calling a bottle opener a church key, a bald man might have a chrome dome, to crash meant to go to bed, to drop a dime meant to use the pay phone, and a five-finger discount was an item that was acquired by theft.

We even had labels for items that we used or wore on a regular basis. Such as: sunglasses were shades, our clothes were referred to as threads, calf-high slacks which were worn by girls were called pedal pushers – very close to being what today are called "capris." And, of course, our money was our bread.

There was other jargon that most of us used that had a meaning all of its own. If you were listening to our conversations, you might hear us say that something was special or boss, to take it easy was to hang loose, a hunk was what a girl called a good looking guy, a paddiddle was a car with only one headlight; if we were leaving the scene or area, we said we were going to split; and finally, if we were hav-

(Cont. to A4)

Points East

By Ike Adams



I know the Derby has already been run but these spring horse racing meets at Churchill Downs and Keeneland almost always cause me to start reminiscing about the races we Blair Branch Boys used to conduct by putting mining ponies to good use on weekends.

I haven't tried as hard as I probably should to find it, but it seems to me that very little has been written about the use of, or, for that matter, the importance of ponies and small mules in the early days of eastern Kentucky's evolving coal industry.

I am not sure whether or not the practice of using draft animals to pull coal from deep inside the mountains to earth's surface was outlawed, or if it simply became economically and productively impractical. I believed the practice originated in Wales and, by far, the most popular breed of mining ponies was called "Welsh".

I do know that the very last mining ponies on Blair Branch left in 1960 and that my Dad worked in the last little mine that still used them. By that point in time, small mines relied on rub-

ber-wheeled, electric shuttle buggies which did not require the time-consuming, labor-intensive practice of installing steel rail tracks to transport coal from inside the mine.

But in the early days, coal was hand loaded by shovel at the coal face into "cars" that hauled about 2 tons each and pulled along the tracks by sturdy ponies and small mules.

By the mid-seventies almost all underground mining relied on conveyor belts to get coal to the surface and the use of wheeled vehicles became obsolete.

During the fifties Dad provided room and board for anywhere between four and a dozen mining ponies and mules at a time in our big barn. Two of them were used at the mine in which he worked and the others were used at mines nearby. The coal companies delivered hay and sweet feed to the barn and our job was to keep the animals fed and watered.

And, we boys believed, to make sure they were properly exercised on weekends.

Racing the ponies actu-

(Cont. to A4)

Mount Vernon Signal

Publication Number 366-000
Periodical Postage Paid in Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456
606-256-2244

Published every Thursday since November, 1887. Offices in the Mt. Vernon Signal Building on Main Street in Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456. Postmaster, send address changes to P.O. Box 185, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky 40456.

James Anderkin, Jr., Publisher Emeritus
Perlina M. Anderkin, Publisher/Editor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

In County - \$20.00 Yr. Out-of-County - \$27.00 Yr.
Out-of-State \$35.00 Yr.

e-mail address - mvsignal@windstream.net

ABSOLUTE ESTATE Auction

of the late
Mr. Nathan Clark and
Mrs. Katherine Clark's

60 Acres More or Less, Bedford Stone House & Barns

(Selling in its entirety)

Saturday, May 11th • 10:00 a.m.

Ballard Parsons Highway, Mt. Vernon, KY

(Roundstone/Wildie area of Rockcastle County)

Location: Turn off of Hwy 25 between Mt. Vernon and Berea, near Roundstone Elementary School, onto Hwy 1766 (Ballard Parsons Highway). Follow Ballard Parsons Hwy approximately 1 mile to the property.

In order to settle the estate of their late mother, Mrs. Katherine Clark, her daughters have commissioned our firm to sell this good, bottom land farm for the high dollar.

The farm is improved with a ranch style Bedford Stone house. The house features 3 bedrooms, Kitchen/Dining area, Utility room, and 1 1/2 baths. Amenities include: sunroom, electric heat, central air, plus laminate floors in the Living room and Kitchen/Dining room area and carpet in all of the bedrooms. Besides the house there's also a 60 x 80 combination hay and livestock barn, a 24 x 90 metal garage/shop building and a corn crib.

Note: The farm will sell in its entirety (not in tracts) and contains approx. 60 acres, most of which is productive bottom land.

Auctioneer's Note: Seldom do you have the opportunity to purchase a farm in the Wildie community. This farm is conveniently located between Mt. Vernon and Berea, in the Roundstone school district, making it a great location. This is productive farm land and will sell to the highest bidder. Remember, this is an Absolute Auction... Last Bid Will Buy!

Note: The purchaser of a single-family residence built before 1978 has a maximum of 10 days to inspect the property for the presence of lead-based paint. The period for inspection begins May 1st through May 10th. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10-day post sale inspection period.

Terms: 20% down the day of the sale, balance within 30 days.

Announcements day of sale take precedence over printed matter.

For additional information or photos please log on to www.fordbrothersinc.com or contact the auctioneer at 1-800-435-5454.



AUCTIONEER: SAM FORD

www.fordbrothersinc.com
Mt. Vernon, KY
606-256-4545 • 800-435-5454

KYAA
Somerset, KY
606-679-2212



Scan with your smartphone for direct link to auction information



London, KY
606-878-7111



Friday and Saturday, May 10 and 11

Come, join all the fun at our first annual

Founders Day Trail Festival

to celebrate Livingston's 131st Birthday!

Friday, May 10th

Festival and vendors open at 5 p.m. • Opening Ceremony at the Trailhead Stage at 6 p.m. • Opening Prayer by Bro. Billy Medley • Life Flight Helicopter Air Display at 6:30 p.m. • Speakers: Mayor Jason Medley, Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant, Grand Marshall Lucille Carloftis and County Judge/Executive Buzz Carrloftis at 7 p.m. • Bluegrass/Gospel Band Sagegrass on the Trailhead Stage at 8 p.m. • Dogwood Ridge - David's Tire Bluegrass Stage at 8 p.m. • Hot Pursuit - Climax Water Sound Stage at 8 p.m.

Saturday, May 11th

7 a.m.: Pancake breakfast and Triathlon
Registration at Trail Head Stage
8 a.m.: Triathlon begins
10 a.m.: Lumberjack Contest
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.: Car Show at David's Tire Bluegrass Stage
Noon: Triathlon Awards Ceremony at Trailhead Stage, parade line up
1 p.m.: Parade Begins
2 & 3 p.m.: Bittersweet Cloggers on Soundstage

2 to 9 p.m.: Stage of Stars at Trailhead Stage
3 p.m.: Wacky Boat Race (high water postpones)
4 p.m.: Duck Race (high water postpones)
5 p.m.: Karate Demonstration at Soundstage
6 p.m.: Beauty Pageant at Soundstage
8 p.m.: Medley Boys on Climax Water Soundstage
5 to 9:30 p.m.: Wilderness Road, Level Green, Tidalwave Road & New Generation on David's Tire Bluegrass Stage

10 p.m.: Cake and Fireworks at the Trailhead Stage closes the festival
All during the festival, visit with our Civil War "Living History" Reenactors. Over 50 vendors (food, clothing, arts and crafts etc) and inflatables, games, circus, Indians and hayrides for the kids.

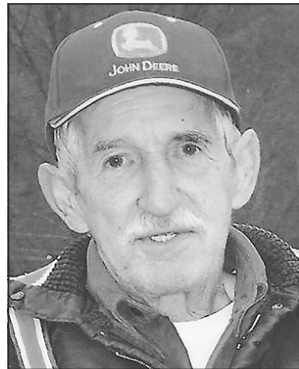
We look forward to seeing you!

For more information, call 606-453-2061



Obituaries

Cemetery Notices



Marguerite Poynter Robinson

Alma Marguerite Poynter Robinson, 88, of Brodhead, died Thursday, May 2, 2013 at Compassionate Care Center in Richmond.

She was born in Mount Vernon, January 20, 1925, a daughter of the late John Edward and Sibyl Alberta Weiderhold Hunt. She was a retired farmer and auto dealer, and enjoyed flowers, farming, homemaking and antiques. She was of the Christian faith, a past two year president of the Kentucky Ginseng Society, a Kentucky Colonel, a volunteer for the Kentucky Red Cross, an employee of Rockcastle County Senior Citizens and a member of the Rockcastle Saddle Club. On March 6, 1946 she was united in matrimony to Mason Poynter, Jr. and from that union came six children.

She is survived by: six children, Judy Poynter (Brad) Asher of Midway, Jill Poynter Stevens, Joan Poynter Garrison, Jennifer Poynter Hand, Matthew Mason Poynter, and Christopher M. (Janice) Poynter, all of Brodhead; two sisters, Corine (Paul) Cummins of Mount Vernon and Bonnie Winston of Evendale, OH; 10 grandchildren, Bradley Bart (Jill) Asher, Sonya (Buddy) Semones, Daniel (Elizabeth) Stevens, Anna Margaret Stevens-Goff, Amy Jo (Jason) Philbeck, Joshua Garrison, Robin (Steven) Rumsey, Jerrica (Michael) Brummett, Mason Poynter and Jamison Poynter; 15 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides her parents, she is preceded in death by: her husband, Mason Poynter, Jr.; five brothers, Dallas, Russell, Leo, Lew and Wayne Hunt; and four sisters, Hazel Badertscher, Ollie B. Hunt, Nancy Livesay and Barbara Bartholomew; and a son-in-law, Danny Ray Stevens.

Funeral services were conducted Monday May 6, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Wayne Harding and Bro. Bruce Ross officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery in Mount Vernon.

Casketbearers were: Steven Rumsey, Jason Philbeck, Josh Garrison, Bradley Bart Asher, Buddy Semones, Daniel Stevens, Jameson Poynter, Mason Poynter and Michael Brummett.

Condolences to the family may be made at her online registry at marvineowensfuneralhome.com.

Card of Thanks

William Moore

The family of William Moore would like to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers during the loss of our loved one.

We thank our neighbors and friends for the food and flowers, Bro. Mark Eaton for his kind words and Owens Funeral Home for being so nice to us during this time of our loss.

The family of William Morris

Ricky Dale "Greasy" Moore, Sr.

Ricky Dale "Greasy" Moore, Sr., 57, of Brodhead, husband of Marian "Mary" Moore, died Tuesday, April 30, 2013 at Saint Joseph Hospital/London.

He was born January 21, 1956 in Stanford, a son of Betty DeBoard Moore and the late Howard Moore, Sr. He was a United States Army veteran and of the Baptist faith. On November 24, 1984 he was united in matrimony to Marian "Mary" Smith. He was a mechanic by trade, enjoyed cars, trucks, garden tractor pulls and spending time with his grandchildren.

He is survived by: his wife, Marian "Mary" Smith Moore of Brodhead; his mother, Betty Deboard Moore of Brodhead; his son, Ricky Dale (Alice) Moore, Jr. of Brodhead; two daughters, Cherrie Winburn and Shana Luckenbill, both of Bedford; his sister, Sue Moore of Brodhead; his brother, Albert Moore of London; eight grandchildren, Eric Luckenbill, Ashley Luckenbill, Justice Luckenbill, Patience Luckenbill, Chris Hensley, D.J. Winburn, Cindy Moore and Journee Winburn; special friends, Gary Cromer, Frankie Woodall, Carlos Cromer and John Marrow; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his father, he is preceded in death by a brother, Howard "Tom" Moore, Jr. and a son-in-law, David Winburn.

Funeral services were conducted Friday May 3, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Luther Allen officiating. Burial was in the DeBoard Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Gary Cromer, Eric Luckenbill, Carlos Cromer, D.J. Winburn, John Marrow and Jason Moore.

Honorary casketbearers were: Tommy Woodall, Kevin Collins, Scottie Hopkins, Frankie Woodall, Randy Cromer and Jimmy Wallin.

Condolences to the family may be made at his online registry at marvineowensfuneralhome.com.



Shirley E. Howard

Shirley E. Howard, 48, of Orlando, died Sunday, April 28, 2013 at her home. She was born February 23, 1965 in Fairborn, OH, the daughter of the late George and Lola Cloud Howard. She was a respiratory therapist at Rockcastle Hospital, and attended the Callaway Holiness Church.

Survivors are one brother, Dennis Howard of Orlando, and one nephew, Johnathan Howard.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. (today) Thursday, May 2, 2013 at the Callaway Holiness Church with Bro. Elzie Doan officiating. Burial will follow in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Cox Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Send condolences online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.

Ronald "Pap" Niceley

Ronald "Pap" Niceley, 78, of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, May 6, 2013 at The Terrace in Berea. He was born February 8, 1935 in Livingston, the son of Oather and Lilly King Niceley. He was a livestock breeder with the American Breeder Service, a Veteran of the US Army, a Shriner, a member of the Masonic Lodge and was of the Baptist Faith.

He is survived by: his wife of 55 years, Betty Sue Niceley of Mt. Vernon; two daughters, Rhonda Niceley Cromer of Berea and Christy Niceley (Jason) Bartlett of Mt. Vernon; five nephews, Hershel (Jenny) Niceley, Dennis (Debra) Williams, Danny Ray (Joyce) Williams, Paskel (Ann) Williams and Frank Niceley; and one brother-in-law, Jerry (Betty) Dowell. Also surviving are four grandchildren, Matt Williams, Kayla Knuckles, Kendra Williams and Cassidy Ramsey and one step granddaughter, Taylar Barlett.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by four brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, May 9, 2013 at 2 p.m. at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. Marcus Reppert and Bro. Everett Vanzant. Burial will be in the Sand Hill Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be: Jason Bartlett, Jeff Chestnut, Jerry Dowell, Matt Williams, Darrell Rowe and Jackie Abney.

Honorary pallbearers will be: Dennis Williams, Danny Ray Williams, Hershel Niceley, Donald Coffey and Rodney Deatherage.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

Herman Carpenter

Herman Carpenter, 77, of Livingston, died Tuesday, May 7, 2013.

Arrangements for Mr. Carpenter are by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home and are incomplete at this time.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

In Loving Memory



In Loving Memory of Floyd Baker

Since you are enjoying your special day in Heaven...I am sending all my love, always and forever.

