

**Christian Tyler Smith**, Brodhead, son of Scott and Becky Smith. FCA, Rocket Club, UNITE, Football and Baseball.

**Samantha Smoker**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Crystal Smoker and David Smoker. KOSSA - Health Science; Work Keys - Gold; Presidential Scholarship; UNITE Scholarship; KHSA All State Academic Team; Highest Health Science Grade; Math Club - vice president; UNITE Club; Key Club; HOSA; Cheerleader.

**Chris Sowder**, Mt. Vernon, son of Donnie and Karen Sowder. FFA, 4 yrs; FFA - Asst. Sentinel, 2 yrs and FFA Alumni Scholarship (\$500); three KOSSA certificates.

**Deborah Anne Spivey**, Orlando, daughter of Joe Spivey and Tola Davis. FCCLA, FCA, Success Club, Teenage Republicans.

**Angel Spurlock**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Sharon Rowe. Cheerleading, 1 yr; FCA, 3 yrs; UNITE, 2 yrs; Chess Club, 1 yr; Creative Writing, 3 yrs; Academic Excellence, 3 yrs; National Honor Society, 1 yr; JROTC Club, 3 yrs; Sci-Fi Book Club, 1 yr.

**Jesse Stallworth**, Mt. Vernon, son of Leonard and Sheila Stallworth. Robinson Scholar - 4 year full scholarship to University of Kentucky. UNITE Club, 3 yrs; FCA, 2 yrs; FBIA, 1 yr; Math Club, 3 yrs; Japanese Club, 2 yrs.

**Brandon W. Stewart**, Brodhead, son of

Rodney Stewart and Tonya Stewart. FCA, Young Republicans, UNITE; Key Club; JROTC.

**Codey Stewart**, Mt. Vernon. Guitar Club, Success Club, Chess Club/ Poole in the United States Marine Corp.

**Jeffrey Dylan Stewart**, Mt. Vernon, son of Tammy Kirby and the late Jeff Stewart. Engineering-KOSSA; Work Keys - Gold; Berea College Tuition Scholarship.

**Wesley Tanner**, Mt. Vernon, son of Wes Tanner and Debra Tanner. Skills USA, Kentucky DOT Certified; Work Keys - Silver. O+Net Certificates: Arc Cutter, Arc Welder - Cutting Processes, Gas Metal Arc Welder, Production Line Welder - Cutting Processes, Shielded Metal Arc Welder A, Tack Welder B.

**Jade Morgan Taylor**, Roundstone, daughter of Kelly and Carl Cain and Larry Collins. FCA, UNITE, Rocket Club, Key Club, Teenage Republicans, RCHS Varsity Volleyball, UNITE Presents.

**Jessica Nicole Thacker**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of William Jeffery Thacker and Lisa Thacker McClure. FCA, 4 years - Music Leadership; UNITE, 4 yrs; Teen Republicans, 3 yrs; 2011-12 Anatomy and Physiology Award; Key Club, 1 yr; Recipient of first ever Board of Education Scholarship (\$250), Christian Leadership Scholarship (\$1,500), Work Keys - Gold.

**Samantha Brook Thompson**, Brodhead,

daughter of Randy and Edna Thompson and Bobby Thompson. FCA, Teenage Republicans - Secretary; UNITE. Who's Who: Friendliest Freshman, Jolliest Junior, Genuine Junior, Friendliest Senior.

**Hannah MacKenzie Tyler**, Brodhead, daughter of Sandy and John Tyler. RCHS Band, 7 yrs; RCHS Colorguard, 2 yrs; FCA; UNITE; Key Club; US Marine Band Semper Fi Award; Rocket Club; Teenage Republican; Freshman Drama Award; RCHS Winterguard Member; 2012 Overall Band Camp Award.

**Nathan Whitaker**, Mt. Vernon, son of Kelly Whitaker and Tommie Robbins. FBIA.

**John Curtis Wilson**, Livingston, son of Keven

and Donna Wilson. Basketball, 4 yrs; Track, 1 yr; FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Young Republicans, 4 yrs; Cross Country, 4 yrs; Leadership Rockcastle, 2 yrs; FFA, 2 yrs. **Talia Woodall**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Debra Adams and Frankie Woodall and step dad Lance Adams. MNA - Medicaid Nurse Aid; UNITE, 1 yr; HOSA; 1 yr; FCA, 1 yr; Volleyball, 4 years.

**Chris Wren**, Brodhead, son of Mike and Jenny Wren. Baseball, Football, UNITE Club, FCA, Rocket Club.

**Jaleigha Laine York**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of James and Judy Kidwell. Work Keys - Silver, Attending Somerset Community College in the

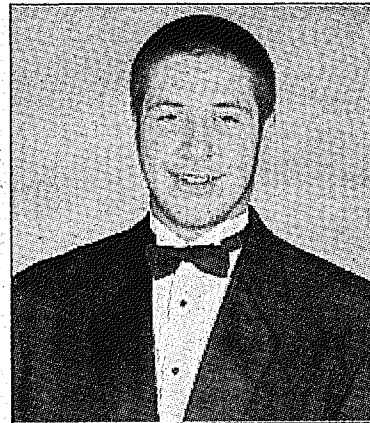
fall.

**Adam Young**, Mt. Vernon, son of Virgil and Earline Young. DOT Welding Certification, Skills USA.

**Alexis DeLisle Young**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Tim and Stella Young. Golf, 4 yrs; Class of Kentucky 2012; National Honor Society; Title 1X Female Athlete Representative, 4 yrs; Women's Educational Equality Act, 4 yrs; Food and Nutrition Award; KOSSA Engineer Certificate; KOSSA Life Skills Certificate; Aerospace Engineering Award; Digital Electronics Award; YMCA Club, 4 yrs; UNITE, 3 yrs; UNITE Presents, 2 yrs; FCA, 3 yrs; Rocket Club, 3 yrs. Centre College Founders Scholarship.

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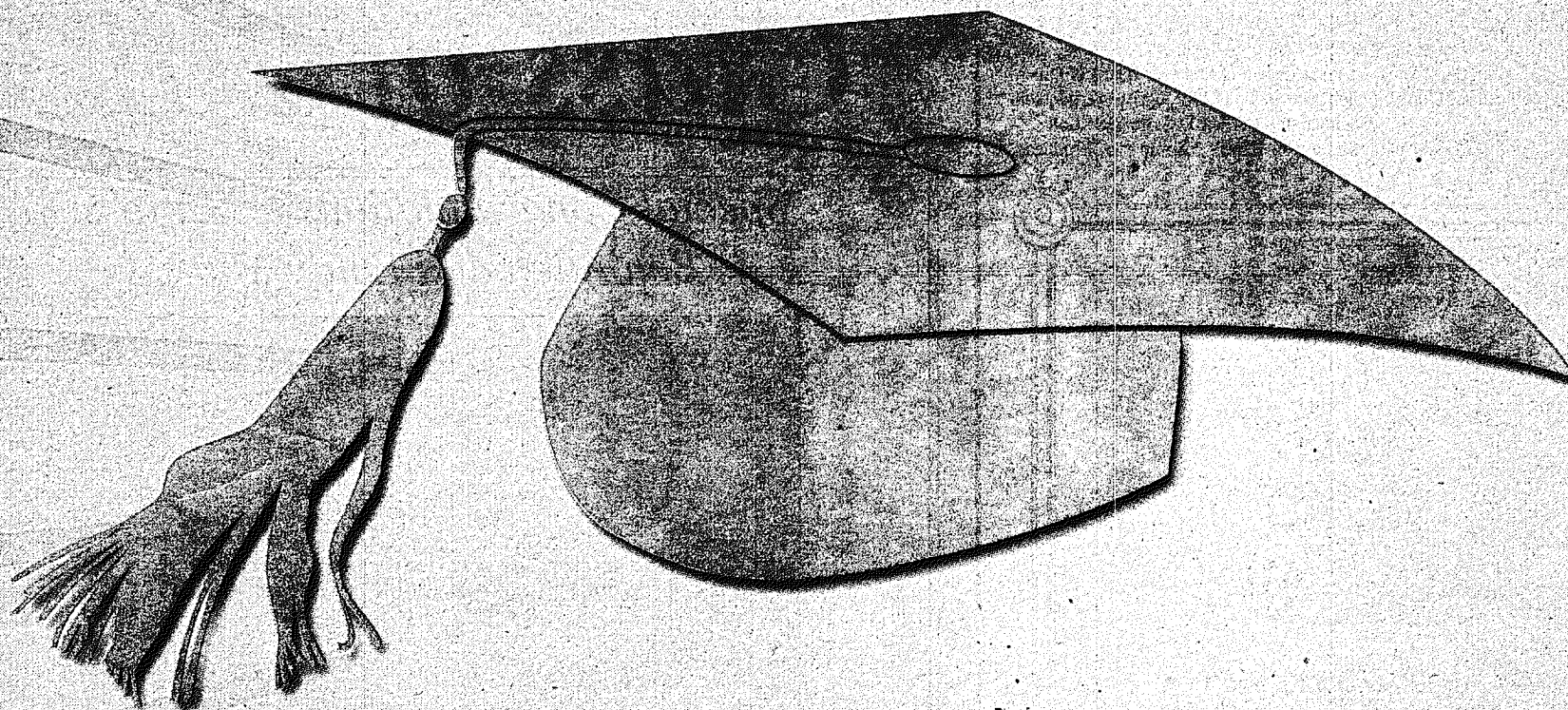
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Thursday, May 23, 2013



Rockcastle County Relay for Life held their annual event at the RCMS track last Friday. The Rockcastle Relay teams raised a total of \$37,712.96 which surpassed their original goal of \$35,000. The event featured a cancer survivor dinner at the RCHS cafeteria followed by a cancer survivors ceremony and live auction at the RCMS track. Shown above is cancer survivor Williametta French running through the "spirit line."

## Water taste, odor discussed at Mt. Vernon council meeting

Mt. Vernon Mayor Mike Bryant told the city council, at their regular meeting Monday night, that the current taste and odor of the city's water had led to calls by customers to the EPA, TV Channel 36 and a petition on facebook.

Bryant said he tried to use the interview with 36 to educate those unhappy with the water quality. "We want people informed about what the problem is and what we are trying to do about it."

The mayor explained that the lake has over 5,000 different types of algae in it, mostly caused by farm animals and birds. However, he also said that representatives of the Division of Water and Rural Water were here last week to taste test the supply. The representative of the Division of

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## Relay exceeds overall goal

By: Doug Ponder

Rockcastle County Relay for Life exceeded their fundraising goal for the American Cancer Society at their event last Friday night.

The Rockcastle Relay team raised a total of \$37,712.96 which surpassed their original goal of \$35,000.

The event featured a cancer survivor dinner at the RCHS cafeteria followed by an open cancer survivor ceremony and live auction at the RCMS track.

Sixty-three cancer survivors attended the dinner and the ceremony. The Relay team also sold 18 torches for the "Torch of Hope" which honors those whose lives were affected by cancer. The team also sold 250 luminaries this

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## School board focuses on drop-outs at meeting

At the recent regular meeting of the Rockcastle County Board of Education, much time was devoted to the board's work in reducing the number of student drop-outs.

### Brodhead Dix River Festival begins Thursday

The annual Dix River Festival is this Thursday, Friday and Saturday on Main Street in Brodhead.

The event will begin on Thursday at 7 p.m. with musical performances by Country music duo Jake Vanover and Jordon Leigh followed by a performance from the Tony Mills Band at 8 p.m.

On Friday, Ruby Powell and friends will perform at 5 p.m. followed by "Bike

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Director of Pupil Personnel Becky Isaacs told the board that Senate Bill 97 provided that changing the drop-out age from 16 to 18 will be left up to local school boards. However, if 55% of local boards (96 districts) choose to change the age to 18, then the remaining districts must adopt the age 18 requirement within four years.

### Brodhead Hustle is this Saturday

The fourth Annual Brodhead Hustle is this Saturday at the Brodhead Elementary School at 8:30 a.m.

The race will begin and end at the school. It will also

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\$10,000 grant to the first 57 districts who raise the age requirement to 18. Supt. David Pensol told the board in his opening remarks that the district should not let the \$10,000 grant influence their action. "We need to be thoughtful about what we promote and not let the \$10,000 influence us." Board member Angela Mink commented that "the state wants the local board to be the bad guys."

Isaacs gave the board some stats on drop-out rates in the local system. She said that in the school year 2010-11, there were 24 less students at the end of that class's senior year than started as freshmen. The number was 26 in the 2011-12 school year. "Those numbers are so disturbing to me and this is an issue we have to address," Isaacs said.

In the current school year, that number has dropped to 13 and Isaacs attributed the reduction to the school coming up with a plan and getting students "to trust us." Isaacs said that students don't always realize that plans can be re-worked and she also noted that much of the work (to retain students until graduation) needs to be done at

the freshman level.

Pensol told the board that the GED grant had been a "tremendous asset" to Rockcastle County. Isaacs agreed, saying that, in one instance, a student who had dropped-out had completed their GED and the high school staff had taken them to Somerset Community College and helped them

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## Grand Jury indicts six

Indictments were returned against six people by a Rockcastle County Grand Jury on Friday, May 10th.

Roger "Crow" Mink, 53, of 65 Horse Shoe Bend Road, Mt. Vernon was indicted for trafficking in a controlled substance on August 10, 2012 and bribing a witness on Nov. 15, 2012.

Mink's bond was set at \$50,000 cash/property.

One man and two women were named in a joint indictment involving six different charges.

Cody Wayne Helton, 21, 232 Dripping Springs Road, Crab Orchard was indicted on charges of burglary and two counts of theft by un-

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## Graduation is this Thursday at RCHS

The 41st graduating class at Rockcastle County High School will have their graduation ceremony this Thursday beginning at 6 p.m. in the Rockcastle County High School gymnasium.

Student Council Co-President Laiken Myrisa Coffey will give the opening remarks, followed by a welcoming speech from F.C.A President Samantha Erin Payne.

The Chamber Choir and the RCHS Band will provide special music and RCHS Principal Jennifer Mattingly will recognize students who received special awards and recognitions.

Valedictorian Hannah Renee Bullock and Salutatorian Logan Dwayne Durham will both speak after which Rockcastle County Schools Superintendent David Pensol will present diplomas to the graduates.

Student Council Co-Presidents Charity Brooke Adams and Samantha Erin

Payne will conduct the changing of tassels. Junior Marshalls will be Madisan Michelle Miller, Jarrod Scott Lake and Jacob Dean Taylor.



Valedictorian  
Hannah Bullock



Salutatorian  
Logan Dwayne Durham



Straight-line winds caused a tree to fall on one of Mt. Vernon's oldest restaurants Tuesday afternoon. Snack Shack owner Glenda Smith said her employees were working in the kitchen area around 5 p.m. when they heard a loud bang on the roof and noticed that leaves were suddenly covering the kitchen windows outside. Smith said the fallen tree only caused minor damage to the roof and no one was injured in the tree's fall. Snack Shack was closed for the remainder of the day on Tuesday but reopened on Wednesday morning.

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# Points East

By Ike Adams



Loretta and I had decided that we didn't need to grow any cabbage in the garden this year.

She has discovered some kind of brought-on kraut that you can find in most grocery stores for about a dollar a quart and you sure can't make it for that if you believe your time is money. Plus, you can buy fresh cabbage for less than a dollar a head when it's in season but you still have to pay fifty cents apiece for transplants unless you raised your own, in which case, you can't give them away.

Then you've got all that bending and lifting and hoeing and fertilizing and fighting cut worms and leaf hoppers before you harvest the first head. But, at least, unlike zucchini, you can give cabbage to your non-gardening friends if it isn't busted open and shows no sign that a bug ever lit upon it, much less chewed a few holes here and there. And it is awful pretty growing there in the garden. So it is with a bit of reluctance that you write off growing cabbage.

Three weeks ago I wound up in the hospital because my body seemed to have stopped making blood and I was about to run dry. The choices were to get my behind checked in and get a refill or die and there wasn't any time to sit around and study about it.

Despite a host of other health problems, I'm still rather fond of living and I told Loretta not to make a big deal out of the hospital visit. But that's like telling the wind not to blow, the creeks to stop flowing and the bees to stop making honey.

The nurses hadn't even finished taking my vital signs until one old friend I hadn't seen in four years, Jeff Brenzel, passing through Berea from Connecticut and our mutual pal, Tom Miller, were sitting beside my bed there in St. Joseph's, making their own diagnosis and advising the regular medical staff as to how they would proceed with my treatment if it was left up to them. Brenzel and Miller have absolutely no medical training but they would never let something that mundane prevent them

from rendering their opinions.

When they had left, Amber Field, the RN attending to my every need, asked if those guys were really my good friends. When I nodded that, indeed they were, Nurse Amber advised the I didn't need to be making any enemies.

Later in the day, best pal, Ralph King stopped in with a potted plant because, according to Ralph, you should never visit anyone in the hospital without taking them flowers or a plant. Ralph hadn't had time to stop at the florists but somewhere along the way he had managed to find someone growing cabbage plants. He'd pulled up one with three leaves, stuck it, along with a handful of dirt, in a McDonald's styrofoam coffee cup and reverently placed it on my nightstand.

Loretta promptly named the baby cabbage Ralph. So when, a few days later, we were shopping for plants at Shell's Greenhouses there on 52 between Paint Lick and Lancaster, she allowed that I'd better get a 3-pack of cabbage plants so that Ralph wouldn't be there all alone in our garden. Of course, calling the vegetable patch "our garden" is sort of like saying that I get up in the morning and put on "our pants".

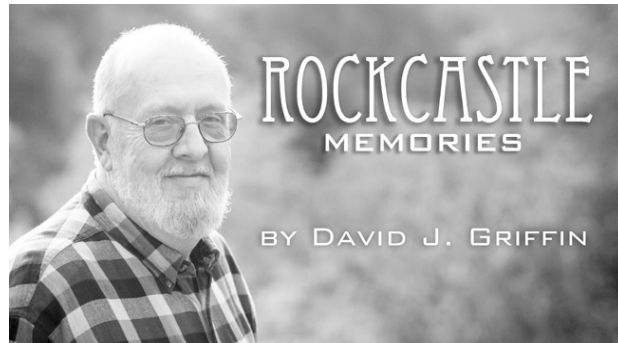
But I bought the plants and set them out. Then last weekend we were over in Casey County and I was shopping for some heirloom Mennonite tomato plants when the lady at the plant stand insisted that I take 3 more cabbage plants as a gift because nobody was buying them this late in the season.

So I set them out too. Then, last night we were sitting on the front porch and I was pointing out what I had growing where and when I got to the cabbage Loretta wanted to know which one was Ralph.

I showed her that he was the first one in the row and that he was obviously of a different variety than the other six early flat Dutch because his leaves were rounder and a much paler green.

Loretta said, "Well I wouldn't have named him Ralph if he wasn't different

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## ROCKCASTLE MEMORIES

BY DAVID J. GRIFFIN

### Boys And Their Pocketknives

There was a time when young boys carried pocketknives with them everywhere they went, including to school and even to church. It was just standard operating procedure to have your knife in your pocket. You simply never knew when you would need to sharpen a pencil, cut a piece of string, remove a splinter, open a box, or just play a game of mumble peg. Every boy I knew in elementary school had a knife with them in their jeans pocket.

And do you know what? I never saw anyone even threaten to use a knife to intentionally hurt someone. They were our pocket tools, and we knew how to use them effectively. Our fathers, grandfathers, and even our older brothers taught us how to handle a pocketknife in the safest way possible. And we did.

Some may think that we were obsessed with our knives, and I suppose in some ways that we were. That is, we never left home without one in our pockets. Most of us had several different knives that we used for a variety reasons. I had one that I carried most of the time. Actually, it was not very sharp because I always used it to stick in the ground when playing our favorite game, mumble peg.

We usually played that game in my grandfather's (Pop) yard under one of his huge shade trees. I can remember countless times when Kenneth Hansel, Paul Carter, Earl Benton Cromer, Billy Ramsey, Paul Hansel, and I sat in a circle taking turns sticking our knives in the ground hoping to make the looser of the game "chew the peg."

There were other times when I took my sharpest knife with me, especially if I was going fishing in one of the local farm ponds. You could not even attempt to "gut" and clean a fish with a dull knife. In those days, we did not even subscribe to the principle of "catch and release" because our mothers were home anticipating our return with dinner in our buckets. We fished to eat our catch! My grandparents had a special place next to the smokehouse where we were supposed to do our fish cleaning. That is why we carried our sharpest knives on those days. I still remember that remarkable taste of bluegill, fried potatoes, and home-made cornbread straight from an iron skillet. Now that, my friends, is a fabulous feast!

When I think of the knives that we had back then, I immediately remember some of the specific knives that my friends and I owned and carried with us. One of my favorites was a Tree Brand Boker with stag handles. Our first knives were not stainless steel, so we had to be diligent in keeping them adequately oiled and free from dirt and dust. I had a small can of 3-in-1 oil that I kept in my dresser drawer to use on my knives in their regular maintenance.

Some of the most prized of our knives were those named after "gun companies," such as Winchester and Remington. Those brands were kept in our homes and were never used for our games. Pop taught me about some of these "collectibles" and made sure that they, too, were kept in good shape.

During the 50's, "nostalgia knives" were promoted to be sold to young boys. Some of these were named after our TV heroes, such as Roy Rogers, Hopalong Cassidy, The Lone Ranger, and even Rin Tin Tin. We purchased them from cereal

boxes and from advertisements on television. But they were merely promotional trinkets, and they lacked the precision of finely crafted brands.

Pop's favorite brand was a Schrade Walden, and he kept it for years and years. When he died many years ago, my mother gave me his knife. I had it restored to its original condition. I replaced one of the blades and even had a new stag handle attached to one side of the knife. I would not take anything for this antique pocketknife because it once belonged to Pop.

I am so glad that I was in elementary school when it was alright for a boy to carry and use a pocketknife as a normal part of our lives. I still put a pocketknife in my pocket every day before leaving home. I am never without a trusty knife in my possession. The uses that I regularly find for my knives are countless. Boys carrying

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## Strange... But True?

by: Tonya J. Cook



### Superstitions: How They Have Become Commonplace In Our Lives II

In this modern era with its high-tech equipment, in this, the "information age", we yet find something very old deeply woven into the very fabric of our thinking that rears its head throwing us back to the Dark Ages of Europe. What is it? Why do we practice it? How did it begin? Why does it still exist? It is superstition, and it practiced to a degree by most, even the well-educated and informed people in all walks of life.

Are you surprised? Don't be. When you are dining with someone and the salt is spilled it is a common reaction that a pinch of salt is thrown over the left shoulder. Salt at one time was costly and only enjoyed by the rich, and it was thought to be bad luck if spilled. The devil lurked over the left shoulder to curse you with ill will, so the salt appeased him as a small offering. People avoid the number 13 (there were thirteen attending the Last Supper). People

will cross the street to avoid walking under a ladder (at the Crucifixion, Satan supposedly waited under a ladder leaning against Christ's cross, and still waits there). These are only a few, more common superstitions that when practiced no one even gives a second thought.

Last week, superstitions concerning death were discussed. Death omens are some of the more common superstitions since at some point it will come to us all. Death omens will continue this week.

There are many omens concerning funerals themselves. To have a funeral on Friday indicates another death in the family within a year. It's bad luck to count the cars in a funeral cartage. It's bad luck to meet a funeral head on. Thunder following a funeral indicates the deceased has reached heaven. New apparel, especially shoes, shouldn't be worn to a funeral. Pointing to a funeral cartage will cause you to die within a month. Pregnant women shouldn't attend funerals.

You may determine the character of a person by their grave. A good person will produce flowers; an evil person, weeds.

Other omens are if a mirror or picture falls and breaks, someone in the house will die soon. A white moth either inside or trying to get in a house is a death omen. If there are three people in a photo, the one in the center will be the first to die.

If thirteen people sit down to eat one of them will die within the year. To drop an umbrella in the house means there will be a murder in the house.

This will conclude this series about death omens. If nothing else, they have been interesting, and yes, even debatable and even strange...but true?

Source: Corsinet.com, trivia-unusual trivia collection

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## Our Readers Write

### Saltpetre Cave Open House a success...

Dear Editor,

Well, another open house has come and gone. We had a little over 1,100 visitors sign our guest book and some of those signatures represent whole families.

I would like to individually thank all who made our 22nd Annual Open House possible but I know I would leave out a name or two, so, I would like to thank all in clusters. You know who you are. First, I would like to thank the Great Saltpetre Cave Preserve Management Committee for their tireless hours of work necessary to pull this event together. I would also like to thank members of the Rockcastle Karst Conservancy, the Greater Cincinnati Grotto, Bluegrass Grotto, and Dayton Underground Grotto for coming together and doing all they do to make this and other events possible. We had five past GSP Management Committee Chairmen attending and sharing their knowledge, expertise, and endless energy. We had the most "new" Grotto members I've seen in a while helping on all levels. We had one newer member who's goal was to lead a trip by the end of the weekend and a couple

of others who washed dishes for over an hour at a time plus others who asked to help wherever possible.

Thanks to the Mt. Vernon Signal for their promotion of our event and to Climax Water's generous support.

Special thanks to Roland Mullins (80+yo) for sharing his past as a child who lived and played along Crooked Creek. His stamp of approval for the way we have managed this property confirms to me that we are on the right path. He told me yesterday that one of his fears was that someday the property with his family cemetery and remains of a couple of homesteads

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### Entertainment Schedule:

#### Thursday, May 23rd

7 to 7:45 p.m. Jake Vanover & Jordon Leigh  
8 to 10 p.m. Tony Mills Band

#### Friday, May 24th

5 to 6 p.m. Ruby Powell & Friends  
6 to ? Bike Nite  
(sponsored by Brodhead Dari Delite)  
6 to 7:45 p.m. Old Town Project  
Bluegrass Band  
8 to 11 p.m. Medley Boys Band

#### Saturday, May 25th

**Young Republicans Dunking Booth**  
8:30 a.m. Brodhead Hustle - 2 mile run/walk  
10 a.m. Motorcycle Poker Run  
11 to 11:45 a.m. Ky. Romp & Stomp  
12 to 12:45 a.m. Mark Carpenter & Wilderness Road Band  
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# Obituaries



## Bernard Brummett

Bernard Brummett, 82, of Brodhead, died Monday, May 20, 2013 at the Golden Living Center in Stanford. He was born August 27, 1930 in Brodhead, a son of the late Nathan and Sally Ann Bishop Brummett. He was a farmer, attended the West Brodhead Church of God, enjoyed Tumbler pigeons, Rat Terrier dogs and hunting.

He will be lovingly remembered by: two brothers, Francis Brummett and Dale Brummett, both of Crab Orchard; two sisters, Edna Middleton of Crab Orchard, and Mary Edith (Ronald Ray) Coffey of Lockland, OH; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he is preceded in death by: his brothers, Denver, Donald, Bobby, Shelby and Dempsey Brummett; his sisters, Geneva Delaney and Myrtle Helton; and a great nephew, Eric Smith.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, May 23, 2013 at 1 p.m. at West Brodhead Church of God with Bro. Terry Orcutt officiating. Burial will follow in the Negro Creek Cemetery.

Visitation will be held (today) Thursday, May 23, from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the West Brodhead Church of God.

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



## Carlene Faye Davidson

Carlene Faye Davidson, 66, of Brodhead, died Saturday May 18, 2013.

She is survived by two children, Dawn Ritchie of London and Duane Didonato of Mt. Vernon. She is also survived by six grandchildren, Heather Didonato, Stephanie Denny, Whitney Cawood, Amber Nipper, Devin Didonato, Maranda Didonato, and six great grandchildren.

We are having a small personal ceremony at Johnny Owens/ Roberts's cemetery (on Barnett Rd.) (today) Thursday, May 23, 2013 at 1 p.m. All are welcome to come and pay their respects to Carlene.

We would like to say a big thank you to those who were involved with helping us get through this hard time.

### Card of Thanks

#### Alma Hayes

It is in times of sorrow that you truly appreciate the presence of family, friends, and loved ones. During the sickness and passing of our mother/wife, Alma Hayes, we were overwhelmed by all of the kindness bestowed on our family and want to take this opportunity to thank everyone.

Hayes Family



## Carl W. Pittman

Carl W. Pittman, 61, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, May 16, 2013 at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. He was born February 26, 1952 in Rockcastle County, the son of Mrs. Pearl Cromer Pittman Stanley of Mt. Vernon, and the late Clell Pittman. He worked in construction for the City of Mt. Vernon Water Dept., and the Rockcastle County Hwy. Dept. He enjoyed 4-Wheeling, bird watching, yard sales, flea markets, spending time with his grandchildren, and was a member of the Baptist faith.

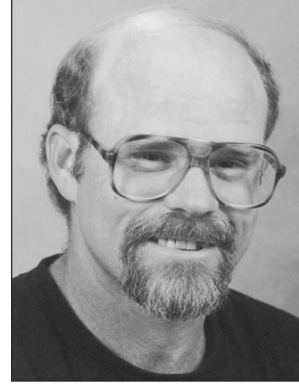
Survivors are: his wife of 41 years, Connie Ledington Pittman of Mt. Vernon; five sons, Jared Pittman of Belden, MS, and Karl Wayne, Ricky Glenn, Darrell, and Byran Dale Pittman, all of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Sharon Ginger Rodgers of Georgetown; three brothers, Stanley Pittman of Pine Hill, Rickey Pittman of Lexington, and Norman Pittman of Sand Springs; 14 grandchildren, David, Angela, Steven, Jared Jr., Shelby, Bridget, Shaylee, Kylee, Korbin, Zachery, Samantha, Kayla, Harley, and Blain; and one great grandchild, Haylie also survives.

Funeral services were held Sunday, May 19, 2013 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Bob Bradley officiating. Burial was in the Pittman Family Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Darrel Pittman, Gary Rodgers, Stanley Pittman, Norman Pittman, Ricky Pittman, and Byran Pittman.

Honorary pallbearers were: Karl Wayne Pittman, Ricky Glen Pittman, and Jared Pittman.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at [www.coxfuneralhomeky.com](http://www.coxfuneralhomeky.com)



## Bruce Wayne Shoemaker

Bruce Wayne Shoemaker, 58, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, May 9, 2013 at the UK Medical Center in Lexington. He was born in Dayton, OH May 24, 1954 the son of James Wesley and Derotha Jean Martin Shoemaker. He had been a landscaper and was a member of the Livingston Pentecostal Church.

He is survived by: his mother, Mrs. Jean Shoemaker of Mt. Vernon; a brother, Deric (Julie) Shoemaker of Dayton, OH; and a nephew and niece, Kyle James Shoemaker and Ariana Nicole Shoemaker, both of Dayton, OH. He was preceded in death by his father, James Shoemaker.

Memorial services were conducted Monday, May 20, 2013 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Wesley Earl Shoemaker.

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



## Carl Junior McClure

Carl Junior McClure, 64, of Brodhead, husband of Dorothy, died Friday at his residence. He was born in Mount Vernon, April 14, 1949, a son of the late Oscar and Opal Howard McClure. He attended Walnut Grove Church of Christ, enjoyed gardening, building and construction. On December 18, 1975 he was united in matrimony to Dorothy Rose Barron McClure.

He is survived by: his wife, Dorothy McClure of Brodhead; two children, Tammy Lynn McClure Fletcher (Mike Woodall) of Brodhead, and Carl Wayne McClure of Dayton, OH; one brother, Bobby McClure of Brodhead; two grandchildren, James Edward Fletcher, Jr., and Ashley Nicole Fletcher; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by two brothers, Charles McClure and Billy McClure and a sister, Wanda McClure Woodall.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, May 20, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Marvin Cromer officiating. Burial was in the Old Freedom Cemetery at Maretburg.

Casketbearers were: Buck Fletcher, Jerry Smith, T.J. Bussell, James Fletcher, Blake Lawson and Dusty Emerson.

Honorary casketbearers were: Danny Woodall, Bill Barrett and Henry Barron.

Expressions of sympathy can be made in the form of contributions to Carl Junior McClure's burial fund at Post Office Box 658, Brodhead, Kentucky 40409.

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



## Joyce Marie Hasty Mink

Joyce Marie Hasty Mink, 69 of Mount Vernon, wife of Dewey, died Thursday, May 16, 2013 at Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born August 11, 1943 in the Level Green Community of Rockcastle County, a daughter of the late Eugene and Gertrude Capps Hasty. She was a housewife, attended activities at the Rockcastle Adult Day Care facility, a member of Maple Grove Missionary Baptist Church and enjoyed music, crafts and playing bingo. On August 3, 1976 she was united in matrimony to Dewey Kermit Mink.

She is survived by: her husband, Dewey Kermit Mink of Mount Vernon; one brother, E.J. (Linda) Hasty of Lancaster; one sister, Mary Jane Hasty of Mount Vernon; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

She is preceded in death by: two brothers, Clyde Eugene Hasty and Billy Hasty; and two sisters, Ruth Ella Hasty Rucker and Ruby Mae Hasty Sparkman.

A memorial service was held Sunday, May 19, 2013 at the Maple Grove Missionary Baptist Church with Bro. Jerry Owens officiating.

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

# Cemetery Notices

## Maret Cemetery

The annual meeting for Maret Cemetery will be held Saturday, May 25th at the cemetery. 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.

## 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

### Celebration of Life



A celebration of the life of Lena Graves Gibson will be from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, May 25th at the Old Blue Springs School House. Light refreshments will be served. Please join family and friends to commemorate Lena.

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

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

The church will be keeping 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 upkeep of Oak Hill Cemetery. Anyone wishing to help 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.

## 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.

## Phelps Cemetery

Donations for the upkeep of Phelps Cemetery may be sent to: Everett Renner, c/o Phelps Cemetery, 712 Steep Hollow Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

## High Dry Cemetery

Donations for the upkeep of High Dry Cemetery should be sent to High Dry Cemetery Fund, c/o Coy Cromer, 1058 Rank Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456.

## McKinney Cemetery

McKinney Cemetery's Annual Potluck Dinner will be held on Sunday, May 26th. There will be a new president, alternate president and treasurer elected. The meeting will be at ap-

proximately 1 p.m. with dinner beforehand.

## Red Hill Cemetery

Please send donations for upkeep of the Red Hill Community Cemetery to Clifton Bond, 45 Mill St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 or to Dell F. Ponder, O.O. Box 238, Livingston, Ky. 40445.

### In Loving Memories



### In Memory of Donald Adams

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We all miss your presence, your laughter, your smiles and your wisdom. We miss it all.

You were called home early. We didn't have time to spend with you. No time to say goodbye or to tell you how much you'll be missed, or to tell you we'll always treasure all our times together always.

You were such a great person. You had no enemies, none. There wasn't any kid that knew you that didn't love you. That was such a special gift you gave to them. We will always remember you and keep you deep in our hearts. We will see you again some day. A great dad, grandpaw, person and the best friend anyone could ever have. We all miss and love you so very much.

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The Class of 1963 was present at the recent Brodhead Alumni Banquet. Members attending from that class were, front row, from left: Ruby Ellison Brock, Peggy Hopkins, Glenda Kirby Brown, Linda Bullock Burdette, Donna Gentry Cable, Rita Sutton Butler and Judy Harris Carter. Second row from left: Richard Owens, Charles Brummett, Virginia Livesay Wilson, Betty Lou Hamm Adams, Bonnie Deborde Overbay, Bob Colson and Raymond Brown. Third row from left: Judy Fletcher Walker, Ronnie Sowder, Eddie Reynolds, Steve Albright, Herbert Ray Adams, Carl Pingleton and Bruce Saylor. Fourth row from left: Billy Creech, Raymond Sargent, Gary King, Geneva Blanton Hall and Ralph Brock.



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**"Points East"**

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but I still bet he wins a ribbon at the County Fair!" And I was thinking, well there's one head of cabbage I won't have to worry about what to do with since we won't be making kraut.

**"Memories"**

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and making use of their pocketknives was an ordinary occurrence at Mt. Vernon Elementary School during the time when I was a student.

I am more grateful all the time that I grew up in an age in which no one had to fear a boy with a knife. Our generation actually had the luxury of coming of age during a time in which the only major fear we knew had nothing to do with violence or crime – it was the discipline meted out by our parents and teachers. It was

a time that is no more, and I am so glad that I was there.

(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.)

**"Letters"**

(Cont. from A2)

would just grow over and be lost forever.

Anyhow, thanks again to all who helped to make the 22nd Annual Open House a success!

Richard Duncan 20132  
GSP Management  
Committee, Chair

**Thanks to Judge and Fiscal Court...**

Dear Editor,

On behalf of the dozens of families who have received assistance from the Daniel Boone Chapter of the American Red Cross, I would like to publically thank County Judge Execu-

ive Buzz Carloftis and the members of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court for their generous donation to our organization. Over the past two years, the Red Cross has invested almost ten thousand dollars to help families who have experienced loss of their homes and possessions primarily to house fires in Rockcastle County alone. Moreover, the Daniel Boone Chapter assisted in helping victims of the tornado outbreak of 2012 in every community that was affected.

When most people think of the Red Cross, they imagine assistance to victims of major disasters such as Hurricane Katrina on the Gulf Coast or Tropical Storm Sandy in the northeastern United States.

Although the loss of one home isn't generally classified as a major disaster, it is just as devastating to the individual victims. When those smaller individual disasters occur, the Red Cross is just as responsive paying for lodging, clothing, and food for families who have lost everything until they can get back on their feet as they are to the victims of larger catastrophes.

Additionally, the Daniel Boone Chapter, which covers five counties, offers classes in Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation, water safety, and various courses in disaster response.

The Red Cross receives no funding from either the federal or state governments and relies entirely on donations to do its valuable work.

Again, my personal thanks and, in the name of the families who have received assistance, thank you.

Roger Coldiron  
Board of Directors,  
Daniel Boone Chapter of  
the American Red Cross

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	June 3 – 7	Lunch	11:30 – 12:30
RC Middle School 945 West Main Street Mount Vernon, KY 40456	May 28 – May 31 (NOT May 30)	Breakfast	7:45 – 8:15
	June 3 – 7	Lunch	11:30 – 12:30
Brodhead Elementary 27 School Street, Brodhead	May 29 and 31 Lunch ONLY	Lunch	11:30 – 12:30

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**Bookmobile Schedule**  
Tues., May 28th: Brodhead and Copper Creek. Wed., May 29th: Green Hill, Fairview, Lambert Road and Sweetwater Road.

**Clothes, Coffee and Refreshments**  
As part of the US 25 Yard Sale, scheduled for June 6, 7- and 8, Grateful Threadz will be open June 8, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Come join us for refreshments and clothing. If you have never shopped with us, this will be the perfect opportunity. And, while you're here, have a cookie and coffee on us.

**Class of 1983 Reunion**  
The RCHS Class of 1983 will hold their 30 year reunion June 22nd at 6 p.m. at Cedar Rapids. \$20 single and \$30 couples. Money may be taken to A Cut Above or mailed to Glenna Settles, 343 Barnett Rd., Brodhead, KY 40409.

**RCHS Class of 2003 Reunion**  
Please save the date! July 20th will be the Class of 2003's 10 year high school reunion. The event will be in the evening at the KY Music Hall of Fame. More information to come.

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

**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. Guest speakers for the Thursday, May 30th meeting will be David Bergman and Alvin Sharpe, possibly accompanied by Williamsburg Mayor Roddy Harrison. They will be speaking about the Williamsburg/Kiwanis partnership which created three playgrounds. Bergman and Sharpe are both on staff at the University of the Cumberlands.

**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.

**Letters to the Editor Policy**

Letters to the editor must be no more than 400 words without prior arrangements having been made. Letters are published in the order in which they are received as space permits. Letters must not contain libelous materials. Letters must be in the Signal office before 4 p.m. on Monday to be considered for that week's publication. All letters must include the author's name, signature, address and telephone numbers. Illegible letters will not be considered for publication. Letters not meeting these guidelines will neither be published nor returned to the author. For questions or to make arrangements for a letter exceeding the word limit, contact the editor at 256-2244.



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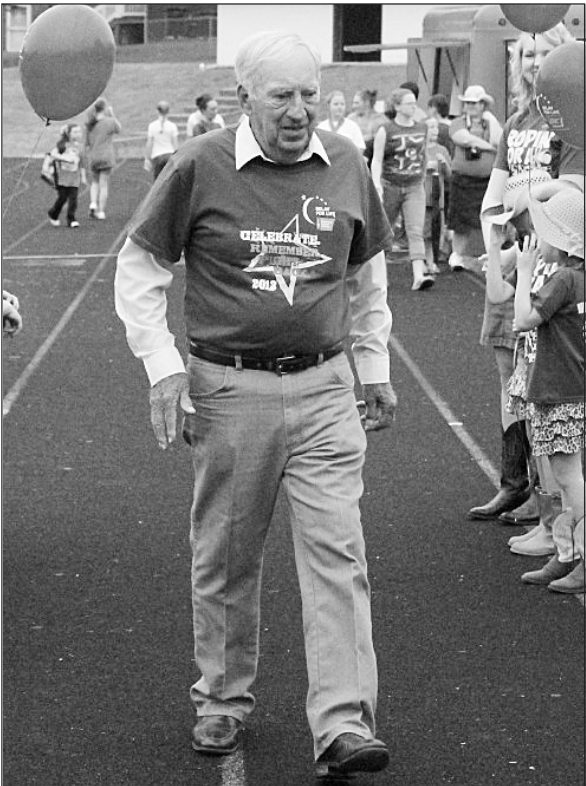
# Scenes from 2013 Relay for Life and Cancer Survivor Dinner



The Rockcastle Relay team sold 18 torches for the "Torch of Hope" which honors those whose lives were affected by cancer. The team also sold 250 luminaries this year as well.



Sixty-three cancer survivors and their families attended the Survivors Dinner and ceremony during Rockcastle County Relay for Life last Friday night.



Livingston cancer survivor Dell Ponder walking through the "cheer line" after having his name called at the Relay for Life event last Friday night.



The Bittersweet Cloggers were awarded the "Best Campsite" award at the Relay for Life event. The Bittersweet Cloggers were also the top fundraising team in the family and friends category, raising a total of \$4,246.63.



Kim Robinson and Lillie Hensley at the Relay for Life Survivors dinner



Roundstone Baptist Church provided and served the meal and provided entertainment for the Relay for Life Survivors dinner in the RCHS cafeteria last Friday night.



Lisa Rasor and Vaughn Rasor at the Relay for Life Survivors dinner last Friday night.



The Rockcastle County Relay for Life Cheerleaders performed for the crowd during the opening ceremony last Friday night.

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RAIN CANCELS



Citizens Bank Loan Officer and local "Pyromaniac" John Adams is shown firing up the grill at the Citizens Bank campsite last Friday night. Citizens Bank placed second in the top business fundraising teams with \$5,389.85. Mt. Vernon IGA placed first with \$6,200 and Rockcastle Family Wellness/Medical Arts placed third with \$3,034.60.

*Katie Hensley, Alyssa Allen in top 10 in long jump and triple jump*

# Senior Amy Johnson finishes as state runner-up in discus

Fresh off an impressive 3rd place performance at the Class 2A Region 5 Championships last Saturday at Boyle County, the RCHS

girls' track team qualified 8 athletes for the Class 2A State Track & Field Championships at the University of Louisville this past Friday.

Attempting to overcome the loss of nine high school athletes since the end of their very successful indoor season which saw them win their 6th indoor state title, the team finished 15th overall and were only a couple strong performances away from finishing in the top five teams at state.

The RCHS girls' 4 x 800-meter relay team got the meet started with an impressive team performance. With a group assembled for the race the week of region, freshman Ashley McKinney started the race with an awesome 2:38 lead leg. Sophomore Rachel Cain turned in an impressive leg of her own, finishing in a fast season's best 2:49. 8th grader Arie-anna Lawson, a relative newcomer to the event having only competed in it once before with almost no practice, ran a great 3rd leg in 2:49. 8th grader Sierra Mercer blistered the anchor leg with an exceptional time of 2:35, despite not having competed at that distance since the start of the season. The team finished 20th overall with a new season's best time of 10:52.17. Their time was an amazing improvement of over 10 seconds from the regional championships.

RCHS senior Amy Johnson came into the discus competition as the meet favorite after dominating the event at the regional championships. She also was the defending Class 2A state champion in the event having captured the state title in 2012. Despite some controversy with the digital measuring system which saw another contender add an unprecedented 25' to her best throw from region giving her the title, Amy finished as state runner-up with an awesome new career best throw of 115'1". The throw was originally measured at over 117' but was changed to 115'1" due to some sort of measuring malfunction. Her throw was also her best ever in state championship competition, improving by an impressive 7' over last year. Her great effort this season and at state also earned her 1st team all-state honors.

Amy also competed in the shot put competition at the state championships for the

second year in a row. She came through with another very impressive performance, placing 6th overall with a career state championship best throw of 32'8.25". Her all-time career best throw of 34'6" came earlier this outdoor season.

Amy ends her career as quite possibly the most consistent thrower in RCHS history. She won 5 state titles in both middle and high school in shot and discus. Having earned a full track scholarship, she will continue her academic and athletic career at Lindsey Wilson College in Columbia where she's expected to contend for conference titles throughout the duration of her career.

RCHS junior Alyssa Allen qualified for the state championship finals in triple jump with a season's best performance. With several outstanding jumps in the competition, Alyssa placed 9th overall with a very impressive state championship meet career best jump of 33'1". In her first state championship appearance in the long jump competition, Alyssa placed 17th overall with a great jump of 14'9". Alyssa will be a strong contender for the state titles in her events next season.

8th grader Katelynn Hensley also had several

great jumps and qualified for the state championship finals in the long jump competition. She placed an impressive 7th overall with a career best state

championship meet jump of 16'1.75", less than 4" from her personal best. Katelynn also finished 11th in triple

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The RCHS girls' 4 x 800-meter relay team finished 20th overall with a new season's best time of 10:52.17 at the Class 2A State Track and Field Championships held at the University of Louisville this past Friday. Their time was an improvement of over 10 seconds from the regional championships. Team members from left are: 8th grader Arie-anna Lawson, 8th grader Sierra Mercer, freshman Ashley McKinney, and sophomore Rachel Cain.



RCHS senior Amy Johnson finished as state runner-up in the discus competition with a new career best throw of 115'1". Her throw was also her best ever in state championship competition, improving by an impressive 7' over last year. Her great effort this season and at state also earned her 1st team all-state honors.



8th graders Arie-anna Lawson (left) and Sierra Mercer complete a baton exchange going into the final leg of the girls' 4 x 800-meter relay state final.



RCHS freshman Ashley McKinney running lead leg of the girls' 4 x 800-meter relay at the Class 2A State Track and Field Championships.



RCHS sophomore Rachel Cain running second leg of the girls' 4 x 800-meter relay at the Class 2A State Track and Field Championships.



At Class 2A State, 8th grader Katelynn Hensley qualified for the finals and placed 7th in long jump with a career best state championship meet jump of 16'1.75". Katelynn also finished 11th in triple jump with a career best state championship jump of 32'6.75".



On Wednesday May 16, Samantha Payne signed a National Letter of Intent to continue her fast pitch softball career with the University of the Cumberlands. Samantha a.k.a. "Sam" has been a vital player for the Lady Rocket softball team during her career. Her athletic abilities are evenly matched with her team leadership skills. Pictured are, from left: Helen Abney (aunt), Scott Payne (father), Sam, and Sandra Burke (mother). Back row from left: Nick Williams (RCHS Assistant Coach), Angie Dean (University of the Cumberlands Head Coach), Matt Brown (RCHS Head Coach), and Vanessa Bowling (RCHS Assistant Coach).



The 2013 Rockcastle County Middle School Fast Pitch Softball A team won the Commonwealth Middle School Athletic Conference Tournament. The team finished the season with a 23-5 record. They were undefeated during conference play, which also gave them the regular season championship. Pictured are, front row, from left: Tiffany Fain, Mahala Saylor, Jayna Albright, and Brittany Wright. Second row from left: Breonya Napier, Brook Combs, Bailey Chasteen, Emme Barker and Savannah Smith. Back row from left: Coach Garry Fain, Lauryn Carpenter, Kristin Holcomb, Courtney Wren and Coach Steve Holcomb. *Congratulations on a job well done!*



The 2013 Rockcastle County Middle School Fast Pitch B team finished in second place during the Commonwealth Middle School Athletic Conference Season. The team had an overall record of 10 wins and 4 losses and finished the conference with a 6-1 record. Pictured are, front row from left: Lindsey Mahaffey, Katelyn Smith, Rachel Carroll, Breonya Napier, Brook Combs, Katelyn Allen and Savannah Goff. Back row from left: Coach Garry Fain, Statistician Mark Carpenter, Brook Smithern, Lauryn Carpenter, Jordyn Powell, Courtney Wren, Kristin Holcomb, Bailey Chasteen, Makayla Pennington and Coach Steve Holcomb. *Congratulations girls on a successful season.*



# “Track”

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jump with a career best state championship jump of 32'6.75", less than two inches away from her personal best. As with Alyssa, Katelynn should be a strong contender for state titles in the jumping events throughout her high school career.

RCHS freshman Tori Phillips came into the state meet tied for 4th after her career best jump of 4'10" at regional competition. With a starting height of 4'8" at the state meet, which is 4" to 6" higher than the usual starting

height at meets all season, many competitors did not clear the opening height. Tori had several outstanding attempts at 4'8" but came up just short of clearance. She's expected to easily surpass 5' next season and contend for the state title for the next three years.

The RCMS girls' track team will compete at state this weekend. The girls have lost only once all season long and captured their 7th indoor state title in March. They face some very stiff competition from several schools including Murray Middle from Western Kentucky, the defending middle school state

champions from a year ago and the favorite for the outdoor team title on Saturday.

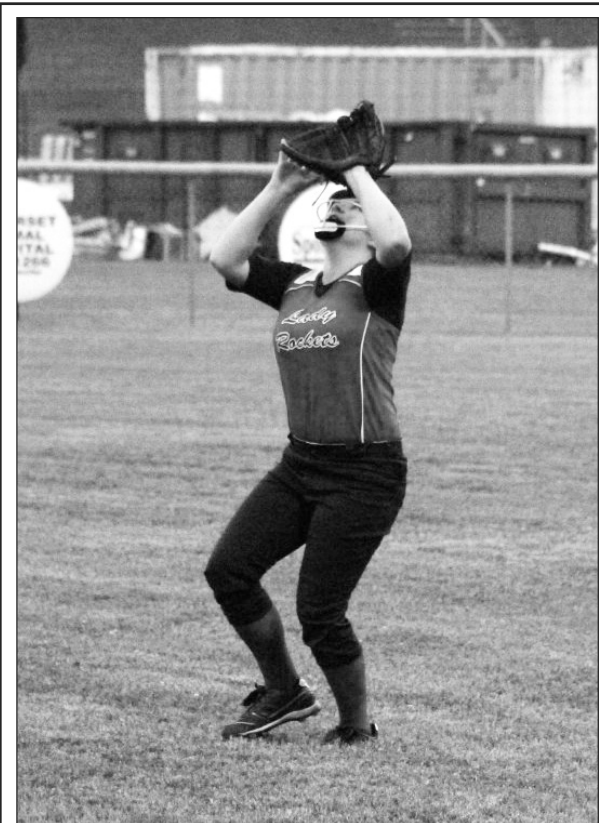
RCMS has some of the best middle school girls in the state with several ranked in the top ten in their events. Katelynn Hensley is ranked 1st in long jump and 2nd in triple jump among all middle schoolers in the state of Ken-

tucky. Jennifer Mercer is ranked 3rd in long jump, but unfortunately only one competitor from each team may compete in the state meet. Jennifer is also ranked 5th in the state in the 300-meter hurdles and should be a state title contender for the 100-meter hurdles and 100-meter dash as well. Mikaela Sadler

is tied for 4th in pole vault heading into state even though she's only recently picked up the event. Sierra Mercer is ranked 10th in the 200-meter dash and Katelynn Hensley a close 11th. Sierra should also be a strong contender for the state title in the 400-meter dash. The 4 x 400-meter relay team is ranked

3rd. Several other RCMS competitors and relays are ranked in the top twenty in their events and will look to get into the scoring column.

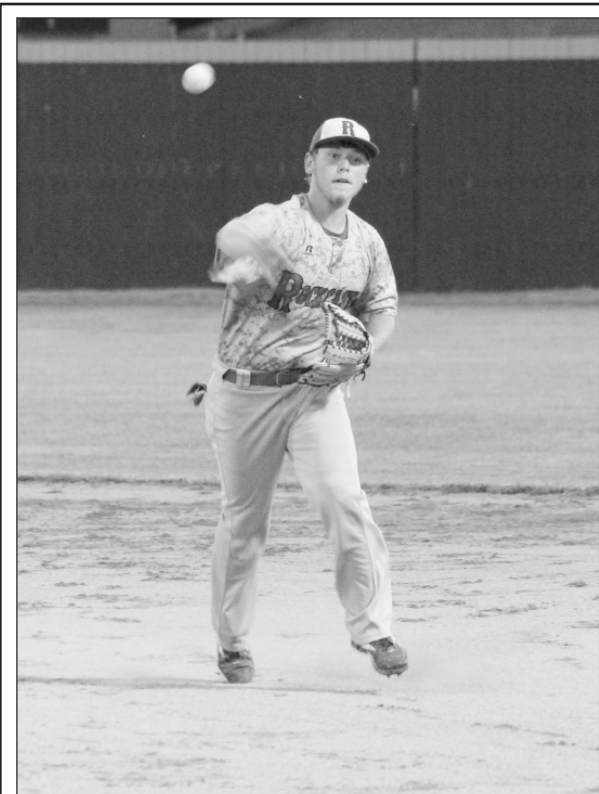
The Middle School State Track and Field Championships will be held at the University of Louisville this Saturday, May 25 beginning at 10:00 am.



Kayla Cromer waits for a flyball during the Lady Rockets 12-5 district win over the Somerset Lady Briar Jumpers Monday night.



Devon McGuire takes a base after getting hit by a pitch during Monday night's district tournament loss to the Pulaski County Maroons.



RJ Smith makes a throw to first during Monday night's 6-5 district tournament loss to the Pulaski County Maroons.



Gage Reynolds is shown laying down a bunt during Monday night's 6-5 district tournament loss. The Rockets were ahead of the Pulaski County Maroons 5-2 going into the bottom of the 7th inning when the Maroons scored four runs.



The 2013 Rockcastle County Middle School Baseball team won the Commonwealth Middle School Athletic Conference Tournament last week. The team finished the season with an 18-1 record. They also were the regular season conference champions. Pictured are, front row, from left: coach Scott Smith, Thomas Burdette, Austin Saylor, Isaac McClure, Peyton Saylor, Jayden Payne, Anthony Houk, Carson Noble, Dustin Taylor and Gavin Isaacs. Back row from left: Brady Lear, Hunter Rigby, Ryan Martin, Blake King, Jordan Smith, Tommy Benge, Michael Tomlinson, Lucas Gentry, Isaiah Mercer, Eldon Simpson, Nick Dillingham, Brent Lovell and James Isaacs.



Hannah Childress hit a three run homerun during the second inning of the Lady Rockets district win against Somerset Monday night to make the score 8-0. The Lady Rockets ended up winning the game 12-5. Hannah's teammates gathered at home plate to congratulate Childress.

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A good crowd was on hand for Save-A-Lot's 2nd annual Old Fashion Days. The two-day event honored Mothers and school employees.



A cruise-in was part of the weekend's festivities at Save-A-Lot's Old Fashion Days Mother's Day weekend.



The Kentucky Romp and Stomp cloggers performed during the Old Fashion Days at Save-A-Lot.



Yard Sales and flea markets were a part of Old Fashion Days.



Hancock Brothers BBQ pit was on hand during Old Fashion Days at Save-A-Lot.



"Grandma's on Walkers" Melissa Cotton and Ginger Taylor entertained the crowd with their dance moves during Old Fashion Days.

# Absolute Auction

of  
52 Acre Farm in Tracts  
Truck, Tractor, Farm Equipment  
and Personal Property

**Saturday, May 25th, 2013 at 10:30 a.m.**

**Silver Star Road – Somerset, KY**

**DIRECTIONS:** Turn off Old Hwy 461 (near the Jack Shack) and go to the bottom of the hill and turn left onto Elrod Road. Proceed 2/10 miles to Silverstar Road and turn right. Proceed to the auction. Auction signs are posted.

The owner of this farm resides out of state and no longer has need for this property. He has authorized our firm to offer this property and equipment at absolute auction.

Tract #1 has a total of 12.24 acres. This tract is improved with a cattle barn measuring approximately 44'x 33'. This tract is mostly cleared with a small amount of woodland.

Tract #2 measures 1.50 acres and would be an excellent tract for a cattle/horse operation. The main barn measures approximately 120'x40' and is fully insulated and vented. It also has a full bath and 1/3 of the barn is concrete. There is a storage room, office area and a covered attached porch (10'x40').

Tract #3 is improved with a 80'x30' ft barn and has a total of 12.31 acres. This tract is all cleared and is mostly fenced.

Tract #4 through Tract #7 measure 1.72 to 2.29 acres. These tracts front Silver Star Road and would be ideal building tracts with that additional space. They offer great farm views!

Tract #8 is a combination of cleared land and woodland. This 18.07 acres of land offers tranquil settings along the creek running through the back of this tract. This tract would be ideal for either farming, camping, hunting or just relaxing in one of the most serene spots in the county.

**VEHICLE:** 2003 F350 Ford truck, power stroke, V8 turbo diesel, 4-door, flatbed dually-5 speed, 4x4 with 114,684 miles.

**TRACTOR** – Kubota M7040 tractor, 4x4 with cab and front end loader, model LA 1153, 326 hours.

**FARM MACHINERY:** Land Pride heavy duty rotary mower, 8 ft \* Priefert ranch equipment head catcher automatic and manual \* Priefert cattle handling facility \* hay spear \* hay chute \* True test cattle scales (like new) \* Back pack spray \* 25 gallon battery sprayer \* 50 gallon 3 point hitch spray \* rock rake \* 3 pt hitch seeder \* wheel barrow \* pressure washer \* battery jump box \* Cattle tags and banding supplies \* Field mast post hole digger \* 300 gallon Rubbermaid cattle water \* feed troughs \* bucket hay spear \* creep feeder \* drain pipe \* floor jack \* chains \* chain saws \* Weed eaters \* grinder \* various garent tools \* aluminum wheels \* various hand tools and farm supplies \* Fiberglass electric fence post \* gate \* electric fence charer \* solar fence charger \* lumber \* 25 +/- round hay bales \* tool box.

**PERSONAL PROPERTY:** GE stove \* GE refrigerator \* GE dishwasher \* Maytag washer and dryer \* antique brass bed \* metal shelves \* cleaning supplies \* desk \* metal cabinet \* mirror \* office chair \* dorm size fridge \* grinder \* gas grills (one Webber gas grill) \* plus various other items.