As you are always in my heart,
Your Wife

Subscribe to the Signal

Maret Cemetery

The annual meeting for Maret Cemetery will be held Saturday, May 25th at the cemetery. Please plan to attend. Donations may also be made by mailing to: Jack Dailey, 11 Sunset Ridge Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

Pine Hill Cemetery

Please send donations for the upkeep of Pine Hill Cemetery to: Lorene Ponder, 314 Jessica Circle, Richmond, Ky. 40475.

Roberts Cemetery

Donations are needed for the upkeep of Roberts Cemetery. Please contact Don Cummins at 606-256-1898 or send check to 67 School House Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

Last year's response was enough to keep the cemetery looking nice all summer and fall.

Maretburg Cemetery

Please send donations for mowing and upkeep of the Maretburg Cemetery to Gloria Seals, 5394 Brindle Ridge Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

Livesay Cemetery

Please send donations for mowing and upkeep of the Livesay Cemetery to Gloria Seals, 5394 Brindle Ridge Road, Brodhead, Ky. 40409.

Briarfield Cemetery

Donations are urgently needed for the 2013 mowing season at Briarfield Cemetery.

Trustees of Briarfield and I, Ronnie Spoonamore, will be on the grounds to personally accept donations on May 18 and 19 and May 25 and 26 or you can mail donations to: Ron Spoonamore, P.O. Box 1572, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Call 606-392-3289 or 606-256-5037 for information about trust funds, burial locations, adding dates on tombstones or decorations around tombstones.

Also, on Sunday, May 26th, we will have our annual Potluck Dinner. Bring a covered dish and enjoy visiting with friends and relatives.

Maple Grove Cemetery

Donations for the upkeep of the Maple Grove Cemetery for the 2013 season should be sent to: Michael or Kevin Robinson, 503 Maple Grove Road, Orlando, Ky. 40460.

Philadelphia United Baptist Church Cemetery

The church will be keep-

ing up the cemetery from now on. If you wish to donate to the upkeep, please send donations to the church.

If you wish to lay a loved one to rest at the cemetery, contact Pastor Gordon Mink, overseer of the cemetery.

Please take old flowers with you as the church does not have trash pick up.

Johnetta Cemetery

Please send donations for upkeep of Johnetta Cemetery to Harold Ballinger, 5777 Three Links Road, McKee, Ky. 40447.

Oak Hill Cemetery

Donations are being accepted for upkeep of Oak Hill Cemetery. Anyone wishing to help should mail donations to Oak Hill Cemetery, c/o Bill Lear, 60 Hope Drive, Orlando, Ky. 40460. Donations will also be accepted at the cemetery May 25-27.

Thanks to everyone for your support, it doesn't go unnoticed.

Deborde Cemetery

Please send donations for mowing and upkeep for the Deborde Family Cemetery to Bonnie Overbay, 25 Gum Sulphur Road, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 or Deborah Adams, 2980 Quail Road, Mt Vernon, Ky. 40456.

Citizens Bank

BBQ to Benefit Relay for Life

Where:
Citizens Bank
Mount Vernon
Parking Lot

When:
11:00 a.m until we
run out of food

\$5.00:
Hamburger or Hot Dog
Chips
Drink
Dessert

Real People. Real Progress.

Mount Vernon 256-2500	Brodhead 758-8212	Somerset 451-2274	McKee 287-8390
--------------------------	----------------------	----------------------	-------------------

www.citizensbankrb.com

RELAY FOR LIFE
A TEAM EVENT TO FIGHT CANCER

Rockcastle County RELAY FOR LIFE

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 2013
ROCKCASTLE MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK • 7:00 P.M.

You're invited to join us for an event to **CELEBRATE** local cancer survivors, **REMEMBER** those lost to cancer, and **FIGHT BACK** against cancer by raising money and awareness.

Ya'll come join us for:
Live auction ~ Games & activities for kids
Great food ~ Entertainment ~ & much more!

For more information call (606) 256-7703

OPERATION UNITE

Drug Tip Hotline
1-866-424-4382

Toll-free Treatment Help Line
1-866-90-UNITE

Our Readers Write

March for Babies raises over \$7K...

Dear Editor,
Since 2009, Rockcastle Regional Hospital & Respiratory Care Center has participated in the March for Babies to support March of Dimes. This year March of Dimes celebrated 75 years and 2013 was our most successful year yet, as we raised \$7,015.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our Rockcastle County partners. It absolutely could not have been accomplished without the support of the community; specifically: Community Trust Bank, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Sylvia's Cut & Curl, New Vision, A Cut Above, Bradley's Barber Shop, Bootsie's WildKuts, Drew Davidson, FBLA and Mrs. Vicky Castle, Melinda Kincer, Rockcastle Regional Hospital Dietary Department, Shirley Martin, Dr. Callie Shaffer and Rock Peds, York House Child Development Center, Mount Vernon Signal, Silver Sneakers and Body Recall classes at Rockcastle Regional Hospital, and the local school system.

Whether it was haircuts for kids, a dime drive or one of the many other contributions individuals made, it all added up to an awesome year for March of Dimes.

The committee at Rockcastle Regional Hospital used their creative ideas, talents and time to benefit babies.

Many thanks to committee members: Twila Burdette, Cheryl Mullins, Lindsay Gabbard, Dwain Harris, Selena Mink, W. Anne Harris, Melissa Fain, Morgan Kincer, Kayla Rowe, Susan Turley, Lisa Smithern, Gayle DeBorde, Melissa Brock, Angie Adams, Amy Mink, Emily Valentine, Chelsen Larkey, Lora Beth McKee and Kennesha Daniels.

Thanks to everyone who donated for stronger, healthier babies.

Sincerely,
Arielle Estes
March of Dimes Team
Captain

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

ing a good time, it was a blast.

Many of these words are now part of the dictionary containing slang meanings. So if I said in the 60's, "I had a gas with my chick last night driving my ride with four on the floor. We went out to the submarine races to make out. But before I knew it, it was time to split and take my skirt home," would you understand? If

you were in high school during that special time, I think you would dig my meaning.

(You can reach me at themtnman@att.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 - Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your suggestions and comments. You can also find information about my new book, *View from the Mountain.*)

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

ally began before I was even big enough to ride. Several boys on the holler had fathers who worked or drove coal trucks for the "pony mines" and my older first cousins sometimes showed up.

Many of the ponies were not willing participants. They had to be practically dragged from the barn to the end of our narrow lane which covered a distance of some 350 yards or so, but the more stubborn and meaner the better because all they wanted was to get back to their peaceful barn stall as rapidly as possible.

The more docile ponies that would go anywhere you wanted were not usually serious contenders in a race.

The lane was so narrow that we could only race three or four at a time but even at that I can remember jockeys suffering broken arms and collar bones from spills they took. In fact, it was generally against the rules to come to our house and "ride" ponies but several boys did it anyway.

The ponies had names like Bob, Bill, Ted, Jim, Joe etc. but John was the most popular name so if we had three Johns at the same time, one would be called First John, the next, Second John, then Third John, all named in the order in which they showed up to take temporary residence in our barn.

By the time I was ten or eleven years old, the ponies had all been sold off to private owners as pets or small utility animals. I became so attached to the last two or three we boarded, particularly one Shetland named Ted, that Dad would sometimes take me to visit them and their new owners.

Their racing and mining days were over and old Ted didn't seem to miss it at all.

In fact, he was treated with such fondness by his new owners that I'm pretty sure he came to think of himself as the family dog.

"I See It"

(Cont. from A2)

was saved but I wasn't attending church regularly or walking daily with the Lord by reading His word the Bible.

Although he asked me what church I attended, he didn't ask me if I attended church regularly or if I had a personal relationship with God by reading the Bible daily.

Looking back on the situation, he had pointed out the sin that he believed I had committed but in reality, he didn't show any compassion by wanting to actually help me with my sins in my backslidden condition and point me back in the direction of Jesus Christ.

I believe if every Christian searches deep enough, we will find that we have all been guilty of a similar thing at one time or another in our lives while we are witnessing to other people who are lost or backslidden.

Recently, as I was scrolling through the statuses on my Facebook news feed, I came across one of my Facebook friends who updated their status saying that he had been praying to God regularly and that God was not answering his prayers causing him to still be in the same mess he was in before.

My Facebook friend said God never answered his prayers and that he thought by calling God out on Facebook, maybe his prayers would go through to Him then.

Initially, my Facebook friend's status angered and offended me. Being a Christian, I thought how dare him put down God like that on a social media site and say he is angry with God because his prayers weren't answered.

Before messaging him on Facebook and pointing out what I believed he had done wrong, something came over me. After sitting and meditating for a little bit, I instead messaged him saying I understood what he was saying and that I had also been angry with God before in the past when he didn't answer certain prayers of mine.

I shared with him that sometimes God doesn't always answer our prayers and He allows us to go through certain struggles in our lives because He has bigger and better plans for our future. I told him that if God had answered our prayers and we never endured those struggles, then we would have never grown to the full potential He has planned for us.

By saying these things, I tried to show compassion for him instead of condemning him for what I believed he had done wrong.

I also asked him if he was saved or currently attending church anywhere. I still haven't received a reply from him but I can only hope and pray that the compassion I showed as a Christian was of some help to him and that he will one day find the peace and comfort he is seeking in Jesus Christ.

Truth be known, we have all disgraced God in one way or another sometime in our life, just as I did in my article. We have all also been angry with God in one

way or another sometime in our life too, just as my Facebook friend was when he felt like God didn't answer his prayers.

This is shown in one of the most famous scriptures in the Bible with Romans 3:23 which states "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God."

As Christians, we will come across a lot of lost and backslidden people in our lives. Instead of condemning them for what they have done or said, we need to show compassion for them as all of us were once a lost sinner or backslidden Christian sometime in our life as well. We need to use our testimonies as a former lost or backslidden person to help save them or bring them back to Christ.

So yes, I agree with Kent Ostrander that Christians need to step out in their faith and witness to a lost and dying world. But as we witness to this "lost and dying world", I pray that we show compassion for them and not just condemn them for what they have said or done.

Strange... But True?

by: Tonya J. Cook



Superstitions: How They Have Become Commonplace In Our Lives

Superstitions. How do they affect our everyday life? Over the centuries, they have infiltrated our lives to a degree that sensible, well-educated people refuse to walk under a ladder, avoid the number 13, and many other practices. There are buildings that don't have 13th floors, and many people carry a rabbit's foot for luck. Most brides refuse to walk down the aisle (although actually they are walking down the nave) without "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue, and a sixpence in her shoe". You see, superstitions have invaded the modern day, rational world to the point that people just accept such common superstitions as a way of life.

How did this happen? Superstitions began centuries ago when our ancestors tried to explain mysterious circumstances or events as best as they could with the knowledge available to them according to glckr.com. It is a common belief or practice still adhered to even if there is no proof or evidence to substantiate its reason to con-

tinue. The more common superstitions revolve around death, marriage, pregnancy, luck, money, and health. These obviously play important roles in our lives and we naturally want to have our input concerning them, to control the outcome or alter the circumstances in our favor.

European folk belief fell under the generalized term of superstition. It was studied in more detail in the 18th century.

The word "superstition" was first used in the 15th century in the English language and modeled after an earlier French word. In Latin it is a verb, not a noun, and can be interpreted as "standing over a thing in amazement or awe", according to Wikipedia.

In the days ahead, we will study farther into the most mysterious world of superstitions and those that believe in them.

STRUGGLING WITH ADDICTION?
Toll-free Treatment Help Line
1-866-90-UNITE
Take control of your life
TODAY!

Open House

May 18 & 19, 2013

Saturday: 10 am - 4 pm
Sunday: 10 am - 4 pm

Great Saltpetre Cave

Route 1004 (Big Cave Road) Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
www.caves.org/conservancy/gsp
A preserve of the Rockcastle Karst Conservancy
www.rkci.org

Weichert®

OPEN HOUSE WEEKEND!

House and 2.2 Acres
3843 Red Hill Road
Livingston, Ky.
MLS #45969 - \$89,900
Listing Agent and Host:
Sam Ford

Saturday, May 11th

1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

PO Box 1435
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
606-256-5229
1-800-435-5454
mtvernon@fordbrothersinc.com

Weichert, Realtors®
Ford Brothers

©2012 Weichert, Realtors® Each WEICHERT® franchised office is independently owned and operated. Weichert® is a federally registered trademark owned by Weichert Co. All other trademarks are the property of their respective owners. REALTOR® is a federally registered collective membership mark which identifies a real estate professional who is a Member of the NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® and subscribes to its strict Code of Ethics.

AUTO ; HOME ; LIFE ; BUSINESS ; A MEMBER SERVICE ; KYFB.COM

If Kentucky Farm Bureau isn't looking out for you, then just look out.



Who's behind you when you are behind the wheel? Talk to a Kentucky Farm Bureau agent today about the variety of affordable auto policies and money-saving discounts available*.

* Discounts subject to eligibility.

Marlene Lawson, Agency Mgr.
Shelly Mullins, Agent
U.S. Hwy. 25 S. • Mt. Vernon
606-256-2050

KENTUCKY FARM BUREAU BIG ON COMMITMENT.®

CUMBERLAND FOOT & ANKLE CENTERS OF KENTUCKY
1-800-FOOT-DOC
www.MyHappyFoot.com

Suffering From Foot or Ankle Pain?

Call today for an appointment with **Dr. Jamie Settles Carter**



DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT OF:

Diabetic Foot Care, Ingrown & Discolored Toenails, Heel Pain, Corns & Calluses, Bunions & Hammertoes, Fractures & Sprains, Nerve Problems (burning and tingling feet), Wound Care.

ALSO OFFERING:

Full Service Diabetic/Therapeutic Shoe Program and Custom Made Insoles

929 N. Main St. London, KY 40741 (606) 862-0956 (606) 864-0488
1007 Cumberland Falls Hwy. Corbin, KY 40701 (606) 258-8637 (606) 258-8640

Monday - Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Old-Fashioned Trading Days

May 10th & 11th

Friday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

PRODUCE SPECIALS

- Vine Ripe Tomatoes..... Lb. **89¢**
- Roma Tomatoes Lb. **89¢**
- Idaho Potatoes 10 lb bag **1⁹⁹**
- Russet Potatoes 50 lb. **7⁹⁹**
- Green Cabbage Lb. **29¢**
- Head Lettuce ea. **89¢**
- Strawberries 1 lb. pack **1⁶⁹**
- Mini Carrots 1 lb. bag **89¢**
- 2 Lb. Bag Carrots **89¢**
- Rose Potatoes 5 lb. bag **1⁹⁹**
- Gold Potatoes 5 lb. bag **1⁹⁹**
- Yellow Squash Lb. **99¢**
- Green Squash Lb. **99¢**
- Navel Oranges 8 lb. bag **4⁹⁹**
- Crystal H₂O Water 24 pk. **5/\$10**
- Cumberland Gap 24 Water
\$2⁹⁹

Red Seedless Grapes
1⁷⁹
Lb.