**AUCTIONEERS NOTE:** Country living at it's best and some of the most beautiful views available! These small tracts are hard to find! Choose the tract that best fits your needs or you may choose to purchase the entire farm of 52.08 Acres! Make plans now to attend this absolute auction on May 25th, 2013.

**TERMS:** Real Estate: 20% deposit the day of the auction with the balance due in 30 days. Truck, Tractor & Equipment: These items must be paid for in full the day of the auction. We will accept cash, check, VISA/Mastercard in full. All credit sales are subject to a 3% processing fee.

**NOTE:** This will be a multi-parcel absolute auction, giving each and every prospective purchaser the ability to purchase any or all tracts or combination of tracts.

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## Last Day of School

The last day of school is this Friday, May 24th.

The Rockcastle County High School and Middle School will dismiss at 11:00 a.m. Please adjust your schedule for this early dismissal.

## “School”

(Cont. from front)

enroll and, two semesters later, heard that the student was doing great. “This is one success story,” Isaacs said. If a student was enrolled in the district, dropped out and then obtained their GED, they would not be included in drop-out rate numbers.

Isaacs went on to say that the school realizes that “one size does not fit all in education. We have to focus on each individual student. We are not an assembly line.”

Brodhead Principal Caroline Graves noted that her school had been making an effort to recognize problems early and help students with them so that “frustration and a feeling of helplessness doesn’t begin in elementary school.”

Instead of individual tokens of appreciation to the board members, for School Board Appreciation Week,” Pensol told the board that it had been decided to establish, in the board’s name, a \$250 scholarship.

During the meeting, the first award of the scholarship was made to Jessica Thacker, who plans to attend the University of the Cumberland where she will be a pharmacy major.

Finance Officer Melanie Lyons presented the board with the tentative working budget for 2013-14. “This is the first true picture of our financial condition, since we have absolutely no outside money included.” Lyons was referring to the \$800,000 which came into the system for several years from federal stimulus funds.

She went on to tell the board that schools, especially Mt. Vernon, would receive more technology equipment from capital outlay funds which, if the board doesn’t spend this year, will have to be escrowed for future construction projects. Lyons said that \$148,000 had been set aside for the Kisbet assessment but the board had received word that the amount would not be that high, giving the board the opportunity to use the funds for more technology.

Lyons also said that the board’s contingency fund would be between 8-10%, under the new budget. The state mandates a 2% fund and recommends 5% so the board is still in good shape in this area.

She also reported that the board presently has \$3.2 million in the bank. “We have had some reduction in revenue (reduced interest rates and a reduction in tax revenue from \$1.9 million to \$1.8 million) but our expenses have also gone down.”

The board has reduced staff significantly and, on question, Supt. Pensol said that he hoped to get staff costs down to 72-75% of the budget instead of 85% as it was during this school year.

## “Council”

(Cont. from front)

Water told Bryant that the taste seemed the same as other city’s water supply and the Rural Water representative said it was the best Mt. Vernon’s water had tasted in the 17 years he had been personally tasting it.

Bryant did concede that the problem was worse at certain times of the year. “There are transition periods after build up of the algae which thrive in cooler weather. The fall and spring are the most pronounced time for a change in the taste and odor.”

He said the water department began using a new product last August called Earth Tec and it had been a “wonder product” which improved the taste and allowed the cutback of chlorine and charcoal in the system.

Bryant emphasized that the water is safe. “We test the fire out of it and never stop working on it,” he said.

He also pointed out that the water plant has a “pretty good” infiltration system and the new intake system, installed a few years ago, allows plant operators to draw from the top, center and bottom of the lake, depending on where tests show the water is best.

“We’re doing all we can everyday. We appreciate the concern of citizens and want people to have a voice. Everyone is welcome to come to council meetings,” Bryant said.

During the meeting, the council held the first reading of the 2013-14 budget.

The budget shows \$7,468,615 in total cash and revenues for the coming year with \$6,258,168 in appropriations and a total carryover in all funds of \$1,210,447.

The biggest item in the budget is \$2,600,000 in a

loan and grant from the Kentucky Infrastructure for the new water tank system project. At Monday night’s meeting, the council approved Resolution #2013-2 which is an Assistance Agreement between Kentucky Infrastructure Authority and the city. This allows the city to access funds to pay for the water tank project. Bills are coming in for preliminary work on the project.

The city received a grant for over \$900,000 for the \$2.6 million project with the rest repayable in 20 years at 1% interest.

On the revenue side, the city expects to take in \$1,049,000 from taxes, \$2,113,000 from water department revenue and \$480,000 from sewer revenue.

Operating costs budgeted for the general fund include \$718,075 for the police department, \$1,325,675 for water department operation and maintenance and \$425,925 for sewer department operation and maintenance.

The mayor gave the council an update on the water tank project. He said the work was actually on a “pretty fast track.”

During the discussion, the council gave the mayor the authority to negotiate for the purchase of land, near Northside Baptist Church, needed for a new tank. Bryant said the city had offered \$30,000 for the 2.4-2.5 acre site but it was appraised for \$36,000 and the owners, David Bishop and son, Chris, had agreed to take \$35,000. Bryant said geological and core samples had been taken from the site and the results had been received. The engineering company has asked for more time to study the results before purchase of the property. “The engineering firm says the results look good but have asked for time to study them more,” Bryant said. “We have to have the greenlight from the engineers before purchase.”

The city will have to come up with the funds for purchase of the property from city funds but, Bryant said that money set aside for valve replacement at the water plant, and not used, can be diverted to purchase the property. “We may have enough funds left from the \$2.6 million project to replace the funds,” Josh Bray, Tax Administrator said.

## “Relay”

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year as well.

A total of twelve teams participated in the event and thirty-five people participated in the “Hope has no Curfew” by staying all night at the event.

Those teams that won awards were: Best Campsite – Bittersweet Cloggers; Best T-shirt design – Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church and Team Spirit Award – Mt. Vernon IGA.

The overall top fundraising team was Rockcastle Regional Hospital with a total of \$6,812.84.

In the business category, the top three fundraising teams were Mt. Vernon IGA with \$6,200, Citizens Bank with \$5,389.85 and Rockcastle Family Wellness/Medical Arts with \$3,034.60.

The top fundraising team in the family and friends category was the Bittersweet Cloggers with \$4,246.63.

In the church category the top two fundraising teams were Hickory Grove Pentecostal Church with \$1,777.41 and Conway Baptist Church with \$1,170.09.

Rockcastle Relay for Life Coordinator Melissa Brock said she would like to thank everyone who donated money and worked hard in making Relay for Life a huge success in Rockcastle County.

“We had great success with the event despite the rainy weather,” Brock said. “To exceed our goal with the rainy conditions was fantastic and we couldn’t have been happier with the results of the event.”

## “Festival”

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Nite” at Dari Delite at 6 p.m.

Friday night’s entertainment will feature Old Town Project Bluegrass Band at 6 p.m. and The Medley Boys at 8 p.m.

Events scheduled for Saturday are the Brodhead Hustle at 8:30 am followed by the Kentucky Romp and

Stomp Cloggers at 11 a.m. This year’s festival will also feature a Motorcycle Poker Run beginning at 10 a.m.

This year’s parade is scheduled for 5 p.m. with line-up beginning at 4 p.m. at Brodhead Elementary School.

Several groups are scheduled to perform on Saturday including: Jake Vanover at 1 p.m., Carol Doan Band and Friends at 2 p.m., a Shaolin Do Karate demonstration at 3 p.m., Bittersweet Cloggers at 4 p.m., Level Green at 6 p.m. and Wild River Band at 8 p.m.

The Brodhead Homecoming Festival Committee invites everyone out for a weekend that will be fun for the entire family.

For more information about the festival or to reserve a booth, contact Brodhead City Hall at (606)-758-8635.

## “Hustle”

(Cont. from front)

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@rhcc.org.

## “Indicted”

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lawful taking. His bond was set at \$25,000 cash property.

Brittany N. Fowler, 20 and Megan Stewart, 19, both of 1275 Walker Pike, Paint Lick, were indicted for complicity to burglary and two counts of complicity to theft by unlawful taking. Both their bonds were set at \$20,000 cash/property.

Nathan R. Brummett, 29 of 2307 Bowling Ridge Road, Brodhead and Adrian

B. Feltner, 28, of 5130 Copper Creek Road, Crab Orchard were named in a joint indictment. Both men were indicted for Theft by Unlawful Taking and Criminal Mischief, first degree and both their bonds were set at \$25,000 cash/property.

## “Storms”

(Cont. from front)

CSEPP Director Hal Holbrook said they didn’t receive any other reports of structure damage but he said they did receive reports of fallen trees and limbs across roadways throughout the county. He said the storm also uprooted trees at Quail Park on Hwy 70 and other residences throughout the county as well.

Holbrook went on to say they didn’t receive any reports of downed power lines but he said the storm caused the traffic light on Town Hill in Mt. Vernon to go out. He said police had to direct traffic temporarily Tuesday afternoon until crews were able to fix the signal.

Local weatherman Bud Cox reported .02 inches of rain in Mt. Vernon but he said areas of the county toward Livingston received more rain. The National Weather Service at Jackson, Kentucky also reported wind gusts of 45 to 50 mph in Rockcastle County during the storm.

## Donations needed for Negro Creek Cemetery

Thank you for your past support. We are asking once again for your support to help keep the cemetery mowed, trimmed, etc.

As you know, interest rates are very low and we want to continue keeping the cemetery looking good.

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# CHURCH NEWS

## 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.

6:30 to 9:30 nightly. Call 256-9204 for more information. There will be good singing and a wonderful time in the Lord.

## Singing at Park

Bro. Gordon Mink and The Praise Singers will be at Triangle Park in Mt. Vernon on Sunday, June 2nd at 6 p.m. The public is invited. The event will be rescheduled in case of rain.

## VBS at Mareburg

Vacation Bible School will be held June 9-14 at Mareburg Baptist Church, 413 Cedar Rapids Road, Mt. Vernon.

Colossal Coaster World, Facing Fear - Trusting God will be the theme.

For transportation, call 256-5278 or 392-1205.

## Gospel Singing

There will be a Gospel Singing at Berea Gospel Tabernacle, U.S. 25, Berea, on Saturday, June 8th at 7 p.m. The Smith Sisters will be singing. Ralph Chasteen, pastor, and members welcome everyone.

## Bible School at

**Brindle Ridge Baptist**  
Bible School will be held at Brindle Ridge Baptist Church May 26-31 from

## Upcoming Reunions

### Mize Reunion

The Mize Family Reunion will be held Saturday, May 25th at noon at the Pongo Volunteer Fire Department. For more information, call Danny at 606-308-1432.

good food, good gospel music and fellowship. For more information, call Lyla Powell at 453-9410.

### French Reunion

The French Family Reunion will be held at the Renfro Valley Shelter on Sun., May 26th, beginning at noon. Bring a covered dish and come on down. For information, call 320-753-4132.

### Ambrose Reunion

The Ambrose Family Reunion will be Sunday, June 2nd at the home of Roxie Ambrose in Scaffold Cane. Dinner will be served at 1 p.m. Family and friends are invited to attend. Bring a covered dish and lawn chair.

### Thacker Reunion

The Thacker Family Reunion will be held Saturday, June 8th, from noon to 2, at Roundstone Baptist Church. Bring a covered dish. All family and friends invited.

### Mullins Reunion

The Mullins Reunion will be held May 25th at the Great Saltpetre Cave Shelter House. Bring a covered dish and come to enjoy



The same storm system that brought an EF5 tornado to Moore, Oklahoma on Monday made its way to Rockcastle Tuesday afternoon, bringing straight-line winds and scattered heavy rains. CSEPP Director Hal Holbrook said they received numerous reports of fallen trees and limbs across roadways throughout the county. Shown above is a tree across the roadway on Mt. Zion Road near Oak Hill Cemetery in Brindle Ridge. The National Weather Service at Jackson reported wind gusts of 45 to 50 mph in the county during the storm.



### 1st Place...

Kara Bullock, 8, daughter of Warren and Brenda Bullock of Brodhead and granddaughter of Lee and Sue Bullock of Orlando, won the Youth Class outright in the state's largest shooting match recently. Kara won the Bluegrass Balloon Bust held at Buckcreek Gun Club, Whetstone, Ky. Shooters from eight states competed in the match. Kara shot a .223 Cal. Savage LRPV at 200 yards. She also tied with eight adults for first place in the adult class and placed 5th in the tie breaker match. Thanks to George Colman and Jackie Stogsdill for all their work in putting on this large a match. For more info about the match, call George Colman at 606-256-3435 or Jackie Stogsdill at 606-382-5152. Kara, in the middle of the above photo, is shown with the 2nd and 3rd place winners of the Youth Class.



Emma Smith, 11, took her first turkey during this year's Youth Hunt. The bird weighed 21 lbs., had an 11 inch beard and 1 inch spurs.


## To His Mother

Submitted by Pauline Kincer Tackett who received this poem on Mother's Day from her daughter-in-law  
"Mother-in-law" they say, and yet,  
Somehow I simply can't forget  
"Twas you who watched his baby ways,  
Who taught him his first hymn of praise,  
Who smiled on him with loving pride  
When he first toddled lby your side;  
And as I think of this today,  
Methinks I would much rather say, just "Mother."  
"Mother-in-law" but oh, "twas you  
Who taught him to be kind and true;  
When he was tired, almost

asleep,  
"twas to your arms he used to creep;  
And when he'd bruised his tiny knee,  
"Twas you who kissed it tenderly;  
When he was sad you cheered him, too,  
And so I'd rather speak of you as "Mother."  
"Mother-In-Law" they say, and yet  
Somehow I never shall forget  
How very much to you I owe  
Because you taught him how to grow  
You trained your son to look above;  
You made of him the man I love,  
And so I think of that today  
Ah! with thankful heart, I'll say  
"our Mother."

Marvin and Amy McKinney are proud to announce the birth of their son, Marvin Riley. God b l e s s e d Daddy and Mommy with Riley on March 13, 2013. He weighed 7 lbs., 4 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Mabel Prewitt and the late J.M. Prewitt. Paternal grandparents are Cecil and Joyce McKinney.








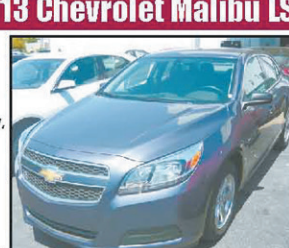
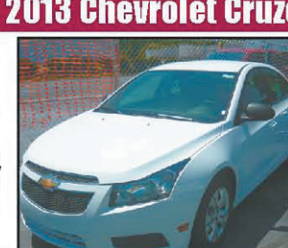





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# News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



## Circuit Civil Suits

Southern Tax Services LLC vs. Dennis R. McGuire, et al, \$1,437.52 plus claimed due.  
 Cabinet for Health and Family Services vs. Paul B. Renner, et al, complaint for medical support.  
 Rhonda K. Lunsford vs. Steven B. Lunsford, petition for dissolution of marriage.  
 Kelly Renee McClure vs. Stephen Joe McClure, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00109

## Deeds Recorded

Fannie Mae, property on Sand Springs Road, to John D. Tyler. No tax  
 Fiona Sargent, property in Rockcastle County, to John W. and Emily D. Dyehouse. Tax \$115.  
 Norma Jean Wallin, property on Negro Creek Road, to Delroy and Janet Bishop. Tax \$1.  
 Dianne H. Gibbs, Trustee, property in Pine Valley Estates, to William and Lisa Maples. Tax \$8.  
 Dianne H. Gibbs, Trustee, property in Pine Valley Estates, to John Thomas Hunter III and Rhonda Lane Hunter. Tax \$8  
 Paul and Connie Pearson, property on U.S. 421, to Kevin and Yvonne Cain. Tax \$55  
 Joseph David and Glenda Mott, et al, property in Cedar Point Subdv., to Donald and Phyllis Parrett. Tax \$20  
 Chester Rose, property on Copper Creek Road, to Mattie Miller. No tax  
 Doris Dillingham, property on Skeggs Creek Road, to Perry and Amy Mink

Properties LLC. Tax \$12.50  
 Casey and Tracy Lynn Shelton, property near Conway, to Joe and Arie Shelton. No tax.  
 Melanie R. Fain, John T. Renner and Lynda M. Renner, property in Owens Subdv., to Jerry and Gwen Carter. Tax \$28.  
 Michael and Cindy Freson, property near Conway to Michael R. and Jacqueline S. Yelton. No tax  
 Livingston Baptist Church Trustees, property in Livingston to Tina Tyree. Tax \$22.50.  
 Robert L. Witt IV and Crystal L. Witt, property in Rockcastle County, to Norma Jean Witt. No tax  
 Linda S. and Denver Burton, property in Albright Subdv., to Curtis and Megan Burton. No tax  
 RCIDA, property in Rockcastle Business Park South, to Health Help Inc. Tax \$75.  
 Jeanny and Johnny Baldwin, et al, property on Old Brodhead Road, to Teresa L. and Billy McLemore. Tax \$100.  
 Carolyn and Harold Evans, et al, property on Purr Rigsby Road, to Charles Ronald and Melody Lynn Hurd. Tax \$25.  
 Betty Coldiron, et al, property on Somerset Road, to Billy Rovy and Shirley Cummins. Tax \$20.  
 William E. and Anita J. Nation, property in Hunters Ridge Subdv., to Christopher and Marisa Albright. Tax \$10  
 Charles Ronald and Melody Lynn Hurd, property on Purr Rigsby Road, to David and Louise Weathers. Tax \$0c  
 Bob and Rosa Sowders, property on Horse Lick Creek Road, to Legacy Holdings LLC. Tax \$6  
 Carter Family Trust, property in Rockcastle County, to Jerry D. Capital

Ltd. Tax \$45  
 Ruth Holman and Gina and David Howard, property in Rockcastle County, to Zachary Tyler Holman. Tax 50c.

## Marriage Licenses

Amanda Beth Cook, 28, Beattyville, nurse to Henry Lee Cromer, Brodhead, respiratory therapist. 5/10/13  
 Samantha Marie Smith, 22, Mt. Vernon, SRNA to Jonathan Dean Gadd, 22, Mt. Vernon, NACCO. 5/11/13  
 Christina Sue Begley, 24, Mt. Vernon, housewife to Donovan Dean McGuire, 38, Mt. Vernon, delivery truck driver. 5/13/13  
 Tami Ann White, 51, Crab Orchard, housewife to Ralph Knight, 66, Crab Orchard, safety engineer. 5/13/13

## District Court

May 13-15, 2013  
**Hon. Kathryn G. Wood**  
 Walter B. Abrams: probation violation hearing, 10 days in jail/balance of 180 days probated on condition.  
 Connie F. Baker: failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine.  
 Speeding: Brenda L. Barron, \$20 fine and costs; Keith A. Marshall, \$30 fine and costs; Paul W. Richardson III, license suspended for fta;  
 Jason B. Tucker: fines/fees due (\$283), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.  
 Crystal J Stewart: theft of services, 180 days/probated 24 months on condition plus full restitution, cost, fees.  
 Cristen M. Smith: public intoxication, theft by unlawful taking, possession con-

trolled substance, illegal possession of legend drug, bw issued for fta.

Norman L. Scales: speeding, \$62 plus costs; possession of marijuana, \$100 fine.

Robert E. Evans: wanton endangerment, 90 days/probated 12 months on condition, forfeit firearm, costs and fees.

Johnathan R. Gross: terroristic threatening, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs; harassing communications, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition/costs merged; drug paraphernalia, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition.

Wendy E. Hensley: no operators/moped license, \$50 fine and costs.

Andrew S. Hurley: careless driving, \$25 fine and costs.

James C. Linville: fines/fees due (\$163), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

David W. Lunceford: criminal mischief, bw issued for fta.

Jamie C. Medley: fines/fees due (\$523), bw issued for fta/11 days in jail or payment in full.

William J. Palumbo: possession of marijuana, \$100 fine; drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, \$100 fine and costs.

David L. Pigg, Jr: fines/fees due (\$103), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or payment in full.

Scottie Dale Renner: fines/fees due (\$156), convert to 16 hours community service work.

Jimmy R., Sellers: following another vehicle too closely, \$25 fine; improper flashing lights, \$25 fine and costs.

Anthony L. Brown: speeding, \$30 fine; possession of marijuana, \$100 fine; operating on sus-

pending/revoked operators license, \$100 fine and costs.

Penny L. Caldwell: theft by deception, 10 days/probated 24 months on condition plus restitution, fees and costs.

John Mark Coyle: theft by deception (three counts), receiving stolen property, theft by unlawful taking, contempt of court (two counts), bw issued for fta.

Trinia A. Nicely: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, \$200 fine and costs, \$375 service fee, 30 days operator license suspension/ADE authorized plus bond fee.

Maranda N. Richard: fines/fees due (\$708), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Jimmy D. Robbins: alcohol intoxication in public place, \$50 fine and costs.

Darrell McCoy Blackburn: possession controlled substance/2nd degree, 120 days/probated 12 months on condition; possession controlled substance/3rd degree, 30 days/

consecutive/probated 12 months on condition plus costs.

Lonnie Blankenship: no-expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, failure to produce insurance card, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta)/license suspended.

Julie Mae Cromer: failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, bw issued for fta.

Donald E. Damrell: fines/fees due (\$233), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Robert T. Garner: fines/fees due (\$208), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Jonathan E. Graves: fines/fees due (\$778), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full.

Brittany N. Hobbs: possession of marijuana, public intoxication, tampering with physical evidence, bw issued for fta.

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## Auction of Mr. & Mrs. Steve Towery's

### House - 79 Acres - Barn - Shed Milk Parlor - Farm Machinery

Saturday, May 25th at 10:00 a.m.

Roundstone section of Rockcastle Co., KY

**Location:** Seven miles north of Mt. Vernon; Seven miles south of Berea. Turn off of US 25 near Roundstone School and Grace Baptist Church onto Grace Loop Road. Go about 3/10 mile to the property. Auction signs are posted.

Mr. and Mrs. Towery are now living in Alabama and contracted our firm to offer this farm for the high dollar.

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**Tract 1:** Containing approximately 1/2 acre and is improved with the two story frame house. The house has living room/dining room combination, bedroom or office, family room, utility room and bath downstairs and three bedrooms and a bath upstairs. It also has gas furnace heat, central air, vinyl siding and carpet. In addition, there's also an unfinished basement, RECC electric and county water.



**Tract 2:** Has 28.67 acres of mostly productive cropland. In addition, there's a 36x72 hay and machinery shed, barn with loafing shed and milk parlor and 36x40 manure stack pad.



**Tract 3:** 50 acres with about 20 - 25 acres of farm land and the balance in woods. There are no buildings on this tract. Tract 3 does not join Tracts 1 and 2.



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**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 a lead-based paint. The period for inspection begins May 15th through May 24th. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10-day post sale inspection period.



**Auctioneer's Note:** If you're looking for a country home or good farmland, then make plans to attend this auction on Saturday, May 25th at 10:00 a.m.

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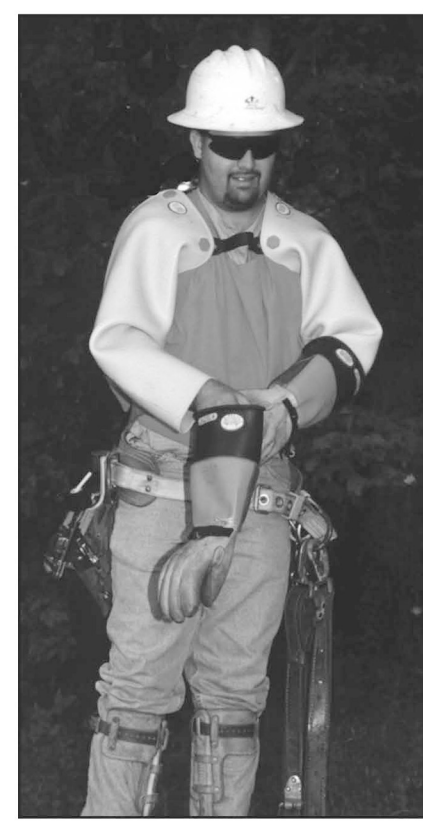
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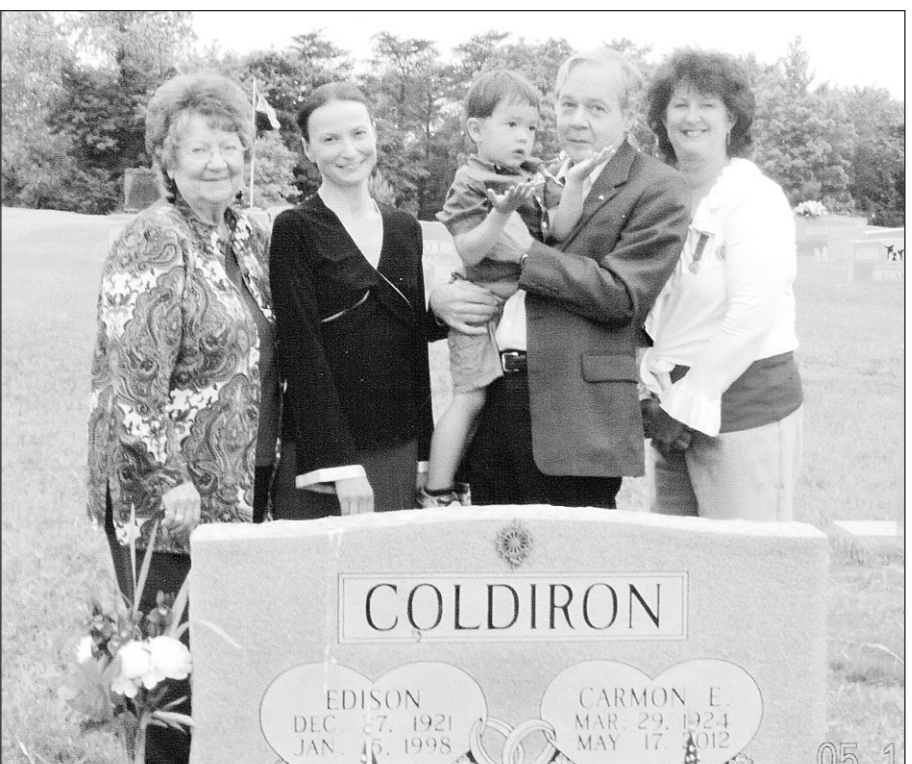
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The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution held a memorial service at the grave of deceased member Carmon Coldiron on May 17th, the anniversary of her death. Pictured from left are: Laura Durham, Sylvia Coldiron, Roger Coldiron (holding James), and Debra Brown.



Pictured are DAR members with the descendants of John Evans.

## Local Chapters of the DAR mark revolutionary graves

The Rockcastle chapter of the DAR, along with the Pulaski and John and Mary Jackson Chapter (of Laurel county) marked the grave of Revolutionary War soldier, John Evans and his daughter Sarah Sally Evans-Bustle on Saturday May 18, 2013 in a ceremony along the banks of the Rockcastle River in northern Laurel County to honor and pay tribute to their memory and his service to this country.

John Evans, from Carolina County, Virginia, fought in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812, most notably in the Battle of Yorktown in 1781 and the Battle of the Thames in 1812. After the Revolutionary War, he was given a land grant of 180 acres in 1804 on what is now known as "Cromer Ridge" where he and others had family farms.

Sally wed her father's good friend and fellow soldier, John Bustle (or Bussell). From this union came twelve children, to which all Bustles and their related family in this area may trace their lineage.

The DAR service was presided over by newly-elected regent, Debra Brown, of the Rockcastle chapter, acting Chaplain Tonya Cook of the Rockcastle chapter and descendant, and Louanna Norton-Purcell of the Pulaski chapter, descendant who read the history of John and Sally Evans. Other DAR members on-hand were Norma Eversole, Jean Gentry, and Karen Adams, who was instrumental in the planning of the event.

Those with special recognition are: Donald Hamm, Stanley Cook, Mark, Karen, and Matthew Adams, Don and Louanna Purcell, and Arnold Brown, mostly descendants, for the preparation of the ceremony and upkeep of the cemetery.

The Rockcastle Junior ROTC was on hand to present the colors, and the Keavy DAV Honor Guard #158 played "Taps" and gave a 21-gun salute. There were about 40 to 50 people to attend the service. Some descendants as far away as Texas and Virginia were witness to the tribute.

Following the service, a reception was held at the Baymont Inn at London. It was provided by Mark and Karen Adams, Stanley and Tonya Cook, Don and Louanna Purcell, and Sheila Neal-Leger.



The Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club presented Laiken Coffey the "2013 Kiwanis Ginny Gilpatrick Community Scholarship Award." Pictured from left are: Kiwanis Sponsored Youth Chair Tamara Cox, Laiken Coffey, Wanda Coffey, Scottie Coffey and Kiwanis President Eliza York.

## Coffey receives Gilpatrick Award from Kiwanis Club

The Rockcastle County Kiwanis Club presented Laiken Coffey the "2013 Kiwanis Ginny Gilpatrick Community Scholarship Award" at the May 16th meeting at the Renfro Valley Lodge.

The scholarship is given in memory of Ginny Gilpatrick a fellow Kiwanian. It is given in honor of Ginny's love for children in the community as a social worker and is awarded annually to a deserving senior that has been accepted to an institution of higher learning and has showed outstanding service to their community.



Highland Elementary School in Glasgow recently performed *The Little Mermaid*. Playing Ariel, The Little Mermaid, was Emily Campbell, left. Flounder was played by Lauren Campbell. Emily and Lauren are the daughters of Jason and Alison Sowder Campbell, granddaughters of Vernon and Virginia Sowder and the great granddaughters of Fern Sowder, the late Howard Sowder and the late William and Ethel Coffey. Great job, girls!