White Seedless Grapes
1⁷⁹
Lb.

Sweet Potatoes
59¢
Lb.

Golden Deli. Apples
3⁹⁹
5 lb. bag

Fresh Pineapples
1⁴⁹
ea.

Vidalia Sweet Onions
59¢
Lb.

Bi-Color Sweet Corn
33¢
Ear

Seeded Watermelons
4⁹⁹
ea.

Baking Potatoes
29¢
Lb.

Red Delicious Apples
4⁹⁹
8 lb. bag

Pepsi Products
5/\$10
6 pk. 16 oz. bottles

Yellow Onions
\$1¹⁹
3 lb. bag

Trading Days MEAT SPECIALS

Ground Beef
\$1⁷⁹
10 lb. Roll

Beef Tenderloin
\$4⁹⁹
Whole • Lb.

Rib Eye Steaks
(1/2 and Whole - Sliced Free)
\$4⁹⁹
lb.

Split Breasts
99¢
Family Pack Lb.

FAIRGROUND HOTDOGS . . .79

PORK SPARE RIBS..... LB. \$1⁶⁹

Old Folks Sausage Patties 5⁹⁹

Bone In Sirloin
Roast, Sirloin Chops,
Western Ribs
99¢
Lb.

Butts & Shanks
89¢
Lb.

Aberdeen Bacon
\$1⁵⁹
Lb.

Cades Cove Ribs
\$5⁹⁹
Ea..

Save a lot
food stores

FRESH PRODUCE ITEMS

8 LB. BAG RUSSET POTATOES \$1⁹⁹	FRESH JUMBO VIDALIA SWEET ONIONS 79¢ Lb.
FRESH DOLE COLE SLAW Class MIX 99¢ 14 OZ. PKG.	FRESH STRAWBERRIES \$1⁹⁹ 16 OZ. PKG.

Assorted Varieties
Fritos or CHEETOS 2/\$5⁰⁰
9.5 TO 10.25 OZ. BAG

FRESH MEAT ITEMS!

FRESH QUARTER SLICED BONE IN PORK CHOPS **\$1⁴⁹** Lb.

FRESH BONELESS SKINLESS CHICKEN TENDERS OR BREAST **\$1⁹⁹** Lb.

FRESH BONELESS BEEF RIBEYE STEAKS **\$5⁹⁹** Lb.

FAIRGROUNDS HOTDOGS **79¢** 12 Oz. Pkg.

FAIRGROUNDS REGULAR, THICK OR GARLIC BOLOGNA **99¢** 16 Oz.

BUBBA COLA PRODUCTS
2 Liter Btls. **79¢** 12 Pack 12 Oz. Cans **\$2⁶⁹**
Assorted Flavors

AD PRICES GOOD MONDAY, MAY 6TH THRU SUNDAY, MAY 12TH, 2013

NEW LOWER PRICES • NEW LOWER PRICES

new LOWER price! was 99¢ 79¢ you save 20¢	new LOWER price! was 99¢ 89¢ you save 10¢	new LOWER price! was 1 ⁴⁹ \$1⁴⁹ you save 20¢	new LOWER price! was 1 ²⁹ \$2²⁹ you save 60¢
Wylwood Whole Kernel or Cream Style Corn, Cut or French Style Green Beans 49¢ 14.5 To 15.25 Oz. Can	Assorted Varieties Del Pino's Canned Pasta 79¢ 14.75 To 15 Oz. Can	Maruchan Chicken or Beef Ramen Noodles 99¢ 6 Pack	Assorted Varieties General Mills Cereal \$1⁹⁹ 10.7 - 12.2 Oz. Box
Assorted Varieties Mantia's Thin Crust Pizzas \$1⁹⁹ 20.7 To 21.75 Oz.	Kurtz Kosher Dill Spears Or Hamburger Slices Slices \$1⁶⁹ 24 - 32 Oz.	Kurtz Yellow Mustard 69¢ 14 Oz.	Hunt's Pasta Sauce 99¢ 24 Oz. Can

WE ACCEPT WIC EBT, DEBIT, VISA OR MASTER CARD AND PERSONAL CHECKS FOR AMOUNT OF PURCHASE

savings made easy



Free Bible Courses
Free Bible Correspondence Course. Send your name and address to 3168 Quail Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

Let the Bible Speak
Tune in to "Let the Bible Speak," with Brett Hickey, on Sunday mornings at 8:30 a.m. on WDKY Fox 56.

Revival
Crossroads Assembly of God, located in Brodhead, will hold revival services, with Evangelist Billy Bryant, May 29-June 1 at 7 o'clock nightly. Everyone is welcome to come and worship with us.

Spring Revival
Join us at Conway Missionary Baptist Church for our Spring Revival May 19-22. Bro. Tony Shelton, from Valley Baptist, will be the evangelist. Services will be held Sunday, May 19 at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. and Monday thru Wednesday nights at 7 o'clock. There will be special singing each night. Everyone welcome!

Bible School at Brindle Ridge Baptist
Bible School will be held at Brindle Ridge Baptist Church May 26-31 from 6:30 to 9:30 nightly. Call 256-9204 for more information.

Revival
Revival services at Buffalo Baptist Church will begin May 13th with Bro. Danny Robbins and Bro. David Carpenter. Services are at 7 o'clock nightly. Pastor Tim Owens and congregation invite every-

one. The church is located 15 miles from Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249, Sand Springs Road, 3 miles from Hwy. 1956.

For more information, please call 606-330-0978.

Union Chapel Revival
Union Chapel Pentecostal Church will be in Revival May 15, 16 and 17 at 7 o'clock nightly. Evangelist will be Mark Poynter from Mt. Vernon.

The church is located at Hwy. 1505 and Union Chapel Road, 2.5 miles northeast of Brodhead.

Pastor Ralph Reynolds and congregation invite all to attend.

Philadelphia United Baptist Church
May events
May 11 - Praise Singers, 7 p.m.

May 12 - Church will be at the nursing home at 10 a.m.

Sunday School each Sunday at 10 a.m. with evening service at 6 p.m. Every Wednesday Bible Study and Youth Bible Study at 7 p.m.

Church is located at 834 Bryant Ridge Rd., Brodhead. Gordon Mink is pastor.

Call 606-308-5368 for more information or for transportation.

Gospel Singing
There will be a Gospel Singing at Lighthouse Baptist Church, 1391 Gabbardtown Road, Berea, on Sat., May 11th at 6 p.m. Featured will be Devine Vision from Indiana.

Where Lilacs Bloom

By Golda Pensol Walbert

Sunday is Mother's Day and I remember my Mother no more nor no less than yesterday or tomorrow, for I remember Mother every day.

Today I'm going to remember another Mother along with her wisdom and understanding of her children all of whom she loved very much. Mabel Pensol Anglin was a teacher and that probably added to her skills and understanding of a Mother.

At the end of a teaching day she came home, prepared supper and was washing the dishes at the sink facing an open window where lilac blooms were moving softly with the wind and wafting their fragrance in through the window.

Her little girl Edwina came in from play and asked to help with the dishes. She was far too small to reach the sink, so she pulled a chair close by and prepared to do a job that she was far too small to handle. Her mother urged her to get down and go play in the yard, this bringing on much loud crying and supplication and also startled some birds that had settled down to roost in the lilac bush. Her noise caused them to fly away making a loud fluttering sound.

"Oh, my," said Mabel, "You have frightened the fairies from the lilac bush. I do hope they will return. Fairies do not like loud noises as are made by little girls crying." By this time the dishes were put away and the two moved out to the porch.

Time passed for a few days, when Mabel, on her way home from school remembered the incident and decided to use it some more. She stopped at a grocery store and purchased two brightly wrapped suckers. Upon arriving home she slipped out to the lilac bush and placed them in the branches. Then after supper she took her little daughter out into the yard to toss a ball near the lilac bush. Before long the brightly covered wrappers were spied and the child cried excitedly, "Oh, mama, why is candy in the bush? Where did it come from?"

Mabel responded, "I know, I think I know. The fairies have returned and to let you know, they have left you a treat." At that moment the lilac bush was to become the Fairy Tree. And there after on special days the fairies would leave small treats - chewing gum, popcorn balls, suckers or maybe a small toy.

As time moved on that little girl Sonya Edwina Anglin also became a

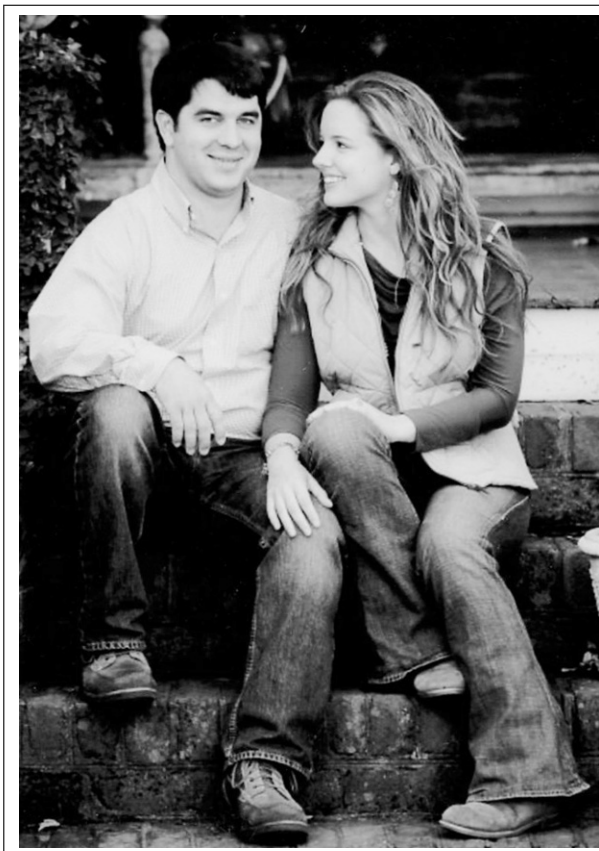
teacher just like her mother. And eventually Mabel's older daughter presented Mabel with a grandson. And when that grandson visited from Louisville he barely greeted his grandmother until he ran to the Fairy Tree to check for his treat - always there - a gift from the fairies.

Those who enjoyed the tree branches out to include nieces, nephews, cousins, neighbors and more, for this was truly the only Fairy Tree in town.

Today my sister Mabel Anglin has been gone for 24 years, her children, her grandson and all others have grown to adulthood and many renovations have taken place around the old home place. But, one thing remains unchanged. The Fairy Tree is still standing right where it did that long ago evening when a little girl's crying scared the birds from their perch in the lilac bush. There it stands in silent vigil over the memories of a time when a teacher/mother entertained her little girl with a story that has grown into an experience for many a one whose childhood was enhanced by fairies who lived in a bush outside a mother's window.

Today Mabel's nephew Jerry Pensol owns the old home place and one day I complemented him on the changes and how well it looked. He glanced at the lilac bush and said, "One thing I'll never change is that bush. For I have the only Fairy Tree in town."

One day I parked across the street from that place and looked past the other flowers and shrubbery to the Fairy Tree, and just for a fleeting moment I saw in my minds eyes a brightly wrapped sucker in one of the branches. And although there was no one in sight I really, really heard the sounds of little children's laughter and a mother turned temporary fairy, joining in their glee.



Jessica Griffith to wed Josh Hale May 18th

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin W. Griffith III of Macon, Georgia announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jessica McEachern Griffith, to Joshua Todd Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hale of Mt. Vernon. Jessica's paternal grandparents are Dr. Ben W. Griffith, Jr. and the late Betty Irvin Griffith. Her maternal grandparents are Evagene G. McEachern and the late John N. McEachern III. Joshua's paternal grandparents are Norma Jean Hale and the late Harry E. Hale. His maternal grandparents are the late Rev. Jack Bruce and the late Betty Higgins Bruce.

The future bride attended Georgia Southern University in Statesboro, Georgia and is currently enrolled in the Bachelor of Science Nursing program at Middle Georgia State College in Macon. Josh is a graduate of Georgetown College in Georgetown, Ky. and is a candidate for the degree of Juris Doctor from Mercer University Walter F. George School of Law on May 11, 2013. He will be working with Martin Snow, LLP, after graduation.

The wedding will take place at the Senah Plantation, Leesburg, Georgia on May 18th. The couple plans to reside in Macon.



Happy 98th Birthday Tafton (Trapp) Carpenter From your Family and Friends

PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held by the City of Mt. Vernon at City Hall on May 16, 2013 at 9:30-10:00 a.m. for the purpose of obtaining written or oral comments regarding the proposed use of Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance program funds for the upcoming fiscal year.

	Local Municipal Road Aid Program	Government Economic Assistance
Cash bal. carried fwd (est)	\$68,000	\$17,800
Anticipated rec. (incl. int.)	64,150	12,500
Total Available Appr.	\$132,150	\$30,300

Public Inspection: The city's proposed budget and proposed uses of Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance program funds are available for public inspection at City Hall during normal business hours.

Interested persons and organizations in Mt. Vernon are invited to the public hearing to submit written or oral comments on the uses of the Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance funds.

Any person (especially senior citizens and handicapped persons) who cannot submit written comments or attend the public meeting, but wish to submit comments, should call City Hall at 606-256-3437 so that the city can make arrangements to secure their comments.

Absolute Online Auction of Cox Hardware's Knife Collection

Bidding Ends May 9, 2013 at approx. 2 p.m.

BID NOW at www.fordbrothersinc.com

This auction has a wide variety of Case, Boker, Schrade, Queen and miscellaneous knives as well as knife accessories.

This is your last chance to own something from Cox Hardware.

Log on to www.fordbrothersinc.com and BID NOW... Last bid will BUY!

Preview Dates: Wednesday, May 1st 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, May 9th 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Preview will be onsite at Cox Hardware - 190 East Main Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.

Pickup Date: Friday, May 10th from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. onsite at Cox Hardware.

Terms: Items must be paid for in full at pickup. Payment options at pickup are: Cash, Check or Credit. Visa and MasterCard are accepted credit cards with a 3% (or \$3.00 minimum) fee. Credit card on file can be processed as well with processing fee.

Buyer's Premium: There will be a 10% Buyer's Premium added to the winning bid. The sum of the winning bid plus the buyer's premium will be the sales price.

Note: Please refresh your screen constantly during the closing minutes of the bidding. For more information and pictures log on to www.fordbrothersinc.com or contact the auctioneers at 1-800-435-5454.



Sam Ford - Auctioneer

www.fordbrothersinc.com
Mt. Vernon, KY
606-256-4545

London, KY
606-878-7111



Gospel Meeting

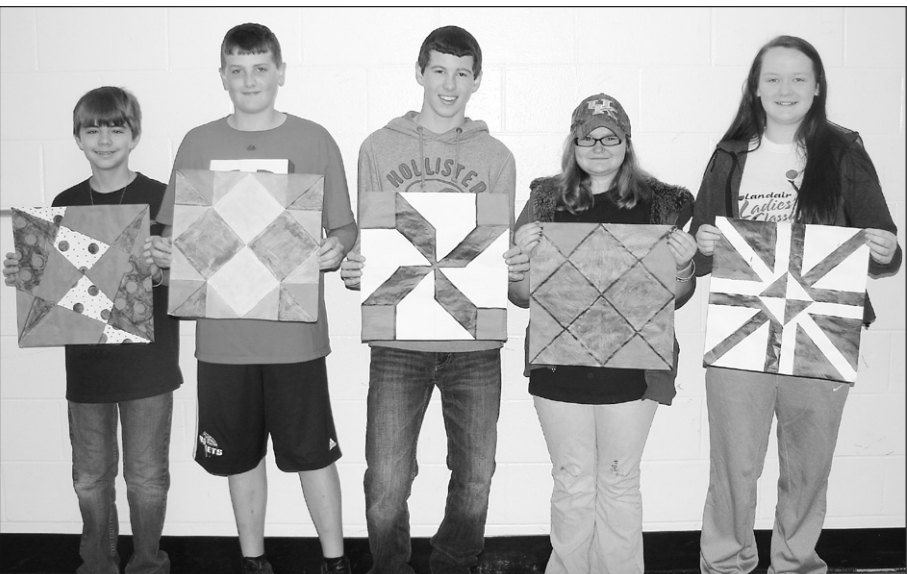
Church of Christ at Chestnut Ridge

2 Miles South of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 25

May 15th - 19th

Wed. thru Sat. Services at 7:30 p.m.
Sunday Worship Service at 10:00 a.m.

Speaker will be
Evangelist
Brandon Stevens
Everyone is invited
to attend!



Several RCMS 7th graders entered a recent contest to design a quilt block for the barn at Cedar Rapids. Jackson Cromer (left) won first place and his design will appear on the front of the barn. The four finalists will have smaller blocks on the side of the barn. Those students are Hunter Rigsby, Andrew Spoonamore, Alyssa French and Emily Adams. Congratulations to them all and thanks to Cedar Rapids for giving our students a chance to show their talents.



Amy Johnson signed her letter of intent to play for Lindsey Wilson Blue Raiders track and field team. Johnson is a state champion in discuss and a two-time state champion in shot put. She ranks second all-time at RCCHS in both discuss and shot put. Pictured above are RCCHS track and field head coach Mark Brumett, Amy Johnson and her mother Lisa Johnson.

CAP partners with KY National Guard
New program to support Kentucky National Guard members and family

Christian Appalachian Project has partnered with the Kentucky National Guard to launch a new program designed to support Kentucky National Guard members and their families called "Partners in Care."

"Partners in Care" is an initiative of the Kentucky National Guard Joint Force Headquarters chaplain's office, and allows commanders to coordinate support through the

Chaplain and Family Assistance Center (FAC), for Soldiers, Airmen, and their families who are "in a time of need."

The program is open to any current Kentucky National Guard Soldier, Airmen, or their family members. Services include: emergency food assistance, emergency clothing assistance, emergency financial assistance, basic household and auto repairs, housing assistance,

licensed childcare, and much more.

The event will take place at the Boone National Guard Center, in the Emergency Operations Center Conference Room, on Monday, May 6th at 1:30 p.m.

"CAP is no stranger to helping those in need," said Sister Robbie Pentecost, Development Project Leader/Volunteer Groups for CAP. "We have been committed to serving people in need in Appalachia for the past 49 years. We are honored to partner with the Kentucky National Guard to help the Soldiers, Airmen and their families in their time of need."

"Christian Appalachian Project is an interdenominational, non-profit Christian organization committed to serving people in need in Appalachia by providing physical, spiritual and emotional support through a wide variety of programs and services".

The vast majority of CAP's self-help human service programs are funded through the generosity of caring Americans. To learn more about CAP visit us online at: www.christianapp.org or call Rayann White at 859-806.4362 or email rwhite@chrisapp.org. Find us on Facebook/Christian Appalachian Project, and follow us on Twitter @chrisappproj.



Saturday April 20th, the Rockcastle County High JROTC Raider Team traveled to Fort Boonesborough for a Raider event hosted by George Rogers Clark High School. This competition consisted of 6 events: One Rope Bridge, Mountain Trek, River Trek, Map Reading, Land Navigation, and an APFT (Army Physical Fitness Test) station. The team performed exceptional in all events. The team placed 3rd in Map Reading, 1st place in One Rope Bridge, and 3rd place overall out of 20 teams from all over the state of Kentucky and Tennessee. The Cadets who attended this event were: Addison Atkin, Megan Boggs, Ame Chiantaretto, Dillion Doan, Josh England, Dana Hatfield, Tiffany Horn, Robbie Howard, Dylan Isaacs, Shania Lawson, Brady McClure, Katlyn McGee, Adam Ramey, Austin Ramsey, Ryan Rawlins, John Robinson, Andrew Sizemore, and Derrick Yates.



During the last week of turkey season, Sean Cash got to go hunting with his uncles, Tim Mink and Curtis Cash. They had a good time together, and Sean killed his second turkey for the end of the season.



While hunting with her father on April 14th Paige Cash killed her first turkey. Congratulations Paige!

Anthem  *Stop by and see Marlene Lawson for all your life and health insurance needs!*

You can have an affordable managed care plan with the freedom of choice and the security of Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield — Blue Access.

(606) 256-2050



Visit us on the Internet at <https://www.kyfb.com/rockcastle/insurance/>

Taste The **Peach City** Difference

Now Open on Hwy. 461

- Fresh Peaches • Tomatoes • Watermelons
- Cantaloupes • Beans • Corn
- Hanging Baskets
- Tropical Plants

Much More!




Brodhead Fire & Rescue Equipment

The Brodhead Volunteer Fire Department is currently accepting quotes for Fire and Rescue equipment. A complete list of items to be quoted can be obtained by calling the Brodhead City Hall at 606-758-8635 during regular business hours Mon. thru Fri. Quotes MUST be in a sealed envelope and submitted to the Brodhead City Hall by 4:00 PM on Wednesday May 15th, 2013 at 4:00 PM. Quotes will be opened at that time. Quotes and envelopes MUST be marked Brodhead Fire & Rescue Equipment and submitted by one of the following four methods.

Mail: Brodhead City Hall
PO Box 556 • Brodhead, KY 40409

Courier: Brodhead City Hall
7 West Main St. • Brodhead, KY 40409

Fax: Brodhead City Hall Fax
606-758-8635

Hand Carried:
Brodhead City Hall
7 West Main St. • Brodhead, KY 40409

The City of Brodhead and the Brodhead Fire Dept. reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

Grand Opening

Ky. Discount Tobacco

1175 Richmond Street • Mt. Vernon • 606-256-2466

(Drive Thru Coming Soon)

New Owners: Jimmy and Michelle Vaught

Ky. Best ryo tobacco 16 oz. \$12⁹⁹	Blue ecigs. \$8 ⁹⁹	Stoker's Chew 16 oz. \$11 ⁴⁹ pk.
Bacco ryo tobacco, 16 oz. \$12 ⁹⁹	Krave 2 pk. ecigs. \$9 ⁹⁹	Timberwolf towers, 1 ⁶⁹ can. . \$16 ⁹⁰
Tin Star ryo tobacco lg. bag \$8 ⁴⁹	Swisher e-cig disposable \$7 ⁹⁹	Longhorn towers, 1 ⁴⁹ can. \$14 ⁹⁰
Red Buck Filtered Cigars 1 ⁴⁹ pk. \$13 ⁴⁹ kits \$19 ⁹⁹	Red Man towers 1 ²⁹ can \$12 ⁹⁰
Chisum filtered cigars (\$1.29) pk \$10⁹⁹	Starr Chewing Tobacco 1 ⁹⁹ pk. \$21 ⁹⁹	Grizzly, 2 ¹⁹ can. \$9 ⁹⁹
	Bowie Chewing Tobacco 3 ²⁹ 2 pk. \$17 ⁹⁹	Stokers tub tub \$11 ³⁹
	JD's Blend 1 ⁹⁹ pk. \$23 ⁸⁸	Top o matic ryo machines . \$36 ⁹⁹

Prizes to be given away:

- 42" flat screen TV
- Gas propane grill
- Topomatic machine

Marlboro 4⁶⁸ pack ctn. \$44⁹⁹

Marlboro Spec. Blend 3⁸³ pk. ctn. \$36⁴⁹

Open:
Mon. - Fri. 8 to 7
Sat. 9-7
Closed Sunday

Surgeon General's Warning:
Smoking causes lung cancer, heart disease, emphysema and may complicate pregnancy.



RCHS Track and Field honored their two seniors during a home meet last week. Shown above is senior Bryonna Cromer. She has competed in cross-country, as well as almost every event in track and field at some point in her career. She has helped lead her team to several indoor state championship titles, as well as several regional track championship titles and many top six outdoor state finishes. She has also been a part of many regional champion and runner-up teams in cross-country. Bryonna plans to pursue a degree as a nurse after graduation. She is the daughter of Tracy Cromer of Brodhead and Kris Cromer of Mt. Vernon.



Shown above is Amy Johnson. Amy has distinguished herself as one of the greatest throwers in the history of Rockcastle County track and field. A state champion in discus and a two-time state champion in shot put during indoor season, Amy ranks # 2 all-time at RCHS in both events with another month to go in her senior season. She has been named KyTrackXC.com indoor field event athlete of the year and has helped lead her team to several indoor state championship titles, as well as several regional track championship titles and many top six outdoor state finishes. She has been named academic all-state and first team all-state in discus. Amy will be attending Lindsey Wilson College on a full track and field scholarship this fall. With Amy in the photo are her mother, Lisa Johnson and Coach Mark Brummet.



Cheyenne Gilliam gets a hit during last Friday night's loss to Mercer County. The Lady Rockets also lost to Garrard County 2-1 on Tuesday and are now 3-20 on the season.



Second baseman Kayla Cromer makes a throw to first during last Friday night's 7-5 loss to Mercer County. The Lady Rockets next game is this Thursday night when they will host the Wayne County Cardinals. Opening pitch is at 6 p.m.



RCMS baseball honored their 8th grade players last week. Eighth graders shown above, from left are: Isaiah Mercer, Dustin Taylor, Carson Noble, Tommy Benge, Austin Saylor, Isaac McClure, Thomas Burdette, Ryan Martin and Lucas Gentry.



First baseman Chris Wren stretches to get a runner out during last Friday night's 5-0 win against Whitley County. The Rockets will also be hosting Little League Night this Friday, Military Appreciation Night next Monday and Senior Night next Thursday during their home games. Free admission for all active and retire military personnel during Military Appreciation Night.



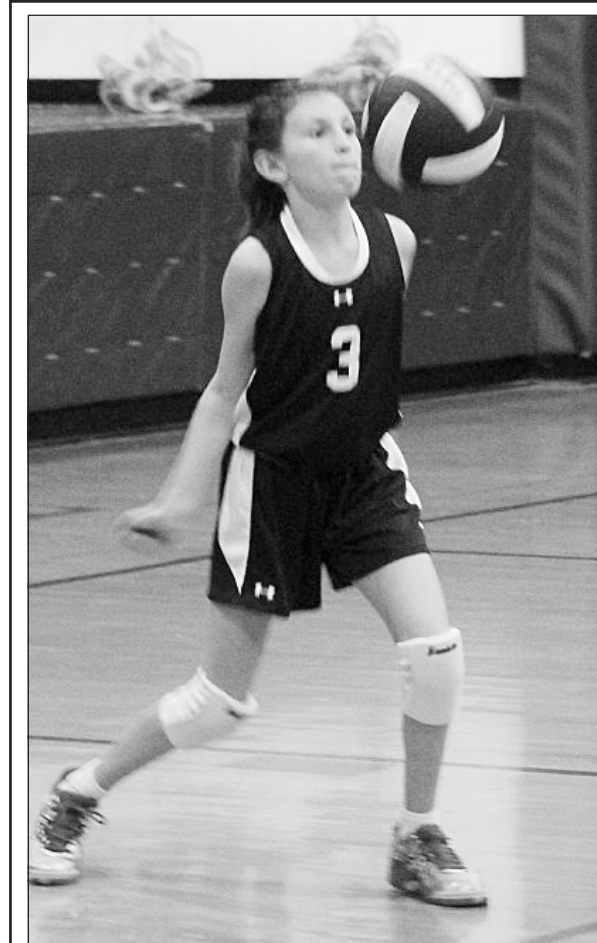
Damien McDaniel gets a bunt during last Friday night's win against Whitley County. The Rockets next game is this Thursday night when they travel to Boyle County to take on the Rebels. First pitch is at 5:30 p.m.