Laiken is the daughter of Scottie and Wanda Coffey of Mt. Vernon. She has been accepted at Eastern Kentucky University this fall furthering her education in Family & Consumer Sciences.

Laiken is graduating with a 4.05 GPA. She is a member of the Key, Unite, Honors, 4-H, National Honor Society, Beta, Fellowship of Christian Athletes among many others. She has spent countless hours during her youth participating in projects that benefit her community. Congratulations to Laiken on all her hard work and devotion to making Rockcastle County a better place to live.

Kiwanis meets every Thursday at noon at the Renfro Valley Lodge and welcomes visitors.

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## Notice

Eastern Rockcastle Water Association has completed the Annual Water Quality Report for 2012. This report is available electronically at [www.kiwa.org/2012/easternrockcastle.pdf](http://www.kiwa.org/2012/easternrockcastle.pdf) and [www.easternrockcastlewaterassociation.webs.com](http://www.easternrockcastlewaterassociation.webs.com). You can also find this report posted at the post office in Mt. Vernon, Livingston and McKee, as well as the ERWA office. If you would like a paper copy mailed to you, please write or call the ERWA office.

**Nominations for the Board of Directors** for Eastern Rockcastle Water Association were accepted on May 20, 2013. Information on each candidate is posted in the ERWA office for your convenience as well as on our website at [www.easternrockcastlewaterassociation.webs.com](http://www.easternrockcastlewaterassociation.webs.com)

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### The following items may be recycled:

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

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**No Hunting or Trespassing** on land belonging to Bill and Hazel Parker on Mahaffey Road. Violators will be prosecuted. 22x8p

**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. 47tfn

**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 Benge property).

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**Anyone witnessing the stop and arrest of an elderly lady at Renfro Marathon parking lot on Wednesday, May 8th, between 5:30 and 6:15 p.m.,** please call 256-0276. 23x1

**Would the man who I was talking to at Save-A-Lot, between 5 and 5:25 p.m. on Wed., May 8th, please contact me.** You asked if I remembered the tornado that hit on Hwy. 618. You were telling me about your daughter's trailer, almost side by side with another. It took the roof off one and the man was left sitting watching TV in the rain and it never touched your daughter's trailer. Please contact me at 256-0276. 23x1

**Notice is hereby given that Roger L. Isaacs, 69 Mercury Drive, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** has been appointed executor of the estate of William A. (Randy) Randolph on the 8th day of May, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Hon. John Ford, P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 or to Roger L. Isaacs on or before Nov. 8, 2013. 22x3

**Notice is given that Twila Simpson, 4392 Copper Creek Rd., Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419** has filed a Final Settlement of her accounts as administratrix of the estate of Donald D. Simpson, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held on June 12, 2013 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 23x1

**Notice is given that Carolyn Evans, 284 Friendship Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** has filed a Final Settlement of her accounts as Executrix of the estate of Hazel Ruthella Whitaker, deceased. A hearing on said settlement will be held June 12, 2013 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before said date. 23x1

**Notice is hereby given that Danny Reams, 110 Joyce St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** was appointed guardian of Adrianna Reams, a minor, on the 6th day of May, 2013. Any persons having claims against said appointment shall present them, according to law, to the said Danny Reams or to Hon. Hailey S. Bonham, 105 N. Main St., London, Ky. 40741 on or before November 6, 2013 at 11 a.m. 23x2

**Notice is hereby given that Rita Michelle Miller, 3729 Old State Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456** has been appointed Executrix of the estate of Gail Sue Bowles. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Rita Michelle Miller or to Hon. Frankie C. Blevins, Jr., Blevins Law, 400 Richmond Rd. N., Suite C, Berea, Ky. 40403 on or before November 4, 2013 at 11 a.m. 23x3

**Public Notice:** Pursant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Natural Resources, Division of Mine Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Rockcastle County: Jamieson Construction Company - 9020052 - 4/10/2013. 23x1

**Rockcastle County will accept bids** on the following items: Divider panels, 15 -

6 'x 5'10"; Front panels with door, 1 - 9' x 5'10", 1 - 14'9" x 5'10", 1 - 17'2" x 5'10", 1 - 18' x 5'10". Bids must be submitted to the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court's office by noon, May 30th, 2013. Panels can be seen at the Rockcastle County Animal Shelter from 7 am till 3 pm or call 606-256-1833 for information.

## Yard Sales

**Yard Sale:** May 24th and 25th, 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Williams St. at Poplar St. Boys - infant -4t; girls - infant-3t; men's - big and tall; women's clothing; toys, household items, etc.

**Yard Sale:** 1 7/10 miles from former Jean's Restaurant at 97 Carpenter Road, off 1004 at the home of Nannie McCoy. Toys, cookers, few clothes -- too much to mention. Friday and Saturday, March 24 and 25.

**Yard Sale:** May 24th and 25th, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. 155 Ford Drive. Girl's clothes up to size 6, women's plus size, toys, household items, etc. Rain cancels.

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**Yard Sale:** This Friday, 9 to

3, at 190 Perciful Street, Mt. Vernon at the home of Billy "Boo" Renner. Girl's clothes-size 10-14, men's and women's clothes, football and baseball cleats and some Home Interior.

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**Yard Sale:** Friday, May 24th and Sat., May 25th, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. each day. Home of Wayne and Marie Bullock on Spiro Road (Hwy. 1250). Clothes, shoes, toys, furniture and more. Rain or shine. In barn beside house.

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Dear Class of 2013,

It's difficult to believe that we are well into the second semester of your senior year and there is snow on the ground in March! I have had a difficult time crafting this letter to you, mainly because I am reluctant to let you go. The past four years with you have been a whirlwind of activities, accomplishments, assessments and achievements—all due to the dedication of your class as a whole. I am so proud of the young men and women you are growing up to be and have enjoyed watching you thrive and flourish since you were anxious freshmen not so many years ago. Now the time has come to send you out into the world, armed with the knowledge, skills and confidence that you can face any challenge that might come your way and not only face it, but overcome it! The teachers, counselors, administrators and staff who have worked to guide and assist you in achieving this milestone are looking forward to the changes you will make in this world—undoubtedly for the better.

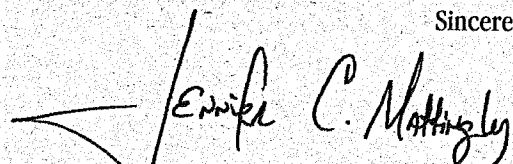
There are a few things I have learned about your class that encourage me about your future and give me hope for what you will become. The first is your unwavering commitment to doing the right thing! While no one is perfect and mistakes are a natural part of being human, I have noticed that your class is steeped in integrity and is dedicated to championing worthy causes—from issues in our school to wider problems within our community, you have established yourselves as passionate, vocal promoters of a better world. My hope is that you never lose your commitment to action and cling tightly to the noble character you've worked hard to develop.

Another noteworthy quality about the Class of 2013 is your consistent academic rise over the past several years. As juniors, you achieved the highest average ACT score of any class during the past five years. You dedicated yourselves to doing your best in all of your classes, both required and elective. The race to see who will earn top honors for this year's class has been such a close one! We have watched your competitive spirit bleed into your academic studies from the ball fields, courts and track. Your attention to quality in your student organizations and extra-curricular activities has helped you earn state and national honors. I hope you realize that your coaches, teachers, sponsors and mentors are applauding you every step of the way. I also hope that you continue your academic pursuits into higher education and training, so that there is no limit to what you can accomplish in life.

Finally, I will miss your optimism and kindness, both traits I know you inherited from your families; however, you have always shown respect and compassion to your peers and to the adults who work with you each day. The goodness you show toward humanity will come back to you tenfold if you maintain that level of acceptance and benevolence into your adult life. I cannot express how much I have appreciated your willingness to receive discipline (which was rare, but sometimes necessary) and accept consequences with little resistance. This shows that you respect authority and are aware of our need for rules in life. If you disagreed with a decision, you never hesitated to make your appeals known, but often offered a solution to a problem. Yet, you have always been respectful and courteous, and that will carry you farther in life than you realize at this moment.

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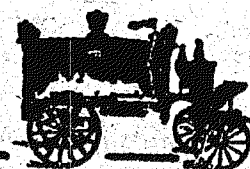


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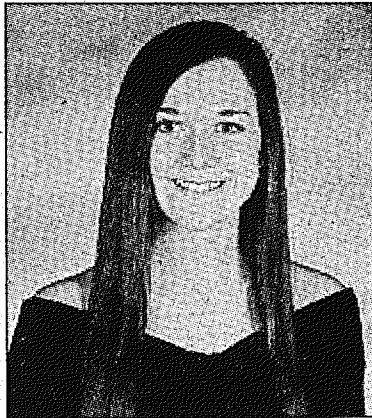
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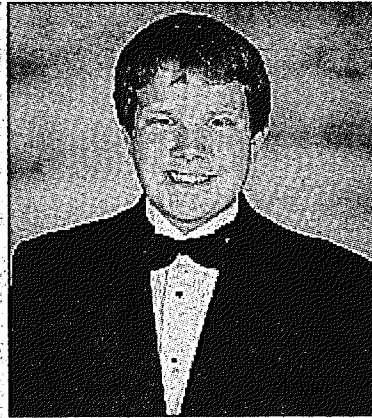
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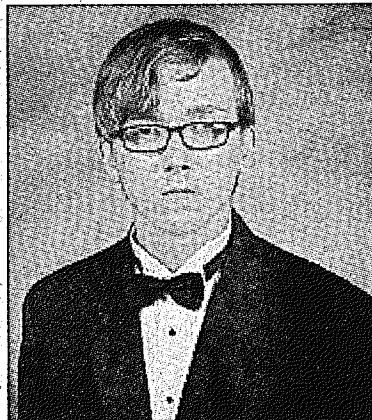
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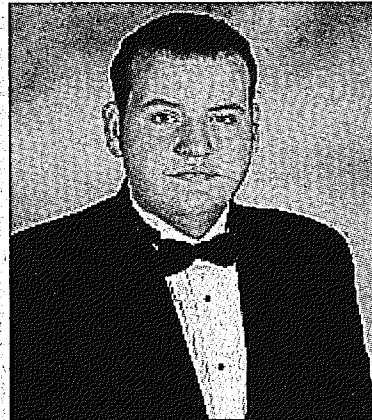
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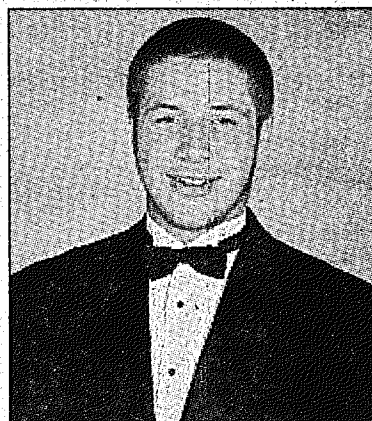
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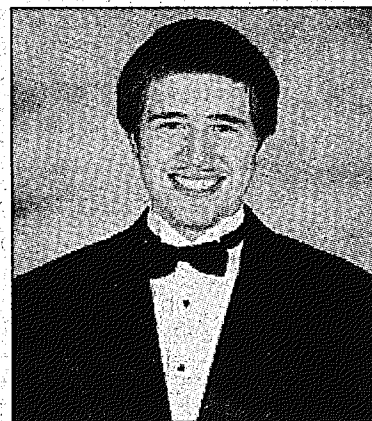
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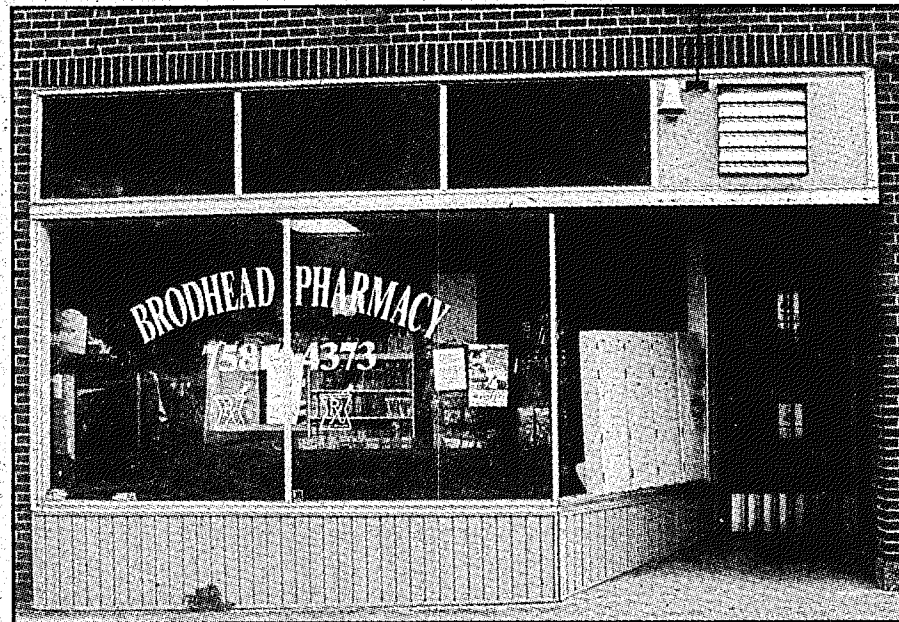


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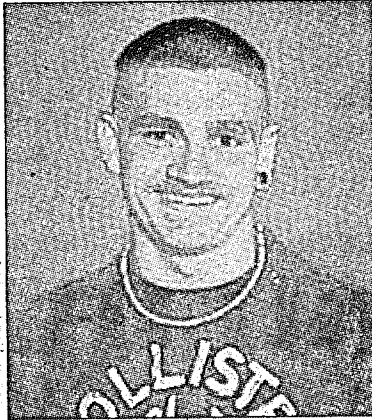
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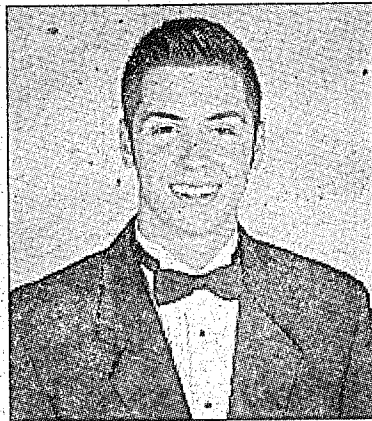
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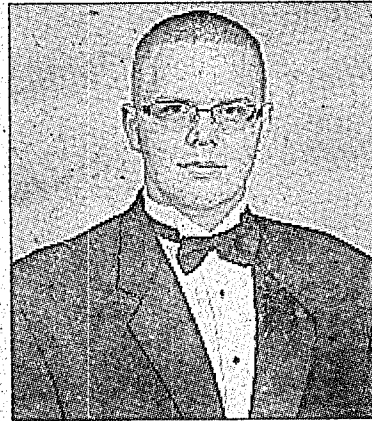
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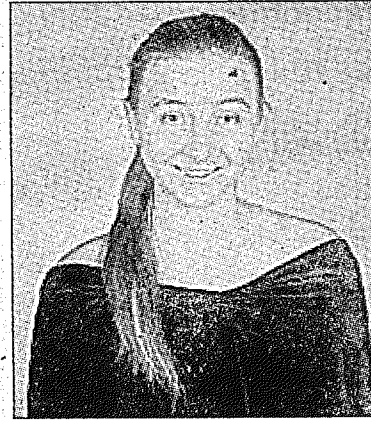
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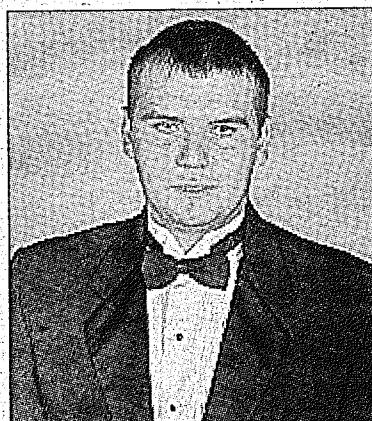
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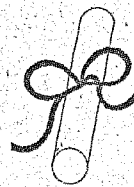
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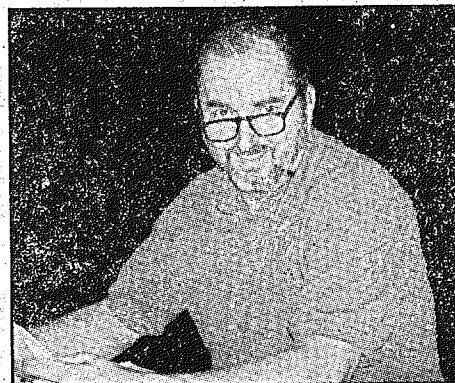


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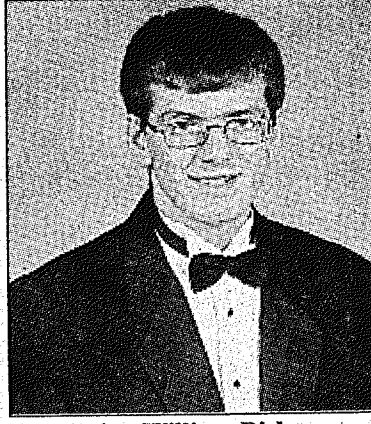




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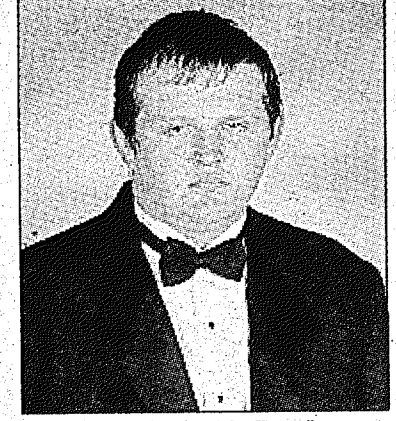
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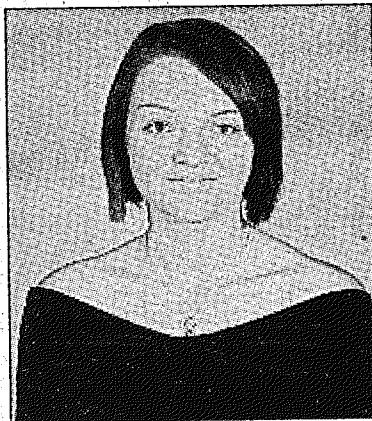
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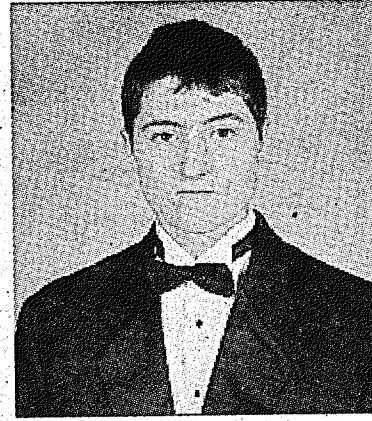
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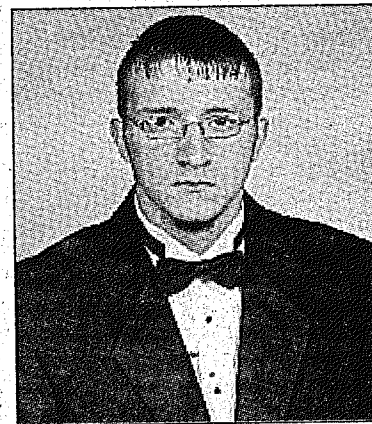
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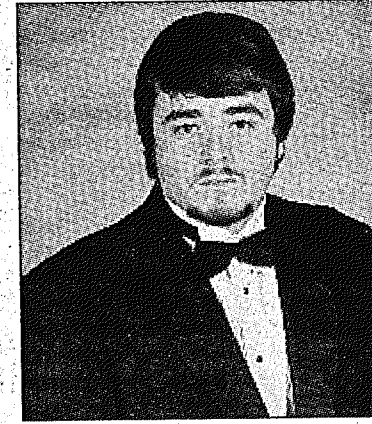
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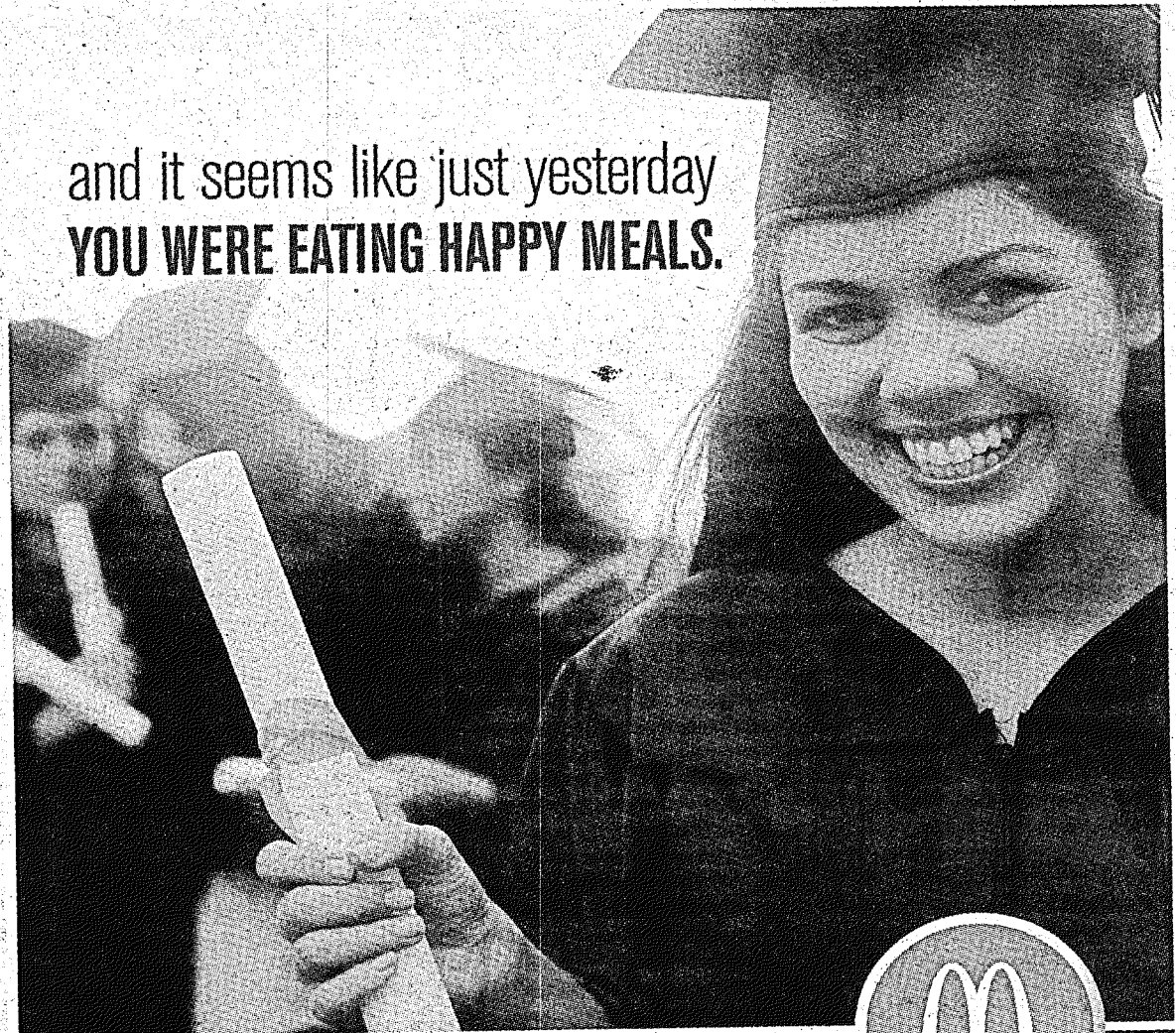
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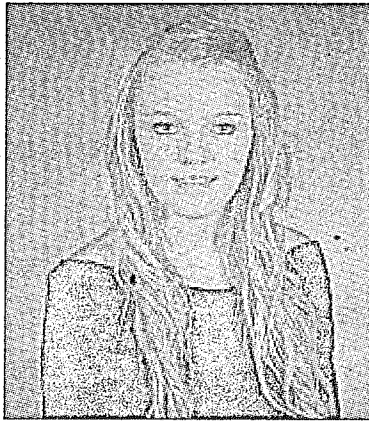
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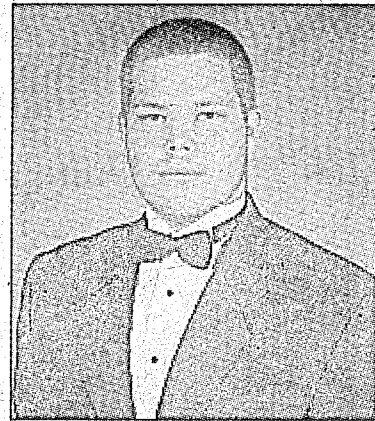
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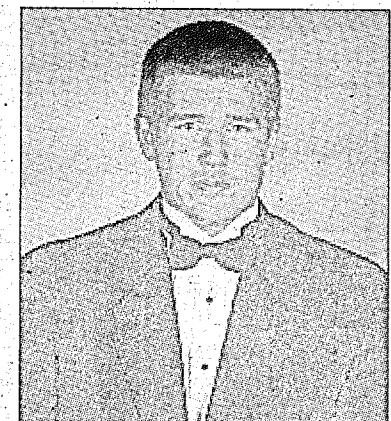
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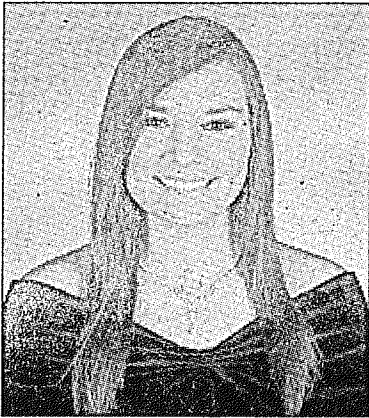
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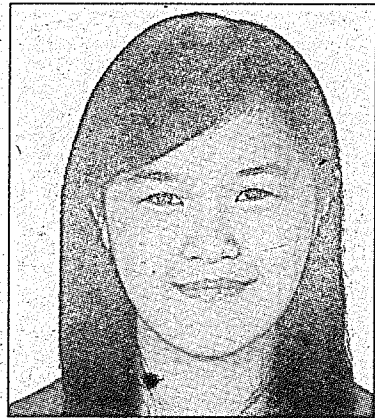
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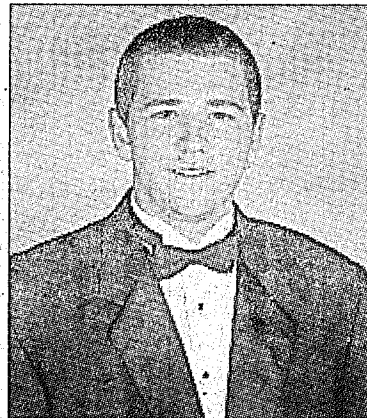
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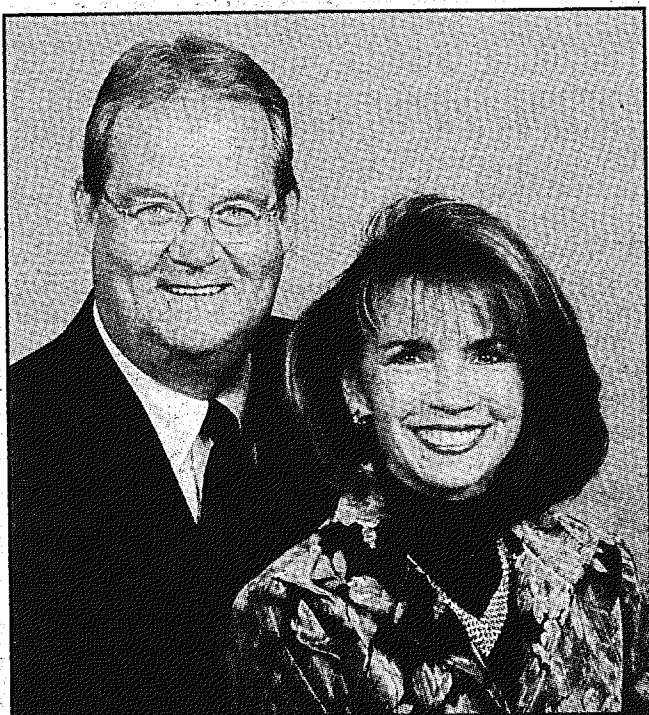
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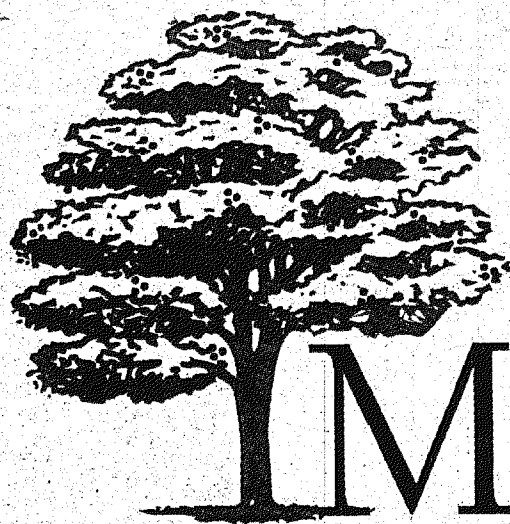
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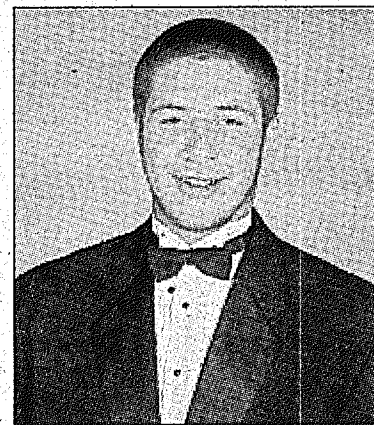
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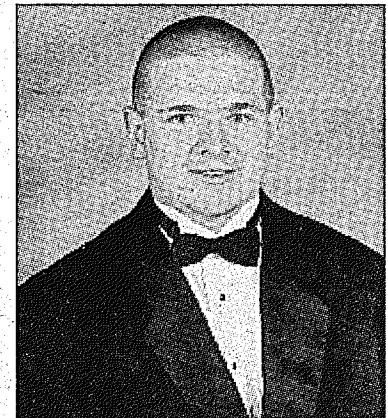
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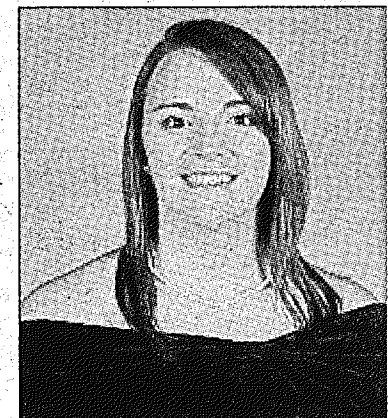
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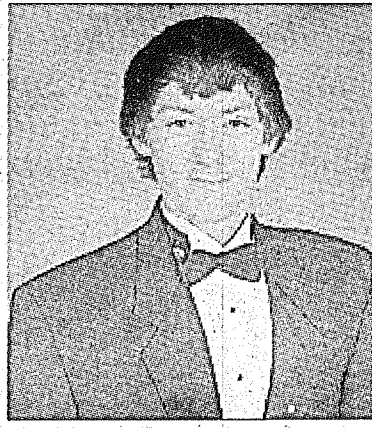