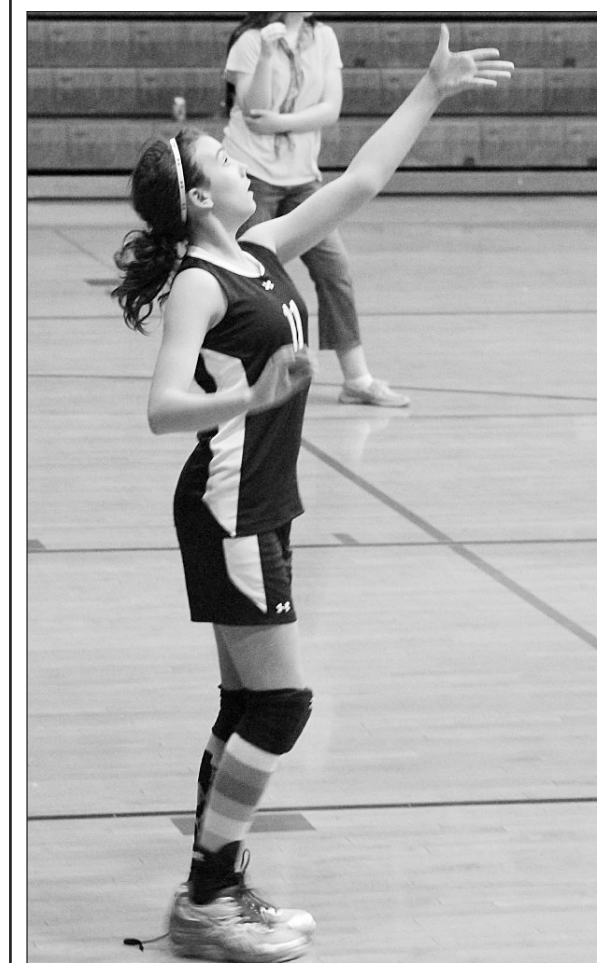
John Hughes takes a swing during last Friday night's 5-0 win against Whitley County. The Rockets are now 16-10 on the season.



7th grader Lea Ellen Rogers makes a pass in the Lady Rockets' loss to Monticello. The girls lost the match 1-2. Also pictured is Lauren King.



Rachelle Doan puts up a serve in the 6th grade's match against Monticello last week.



8th grader Brianna Lay tosses up a serve in Lady Rocket volleyball action against Monticello. The Lady Rockets lost the best of 3 match 1-2.

AUTO FINANCING? WE CAN HELP!
 Call Amy or Bill or apply online
mannchrysler.com
 859.625.1422
MANN

CMI
 Property & Casualty
www.cmpincinsurance.com
 Brenda Lovell, Agency Principal, Vice President

OFFICE LOCATIONS
 Barbourville (KY) (606) 546-5600
 Berea (KY) (859) 228-0410
 Cincinnati (OH) (513) 605-3500
 Florence (KY) (859) 525-7114
 Toll Free: (877) 421-6221

AUTO - HOME - BUSINESS - HEALTH - LIFE

Auto Owners Insurance, Enccompass Grange, The Mutual Insurance Group, Truist Insurance, TRAVELERS

Email sports items to
mvsignal@windstream.net

8th grade volleyball players honored



Michaela Barron with her parents, Mike and Sherry Barron and sister, Sarah.



Members of the RCMS 8th grade volleyball squad are pictured above, front row from left: Brianna Lay, Abby Bray, Caroline Coguer and Michaela Barron. Back row from left: Hannah Howard, Kylie McDiffett, Maggie Franklin, Ileana Miller, Sarah Poynter, Carlee Childress and Chelsea Barnett.



The RCMS Volleyball team honored their 8th grade players and parents during their match against Monticello. Shown above is Chelsea Barnett being escorted by her parents, Eddie and Eliza Barnett.



Carley Childress, shown with her parents, Brian and Crystal Childress and brother, Riley.



Members of the RCMS 7th grade volleyball squad are pictured above, front row from left: Carlee Cash, Kira Owens, Sarah Roberts, Lea Ellen Rogers and Cora Machal. Back row from left: Emily Deubel, Katelynn Sheppard, Lauren Prewitt and Tyler Robinson.



Abby Bray, escorted by her parents, Neil and Amy Bray and sister, Hadley.



Maggie Franklin, shown with her parents, Shannon and Jill Franklin and sister, Valerie.



Caroline Coguer, escorted by her parents, Jason and Sara Coguer, sister Alaina and brother Reese.



Kylie McDiffett, escorted by her mother, Cheri McDiffett



Members of the RCMS 6th grade volleyball squad are pictured above, front row from left: Rachelle Doan, Zoe Burdette, Emily Hall and Lauren King. Middle row from left: Hannah Denny, Sheradyn Cox, Hannah Mullins and Sarah Corneliuss. Back row from left: Paige Fowler, Sydney Hines, Hallie Hines and Megan Eversole.



Hannah Howard with her parents, Charles and Brenda Howard.



Ileana Miller, escorted by her mom, Brie Miller and sister, Gabby.



Brianna Lay, shown with her sisters, Jessi and Kayla Lay.

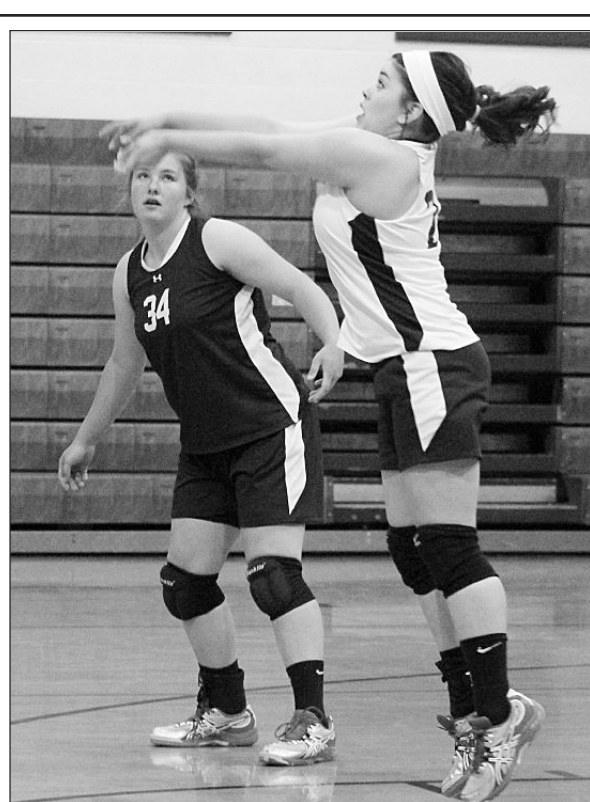


Sarah Poynter, shown with her parents, Mark and Sheila Poynter and brother, Zach.

Photos by Doug Ponder



Sheradyn Cox bumps the ball over the net in recent 6th grade action against Monticello.



8th grade libero Ileana Miller makes a pass for the Lady Rockets against Monticello. Also pictured is Kylie McDiffett.



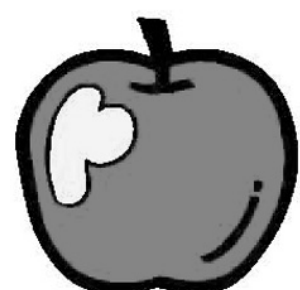
7th grader Sarah Roberts hits the ball back over the net in action against Monticello.

RCMS Teachers are the Best!

We appreciate your hard work and dedication throughout the year.

Happy Teacher Appreciation Week

From the administrative staff and students at RCMS.



Now Open

Daisy Mae's

Garden Center and Produce
Located beside KFC

Now Selling Mulch

- 3 Kinds of Mulch •
(Red, Natural, Black)

• River Rock •





A semi-truck hauling a forklift caught on fire Wednesday morning near Kentucky Fried Chicken on Richmond Street in Mt. Vernon. Authorities say Cumberland Machinery Movers driver David Bennett was traveling north on Richmond Street when he pulled over after noticing his trailer wheels were on fire. Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue was able to extinguish the fire before it caused severe damage to the semi-truck or the forklift. No one was injured.

11th Annual Mason Day Reunion is May 25th

Submitted
The 11th Annual Mason Day Reunion will be held at Flat Rock Baptist Church Fellowship Center, Maple Grove Road, off Big Cave Road (Hwy 1004), Orlando, KY on Saturday, May 25, 2013 at 12 p.m. til 4 p.m.

It's time to begin making plans for our annual Masons' Day Family Reunion. The Mason Day families are the descendants of: William "Bill" Mason and Amelia Barrett Mason.

This year will be our 11th annual Mason Day. We want to invite everyone to come and bring your family or a friend. We will have a wonderful day. Anyone who wants to "BE A MASON

FOR A DAY" come on and bring something good to eat!!!

These family members would love for you to come and join us:

Sallie Bond Mason, Gladys Halcomb Mason, Norma Jean Mason, Darlene Mason King, George Mason, Jr., Leon Mason, Mary Ann Mason VanZant, Merrill Gene Mason, Charles 'Buddy' Peters, Jr., Jill Halcomb Smith, Lacosta Mason Spivey, Brandon Thompson, Renee' Mason Jacob Mason and Logan Mason.

God bless you and yours, God bless Mason Day and God bless our United States of America!

"Abuse"

(Cont. from front)

blunt force trauma.

Peters spoke with the boy's mother Jessica Sizemore, who told Peters that she, Whitis and her three children lived in the basement of her parent's home in Mt. Vernon. She said Whitis is the father of Sizemore's youngest child but that her other two children also call him "daddy."

Sizemore told Peters that while she was at work, her mother had noticed a large bruise on her son's forehead after Whitis brought the three children upstairs from the basement.

When Whitis returned to the basement, Sizemore's mother asked what happened and Sizemore's six-year-old daughter said "daddy was hitting his head against the wall because he won't tell the truth."

When Sizemore returned home from work, she asked her son if her daughter's allegations were true and he said Whitis had hit his head against the wall and also gave him a spanking.

Whitis initially denied any physical contact but eventually admitted to Sizemore that he did spank the child with a belt.

At this time, Sizemore told Peters that she asked Whitis to leave the residence and he did. Shortly after asking Whitis to leave, Sizemore took her son to Rockcastle Regional Hospital to have his injuries evaluated.

Whitis was charged with first degree criminal abuse of a child and second degree assault. He remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$10,000 cash bond.

"Road"

(Cont. from front)

and Sons in November and construction at the intersection began in February.

The road construction is scheduled to be completed before June as minor corrective work is still required before the finalization of the project.

"Relay"

(Cont. from front)

Arielle Estes at 606-256-7880 or Melissa Brock at 606-256-7703 to register.

Following the dinner, the opening event will be at 7 p.m. when cancer survivors of all ages walk/run a lap around the RCMS track. A live auction will start at 8 p.m. with all the proceeds going to the American Cancer Society.

After the live auction, the luminary service and a candlelight vigil will be held at 10 p.m. Luminary candles will outline the track and will be left burning throughout the night.

Rockcastle Regional Hospital and the American Cancer Society encourage everyone to participate in celebrating with cancer survivors and also remembering those who have lost their lives to cancer.

"Arrest"

(Cont. from front)

After receiving consent to search the vehicle, Adams found a zip-lock bag containing seven and one-half Hydrocodone pills. Adams also found a small metal canister containing four pieces of Hydrocodone tablets and a short piece of a drinking straw.

Adams discovered a text message on Lovell's cell phone from someone asking him for "30's", reportedly meaning Oxycodone 30 mg.

Lovell was arrested for drug paraphernalia and trafficking in a controlled substance, second degree. He was lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center and later released on a \$5,000 unsecured bond.

"Festival"

(Cont. from front)

will begin at White Star at 12 p.m. with the parade at 1 p.m. led by Lucille Carloftis as Grand Marshall.

At 2 and 3 p.m. the Bittersweet Cloggers will perform. A Wacky Boat Race will take place at the ford of the Rockcastle River at 3 p.m. Following the boat race a duck race will take place at 4 p.m. The boat race and duck race may be postponed to a later date due to high water levels.

Saturday's events will also feature karaoke on the soundstage at 5 p.m. Following the karaoke, a Founder's Day Beauty Pageant will take place on the soundstage at 6 p.m.

There will be music on three separate stages providing music throughout Saturday.

At the David's Tire Bluegrass stage, local bands Wilderness Road, Level Green, Tidal Wave Road and New Generation will perform from 5 to 9:30 p.m.

On the Trailhead stage local artists, American Idol stars, America's Got Talent stars and Nashville Recording Artists will be performing from 2 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Those artists include: Brooke Foster, Clinton Spaulding, Brandi Anderson, Stephanie Harris, Kelley Casey, Samantha Young, Shawn Morgan, Kenney Bustle, Avery Bradshaw, Amelia Eversole, Brooklyn Bishop, Angel Spurlock, Jay Lawson, Rachel Johnson, Matt Poyle, Katie Mackey, Eric Jackson, Paul King, Pressley Morgan, Jack Vanover and Jordan Lee.

On the Climax Water Soundstage the Medley Boys will perform at 8 p.m. The festival will close at the bridge with fireworks at 10 p.m.

For more information about the Founder's Day Trail Festival contact Livingston City Hall at 606-453-2061.

"Bats"

(Cont. from front)

humans are one of the primary causes of the spread of the disease and the main reason why they have closed all non-commercial caves in the Daniel Boone National Forest.

"People who enter caves that contain the white-nose syndrome fungal spores can

carry it with them if they fail to decontaminate their gear, clothes, shoes, etc." Kilpatrick said. "This is why all non-commercial caves are closed to the public so we can try to stop the spread of the disease."

Kilpatrick said that both state and federal agencies have taken great measures to help limit the spread of the disease by increasing surveillance, monitoring and closing of all non-commercial caves on the Daniel Boone National Forest.

Kilpatrick went on to say that the loss of bat populations will likely have an economic impact on the agriculture industry in the near future.

"Insect eating bats consume a large amount of insects each year, including insects that damage crops," Kilpatrick said. "If a large number of bats continue to die as a result of white-nose syndrome that could have a negative effect on the agriculture industry."

Federal and state officials said in a news release that they want people to report dead or dying bats as well as bats showing strange behavior such as bats on the ground unable to fly, bats roosting on the outside of buildings during daylight or bats erratically flying into objects. The website to report such information is <http://fw.ky.gov/app/batreport.aspx>.

For more information about white-nose syndrome, visit <http://www.whitenosesyndrome.org>.