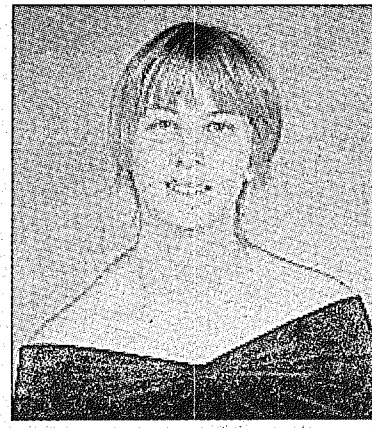
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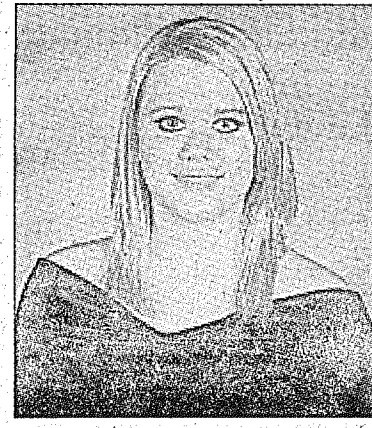
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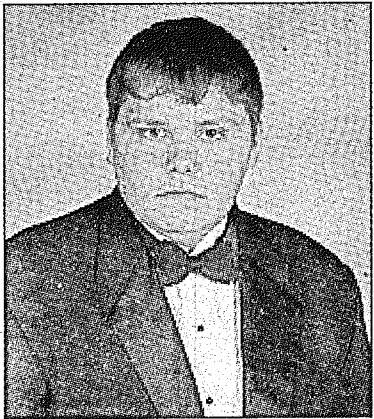
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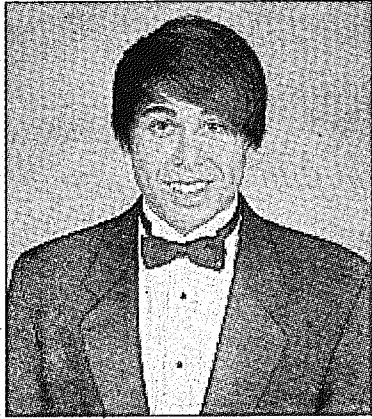
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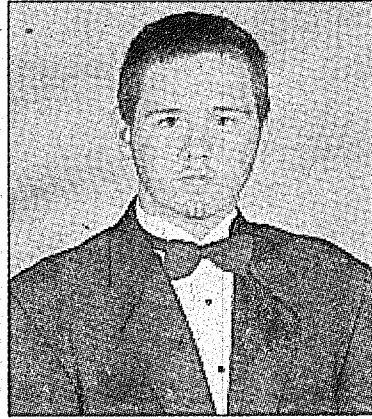
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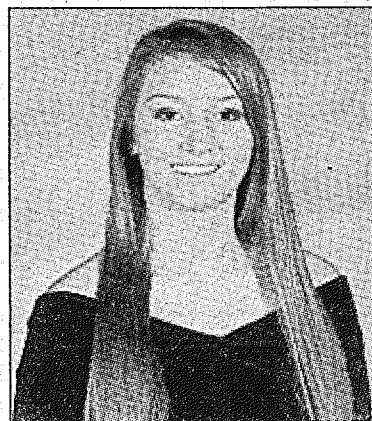


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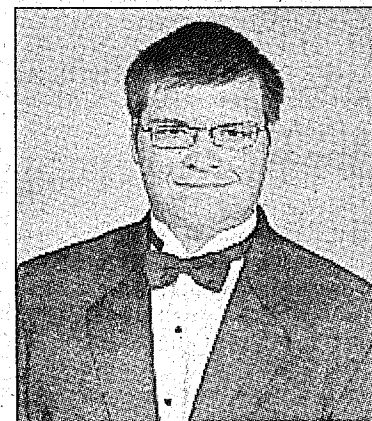
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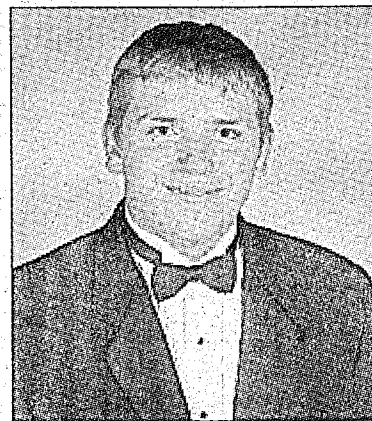
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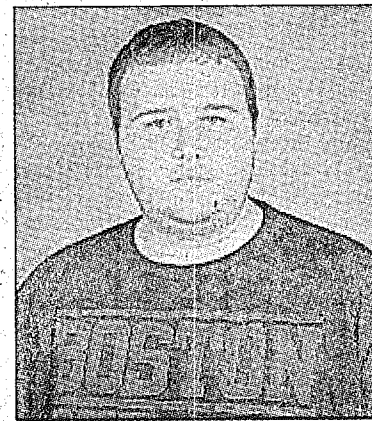
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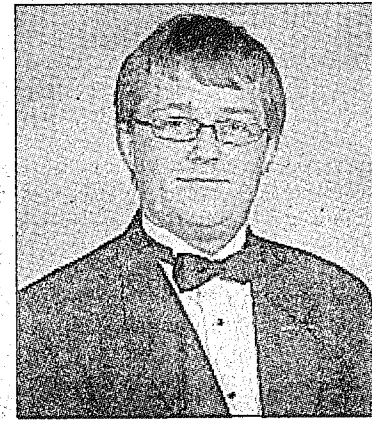
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# 2013 Senior Class

**Danielle Abed**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Tanya Cole and Kenny Sunborn. Math Club, 1 yr, FBLA, 4 yrs - president, vice president and historian and Business Achievement Award; Work Keys - silver.

**Charity Brooke Adams**, Brodhead, Ky., daughter of Scott and Angela Adams. FCA; UNITE; Young Republicans; Student YMCA; Rocket Club; FFA - asst. vice pres., vice president, president, Star Greenhand Award, Outstanding Service Award, DeKalb Award, Leadership Committee Chair, Star in Ag Placement, Varsity Parliamentary Procedure Team, Land Judging Team, Jr. Varsity Parliamentary Procedure Team, Nursery Judging Team, Small Engines Team, Beef Impromptu Speech, State Agriscience Fair Winner, Beef Production Entrepreneurship Proficiency, Creed Speaking Winner, Regional and State Delegate. Underclassmen Awards: Accelerated Geometry, Intro to Engineering and Design, Agriculture Science and Technology, Accelerated English 9, Accelerated Algebra II, Agricology, Agriculture Communications, Advanced Topics, Veterinary Science, Nursery and Orchard Technology. KOSSA Tests Passed: Horticulture, Animal Science. Scholarships: County Farm Bureau (\$500), FFA (\$500), EKU Founders (\$40,000).

**Sara Ann Adams**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Carrie and Barry Adams. Work Keys - Silver; FCA, 4 yrs; Math Club, 2 yrs; Rocket Club, 2 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Basketball, 4 yrs; Highest Spanish II Average - Sr. Year; Member of State Basketball Championship Team (2011).

**Aaron Adkisson**, Brodhead, son of Bill and Jennifer Adkisson. Student YMCA, Teenage Republicans, National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Honors: 2012 Governor's Scholar. Varsity Academic Team Member.

**Samuel Adam Alcorn**, Mt. Vernon, son of Samuel and Carol Alcorn.

**Benjamin Allen**, Mt. Vernon, son of Darren and Danetta Allen. Basketball, 4 yrs; baseball manager, 1 yr; Teenage Republicans; FCA; FFA; UNITE. Kentucky Auctioneers Assn. Scholarship.

**Phillip Bryson Amyx**, Mt. Vernon, son of Beth and Brandon Abrey. Basketball.

**Kelly Lynne Anderkin**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Randy and Denise Anderkin and Christy Snowden. FFA - Greenhand Degree, Chapter Degree, Land Judging Awards, Livestock Judging Awards, Record Keeping Awards, Talent Awards, Committee Chair Awards. Member of Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Dept. Passed Horticulture and Animal Science KOSSA tests.

**Seth Anders**, Mt. Vernon, son of Lisa York and Albert Anders.

**Ashton Arvin**, Mt. Vernon, son of Tony and Rebekah Arvin. Basketball, Track, Cross Country, Swimming. Teenage Republicans - co-president, Key Club, Student YMCA. 2009 Kentucky Youth Governor; 2012 Kentucky Youth Governor; 2011 Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Representative; 2012 Governor's Scholar;

2009 and 2012 Kentucky Commonwealth Ambassador; RCHS Senior Elite; Honor Roll, 4 yrs; perfect attendance., 1 yr; Community Service Chair - UNITE - co-president; YMCA - Publicity Service Chair. Basketball, 4 yrs - Captain, 2 yrs. Track Team-Captain, 4 yrs; Cross Country Team - Captain, 2 yrs; Swim Team-captain, 4 years; 2011 47th District Basketball Runners-Up; 2011 Region 2 Cross Country Runners-Up; 2013 Track Region Championship Triple Jump Runner-Up. 2012 PRTC MVP; 2012 All 12th Region Junior All Star; 2012, 2013 East-West Mountain Basketball All-Star; 4x100 Track Relay record holder; 4x200 Track Relay record holder. 2010 Outstanding Kentucky Assembly Delegate; 2010 Outstanding Kentucky Youth Assembly Bill; 2011, 2013 Outstanding Kentucky United Nations Assembly Ambassador; 2009-2013 Conference on National Affairs.

**Randell Aaron Baggett**, Mt. Vernon, son of Amy Baggett and Robert Baggett. JROTC, 4 yrs; JROTC letterman; JROTC Rifle Rope.

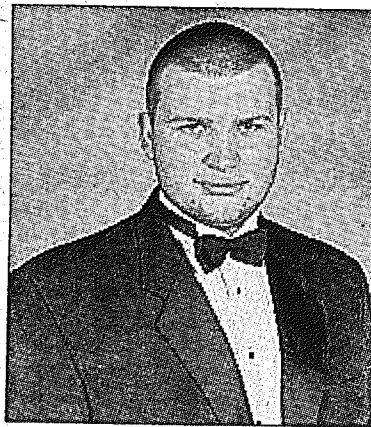
**Justin Barnes**, Mt. Vernon, son of Benny and Charity Barnes. FFA, Skills USA. Awards - Welding: Kentucky DOT Welding Certification, Arc Cutter, Arc Welder, Gas Metal Arc Welder, Production Line Welder, Shielded Metal Arc Welder, Tack Welder B, Welder Helper B, National Career Readiness (Work Keys) Silver Certificate. 1st Place Job Interview, Regional Competition.

**Amber Elizabeth Barrett**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Christie Turner and Dewayne Barrett. Cheerleader, 2 yrs.

**Rebecca Sue Barron**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Ron and Anita Barron. RCHS Swim Team, 2 yrs; Y Club, 4 years - Historian, 2 yrs; National Honor Society, 1 yr. - Historian. EKU Regents Scholarship, \$6,000 per year; Work Keys - Gold; Book Club, 2 yrs., Accelerated English Award, freshman year.

**Tiffany Marie Barron**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Renee Barron and Bobby Barron. FCCLA, 2 yrs - 1st vice president and Region 13 1st vice president; Key Club, 1 yr., Work Keys - Gold; KOSSA Culinary, junior year, Math Club, 1 yr, Rocket Club, 1 yr, FCA, 1 yr, UNITE, 1 yr. Highest Average Spanish I, junior year; Highest Average Arts & Humanities, junior year; Highest Average English 10; Highest Average Life Skills, freshman year; KOSSA Consumer Family Management and Early Childhood Education, senior year.

**Jessica Nicole Bentley**, Brodhead, daughter of Deborah Bentley and the late William Bentley. Awards - Freshman Year - Physical Science, Accelerated Algebra I, French I and Principles of Health Science. Sophomore Year - Biology I, Accelerated English 10, French II, Honors World Civilization. Junior Year - Honors English II, Accelerated Geometry, Earth Science. Book Club, 4 yrs - vice president, 2 yrs; National Honor Society, 1 yr; Chess Club, 4 yrs; RCHS Academic Team, 1 yr - 4th place



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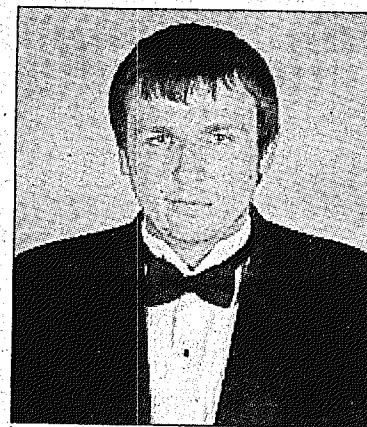
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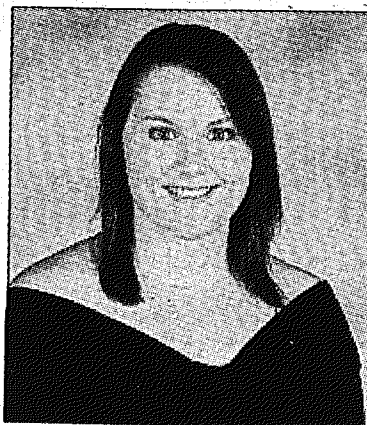
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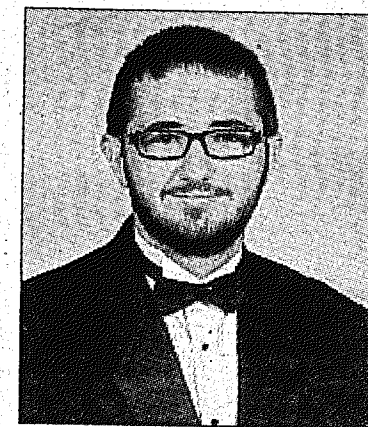
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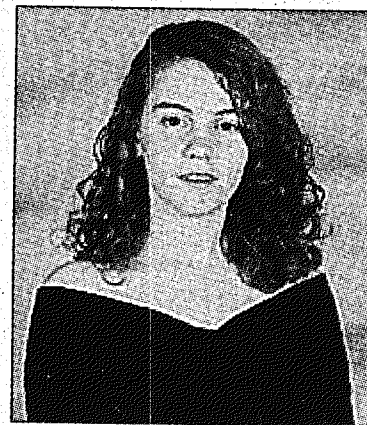
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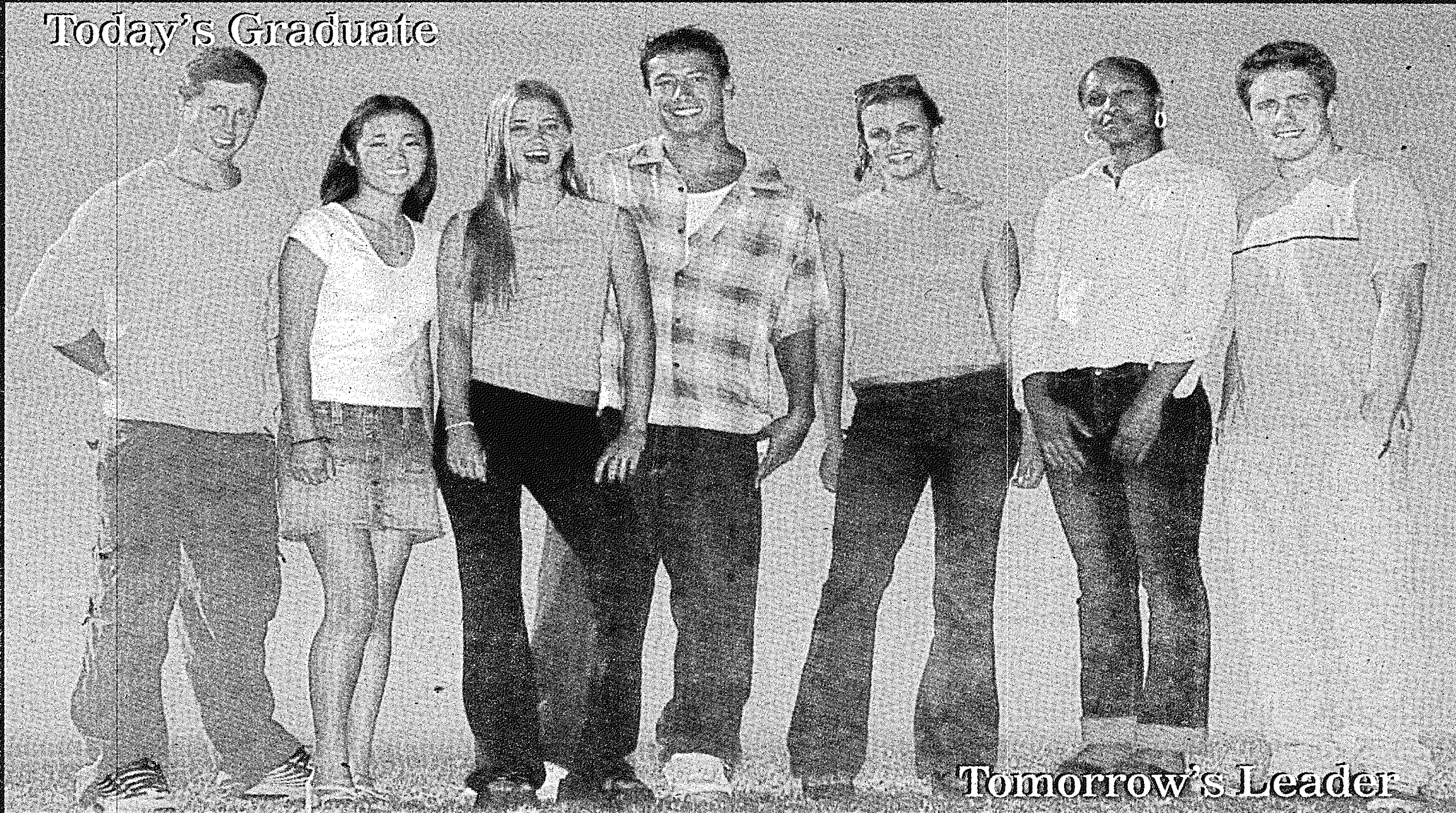


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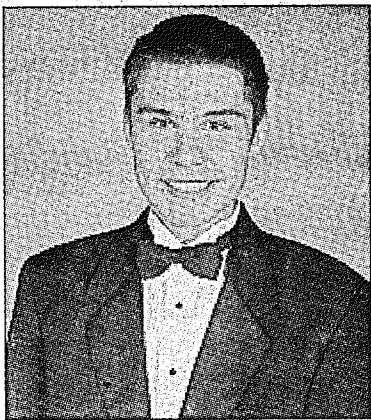
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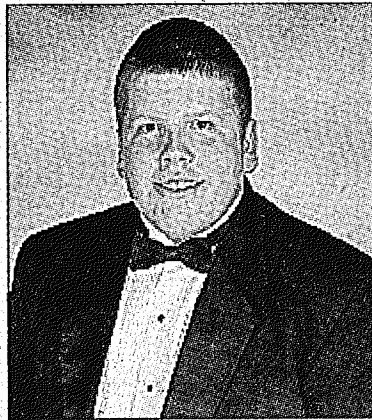
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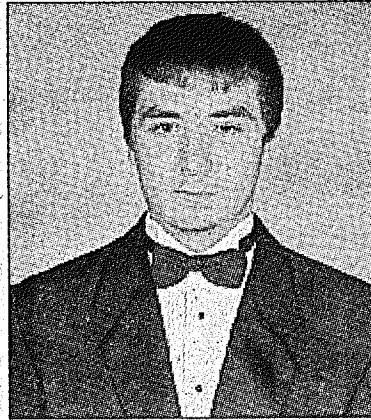
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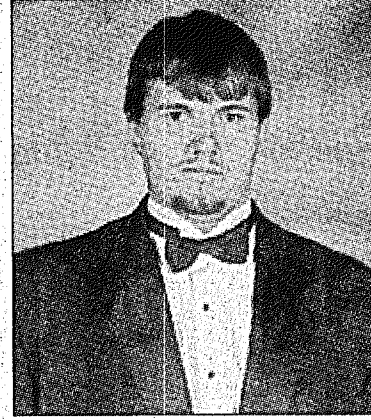
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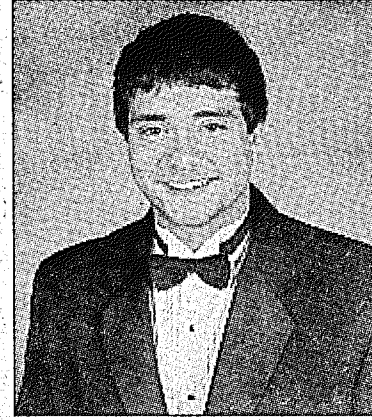
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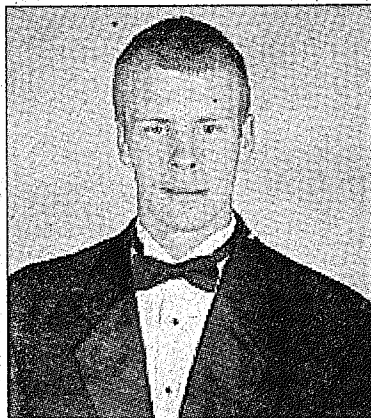
**Christopher Alan Davis Faulkner**



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**Robert Eli French**



**Jonathon Curtis Gillispie**

on Social Studies test (district) - 3rd place at regionals - a qualifier for state competition. Quick Recall Team, District Champion Future Problem Solvers Team. Accepted to EKU - \$13,000 year scholarship.

**Brian William Bishop**, Brodhead, son of Penny and Perry Bishop.

**Natasha Elizabeth Bohlman**, Brodhead, daughter of Alan and Theresa Bohlman. Medicaid Nurse Aide, HOSA Club, 3 yrs, Film Club, 1 yr, Work Keys - Silver, FCA Club, 3 yrs, FCCLA, 2 yrs, Rocket Club, 1 yr, Math Club, 1 yr, UNITE To Read. HOSA Scholarship.

**Heather Gwin Bradley**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Larry Bradley and Shelly Pearson. Work Keys - Gold, FFA, 2 yrs, Swine, Impromptu Speaking (1st Chapter and Regional).

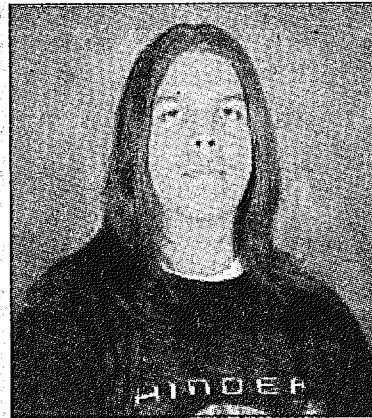
**Jon Coy Broughton**, Brodhead, son of Coy and Laura Broughton.

**Jeremiah Brown**, Crab Orchard, son of Jay Brown and Natasha Brown. FFA, FCA, UNITE. Football, Archery, Track. Various Speaking Awards, Archery Scholarship.

**Hannah Bullock**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Tim and Renee Bullock. Volleyball, 4 yrs, FCA, 4 yrs, UNITE, 4 yrs - officer, 3 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Teenage Republicans, 4 yrs - officer, 2 yrs; Student YMCA, 4 yrs; National Honor Society, 1 yr; Junior Marshall.

**Hazel Bullock**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Barbara Singleton. Math Club, 4 yrs - President; Y Club; Success Club; Zumba Club; Health Career Core 1; Medicaid/Nurse Aide; State Registered Nurse's Assn; Work Keys - Gold.

**Robert Curtis Alton Bradley**, Brodhead,



**Matthew Stefan Cruz Gonzalez**

son of Steve and Elizabeth Bradley. FFA, Skills USA; High Individual in FFA Welding Contest.

**Allison Dalayne Burdette, Brodhead**, daughter of Scottie and Stephanie Hines and Dwayne and Lesley Burdette. FCA, UNITE, Teenage Young Republicans, Art Club. FFA - committee chair, asst. sentinel, assistant reporter, historian, scrapbook award, 2 yrs, Horse Impromptu Speech Award, JV Parliamentary Procedure, Varsity Parliamentary Procedure.

**Sarah Beth Burdine**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Lisa Burdine. Band, 3 yrs; FFA, 2 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 2 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr. Christian Leadership Award; Bert T. Combs Scholarship. Will be attending University of the Cumberlands in the fall.

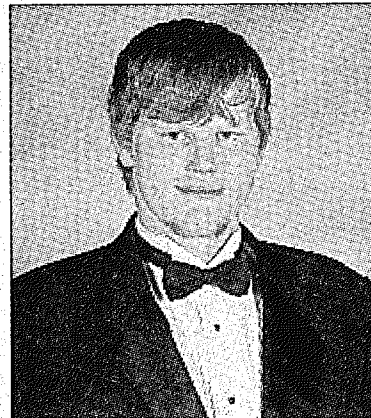
**Justin Lee Cameron**, Mt. Vernon, son of Frank and Lora Baker. Tulsa Welding School Scholarship, One+ Welding Certifications.

**Olivia Caudill**, Brodhead, daughter of Marsha and Steven Caudill. Honor Roll, 4 yrs; UNITE, 3 yrs; Work Keys; FCA, 3 yrs; Rocket Club, 1 yr; Young Republicans, 1 yr; MNA (SRNA License); KOSSA; Eric Ponder Scholarship; Volleyball, 2 yr; Health Careers Care, Health Science Skills; Medication Nurse Aide.

**Alexis Chasteen**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Roy and Patricia Chasteen. Poster Girl for welding in the state of Kentucky vocational schools; UNITE; FCA; Basketball, 4 yrs; member of State Basketball Championship Team.

**Candace Chasteen**, Berea, daughter of Stephanie Richmond.

**Alma Miranda Clark**, Mt. Vernon, daughter



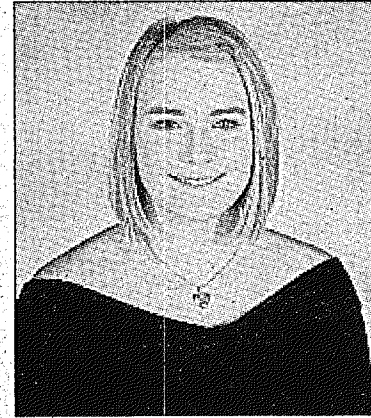
**Jonathan Eric Graves**

of Dennis and Kay Clark. FFA, 4 yrs - committee chair, 1 yr; Art Club - Art Award, UNITE Club, FCA, Key Club, Math Club, Rocket Club, Game Club. Livestock Production KOSSA Certification. FFA - Specialty Crop Production, Crop Impromptu, Greenhand Degree, Chapter Degree. Admitted to EKU.

**Derek Steven Clark**, Brodhead, son of Steve and Tanya Clark. Skills USA Club Member. Awards: engine repair, brakes, suspension, steering, ground electrician, heating and air conditioning, outstanding automotive senior student award, highest written Ford AAA score in state; 8th place in state (2012), Ford AAA Hands on Competition, 2nd place in region (2012), Skills USA Automotive Competition. Skills USA Statesman Pin, 2 yrs.

**Katie Rachell Clements**, Brodhead, daughter of Doug and Shelly Clements. Spanish I Award. Key Club, FCA, UNITE, HOSA - historian, 1 yr. Softball, 4 yrs. Jackson Energy Essay Award (\$1,000).

**Heather Francis Clontz**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of James and Tammy Clontz. Volleyball, 5 yrs; YMCA Club-president; YMCA, 7 yrs; UNITE, 9 yrs; UNITE Presents Drama Team, 2 yrs; Swim Team, 2 yrs; Academic Team, 2 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs; RCHS Chamber Choir & Honors Chorus, 3 yrs; Cedar Rapids Swim Team, 12 yrs; Rocket Readers; RCHS Color Guard, 1 yr; Brindle Ridge Church-Teacher of Children's Church; Chess Club, 1 yr; Science Symposium Team Demo, 2nd place; '13 District Governor's Cup - Math; RCHS Marching Rockets Pit Crew, 1 yr; Lifeguard & Swim Instructor.



**Tori Dawn Gregg**

**Laiken Myrissa Coffey**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Scottie and Wanda Coffey. UNITE, FCA; Student YMCA, Honor Society, Key Club, FFA, RCHS Marching Color Guard - Captain; Winter Guard; RCHS Concert Band. Co-president of Student Council; 4-H Speech Contest Winner - 4-12 grades. Discus Award, Governor's Scholar; Roger's Scholar, Perfect Attendance, 14 years; Reporter in FFA Varsity Parliamentary Procedure Team; 1st in Prepared Public Speaking in local and regional; National Honor Society; Kiwanis Club (community service). Virginia Gilpatrick Scholarship; Pre-Teen America Program Scholarship; RCHS Marching Rocket Senior Leadership Award.

**Tiffany Jemima Nicole Collins**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Carol Tipton and Lenny Tipton. Cheerleader, softball, Rocket Club, Key Club. **Kennedy Raven Sierra Convery**, Orlando, daughter of Sonya and William Convery. UNITE Club, Japanese Club, Creative Writing Club, Art Club, Book Club, Sci-Fi Book Club, FBIA, Soccer, Volleyball, Film Club.

**Devin Cook**, Orlando, son of Jerry and Karen Cook.

**Christian Cordero**, Brodhead, son of Sandra Cordero and Prudencio Cordero. Art Club, FCCLA, Senior Award for Culinary Art.

**Cody Crabtree**, Berea, son of Jennifer Crabtree and Richie Crabtree.

**Bryonna Cromer**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Kris Cromer and Tracy Cromer. Cross Country, 4 yrs, Indoor and Outdoor Track, 7 yrs.

**Danielle Paige Cromer**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Cassandra Crouch and Donnie Cromer.



**Lauren Nicole Gregory**

Rocket, Chess, Film, Math Clubs; HOSA member; Passed KOSSA-Career Ready; Passed Work Keys/ACT-College Ready; Health Career Core 1 Award; Health Science Skills Award; Medication Nurse Aide Award.

**Holly Cromer**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Jenny Cromer-Hall and Tommy Shane Cromer. Swim Team.

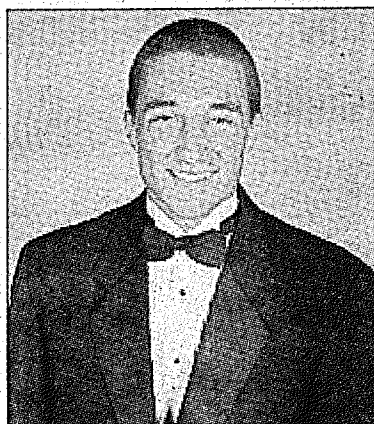
**Rylan Chase Cromer**, Brodhead, son of Jeffery D. and Tanya Cromer. Excellence Scholarship (EKU-\$52,000, Accepted into EKU Honors Program. Distinguished Soloist and Large Ensemble Woodwind at the KMEA Music Festival. Member of RCHS Marching Band, Concert Band, Jazz Band and Large Woodwind Ensemble. Senior Band Award. Book Club, Chess Club and Creative Writing Club. Vice President of Kentucky Junior Historical Society.

**James David Deaton**, Mt. Vernon, son of Stephanie Ann Deaton. Regional Skills USA Competition - Gold Medal for opening and closing team; Gold Medal for Industrial Motor Controls; Vice President Skills USA Club.

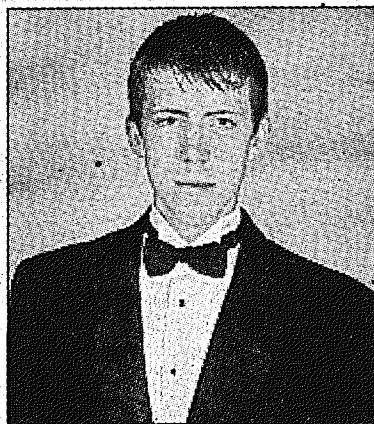
**Jonathon DeBord**, Brodhead, son of Deborah DeBord and Jeff DeBord. Kentucky DOT Welding Certification; National Career Readiness (Work Keys) Gold Certificate; Arc Cutter Certificate; Arc Welder - Cutting Processes Certificate; Gas, Metal Arc Welder A Certificate; Production Line Welder - Cutting Processes Certificate; Shielded Metal Arc Welder A Certificate, Tack Welder B Certificate; Welder Helper B Certificate. Skills USA, 1 yr, FFA, 1 yr.

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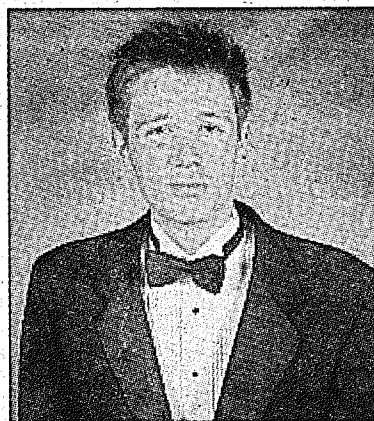
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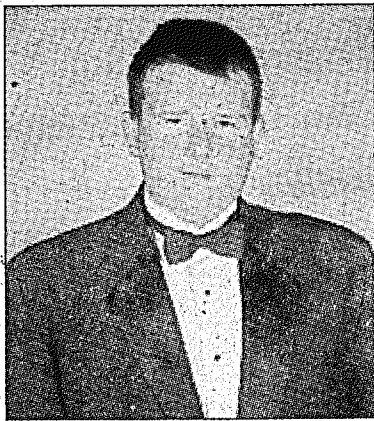
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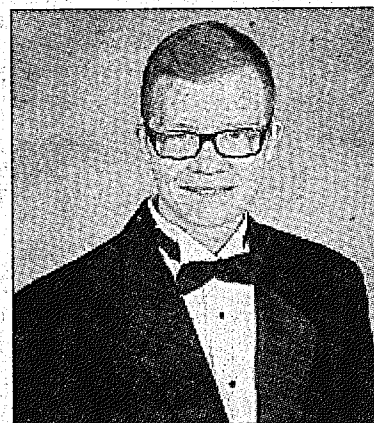
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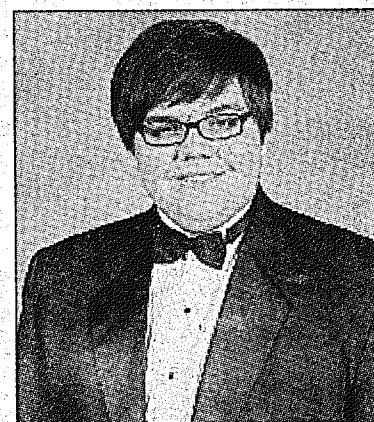
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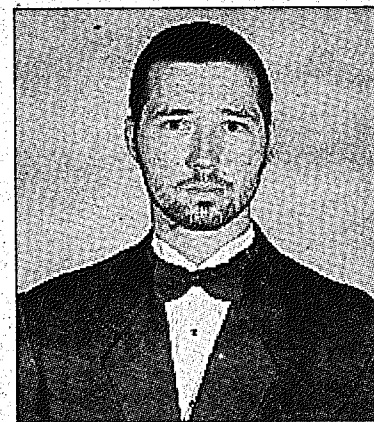
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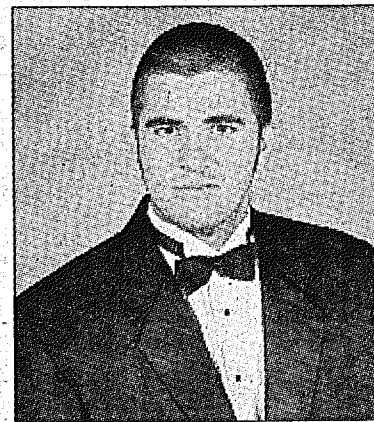
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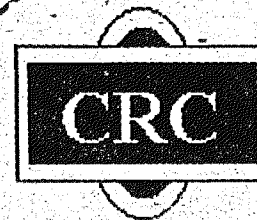
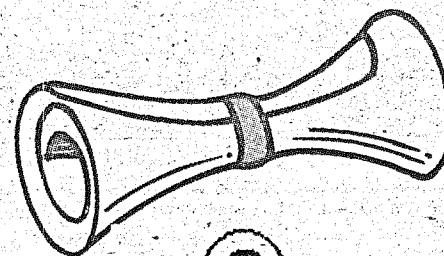


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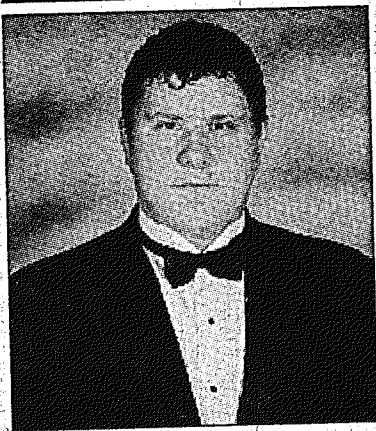


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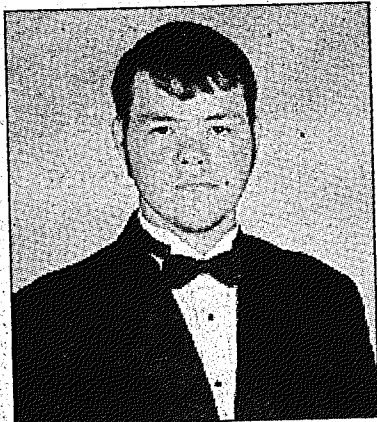
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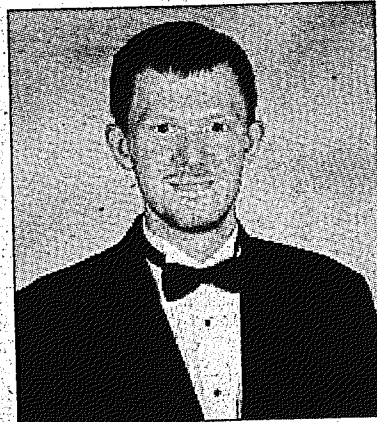
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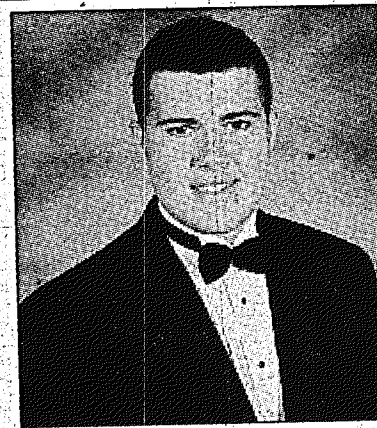
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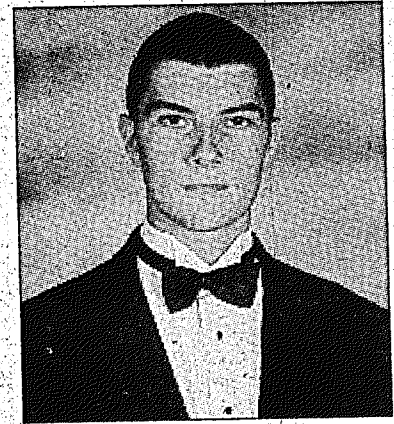
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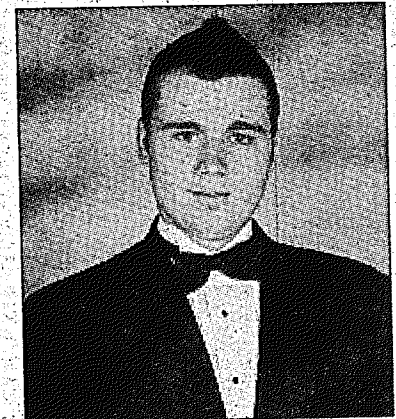
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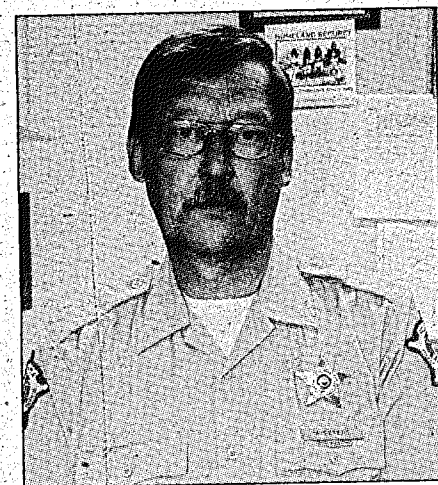


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**Kaitlyn Brooke Delph**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Paula Russell and Rodney Ellison. Cheerleading - captain; Miss RCHS, KHSAA Outstanding Academic Award, KOSSA, FCA, UNITE, Rocket Club, Zumba Club.

**Bethany Lauren Denny**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of William and Kimberly Denny. Regents Scholarship and NOVA Program Scholarship. UNITE, FCA, Teenage Republicans, Key Club, Rocket Club and Rocket Readers. Volleyball.

**Jonathan Denny**, Brodhead, son of Ronnie C. Denny and Tonya Barron. ROTC Club, 2 yrs. Road Ready Rockets Club, 1 yr.

**Tiffany Denny**, Mt. Vernon, son of Angie and Mike Denny. Young Democrats, Zumba, UNITE Club, Rocket Club.

**Stephanie Dixon**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Steve Dixon and granddaughter of Nell McNew. FCCLA, Choir, Film Club, Guitar Club.

**Crystal Nicole Doan**, Berea, daughter of Chad and Rachel Doan. JROTC, 4 yrs; Border Team, 4 yrs; National Physical Fitness Award, 2 yrs; National Sojourners Award, Association

of the United States Army, 2 yrs; Leadership Award; Perfect Attendance, 2 yrs.

**Logan Dwayne Durham**, Orlando, son of Timothy and Lisa Durham. Junior Marshall, Book Club, 2 years - president, Secretary of National Honor Society; Centre Fellow, UK Collegian, ECU Honors Program.

**Hannah Elizabeth Eaton**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of David and Beth Eaton. Volleyball, 4 yrs; Softball, 1 yr; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs - President, 2 yrs; Teenage Republicans, 4 yrs - President, 2 yrs; Student YMCA, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr. Attending University of Kentucky in the fall, majoring in Elementary Education.

**Amber Michelle Elam**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Michael and Rhonda Rostiere and Dwayne Elam. Artist Award, freshman year; Leadership Program, middle school; Japanese Club, 4 yrs; Creative Writing Club, 4 yrs; Art Club, 3 yrs; Chess Club, 1 yr.

**Katelyn Marie Elam**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Alana Blair and Rick Elam. KOSSA, Rocket

Club, 3 yrs; Math Club, 2 yrs.

**Timothy Tyler Elliott**, London, son of Donna and Scott Lauerman. Golf and Bowling Team.

**Christopher Evans**, Brodhead, son of John Evans and Melissa Evans. FCCLA, 2 years - officer; Rocket Club; Math Club.

**Davis Faulkner**, Brodhead, son of Chris Faulkner and Gina Martin. Football, 1 yr; Track, 1 yr; Motorcross, 3 yrs.

**James Fletcher**, Brodhead, son of Tammy Fletcher and James Fletcher. FFA, 3 yrs; Guitar Club, 2 yrs; Football, 1 yr; Greenhand Degree; Chapter Degree; Small Engine Team; Engine Repair.

**Eli French**, Livingston, son of Barbara and Jesse Mason.

**Jonathon Curtis Gillispie**, Mt. Vernon, son of Toby Gillispie and Stella Hunt. Kentucky DOT Welding Certification, National Career Readiness (Work Keys) Silver Certification, Rockcastle Area Technical Center - Career Major Certificate, Manufacturing, Arc Cutter, Arc Welder - Cutting Processes, Gas Metal Arc Welder A, Production Line Welder - Cutting Processes, Shielded Metal Arc Welder A, Tack

Welder B, Welder Helper B. Skills USA.

**Lauren N. Gregory - Schrink**, Brodhead, daughter of Richard, Barbara, Tonya Schrink. FCCLA, Guitar Club, Young Democrats, Choir, Film Club, Math Club, Work Keys - Gold, 98% perfect attendance.

**Eli Zane Haddix**, Mt. Vernon, son of Howard and Denise Haddix. Football, 4 yrs-captain, 1 yr; Track, 3 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE/UNITE Presents, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Young Republicans, 4 yrs; Leadership Rockcastle, 2 yrs.

**Adam Hale**, Mt. Vernon, son of Raymond Hale. FFA, Turf Grass Management Impromptu Speaking, Turf Grass Management Proficiency.

**Amie Hale**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Raymond Hale and Lisa Vanwinkle. FFA, 4 yrs - community service committee member, 1 yr, leadership committee chairman, 2 yrs, outstanding committee chair, 2 yrs, 3rd high individual FFA

Land Judging Team at state, first place horse impromptu speaking regional winner, 2 yrs, second place Swine Impromptu winner, 1 yr.

**Miranda Dannielle Harding**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Betsy and Terry Harding. JROTC, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 year - received sash, Na-

tional Honor Society, 1 year - received cord, Honor Roll Student, full scholarship to Berea College, 92 and 100 on KOSSA tests, Work Keys - Gold Certificate, 29 on ACT, 89 on ASVAG, varsity letter in JROTC.

**Acree "Bo" Harris IV**, Mt. Vernon, son of Acree Harris III and Shonda Harris.

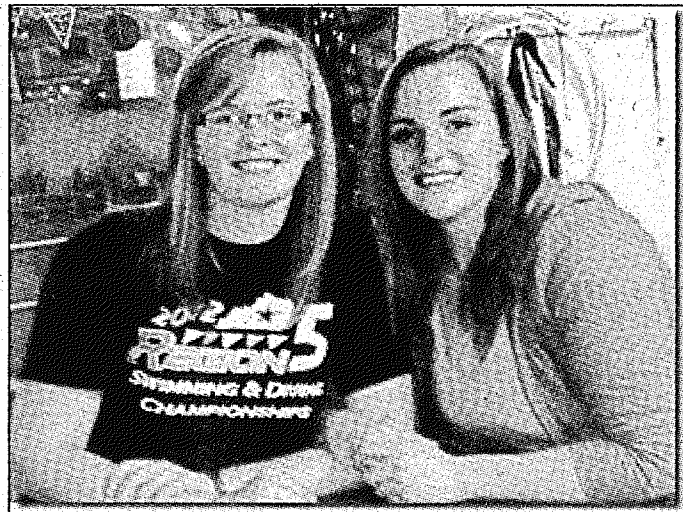
**Ricky Harris**, Berea, son of Rick and Iola Harris. Fishing Scholarship to Bethel University. Bass Fishing Team President.

**Courtney Lynn Hasty**, Mt. Vernon; daughter of Frankie and Rhonda Hasty. Volleyball, 7 yrs - all tournament team - Athletic Academics Excellence Award, 4 yrs; FCA, 1 yr; FCCLA president, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr; Film Club, 1 yr; FFA, 4 yrs. Work Keys - Gold. Passed Culinary, Child Human Development and Livestock Production KOSSA exams. Highest grade average - Culinary Skills Award.

**James Garrett Lee Hasty**, Brodhead, son of Jerry and Tina Hasty. Y Club, 7 yrs; KYA, 7 yrs; KUNA, 3 yrs; JROTC, 4 yrs - Raider Team, 1 yr, JROTC Rifle Team, 3 yrs, JROTC Staff, 1 yr;

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## Congratulations to employees Rebecca Barron and Heather Clontz Class of 2013



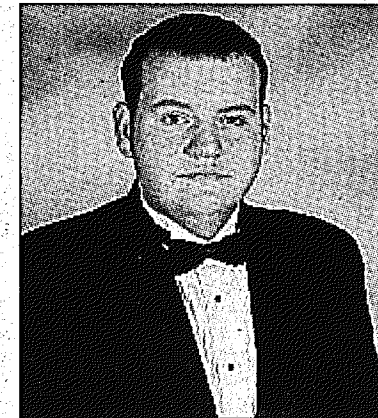
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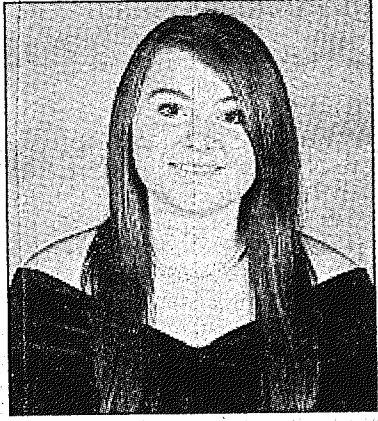
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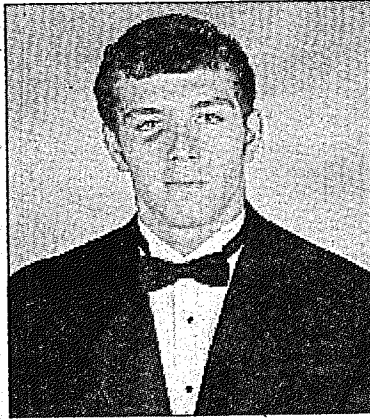
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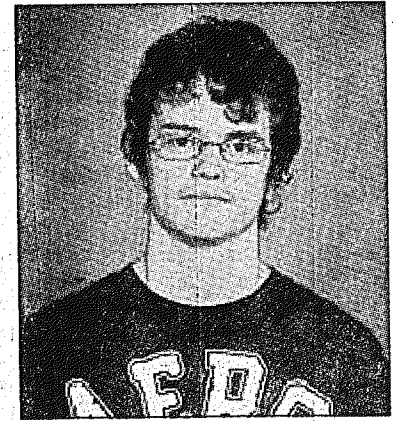
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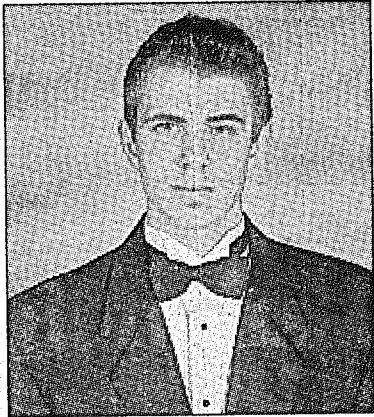
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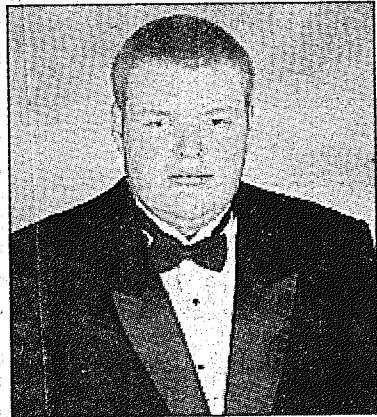
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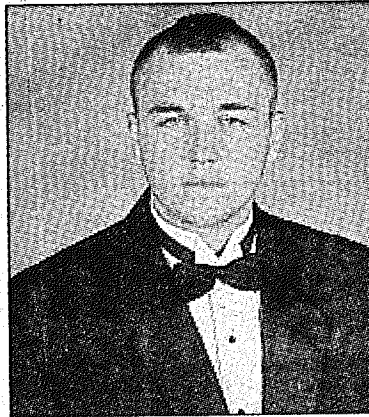
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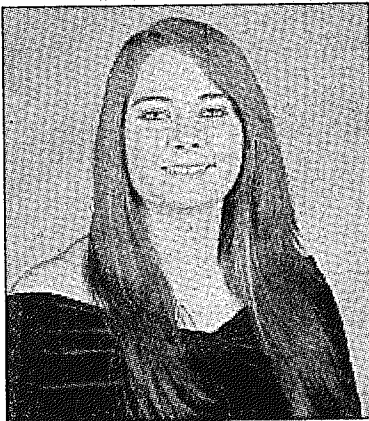
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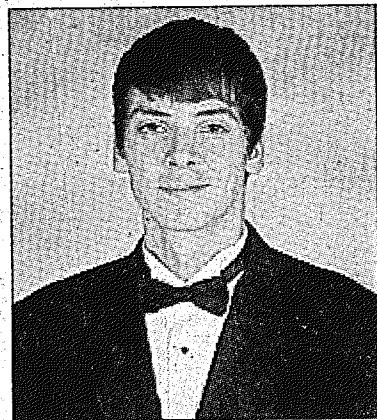
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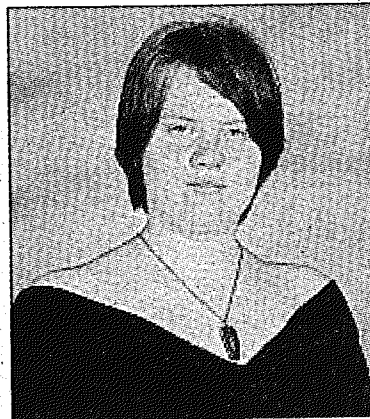
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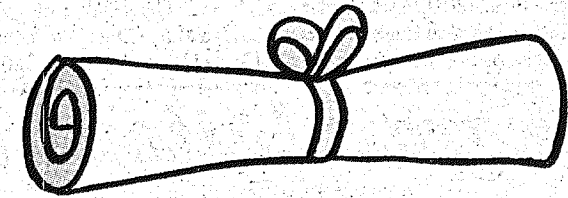
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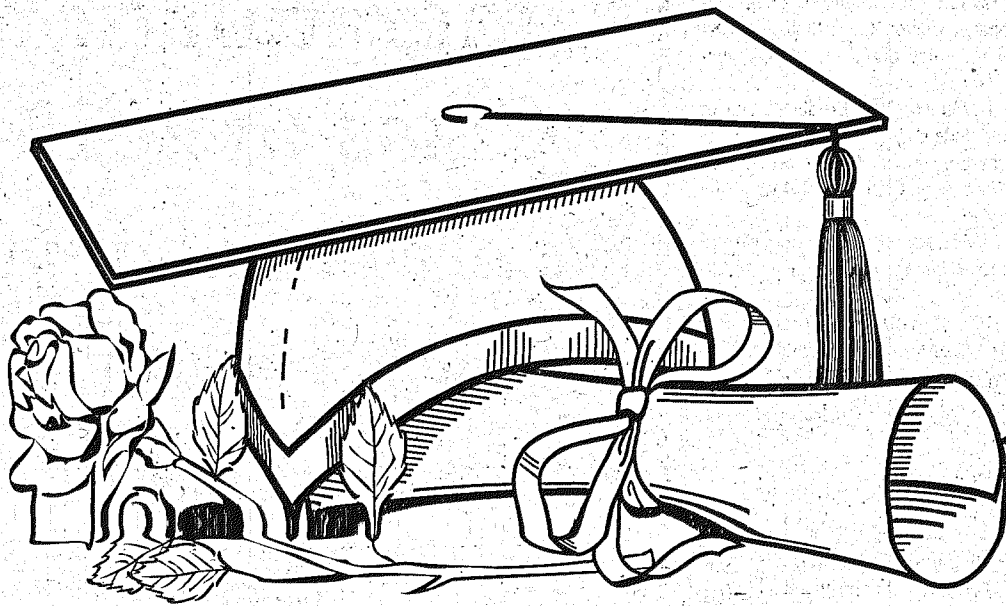
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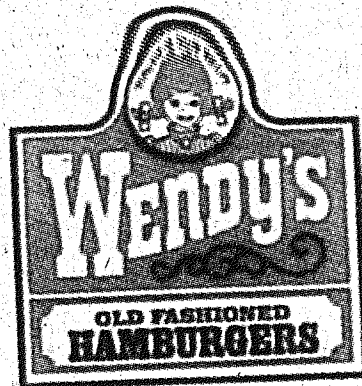
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**Matthew W. Hasty**, Berea, son of Teresa Howard and Dewayne Hasty. FCA, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr; Honors Club, 2 yrs - media specialist, 1 yr; secretary, 1 yr. Guitar Club, 1 yr; Work Keys - Gold; Yearbook, 1 yr; *The Rocket* staff, 1 yr.

**Naman Tanner Helton**, Mt. Vernon, son of Donnie and Tarina Helton. AP U.S. History, FCA Club, UNITE Club, Teenage Republicans, Rocket Club.

**Dylan Ray Hensley**, Brodhead, son of Ray and Sherry Bentley Hensley. ECU Regents Scholarship, FFA 4 yrs - scholarship, FFA Greenhand Degree, Chapter FFA Degree, JV Chapter Meeting Team, 2 yrs, Goat Impromptu Speaking, 2 yrs, AG Sales Team, Forestry High Individual, Advanced Animal Science Award, Ky. River Region Agricultural Sales Placement, Chapter Outstanding Agricultural Sales, 2 yrs, Land Judging Award.

**Matthew Hensley**, Berea, son of Karen Stallworth and Jerry Hensley.

**Timothy Lee Hopkins, Jr.**, Brodhead, son of Tim and Dina Hopkins. Welding, 4 yrs, FFA. **Jacob Aaron Houk**, Mt. Vernon, son of Mark and Jennifer Houk. Union College Trustees Scholarship, \$29,125; Governor's Scholar; Rockcastle JROTC, 4 yrs; Rifle Team, 4 yrs; Drill Team, 4 yrs; JROTC Leadership Team, 3 yrs and JROTC Academic Team, 3 yrs.

**Justin Houk**, Mt. Vernon, son of Mark and Jennifer Houk. Air Force ROTC Scholarship, Kentucky Governor's Scholars Program Scholarship, Battalion Commander senior year for JROTC program, Raider Team Captain, Varsity Marksman Team Member, Varsity Cross Country Runner. Admitted to UK.