Lovell promoted to VP

Robert J Lightner, President of the CMI Family of Companies, announced the promotion of Brenda Lovell to Vice President, CMI Property and Casualty Division (CMI P&C). Her primary role, as the head of the Division, will be to lead, direct and manage the four Branch offices located in Cincinnati, Florence, Berea and Barbourville.

Mr. Lightner stated, "Brenda joined our Agency in 2008 and re-located her family from her native Mount Vernon, to the Cincinnati area. Brenda has four wonderful children who continue to be a great support to her as she accepts this new position with our company. Brenda's vast experience in the banking and insurance fields affords her the background and knowledge to lead our CMI P&C Division into future growth years."

CMI's Life and Health Division has been in business for 32 years and is li-

censed throughout the continental USA. With Brenda's assistance CMI's Property and Casualty Division, acquired in 2004, has grown into a multi-million dollar, four branch agency from the single unit at time of purchase. President Lightner further elaborated on the future of CMI, "We are looking to expand in all areas that we currently provide L&H service, especially within the Kentucky boundaries." CMI P&C, Inc. is a full service agency offering Business, Personal, Life and Health Insurance.



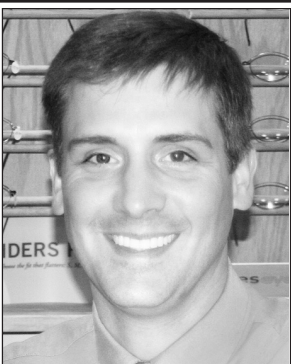
Brenda Lovell

M Andrew Durant OD

- Comprehensive Eye Exams
- Contact Lenses
- Treatment of Eye Diseases
- Evening Appts. Available

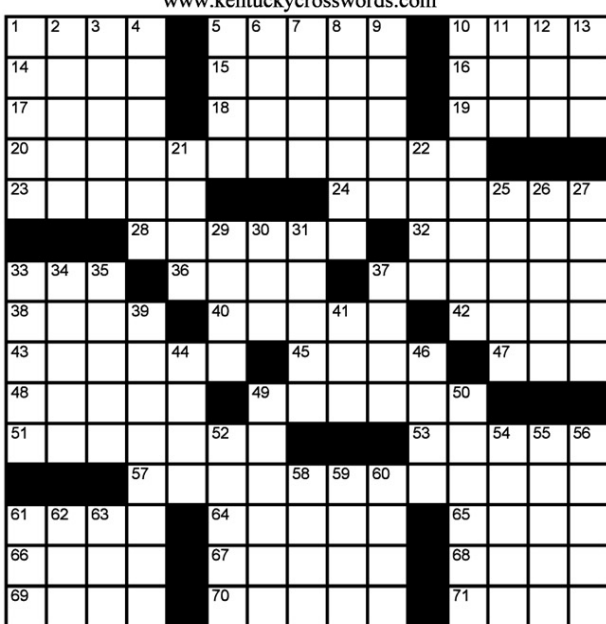
116 Mini Mall Dr. • Berea (Next to Berea Optical)

859-985-0078



Kentucky Crossword # 582

www.kentuckycrosswords.com



©Copyright 2013 Vicki A Benge. All Rights Reserved. [KY582]

ACROSS

- Roller coaster feature
- Our official state rock, Kentucky
- Former Larue Co. mill town, or fountain order
- Mammoth Cave's largest river
- Not shy
- Hint
- "___ does it!"
- Poets' feet
- Hutch
- Lexington, KY newspaper
- Clear the slate
- Yellow shade
- Daniel Boone's spouse
- Perry County's seat
- Propelled a boat
- Kentucky arts org.
- Lima's locale
- Sign up
- "Oh, my!"
- English prototype of the Kentucky Derby
- University associated with "Bulldogs in the Bluegrass"
- Common rodent genus
- Gulp
- Craggy peak
- Sling mud at
- Kentucky county, named for 5th US president
- Springtime Kentucky concern

- English poet, painter William
- Fleming County's seat
- Division word
- Euripides drama
- Skunk's defense
- E KY recreation area, ___ Fork Lake
- Basketball's Shaquille
- Bordeaux, e.g.
- Camelot lady
- Sports figures
- Leave in, to an editor
- River in Hades
- Yellow shade
- Kentuckian, author of the famous "Bivouac of the Dead"
- Soap ingredient
- Dedicated
- Good shot
- High point
- Knight's tunic
- Pass over
- Kentucky's youngest county
- Chicken ___ king
- Car nut
- Casual attire
- Vault
- Black, to poets
- Dalmatian, e.g.
- Yo-Yo Ma's instrument
- Freud contemporary

SOLUTION TO KY581

H A M S B L A S T A J A R
 A L I T A O R N I A S J O L D
 H I R I N G T O N M E L W
 N E V A D A S A K I G E P
 D O L L T I G T A V E R N S
 A G R E E F I R S O N E
 A A R W E L L B E R K A S
 O R C S O U S L E V S I N
 E L K I N G T E N R O T O
 P I N N O R Y E S I N N E W
 S I E N T I F I C K I A R N
 W I T M A P S C O G O A S
 E G I S B L A C K P A T C H
 P L A I N E M A R I E L I T T E M
 T R I O T E N A T I E D O D O

Happy Birthday to London Farm Service!

YOU'RE INVITED
to our 50th
Birthday
Celebration

*0% for 36 Months to Qualified Buyers on Used Hay Balers until May 31, 2013

1023E, D120, GM1048E

D110 Lawn Tractor

Register To Win!

- Get a \$500 coupon good toward a NEW 1-6 Series tractor.
- 0% Financing on Used Balers
- Baler Twine on Sale.

\$100 OFF!

- Green Tag Event now through May 31st, 2013
- Look for the Green Tags and Save.
- Special Discounts on Select Models.

Happy Birthday, London Farm Service

DATE: May 10th & 11th, 2013
 TIME: 8:00- 5:00 Friday & 8:00- 12:00 Saturday
 PLACE: 1480 S. Main St.
 Special Birthday deals from John Deere and London Farm Service.

*See dealer for full details. www.JohnDeere.com

LONDON FARM SERVICE, INC.

1480 S MAIN STREET
LONDON, KY 40741
(606) 878-7505
www.londonfarmserviceinc.com

*George associated with the national 2013 Blue Cave Event. Greenway package is a new 1023E Tractor equipped with a D1120 Loader and a GM1048E Front-End Loader. A package worth nearly \$16,200. Every customer who registers for the tractor giveaway will get a coupon good for \$500 off the purchase of any NEW 1 Series through 6 Series Tractor. *Offer ends 05/31/2013. Prices and model availability may vary by dealer. Some restrictions apply. Offer good while supplies last. Offer subject to change without notice. ©2013 John Deere. All rights reserved.

Annual Brodhead Hustle is Saturday, May 25th

The fourth Annual Brodhead Hustle is being held at the Brodhead Elementary School on Saturday May 25 beginning at 8:30 a.m.

The race will begin and end at the school. The race will also feature a different course this year with the new route going through downtown Brodhead.

Pre-registration for the Hustle is \$12 until May 20th. Race-day registration is \$15. All participants will receive a free t-shirt while supplies last.

The Hustle is the fifth race of Rockcastle Regional Hospital's "Countrywide Stride" twelve race series. For more information about the race series or the Brodhead Hustle, contact Susan Turley at 606-256-7446 or email her at s.turley@rhrcc.org.

River Days revived for Livingston Founders Day

Appalachian Science in the Public Interest (ASPI) will be conjoining with Livingston's Founders Day Trail Festival, Saturday May 11th, to host an Open house all day.

The Nature Center and 250 acres of land with 2.5 miles of hiking trails will be open to the public for structured and self guided activities for adults and children. Sustainable living demonstrations will be available to the public.

On the River is a picnic pavilion. ASPI staff and contributors welcome you to visit our Livingston Site located on Lower River Rd.

Join us for fun and enjoy the beauty of the outdoors. We are reviving River Days. For more information visit our website www.aspi.org.

Grow Appalachia to host work day on Richmond St.

Did you know? Community gardens can be a significant source of food and/or income for community members. This is especially helpful for families and individuals without much land who would not otherwise be able to produce their own food and studies show that community gardens can increase neighborhood property values.

Grow Appalachia and the Mt. Vernon Community Garden would like to invite you to a work day, (today) Thursday May 9th at 4 p.m., on the Richmond Street site putting together what will become an oasis for those who garden. You have seen the construction process, come with your work boots and old clothes to help with a great cause. We would love to speak with you and are open to hear how the community sees this project.

For more information call Melinda Alcorn 859-200-0951 or email melinda@kyenvironmentalfoundation.org or visit our ASPI office on 50 Lair Street.

Old Fashion Days this weekend at Save-A-Lot

Mothers and school employees will be honored throughout Old Fashion Days, scheduled for this Friday and Saturday at Mt. Vernon Save-A-Lot.

The two-day event will include yard sales and flea markets, both days, starting at 8 a.m. and 50s and 60s music is also on the entertainment schedule for both days with employees wearing attire from that era.

Linna Stewart, Save-A-Lot manager will emcee events on Friday and Sara Lee will be providing free hotdogs, starting at 11 a.m., from a smoker grill.

Beginning at 6 p.m., the Kentucky Romp and Stomp Cloggers will perform until 8 p.m. The Flavor Rich will be present and there will be basketball goals and cornhole boards provided for event-goers. There will also be door prizes given away throughout the day.

On Saturday, Charlie Napier will emcee the day's events and will also be doing live WRVK radio **21st Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive is this Saturday**

The 21st annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive is this Saturday. The event is sponsored annually by the United States Postal Service whose mail carriers, across the nation, will pick up donated food items from beside homeowner's mailboxes.

Mail carriers will place a sturdy plastic bag in mailboxes before the event, scheduled for Saturday, May 11th. Participants are asked to fill the bag with non-perishable food items and leave it by their mailbox on the 11th.

If you are interested in participating in the event but can't leave your donation by your mailbox, please take it to the nearest post office.

All the food collected goes to local organizations to help feed the hungry in our community. For more information please visit www.stampouthunger.info.

remotes, beginning at 10 a.m.

At 11 a.m., there will be a three point shooting basketball tournament with the winners taking home a new goal and ball.

The Kentucky Romp and Stomp cloggers will again be entertaining, beginning at 11:30 a.m. and the car show will start at noon.

Cars and trucks will be judged for the top 10 plaques and also five plaques will be given for best GM, best Ford, best moped, best overall car and truck. The first 35 entries will receive a dash plaque.

Jacqueline Bullock will provide the entertainment until 3 p.m. when the cornhole tournament begins. The winner will receive a new game board and bags.

Charlie Napier and Larry Entertainer will provide the entertainment until 4 p.m. when the car show will be judged and plaques presented at 4:30 p.m.

A Cruise-In will start through downtown Mt. Vernon at 5 p.m.

50s and 60s music from Charlie Napier and the cloggers will be providing more entertainment until 7:30 p.m. when the Level Green Band will perform until 9 p.m. to end festivities for the week-end.

During festivities Saturday, the Rockcastle School System will be recognized and mothers will be honored throughout both days.

Also available during the event will be the Hancock Brothers BBQ pit, serving up delicious sandwiches with chips and drinks sold inside the store. Chester the Cheetah will join us from 10 to 12 noon on Saturday and there will be games and face painting for children.

Ford Brothers will be providing a tent with seating for the comfort of those staying the day and there will be lots of meat and produce on sale, both days, as well as many items at super low prices.



Rockcastle Regional Hospital & Respiratory Care Center had its most successful year to date for the March of Dimes. The March of Dimes team raised \$7,015. Pictured are team members, front from left: Twila Burdette (and Baby Lydia), Dawn Darris, Melissa Farris, and Emily Valentine. Third row from left: Selena Mink, Lindsay Gabbard, Morgan Kincer, Cheryl Mullins, Amy Mink, Arielle Estes, Susan Turley and Kennesha Daniels.

Rockcastle County represented during work study trip

TOUR Southern and Eastern Kentucky (TOUR SEKY) hosted a spring work study trip to Boone, North Carolina April 30th-May 2nd. Boone is located in the heart of North Carolina's High Country and is known for its outdoor recreation opportunities.

More than 30 people from communities throughout the state participated in the three day work shop. Susan Laws, Mt. Vernon - Rockcastle County Tourist Commission, attended the trip. Livingston Business Owner Carl Swanigan (A Country Pedaler) also participated. Other attendees included Judge Executives, Mayors, and tourism professionals from across the region.

During the visit, participants were able to see firsthand the role tourism and outdoor recreation plays in the community. Participants visited downtown Boone and Blowing Rock. The trip also featured the Mile High Swinging Bridge at Grandfather Mountain and Kayaking on the New River in Todd, North Carolina. In addition to visiting local attractions, the group took part in presentations from local tourism leaders, entrepreneurs and outdoor adventure marketing professionals.

"Outdoor recreation is a huge tourist draw," said Jeff Crowe, TOUR SEKY President/CEO. "We are blessed with a multitude of outdoor recreation opportunities in

our own backyard and this trip allowed our folks to learn about what works, what doesn't work and get a better understanding of how to make their communities a destination for outdoor enthusiast."

TOUR SEKY hosts at least one work study trip each year and it has been a great success for TOUR's

educational programs. To learn more about the work study trips please contact Maggie Bill at 606-677-6093 or mbill@tourseky.com.

TOUR SEKY is an award winning initiative of Congressman Hal Rogers. The organization's mission is to educate, expand, develop and market the exist-

ing and potential tourism industry throughout southern and eastern Kentucky, while contributing to the economic, cultural growth, health and awareness, and overall quality of life of the region. For additional information about TOUR SEKY visit www.tourseky.com, or call 606-677-6093.



Brodhead City Commissioner Mark Burris, contractor Mark Dyehouse, and Brodhead Mayor Walter Lee Cash looking over the construction of a new shelter and entrance to the Dix River Park that will eventually have a half mile of walking trails and landscaping when completed. The main entrance and shelter are being built alongside the original railroad bed that came into Rockcastle County shortly after the Civil War. The park will be completed in several phases. The City has already applied for a second phase and is being assisted financially and with equipment and manpower by the Rockcastle Fiscal Court. The City plans to sell bricks inscribed with family names and businesses to become a part of the park's entrance walk.