**Tiffany Howard**, Berea, daughter of Jennifer and Scott Howard. JROTC, 3 yrs - Rifle Team, 3 yrs; Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite - JROTC Award for Leadership, Good Character, Self-Discipline, Good Citizenship and Patriotism; Public Affairs Officer for Rocket Battalion; Attended Junior Cadet Leadership Camp for JROTC (2012).

**Lea Nicole Hughes**, Brodhead, daughter of Robby and Laura Hughes. HOSA, 4 yrs - secretary, treasurer; 1st place HOSA Health and Wellness Test; 1st place State HOSA Parliamentary Procedure Team; Governor's Scholar; Work Keys - Gold; KOSSA Completist; Nursery Class Teacher's Helper.

**Michaela Morgan Hunter**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Kim and Steve Hunter. Full ride to ECU. Basketball, track, UNITE Club, FCA, perfect attendance, Kentucky All-Star Basketball

Team (2013).

**Kelsey Georgianna Jett**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Michael and Patricia Jett. Cheerleader, 3 years; Teenage Republican Club, 3 yrs; UNITE, 3 yrs; FCA, 3 yrs; Rocket Club, 3 yrs; FCCLA, 3 yrs; Film Club, 1 yr; FFA, 1 yr. Kentucky High School Athletic Association Academic All-State Honorable Mention.

**Amy Johnson**, Mt. Vernon; daughter of Lisa Johnson and Kelby Johnson. Track and Field, 6 yrs; 2009 Field Event Athlete of the Year; 2012 Class 2A State Champion in Discus; 2013 Class 2A State Runner-up; 2013 Indoor Champion in Shot Put (two time champion); 1st Team All State; Numerous Meet MVP Awards. Athletic Achievement Award (two years in row); Certificate of Recognition English II. Attending Lindsey Wilson in the fall with a full Tuition Partnership Scholarship and a track and field scholarship.

**Virginia Rachel Paige Johnson**, Orlando, daughter of Wade and Sheila Johnson. Honors Choir, Cheerleading Squad, FCA, UNITE, National Honor Society, Student YMCA, Teenage Republicans, Solicitor General at Kentucky Youth Assembly, Summit President at KUNA, Outstanding Speaker - KYA, Outstanding Choir Student, Key Club President. Will attend Union College in the fall.

**Austin Lee Jordison**, Mt. Vernon, son of Lloyd and Susan Jordison. Academic Team, Technology Student Association, Honors Club.

**Bryan Jude**, Mt. Vernon, son of Regina Parra and Bryan W. Jude. Spanish II Award, Track and Field, Football, Film Club, Chess Club.

**Megan Sheree Mae Kendrick**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Jeff Kendrick and Kathleen Kendrick. Teenage Republicans, UNITE Club, Rocket Club, FCA, Outstanding Academic Award, 4 yrs, ECU Presidential Award/Scholarship.

**Jamie Lynn Kirby**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Karen Kirby and Benton Kirby. Japanese Club, 2 yrs; Zumba Club, 1 yr; Marching Band; Concert Band; JROTC, 1 yr.

**Stacey Nicole Lane**, Brodhead, daughter of Robert and Tajuana Lane. FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 1 yr; FFA, 1 yr; Math Club, 1 yr.

**Elizabeth Anne Lawrence**, Brodhead, daughter of Dennis and Annette Lawrence. FCA, 4 yrs; Archery Team, 4 yrs; UNITE, 3 yrs; National Honor Society, 2 yrs; Key Club, 2 yrs; Teenage Republicans, 3 yrs; Student YMCA, 1 yr; Rocket Club, 1 yr. FFA - Alumni Committee Member, Scholarship Committee Chair, Chapter Asst. Secretary, Junior Varsity Parliamentary Procedure Team, Varsity Parliamentary Procedure Team, Outstanding Asst. Officer, Greenhouse Impromptu Speaking, Chapter Secretary (secretary's book, state and national gold rating), 110% Award, 1 yr, Nursery Judging Team, 2 yrs, Outstanding Officer, 1 yr, Kentucky River Region Vice President, 1 yr, Regional and State Delegate, 1 yr. Landscaping Award, 1 yr. KOSSA Certifications: livestock production, agriculture education, horticulture. Scholarships: Rockcastle Co. FFA Alumni, \$500; Rockcastle Co. Farm Bureau, \$500, National Wild Turkey Federation, \$300. Landscaping Award (2011).

**Jacob Anthony Blayne Lawson**, Brodhead, son of Mark and Jessica Lawson. FCA, 4 years.

**Robert Jay Lawson**, Brodhead, son of Robert and Shanna Lawson. Guitar Club, Film Club - president, Voice Club, Key Club, Young Democrats, Eagle Scout.

**Joshua Lewis Linville**, Brodhead, son of Phyllis and Rodger Linville. Sons of the American Revolution Award, Perfect Attendance Award, Work Keys - Gold; JROTC, 4 yrs - Rifle Team Captain, 1 yr.

**Dalton Lovell**, Mt. Vernon, son of David and Barbara Lovell and Floyd and Berniece Lovell, guardians.

**Elijah Dean Lovell**, Mt. Vernon, son of Bobby Lovell and Kimberly Sandusky. Film Club, 1 yr; FCA, 1 yr. Accepted into Somerset Community College seeking degree in Criminal Justice.

**Nicholas T. MacLeod**.

**Katie Rose Marks**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Steve and Julie Marks. FCA, UNITE, Book Club, Do Something Club. Will be attending ECU in the fall.

**Rachelle Noelle Martin**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of James Martin. Book Club, Y-Club - secretary, Chess Club, Do Something Club, UNITE to Read Award.

**Sarah Jean Martin**, Brodhead, daughter of William Martin and Jennie Martin. FCCLA, 4 yrs - vice president of Parliamentary Law, 1 yr, Regional FCCLA vice president of Parliamentary Law, 1 yr; UNITE, 3 yrs; Film Club, 2 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr. Presidential Fitness Award (freshman year), KOSSA Child Development and Family Consumer Science.

**Aaron Scott McAarter**, Mt. Vernon, son of Laurie Gray, JROTC officer.

**Cody McCormick**, Mt. Vernon, son of Jack McCormick and Amanda McCormick.

**Eric Jason McCracken**, Mt. Vernon, son of Randy and Joyce McCracken. Kentucky DOT Welding Certification; Work Keys - Silver; Rockcastle Area Technical Center - Career Major Certificates: Manufacturing, Arc Cutter, Arc Welder - Cutting Processes; Gas Metal Arc Welder A, Production Line Welder - Cutting Processes, Shielded Metal Arc Welder A, Tack Welder B, Welder Helper B. Full Tuition Scholarship to Tulsa Weld School. 1st Place, RATC Local Welding Contest 2010-2013, 1st Place Kentucky Regional Skills USA Welding Competition (2013), 1st Place Kentucky State Skills USA Welding Competition (2013).

**Damien Dre' McDaniel**, Brodhead son of John and Charlotte Burton. Outstanding Academic Awards, 4 yrs; UNITE, FCA, Rocket Club, Young Republicans, Baseball, 4 yrs, football, 4 yrs. Will be attending ECU in the fall.

**Alexis Sue McDowell**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Tammi Hughart.

**Michaela Brookē McFerron**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Briana Owens and Scottie McFerron. FCCLA, 3 yrs; Young Democrats, 1 yr; Film Club, 4 yrs; KOSSA - Passed Family Consumer Science.

**Brooke McGuire**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Gregory McGuire and Alicia McGuire. National Diabetic Scholarships; Skills USA.

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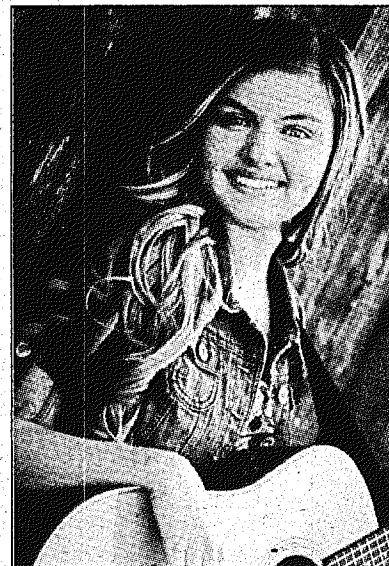
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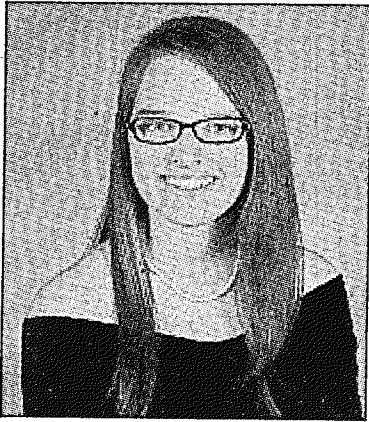
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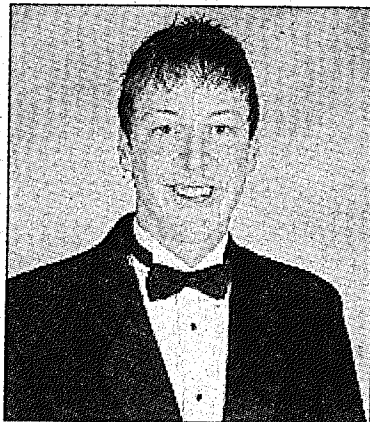
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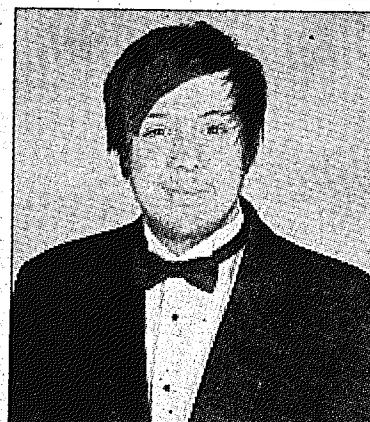
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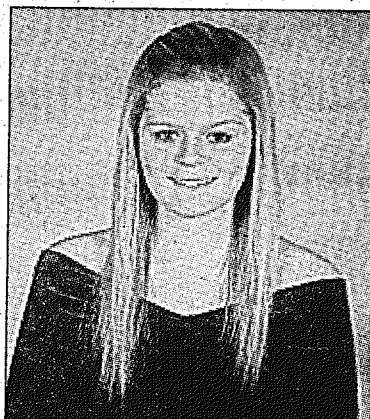
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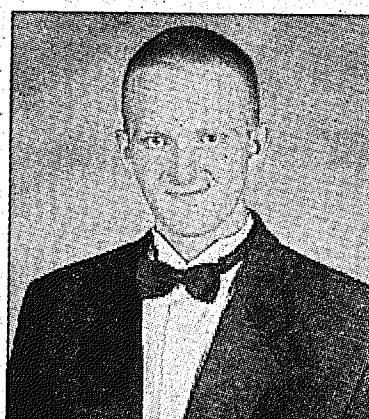
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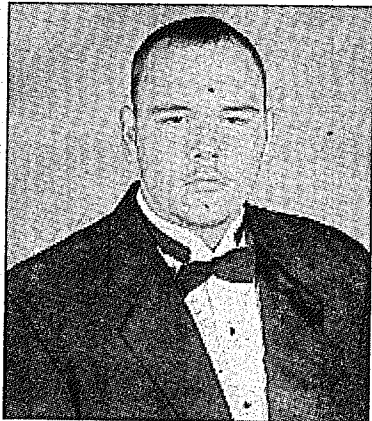
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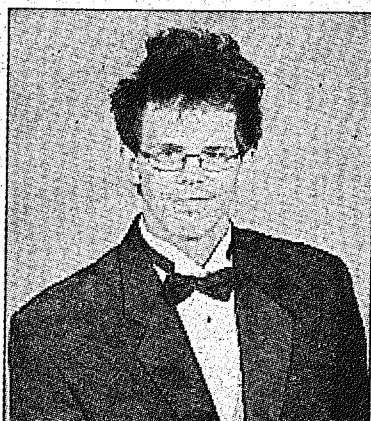
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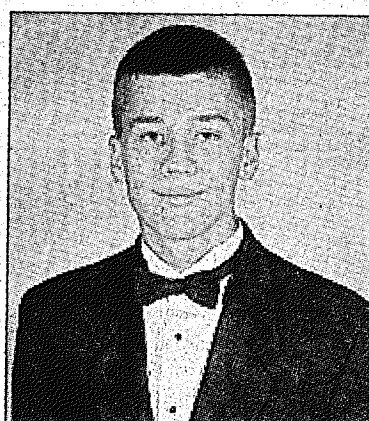
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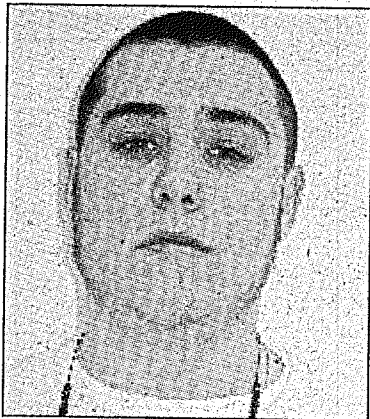
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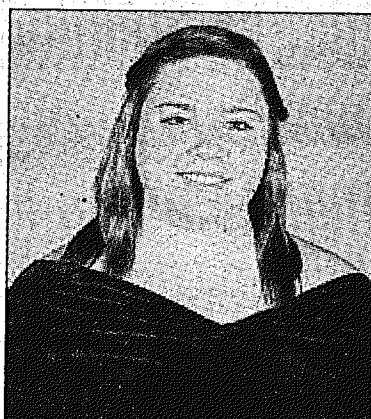
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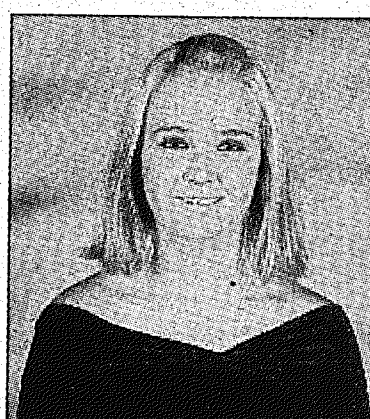
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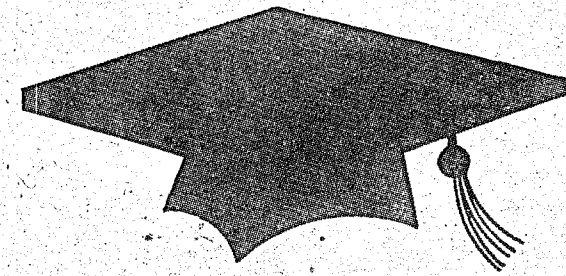
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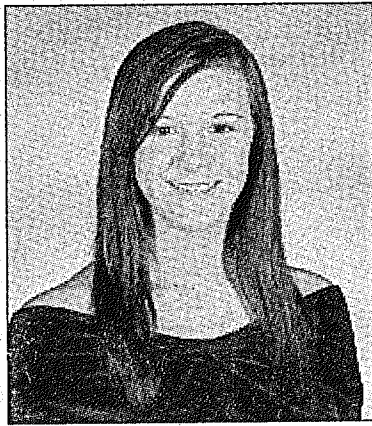


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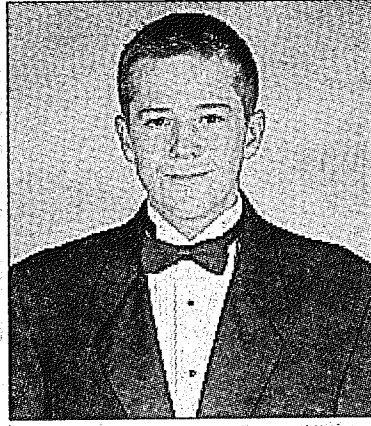


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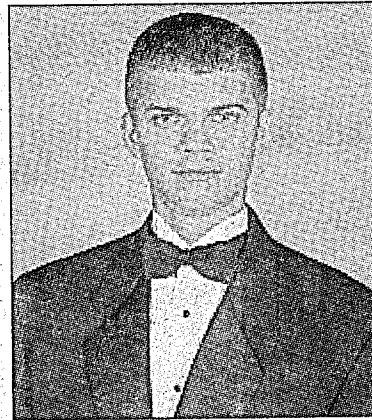




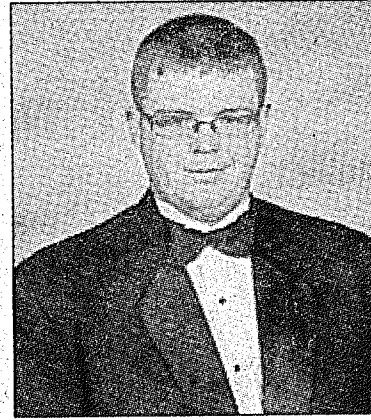
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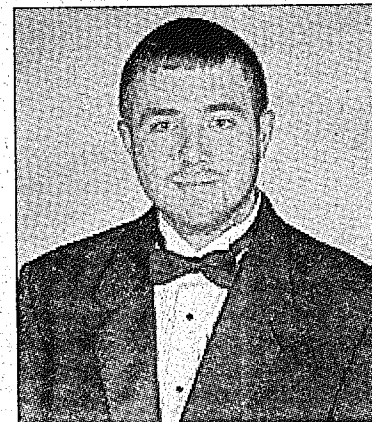
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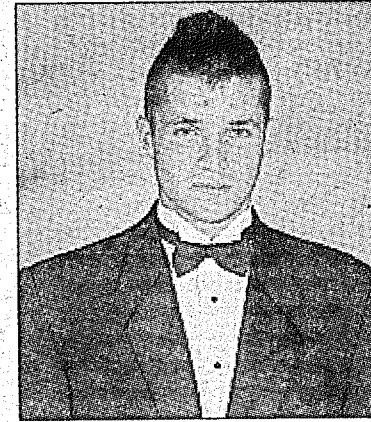
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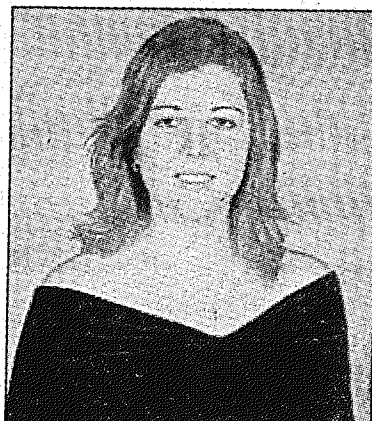
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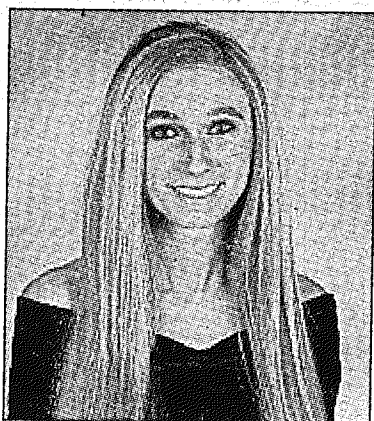
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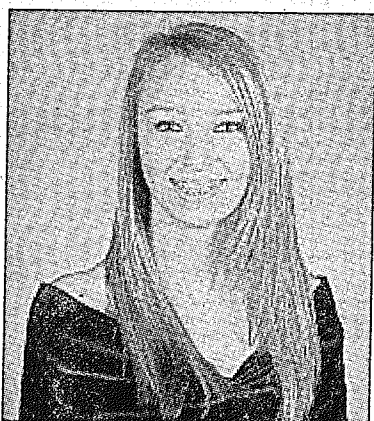
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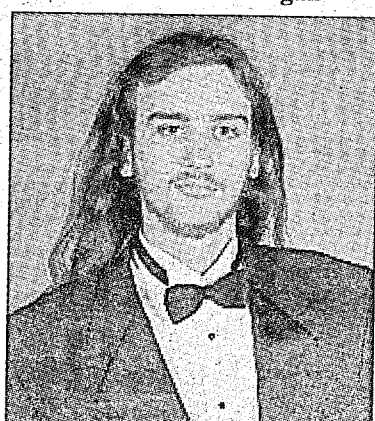
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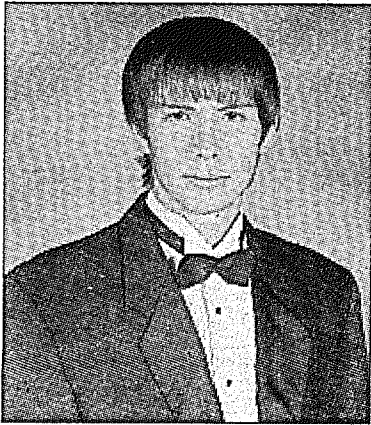
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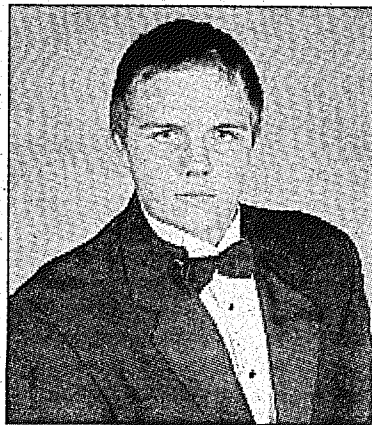
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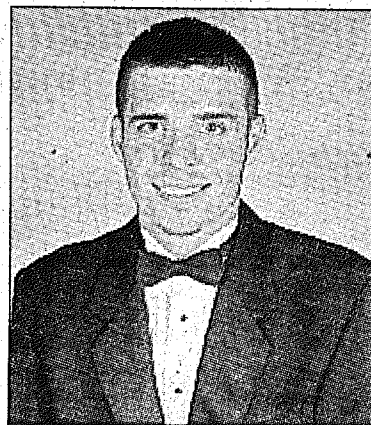
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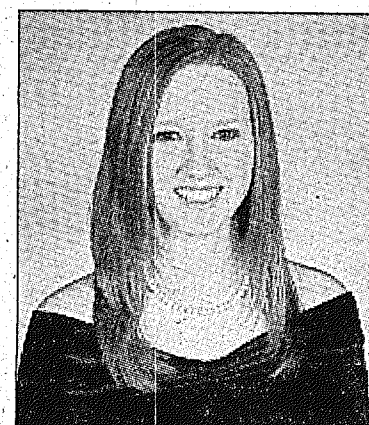
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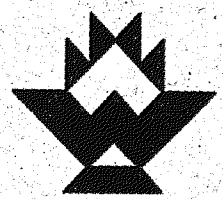
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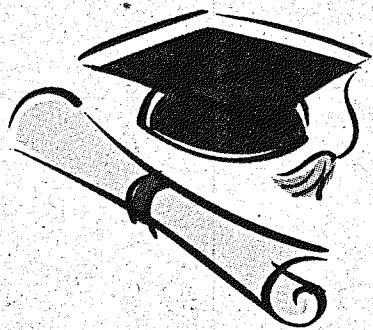
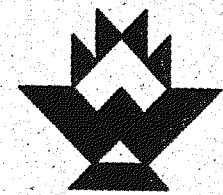
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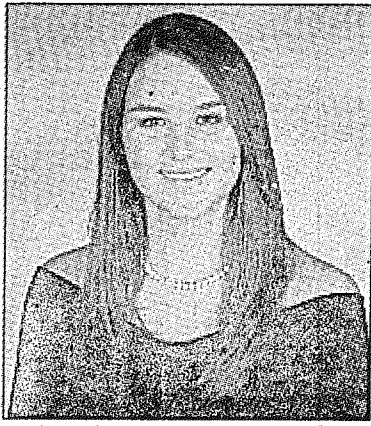
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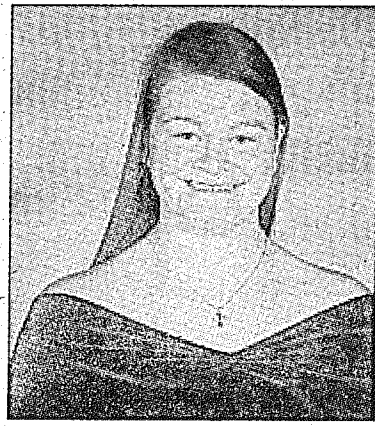