McCracken signs with Tulsa Welding School

On May 3rd, Rockcastle ATC Welding student Eric McCracken took part in a scholarship signing with Tulsa Welding School. Eric received an \$18,000.00 scholarship for placing 1st in the state in the Welding II Competition at the State SkillsUSA Leadership Conference in April. Eric will attend the Jacksonville, Florida campus in June and continue his welding training for approximately seven months. Congratulations to Eric and his family on his monumental achievement.

Pictured are, front from left: Sherman Cook, Welding Instructor; Joyce McCracken, mother; Eric McCracken; and Randall McCracken, father. Back row from left: David Pensol, RCS Superintendent; Ralph Baker, Principal RATC; Dale Winkler, KDE Associate Commissioner; and Garrett Milby, Tulsa Welding School Representative.

News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



District Civil Suits

Ky. Farm Bureau Mutual Ins. Co. vs. Anthony and Nyoka Bowling, \$2,119 claimed due.

Capital One Bank vs. Samantha M. Smith, \$1,231.20 plus claimed due. Unifund CCR, LLC vs. Nikki R. Mullins, \$1,801.86 plus claimed due. C-00072

Circuit Civil Suits

Jessica Michelle Clouse vs. Jacob Ryan Clouse, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Melanie R. Burkhart vs. Floyd J. Burkhart, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Joshua Scott Linville vs. Sarah Linville, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Kimberly Couch vs. Kenneth Couch, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Cabinet for Health and Family Services ex rel Amelia Weinfurter vs. Daris G. King, complaint for child support and medical support.

Chasity J. Blevins vs. Jimmie D. Blevins, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00103

Subscribe to the Signal

Marriage Licenses

Margaret Rae Phillips, 65, Mt. Vernon, retired to Gary Lee Taylor, 65, Mt. Vernon, retired. 4/29/13

Cherrie Darlene Wilson, 44, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle EMS to Jimmy Dale Tudor, 45, Wilmore, self-employed. 5/2/13

Courtney L. Rector, 21, Crab Orchard, SRNA to Charles Z. Napier, 20, Crab Orchard, 20, NACCO. 5/3/13

Deeds Recorded

Wade Lambert Taylor, property on Hwy. 1505, to Kyle and Melanie Childress. No tax.

John W. Burke, Jr. and Kristine Burke, property in Rockcastle County, to James Franklin and Teresa Ann Lawrence. Tax \$1.50.

Christopher S. and Courtney Girdler, property on U.S. 25, to Jimmy Dale and Debra Ann Saylor. Tax \$34.

Shirley and Connie McClure, property in Sand Springs Community, to Donald B. Peacock, Jr. and Michelle R. Peacock. Tax \$83.

Freddie Wayne Mason and Charles Shaw, property on waters of Ford Hollow, to Freddie Wayne Mason.

Tax \$8. Estate of Maudie Arlee Todd, property on Rev. Green Loop Road, to Roger Rowe. Tax \$10.

Mandy and Terry Harris and Larry Dustin Lawrence, property in Mt. Vernon, to Larry Dustin Lawrence. Tax \$52.50.

Homatau and Joyce Holt, property on Flat Gap Road, to Clyde M. and Edith A. Powell. Tax \$20.

Eugene Chasteen, property on Copper Creek Road, to Edna Chasteen. No tax.

Shirley Gabbard, property in Livingston, to Betty J. Hurley. Tax \$6.

Appalachian Community Federal Credit Union, property in Lear Crest Subdv., to Gordon L. and Jacqueline A. Bullock. Tax \$85.

EWTODD, Inc., property in Rockcastle County, to Billy and Leslie Cope. Tax \$8.

Orville J. Shepherd and Cathy J. Shepherd, property on Roundstone Creek, to Orville J. Shepherd and Cathy Nicole Nicely. No tax.

District Court

Apr. 29 - May 1, 2013
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless
Hon. Kathryn G. Wood
 Michael L. Bennett: fines/fees due (\$783), bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta)/16 day in jail or payment in full.

Brandon Lee Bowling: fines/fees due (\$188), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Shonda Bradley: contempt of court, bw issued for fta/1 days in jail or payment in full.

Speeding: Shante Bradley-Jones, \$30 fine and costs; Eric A. Campbell, Anthony M. Laskowski, Christina M. Perry, Donald E. Rawlins, Angela K. Watson, Jeffrey Whitaker, license suspended for fta; Amber M. Philpot, Jeffrey L. Hart, paid; Leslee A. Ray, \$100 fine and costs/state traffic school (sts) authorized;

Thomas J Renner, Jr: disregarding stop sign, 1 day in jail.

Ashley Robinson: public intoxication, \$100 fine and costs.

Megan Stewart: wanton endangerment (two counts) and probation violation, to serve one week end/balance of 30 days sentence probated.

Daniel L. Turner: drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, 30 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs; possession of synthetic drugs, 60 days/to serve two week ends, balance probated 24 months on condition.

Charles A. Hensley: public intoxication, \$100 fine and costs.

Robert D. Hopper: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, failure to produce insurance card, failure to or improper signal, bw issued for fta.

Daniel J. Hunsucker: theft by unlawful taking (two counts), bw issued for fta.

John David E. Loyd: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, bw issued for fta.

Donnie L. Lunsford: theft by unlawful taking, 4 days in jail/plus restitution.

Sally A. Peters: theft by deception and contempt of court, bw issued for fta.

Dennis R. Brown: no operators license in possession, \$25 fine and costs.

Craig A. Cromer: no/expired registration plates - receipt, \$25 each charge (suspended); failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine//suspend \$250 on condition.

Kitina J. Croskey: speeding, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, license suspended for fta.

Donald R. Fields: fines/fees due (\$913), bw issued for fta/19 days in jail or payment in full.

Troy D. Harris: speeding, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, failure to produce insurance card, no/expired registration plates - receipt, bw issued for fta.

William Q. Littrell: operating w/inactive/cancelled/revoked weight distance tax license, bw issued for fta.

Jennifer R. Marshall: speeding and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Timothy S. Milbur: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Garner P. Mink: fines/fees due (\$83), bw issued for fta/2 days in jail or payment in full.

Kristie R. Perry: no/expired registration plates, \$25 fine; no/expired Kentucky registration receipt, \$25 fine; no operators license in possession, \$25 fine.

Saed H. Saleh: speeding, no operators/moped license, failure of owner to maintain required insurance, bw issued for fta.

sued for fta.

Michael Sanchez: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

William Singleton: disorderly conduct (two counts), 30 days/probated 12 months on condition.

Dana C. Smith: careless driving, \$100 fine and costs.

Charles F. Walton, J: fines/fees due (\$508), bw issued for fta/11 days in jail or payment in full.

Anthony W. Barnett: fleeing or evading police, 90 days/to serve concurrent w/state sentencing, costs waived.

William C. Califf: public intoxication, bw issued for fta.

Charles Dean Griffin: possession of marijuana, bw issued for fta.

Johnathan R. Gross: terroristic threatening, bw issued for fta.

Tell 'em you saw their ad in the **Mount Vernon Signal**

WINDOWS • SIDING • DOORS • AWNINGS

Window World
 "Simply the Best for Less"

Made in the USA

INDUSTRY'S STRONGEST **LIFETIME WARRANTY**
 ALL-INCLUSIVE • TRANSFERABLE

Local Owner, **J.J. Hart**

\$0 DOWN FINANCING!

Free In-Home Estimates: 606-258-1774
 142 American Greeting Rd., Corbin • WindowWorld.com

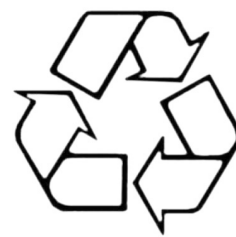
Recycling Center Is Now Open!!!

The Rockcastle County Recycling Center is located at 2528 South Wilderness Rd (US 25 South) next to the Rockcastle County Road Department Garage and is open Monday thru Friday from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. (closed on major holidays).

The following items may be recycled:

Newspapers w/inserts, magazines, catalogs, office paper, junk mail, shredded paper, books, phone books, cardboard (corrugated and slick), plastics #1-7, plastic grocery store bags, metal cans, aerosol cans, aluminum cans, aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, glass bottles and glass jars, old cell phones, car batteries, empty printer and toner cartridges, old computers and all related accessories, telephones, radios, digital clocks, televisions, rechargeable batteries (if the battery says rechargeable on it, then it is recyclable), and large bulky metal items.

Clean used motor oil may also be dropped off at the Rockcastle County Road Department.



If you have any questions, you may call the **Rockcastle County Solid Waste Office** at **606-256-1902**

Absolute Auction Mrs. Betty French Estate

House, Lot & Personal Property

Saturday, May 18, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.

430 Williams St. - Mt. Vernon, KY



In order to settle the estate of the late Mrs. French, her heirs have authorized our firm to sell everything, including the real estate and personal property.

This brick home features a formal living room, kitchen, breakfast area, dining room, family room with fireplace, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, a large sunroom, entry foyer and full basement. Amenities include: wall-to-wall carpet, 2-car attached garage, gazebo, built-in oven and range, dishwasher, trash compactor, intercom system, city water, city sewer and KU electric.

This home is situated on a large lot measuring approximately 1 1/2 acres.

In addition to the real estate the following personal property items will be selling:

Furniture & Lamps: 4 pc. Poster Bedroom suite: Bed, Chest of drawers, dresser, nightstand ~ 3 pc. Bedroom Suite: Full bed, Chest of Drawers & Dresser ~ 4 pc Bedroom Suite: Full size bed, Dresser, Chest of Drawers, Nightstand ~ Sectional sofa with end recliners ~ Coffee and end tables ~ Kitchen Table & 2 chairs ~ Upholstered recliners (matching pair) ~ Table lamps ~ Triple Oval mirror ~ Dining Room set: table with 6 cane back chairs and China Cabinet ~ Magazine rack ~ matching set of Bookshelves ~ Kerosene lamp ~ Loveseat ~ Rocker ~ Recliner ~ Entertainment center ~ Pedestal type table ~ TV stand ~ Glass-top Coffee table ~ twin bed ~ loveseat glider and more!

Glassware, Prints & Miscellaneous: large Area Rugs (oriental type) ~ Ceramic novelties ~ set of China ~ KY Bicentennial gold rim glasses ~ stemmed glassware ~ flower arrangements ~ Brother sewing machine (electric) ~ Home Interior prints ~ cake plates ~ cookie jars ~ Bread box ~ Carnival pitcher grape pattern ~ pressure cooker ~ bakery dishes ~ jewelry stand ~ RC T.V.'s ~ several dolls with crocheted clothes ~ Crosley T.V. ~ 2 metal lawn rocking chairs ~ water fountain and much, much more!

Terms: Real Estate: 20% down the day of the sale, balance in 30 days. Personal Property: Cash or check in full the day of the sale. MasterCard and Visa will also be accepted with a 3% (or \$3.00 minimum) processing fee.

Note: The purchaser of a single-family residence built before 1978 has a maximum of 10 days to inspect the property for the presence of lead-based paint. The period for inspection begins May 8th through May 17th. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10-day post sale inspection period.

Note: Parking will be at the Mt. Vernon Elementary parking lot. We will have a shuttle going to and from the property.

Auctioneer's Note: It's hard to find a nice brick home with such a large lot in the city limits. This home is in a very convenient location, being walking distance from the grocery stores, schools, hospital and downtown Mt. Vernon. Remember this is an Absolute Auction ... Last Bid will Buy!

Announcements the day of the sale take precedence over printed matter. Contact the auctioneers for more information or log on to www.fordbrothersinc.com.



MARKNET ALLIANCE

Ford Brothers, Inc.
 AUCTIONEER: SAM FORD

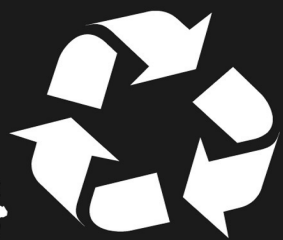
www.fordbrothersinc.com

Somerset, KY 606-679-2212
 Mt. Vernon, KY 606-256-4545 • 800-435-5454
 London, KY 606-878-7111

Scan with your smartphone for direct link to auction information

NAA

EASTERN KENTUCKY RECYCLING



Visit us at our Crab Orchard facility located east of town across from Redi-Mart and next to Dollar General Store

Buying car bodies, tin, copper, aluminum, aluminum cans, brass, batteries, steel & stainless steel

Top Prices, Fast Friendly Service, Accurate Weights

Monday - Friday 8:00 to 4:00 • Saturday 8:00 to 12:00
 345 Main St. • Crab Orchard, KY



606-355-2322



Students excel at 4-H Communications Day

Email news to the Signal office at mvsignal@windsream.net



4-H Speech Contest participants at the District 2 4-H Communications Day were, front from left: Camden Mink (10 year old) and Kyle Coffey (10 year old). Back row from left: Aiden Amburgey (10 year old), Laiken Coffey (18 year old), Callie Lewis (11 year old), and Shelby Newland (11 year old). Representing Rockcastle County at the State Speech on Saturday, July 13th on the University of Kentucky Campus will be Shelby Newland (11 year old Region Champ), John David Hurley (15 year old Region Champ) and Laiken Coffey (18 year old Region Champ).



Kerrigan Medley participated in the 9 year old division at the District 2 4-H Communications Day. Kerrigan won a blue ribbon.



John David Hurley won a blue ribbon in the 15 year old speech category for District 2 4-H Communications day on Saturday, May 4th.



Rockcastle County 4-H Variety Show Club Act will be participating at the 2013 State Fair in August after winning purple champion ribbon at the District 2 4-H Communications Day.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 12-CI-00288

Berea Health Care, Inc.
A Kentucky Corporation **Plaintiff**

V.

Mike Peters, Rockcastle County Sheriff, as public administrator of the estate of Janie A. Brown and Roger Brown **Defendants**

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on March 20, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of THIRTY SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED NINETY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 86/100 (\$37,597.86) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, May 17, 2013
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

All of Lot #10 of Quail Subdivision as shown on said plat which give a better description of said lot, which is on record in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office and recorded in Plat Book 1, at page 23 of said office.

Being the same property which Monroe Brown and wife Janie Brown obtained by deed dated January 28, 1967 and recorded in Deed Book 86, Page 279 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2013 local, county and state property taxes.
- Unpaid ad valorem property taxes shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 10-CI-00372

Citimortgage, Inc. **Plaintiff**

V.

Raymond P. Burdette, et al **Defendants**

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on October 11, 2012 and order to re-schedule sale entered on March 22, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of NINETY EIGHT THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED FIFTY FOUR DOLLARS AND 79,100 (\$98,154.79) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, May 17, 2013
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

1057 Bowling Ridge Road, Brodhead, KY 40409
Beginning at a locust tree in the South right of way of the Bowling Ridge Road also a corner of David Spoonamore; thence with the property line of David Spoonamore the following calls: thence S 9 degrees 35'08" W, 83.65 feet to a post; thence S 42 degrees 12'36" W, 79.90 feet to a steel pin; thence S 9 degrees 28'23" E, 414.48 feet to a post set in the property line of Eugene Lafavers; thence with the property line of Eugene Lafavers, N 77 degrees 01'22" W, 207.81 feet to a post & steel pin; thence N 7 degrees 36'52" E, 545.12 feet to a post set in the South right of way of the Bowling Ridge Road; thence with the South right of way of the Bowling Ridge Road, S 74 degrees 17'02" E, 134.70 feet to the point of beginning; containing 1.727 acres more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Raymond P. Burdette and wife Regina L. Burdette by deed dated August 9, 1990, executed by James E. Bussell, et ux., of record in Deed Book 140, Page 312 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS 134 of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2012 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

**Commonwealth of Kentucky
28th Judicial Circuit
Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I
Civil Action No. 12-CI-00095**

Bank of America, NA **Plaintiff**

V.

Larry Bingham, et al. **Defendants**

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on March 22, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY THREE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTEEN DOLLARS AND 46/100 (\$133,916.46) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, May 17, 2013
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Address: 424 Big Orchard Road, Brodhead, KY 40409
Beginning at a 1/2" conduit with plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in the east right-of-way of Russell Parsons Road and being a corner to Larry Bingham; thence going with said right-of-way N 05° 47'56" E 65.00 feet to a set 1/2" conduit with plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in said right-of-way and being a corner to Russell Parsons; thence leaving said right-of-way and going with the line of Parsons N 68° 30'00" E 136.73 feet to a set 1/2" conduit with plastic cap stamped RLS #2773; thence S 05° 47'56" W 65.00 feet to a set 1/2" conduit with plastic cap stamped RLS #2773 in the line of Larry Bingham and a corner to Parsons; thence going with the Bingham line S 68° 30'0" W 136.73 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.18 acres.

Being the same property conveyed to Larry Bingham and Kathy Bingham, husband and wife who acquired title, with rights of survivorship, as to parcel 012-00-029.01, by virtue of a deed from Russell Howard Parsons, single, dated June 8, 1996, filed February 22, 2001, recorded in Deed Book 183, Page 324, County Clerk's Office, Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

Also the following described property:

Address: 444 Big Orchard Road, Brodhead, KY 40409
A certain tract of land in the community of Brindle Ridge, Rockcastle County, Kentucky, more particularly described as follows.
Unless stated otherwise, any monument referred to herein as an "Iron pin set" is a set 1/2" diameter rebar eighteen (18") in length, with an orange plastic cap stamped G. Holman P.L.S. 1837. All bearing stated herein are referred to the magnetic meridian as observed September 29, 2004 along the south line of the tract described herein.

Beginning at an existing conduit pipe with yellow plastic cap stamped LS 2773, a corner of Larry Bingham D.B. 183 Pg. 324; also set in the east R/W of the Russell Parsons Rd. (15' from center) said existing pipe bears South 05 degrees 47 minutes 56 seconds West 65 feet to a Rail Road Spike, a corner of the parent tract; thence with the east R/W of the Russell Parsons Rd. the following call; thence North 5 degrees 00 minutes 33 seconds East, 175.00 feet; to an Iron pin set; thence severing the property of Russell Parsons the following calls; thence North 68 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds East, 175.00 feet; to an Iron pin set; thence South 5 degrees 13 minutes 23 seconds West, 240.00 feet; to an Iron pin set in the property of Donald Roberts D.B. 199 Pg. 608; thence with the line of D. Roberts the following call; thence South 68 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds West, 38.27 feet; to an Iron pin set, a corner of Larry Bingham D.B. 183 Pg. 324; thence with the line of L. Bingham the following calls; thence North 5 degrees 47 minutes 56 seconds East, 65.00 feet; to an existing conduit pipe with yellow plastic cap stamped LS 2773; thence South 68 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds West, 136.73 feet to the point of beginning. CONTAINS 0.678 ACRES more or less. This description prepared from a physical survey conducted by Gary W. Holman Ky, P.L.S. 1837 on September 29, 2004.

Being the same property conveyed to Larry Bingham and Kathy Bingham who acquired title, with rights of survivorship, as to parcel 012-00-029.02, by virtue of a deed from Russell Parsons, single, dated October 4, 2004, filed October 7, 2004, recorded in Deed Book 201, Page 625, County Clerk's Office, Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
- The purchaser shall be responsible for the 2013 local, county and state property taxes and further any delinquent state, county and/or city real estate taxes sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

FFA attends Regional Paperwork Day in London

Submitted by
Chapter Reporter
Tiffany Bowman
Assistant Reporter
Brianna Mink

"I suppose leadership at one time meant muscles; but today it means getting along with people."

(Mahatma Gandhi)

On March 8th, several of

Rockcastle County's FFA members traveled to London to compete in and be successful in contests such as Parliamentary Procedure and Job Interview and also participate in Regional Officer Elections.

One of the contests that many members competed in was Junior Varsity Parli-

mentary Procedure. In JV Parliamentary Procedure, teams of no more than 10 members run a business meeting using basic parliamentary procedure. Rockcastle's JV Parliamentary Procedure team placed 1st overall. Members of the team were: David Gabbard-Vice President; Jacklynn Thacker-Secretary; Katie Adams-Treasurer; Kayla Shafer-Reporter; Kaleigh Noel-Sentinel; James Clay Ballinger, Eric Bullock, Micheala Hurt, and Allie Johnson-Members; and Tiffany Hamilton-Alternate.

Another contest that many members competed in was the Job Interview contest. In job interview, a member goes through the complete process of a job interview; they send in a resume, a cover letter, are given a phone call, and finally go through an interview. Charity Adams competed in the Job Interview contest placing 1st overall.

One of the final things that went on at paperwork day was the Regional Officer Elections. To become a Regional Officer, candidates must send in an application and go through an interview.

Elizabeth Lawrence was the candidate for Rockcastle County and was elected as the Regional Vice President. Congratulations to everyone that competed!



Congratulations to the JV Parliamentary Procedure team who placed 1st overall. Members of the team are, front row from left: Allie Johnson, Eric Bullock, Micheala Hurt, Jacklynn Thacker, and Kayla Shafer. Back row from left: James Clay Ballinger, David Gabbard, Brittany Long, Katie Adams, Kaleigh Noel, and Tiffany Hamilton.

Martin inducted into Alpha Lambda Delta

Alexandra Taylor Martin of Mount Vernon is one of 29 Eastern Kentucky University freshmen who were inducted into the National Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society for First Year Students during a special ceremony on March 27.

Founded in the spring of 1924 at the University of Illinois by Dean Maria Leonard, Alpha Lambda Delta recognizes and encourages academic excellence among first-year students. Today, Alpha Lambda Delta has more than 250 chapters throughout the United States and more than 700,000 students have been initiated into membership since the first chapter was started more than 80 years ago.

Membership in Alpha Lambda Delta is open to full-time freshmen who earn a scholastic average of 3.5 or better at a four-year college or university.

Alpha Lambda Delta emphasizes that educated per-

sons have a responsibility to "have tolerance in their dealings with all persons, generosity in giving to those in need, and insight into the feelings of others" says Dr. Glenda Earwood, Executive Director of the Society. Members are challenged to make a "meaningful contribution to society."

These honor students have taken an oath to continue to "maintain high scholarship and to use their education for the benefit of the community, the nation, and the world in which they live."

This year, EKV's chapter of Alpha Lambda Delta also inducted several EKV faculty and staff members as honorary members: President Doug Whitlock; Provost Janna Vice; Erin Barnett, associate director of First Year Courses; and Dr. Minh Nguyen, Chautauqua Lecture Coordinator and associate professor of philosophy.

Union Graduates

Several local students graduated from Union College during their 120th commencement exercises.

Brooke Roberts Bishop of Brodhead, who received a Master of Arts in Education, Educational Leadership.

Edna Ardella Thompson of Brodhead, who received a Chemical Dependency Certificate.

Becky Jean McNabb of Brodhead, who received a Master of Arts in Education, Special Education.

Becky Jean McNabb of Brodhead, who received a Second Master of Arts in Education, Special Education.

The ceremony was held on Saturday May 4, in the Robsion Arena on Union's campus.



Congratulations to Charity Adams for placing 1st overall in the Job Interview contest.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 05-CI-00211

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
as Certificate trustee (not in its individual capacity but solely as certificate of trustee), in trust for registered Holders of VNT Trust Series 2010-2

Plaintiff

v.

Sean Reed, et al.

Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on April 12, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED SIXTY TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 93/100 (\$162,575.93) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, May 17, 2013
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Lot No. 16 in the Happy Acres Subdivision as shown on Plat Book 2, Page 58 in the Office of the clerk of the Rockcastle County Court, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. Reference is made to said plat for a more complete description of said lot.

This being all the same property conveyed to Sean Reed and wife Angela Reed by deed dated May 3, 1996 and recorded in Deed Book 161, page 388 and by deed dated June 30, 2000 and recorded in Deed Book 180, page 499 both in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. Being the same property conveyed to Sue Colwell by deed dated June 17, 2004 and recorded June 17, 2004 in Deed Book 200, page 158 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

Being the same property conveyed by deed dated July 6, 2005 and recorded in Deed Book 200, page 384 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
3. The purchaser shall pay the 2013 local, county and state property taxes.
4. Unpaid, currently due and delinquent state, county and/or city ad valorem real estate taxes shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".
9. The successful bidder shall, at bidder's expense, carry fire and extended insurance coverage on said improvements from the date of sale until the purchase price is paid in full to the extent of the Court approved value of said property or the unpaid balance of the purchase price with a loss payable clause to the Rockcastle Master Commissioner.

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 12-CI-00228

Kentucky Housing Corporation

Plaintiff

v.

Mary Ellen Lovell, unknown spouse of Mary Ellen Lovell, Central Kentucky Management Services, Inc., a Kentucky Corporation, assignee of the UK Medical Services Foundation, Inc. and Commonwealth of Kentucky, Rockcastle County

Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on January 16, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of FORTY THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED NINETY FIVE DOLLARS AND 22/100 (\$40,295.22) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky
on Friday, May 17, 2013
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Being Lots No. 164, 165, 166, 167 and 168 as recorded on the plat of the C.L. "Lafe" Owens Subdivision in Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, Kentucky, said plat being of record in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk in Plat Book 1, at page 1, Lots No. 165, 166, 167 and 168 fronting on Terry Street, and reference is hereby made to the aforementioned plat for a more complete description of said lots.

Being the same property which Mary Ellen Lovell, single, obtained by deed dated September 28, 1998, executed by Kenneth Taylor, et ux. and recorded in Deed Book 171, Page 571 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

The property shall be sold on the following terms & conditions:

1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
3. The purchaser shall pay the 2013 local, county and state property taxes.
4. Unpaid, currently due and delinquent state, county and/or city ad valorem real estate taxes shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

**John D. Ford
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court**

Rockcastle Community Bulletin Board

**Sponsored By
Cox Funeral Home**

Family Owned & Operated Since 1907

80 Maple Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Ph. 256-2345
Toll Free 1-888-825-2345 • 24 Hour Obit Line 256-5454
www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., May 13th: No service. **Tues., May 14th:** Spiro, Level Green, Willailla, Country Care. **Wed., May 15th:** Ottawa and Bee Lick. **Thurs., May 16:** Cave Valley Apts. and Seek 'n Learn.

CCFFG Meeting

Concerned Citizens for Fair Government will meet Thursday, May 16th (tonight) on the third floor of the courthouse at 6 p.m. Please use back door.

Dix River Festival

The Town of Brodhead's Dix River Festival will be held May 23, 24 and 25. A schedule will follow in next week's *Signal*. For vendor information, call 606-758-8635.

LVFD Selling Food

The Livingston Fire and Rescue Dept. will be selling food this week end during the Founder's Day Festival. On Friday night, at the fire department, chicken and dumpings and sides will be served, starting at 7 p.m. On Saturday, hamburgers, hot dogs, etc. will be for sale starting at 11 a.m.

Parker Seal Reunion

The 21st Parker Seal Employees Reunion will be held Tuesday, May 14th, beginning at 11:30 a.m. with a buffet lunch at Dinner Bell Restaurant in Berea. For more information, call Loretta at 859-893-4124.

Hunter Education Instructor Class

The Ky. Dept. of Fish and Wildlife will sponsor a Hunter Education Instructor Class on Saturday, May 18th from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The class will be held at the Rockcastle Co. Middle School, 945 W. Main St. This class will allow participants to help teach the KY Dept. of Fish and Wildlife's hunter education course. It is open to anyone, 18 years of age or older, who has already completed the hunter education student course (orange card). For more information, contact Will Connelly 606-633-5012, 335,9437 or willcon@tvsable.com

Brodhead Lodge Meeting

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

Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous meets Tuesday nights at 8 p.m. behind Our Lady of Mt. Vernon Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the **Renfro Valley Lodge in Renfro Valley**. Everyone welcome.

Historical Society Hours

The Rockcastle Historical Society is open on Mondays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the RTEC garage building.

Sons of Confederate Veterans

The Sons of Confederate Veterans (SCV), Rockcastle Camp, meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. on the third floor of the county courthouse. For more information, contact David Owens at 606-256-9870.

American Legion Post 71

American Legion Post 71 meets the second Thursday at 7 p.m. of each month on the third floor of the courthouse. Commander David Owens invites all Rockcastle veterans to join this organization that honors American soldiers, sailors and airmen.