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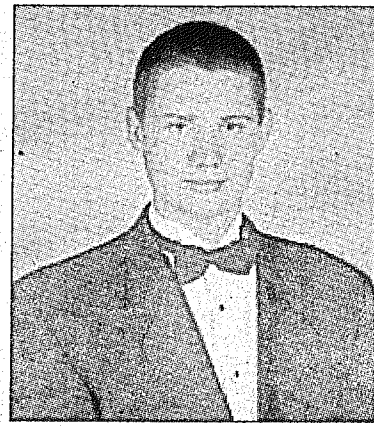
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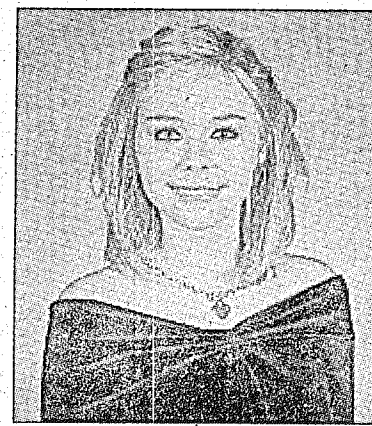
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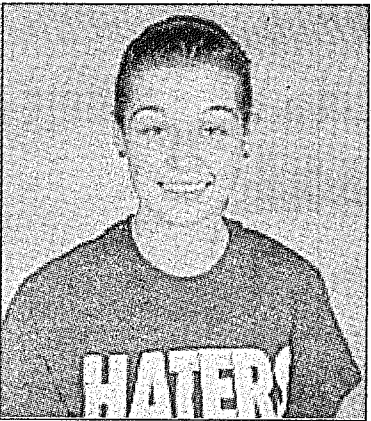
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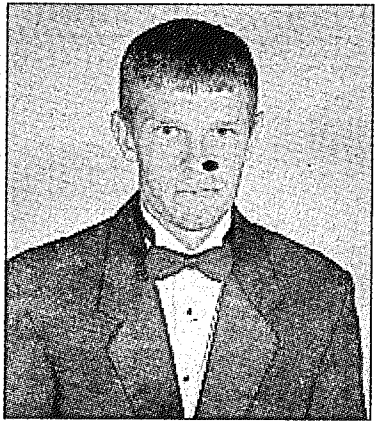
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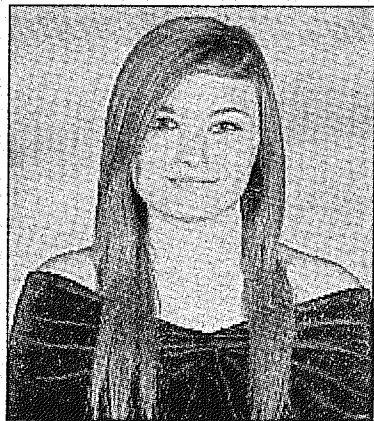
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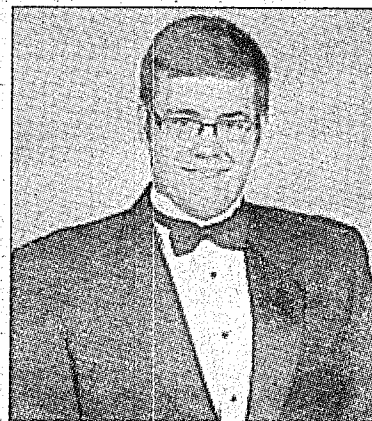
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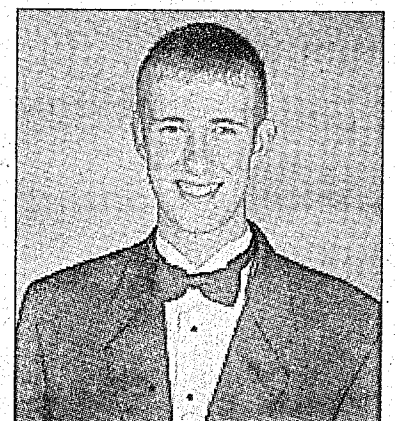
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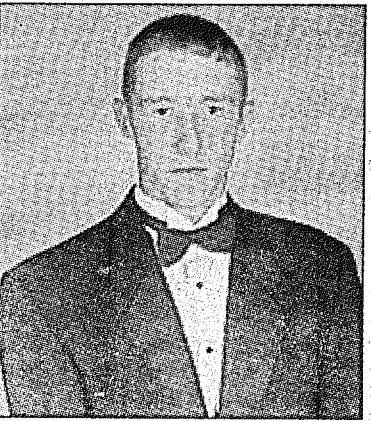
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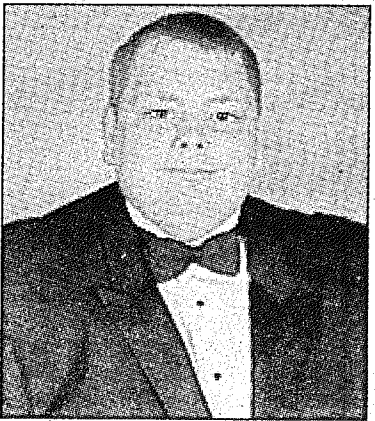
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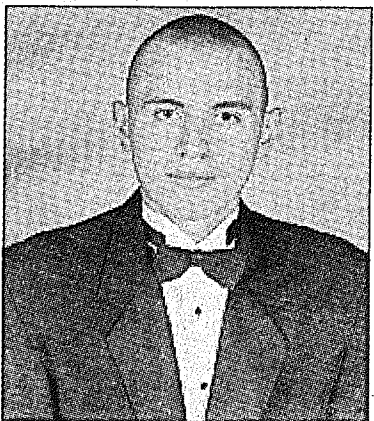
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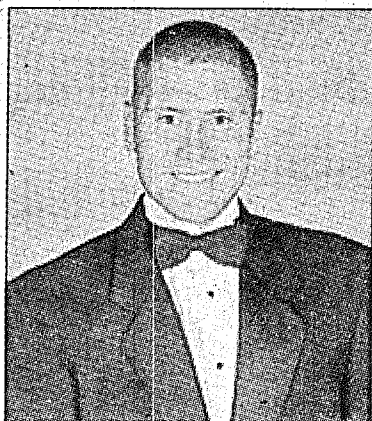
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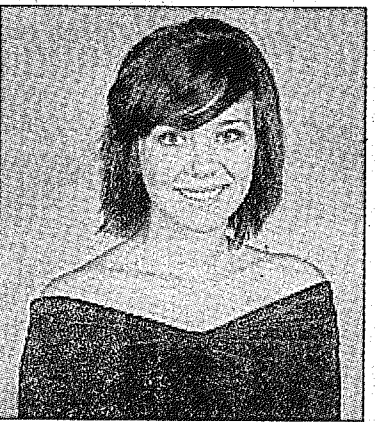
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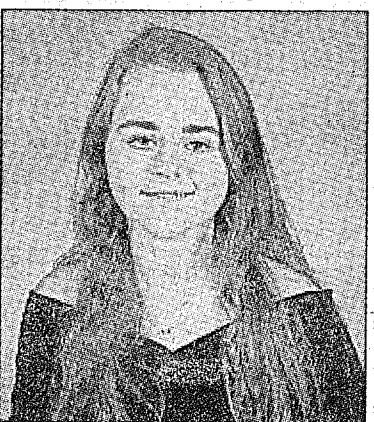
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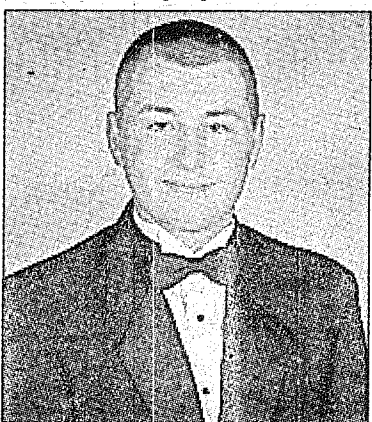
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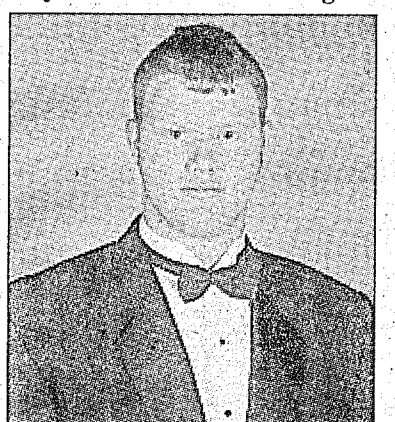
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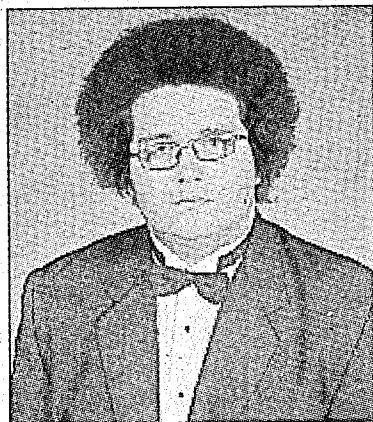
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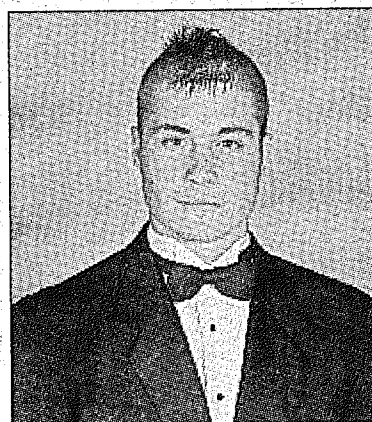
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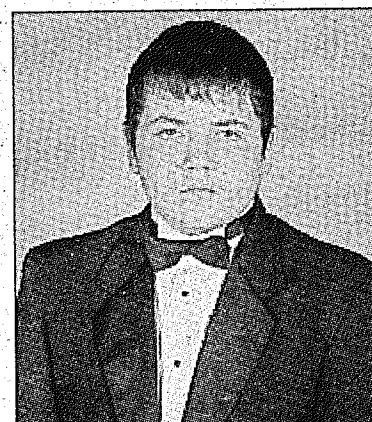
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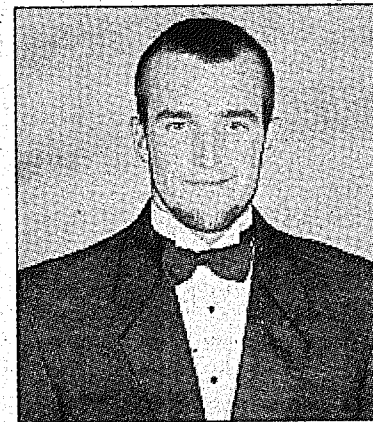
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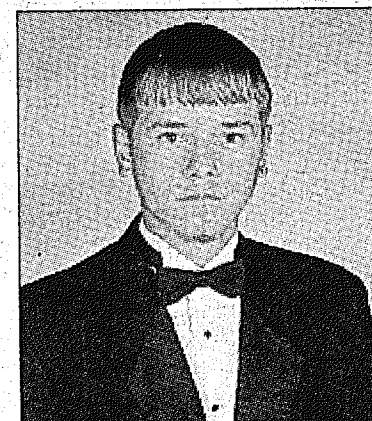
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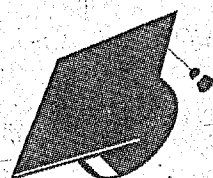
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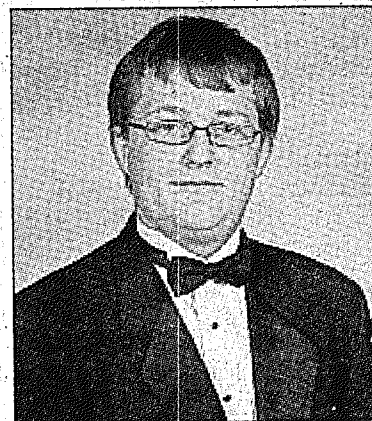
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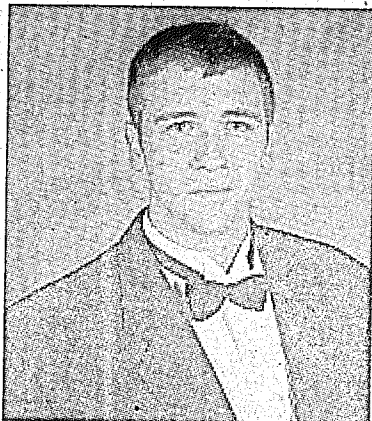
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- Hannah Bullock:** (UK) Rockcastle UNITE Coalition Scholarship-Hollie Barnett Scholarship-\$500; Somerset Hardwood Flooring Scholarship-\$1000 per year (\$4000); University of Kentucky Presidential Scholarship-\$10,000 per year (\$40,000)
- Hannah Eaton:** (UK) "I Am Unite" Scholarship-\$1,500; University of Kentucky Provost Scholarship-\$1,500 per year (\$6000); Rockcastle UNITE Coalition Scholarship-Hollie Barnett Scholarship-\$2,000
- Samantha Smoker:** (EKU) "I Am Unite" Scholarship-\$1,500; Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Justin Houk:** (UK) AFROTC Scholarship-\$5,950 per year (\$23,800); University of Kentucky Governor's Scholars Scholarship-\$1,500 per year (\$6000)
- Jacob Houk:** (Union College) Union College Trustees Scholarship-\$19,125 per year
- Jeremiah Brown:** (University of the Cumberlands) Archery Scholarship-\$2,400; University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$8000 per year (\$32,000)
- JD Morgan:** (University of the Cumberlands) Archery Scholarship-\$2,400; University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$3000; University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$6200 per year (\$30,000)
- Miranda Harding:** (Berea College) Berea College Full Tuition Scholarship-\$29,344/per year (\$117,376)
- Raychel McKinney:** (Berea College) Berea College Full Tuition Scholarship-\$29,344/year (\$117,376)
- Jeffrey Dylan Stewart:** (Berea College) Berea College Full Tuition Scholarship-\$29,344/year (\$117,376)
- Alexis Young:** (Centre College) Centre College Founders Scholarship \$16,000 per year (\$64,000); Zen and Loah Emerick Scholarship-\$1,000
- Natasha Bohlman:** (EKU) Citizens Bank/Community Gold Scholarship-\$1,000; Kentucky Blood Center/HOSA Scholarship-\$500
- Courtney Hasty:** (EKU) Community Trust Bank/Community Gold Scholarship-\$1,000; (EKU) Cruisin in the Valley Scholarship-\$1,000; Eastern Kentucky Univ. Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Robert Jay Lawson:** Cruisin in the Valley Scholarship-\$1,000
- Laiken Coffey:** (EKU) Discus Award-\$2,000; Rockcastle Kiwanis/Virginia Gilpatrick Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000; Eastern Kentucky University Regents Scholarship/Governor's Scholar Scholarship-\$6,000 per year (\$24,000); Miss Pre-Teen Kentucky Scholarship-\$1,000; Kentucky 4-H Council Scholarship-\$250
- Samantha Payne:** (University of the Cumberlands) Donaldson Company Scholarship-\$2,100; FCA Scholarship-\$150; University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$7,500 per year (\$30,000); University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$1,000; University of the Cumberlands Softball Scholarship-\$6,000
- Michaela Hunter:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Basketball Scholarship-Full Tuition/Housing
- Jessica Bentley:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Excellence Scholarship-\$13,000 per year (\$52,000)
- Rylan Cromer:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Excellence Scholarship-\$13,000 per year (\$52,000)
- Logan Durham:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Excellence Scholarship-\$13,000 per year (\$52,000)
- Leah Hughes:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Founder's Scholarship-\$10,000 per year (\$40,000); Kentucky Blood Center/HOSA Scholarship-\$500
- Angel Spurlock:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Founder's Scholarship-\$10,000 per year (\$40,000)
- Charity Adams:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Founder's Scholarship-\$10,000 per year (\$40,000); Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Scholarship-\$500; Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce Scholarship-\$1,000; (EKU) RCHS FFA Alumni Scholarship-\$500
- Sarah Martin:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Crystal Reddington:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Jade Taylor:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Samantha Thompson:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Emily Mink:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Presidential Scholarship-\$3,500 per year (\$14,000)
- Dylan R. Hensley:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Regents Scholarship-\$6,000 per year (\$24,000); RCHS FFA Alumni Scholarship-\$500
- Lauren Denny:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Regents Scholarship-\$6,000 per year (\$24,000); NOVA Program Scholarship-\$7325 per year (\$29,295)
- Bethany McKinney:** (EKU) Eastern Kentucky University Regents Scholarship-\$6,000 per year (\$24,000); RCHS FFA Alumni Scholarship-\$500; Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Scholarship-\$250; KASCOE Scholarship-\$500
- Olivia Caudill:** (EKU) Eric Ponder Memorial Scholarship-\$1,000
- Jessica Thacker:** (University of the Cumberlands) FCA Scholarship-\$150; Rockcastle Co. Board of Education Honorary Scholarship-\$250; (University of the Cumberlands) University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$8,100 per year (\$36,000); University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$1500
- Katie Clements:** (EKU) Jackson Energy Essay Scholarship-\$1,000
- Ben Allen:** (SCC) Kentucky Auctioneers Association Auxilliary Scholarship-\$1,000; Kentucky Auctioneers Association Scholarship-\$750
- Amy Johnson:** (Lindsey Wilson College) Lindsey Wilson College Mirror Mirror Scholarship-\$15,272; Lindsey Wilson College Track and Field Scholarship-\$2,500
- Brooke McGuire:** (SCC) National Diabetic Scholarship-Full College Tuition
- Elizabeth Lawrence:** (EKU) National Wild Turkey Federation Scholarship-\$300; Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Scholarship-\$500; RCHS FFA Alumni Scholarship-\$500
- Holly B. Cromer:** (EKU) Public Safety Officers Educational Assistance - Full Ride
- Miranda Clark:** (EKU) RCHS FFA Alumni Scholarship-\$500; Rockcastle County Farm Bureau Scholarship-\$250
- Kaitlyn Delph:** (EKU) Rockcastle County Community Scholarship-\$1,000
- Damien McDaniel:** (EKU) Rockcastle County Community Scholarship-\$500; Rockcastle Regional/Wayne Stewart Scholarship-\$500
- Ashton Arvin:** (UK) Rockcastle UNITE Coalition Scholarship-Hollie Barnett Scholarship-\$500; University of Kentucky Provost Scholarship-\$1,500 per year (\$6000)
- Eric McCracken:** (Tulsa Welding School) Tulsa Welding School Professional Welder-\$18000
- Taylor Owens:** (Union College) Union College Dean's Scholarship/Bulldogs Award-\$9,000 per year (\$36,000)
- Austin Jordison:** (UK) University of Kentucky College of Engineering Scholarship-\$3000 per year; University of Kentucky Presidential Scholarship-\$10,000 per year (\$40,000)
- Jesse Stallworth:** (UK) University of Kentucky Robinson Scholar Scholarship-\$22,000 per year (\$88,000)
- Celine Potter:** (U of L) University of Louisville Trustees Academic Scholarship-\$1,250
- Hannah Tyler:** (University of the Cumberlands) University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$6300 per year (\$36,000); University of the Cumberlands Bert T. Combs Scholarship-\$1936; University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$3000
- Sarah Burdine:** (University of the Cumberlands) University of the Cumberlands Academic Scholarship-\$6,200 per year (\$24,800); University of the Cumberlands Bert T. Combs Scholarship-\$1724; University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$3,000
- Aaron Adkisson:** (University of the Cumberlands) University of the Cumberlands Christian Leadership Scholarship-\$3,000; University of the Cumberlands Dean's Scholarship-\$15,000 per year (\$60,000)
- Heather Clontz:** (UK) Wayne Stewart Scholarship-\$1,000
- Rachel Martin:** (EKU) Wayne Stewart Scholarship-\$1,000



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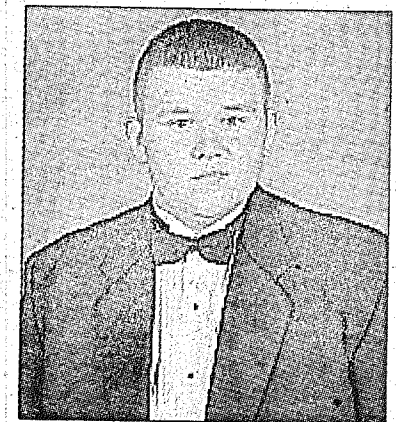
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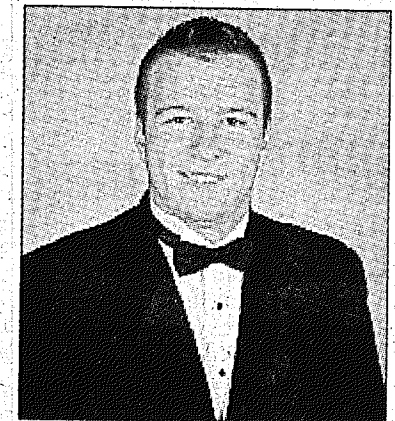
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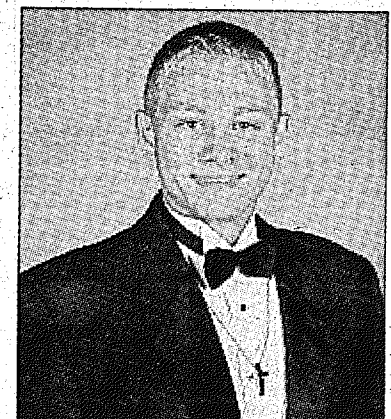
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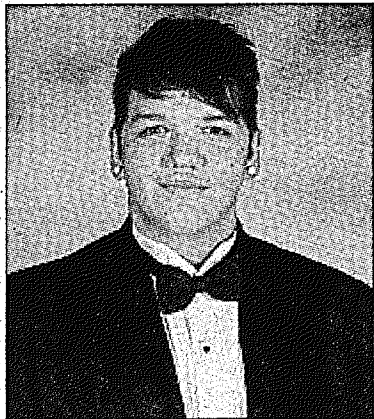
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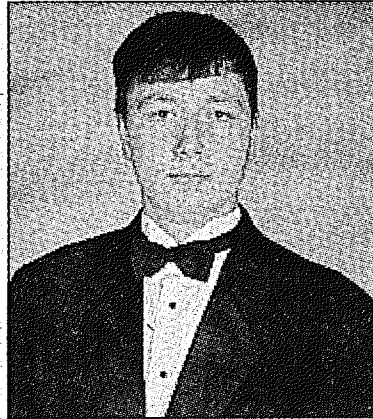
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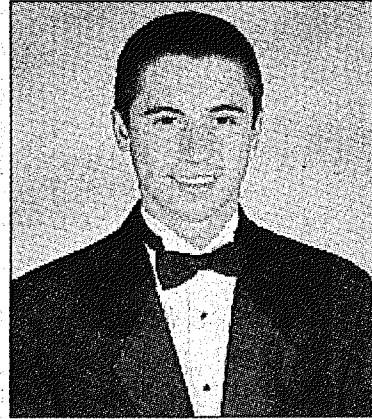
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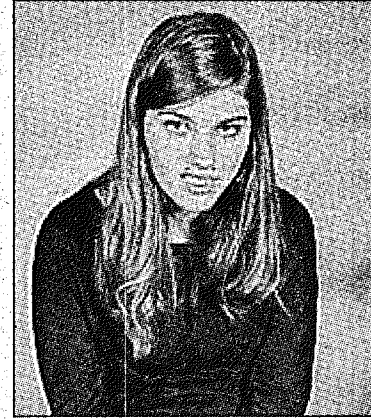
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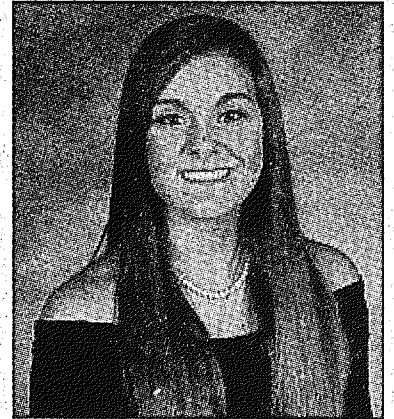
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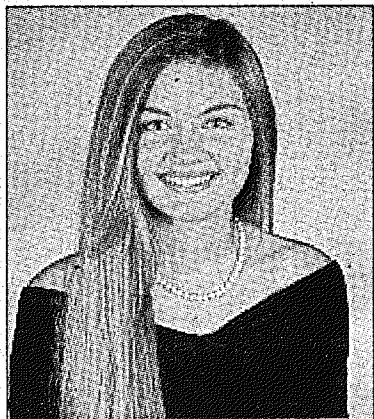
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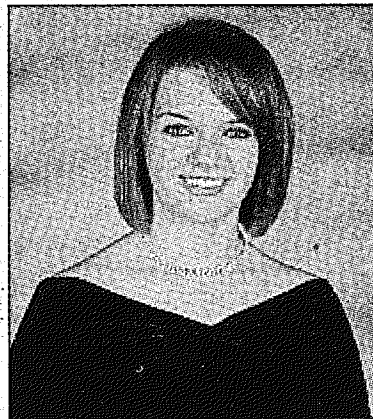
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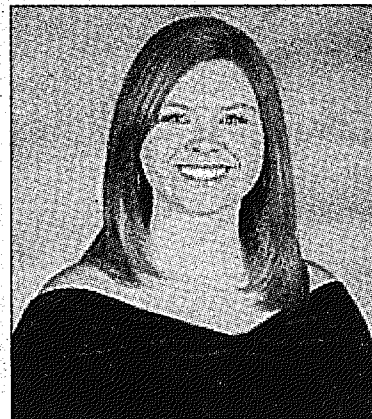
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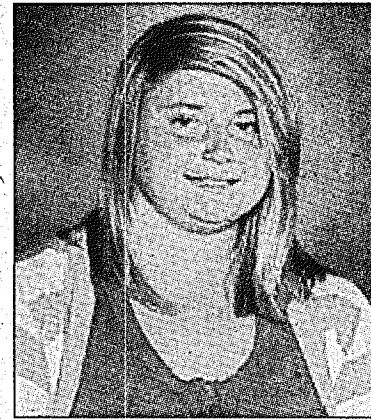
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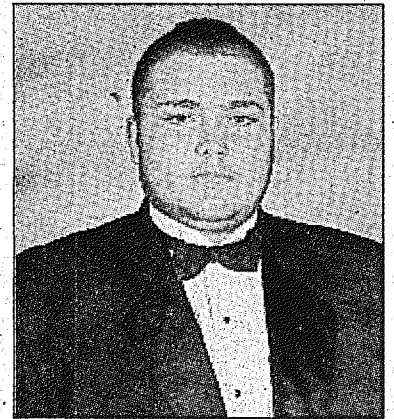
**Samantha Brook Thompson**



**Hannah Mackenzie Tyler**



**Mary Elizabeth Marie Weaver**



**Nathan Dean Whitaker**

**Bethany Donielle McKinney**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Jim and Dana McKinney. Reporter for FFA - Awards in speaking - outstanding service and many team awards.

**Raychel Michael McKinney**, Brodhead, daughter of Melissa Lear Rickett and Hobert M. McKinney. FCA; HOSA; Young Democrats; UNITE; FFA - Fall Winner Creed and Quiz Contest, FFA Quiz - fall/overall winner (2009), JV Chapter Meeting Team (2004-10); Record Keeping (2009-10); Ag Sales Team (2010-11), Greenhand Degree (2009-10). Semi-Finalist in the Berea College Pinnacle Scholar Awards of Excellent Program in the area of Science. 2012 Central Kentucky Scholar-Campbellsville University; Work Keys - Gold. Awarded four year tuition scholarship to Berea College, currently valued at more than \$100,000.

**Shelby Brooke McKinney**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Jeff McKinney and Tammy Riley. Honors Choir; Winterguard, 1 yr; Japanese Club; Creative Writing; UNITE to Read Award.

**Emily Elizabeth Miller**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Theresa and Donnie Minton. Basketball, 4 years.

**Emily Anne Mink**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Jeffery D. Mink and Tracy Mink. EKU Presidential Scholarship; RCHS Cheerleader, 3 yrs; Rocket Club, 3 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs.

**Waylon Mink**, Mt. Vernon, son of Gary Stephen Mink and Leslie Jo Johnson. Ky. DOT Certification; Work Keys - Silver; One+ Net Certifications; Skills USA, 2 yrs; State Compe-

tion, opening and closing, 2 yrs - secretary and president of the opening and closing team. **Carlotta Morgan**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Carl and Deanna Morgan. Rocket Club, Zumba, FCA, Teenage Republicans, UNITE. KOSSA Award, Work Keys - Gold, MNA (SRNA License), Medicaid Nurse Aide, Health Science Skills Vet Assistant, Health Careers Core 1.

**James Demas Morgan**, Mt. Vernon, son of Terri and Jesse Morgan. FCA, 3 yrs; FFA, 2 years - Assistant Chaplain, 1 yr; Archery, 2 yrs; Math Club, 3 yrs

**Courtne Brooke Mullins**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Debra Rae and Jeff Bruderle. Grandparents, Raymond and Darlene Kirby. UNITE, 4 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; HOSA, 3 yrs; Softball, 3 yrs. Accepted to Morehead State University but plan to enlist in the U.S. Air Force to follow in Grandpa's footsteps.

**Warren Dewayne Mullins**, Orlando, son of Dewayne Mullins and Natalie Mullins. Enlisted in the U.S. Army.

**Dylan Wayne Nicely**, Mt. Vernon, son of Angelia Borojevich and Steve Nicely. FFA, 1 yr.

**Tim C. Nicely**, Mt. Vernon, son of James Croucher. Work Keys - Silver; Rockcastle Area Technical Center - Careers Major Certificates: Manufacturing, Arc Cutter, Arc Welder - cutting processes, Gas Metal Arc Welder A, Tack Welder B, Welder Helper B, Skills USA.

**Brett Noble**, Mt. Vernon, son of Shane and Crystal Noble. Skills USA and Certificate in Automotive.

ter of Beverly and Kevin Jones. Work Keys; Rocket Club; Health Careers Core 1; Health Science Skills - Medical Assisting.

**Taylor Dawn Owens**, Brodhead, daughter of Melissa Briggs and granddaughter of Tom and Brenda Owens. Math Club, 2 yrs; Art Club, 4 yrs; Film Club, 2 yrs; FCCLA, 1 yr. Outstanding Advance Artist Award. Will attend Union College in the fall.

**Cali Marie Parker**, Brodhead, daughter of Gene Parker and Amy and Johnny Hopkins. FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr; Teenage Republicans; Co-op Student at Rockcastle Regional Hospital; active member of Brodhead Baptist.

**Samantha Erin Payne**, Crab Orchard, daughter of Scott Payne and Sandra Burke. FCA, 4 yrs - president; YMCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Key Club, 1 yr; Rocket Club, 3 yrs; Teenage Republicans, 3 yrs. Softball, 4 years. Chemistry Award. Scholarship to University of the Cumberlands to play softball. Donaldson Company Scholarship, \$2,100.

**Kyle Peacock**, Mt. Vernon, son of Michelle and Donald Peacock. FFA - Greenhand Degree, Chapter Degree, Earnings and Savings Committee Chair, Asst. Treasurer, Treasurer.

**Sierra Brooke Peters**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Amy L. Vaughn and Michael P. Peters and grandmother/guardian, Sherry D. Vaughn. Key Club, Success Club, Zumba Club. Full ride scholarship to EKU.

**Sarah Elizabeth Pigg**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Doug Pigg and Tena Pigg. FFA - Outstanding Committee Chair (2009-10) and Out-

standing Leader (2011-12).

**Lane Ponder**, Mt. Vernon, son of Steve Ponder and Jill Ponder. JROTC.

**Celine S. Ponder**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Eugene and Juetta Potter. FBLA, Art Club, Young Democrats, National Honor Society.

**Zachary Tyler Poynter**, Mt. Vernon, son of Mark and Sheila Poynter. FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Young Republicans, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Basketball, 4 yrs and Cross Country, 4 yrs.

**John Larkon Prewitt**, Mt. Vernon, son of Sherri Prewitt and John Fain. Greenhand Degree, Chapter Degree, Star Ag Business, FFA Parliamentarian. 4th High State Small Engine Competition, FFA Scholarship (\$500), Ag, Power and Structural Mechanic KOSSA, JV Parliamentary Spring - Team Member.

**Julian Quintin Shea Rada**, Crab Orchard, son of Norma Ruth Rada and Harmon Shelton, Jr. Energy team, Zumba Club, Japanese Club, Rocket Club and Film Club.

**Adam Ramey**, Berea, son of Darlene Ramey and James Ramey. JROTC, 4 yrs - Leadership Awards in JROTC - Raider Team member - 40 hours of community service work through JROTC.

**Ernest Ray Ryan Rawlins**, Mt. Vernon, son of Ernie Rawlins and Miranda Damrell. JROTC, 4 yrs. National Physical Fitness Award, 3 yrs; JROTC Raider Team, 4 yrs, Drill Team, 3 yrs - Raider Tab/Rope - Drill Rope - over 100 hours of community service work with JROTC.

**Crystal Della Viola Reddington**, Mt. Vernon, son of Chris and Marilyn Reddington. Passed MNA; KOSSA; Work Keys; HOSA presi-

dent; Do Something Club; Presidential Scholarship to EKU.

**Terri Renner**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Joyce Owens Renner and Terry Renner. Book Club; Golden Book Club; Chess Club.

**Mary Robinson**, Mt. Vernon, daughter of Lisa Robinson. FFA awards - asst. FFA officer. Accepted to Morehead State.

**Tucker Rose**, Brodhead, son of Greg and Sara Rose. 2nd Lt. JROTC, member of Brodhead Fire Dept., college tuition paid by enlisting in National Guard.

**Anthony Boone Saylor**, Brodhead, son of John and Karen Saylor. Football, 4 yrs - captain; Baseball, 4 yrs; FCA, 4 yrs; UNITE, 4 yrs; Rocket Club, 4 yrs; Outstanding Academic Award, 3 yrs.

**Albert Seals**, Mt. Vernon, son of Albert and Joann Seals. One+ Certificates in: Arc Cutter, Arc Welder - cutting processes, Gas Metal Arc Welder, Production line Welder - cutting processes, Shielded Metal Arc Welder A, Tack Welder B, Welder's Helper B. Ky DOT 3, Vertical up Certificate.

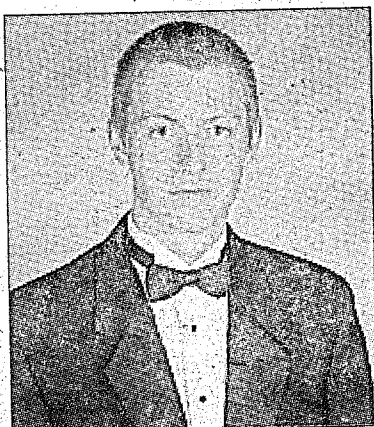
**Johnny Thomas Shafer II**, Mt. Vernon, son of Thomas Shafer and Kay Prewitt. Football, 4 years.

**Angel Shelton**, daughter of Mary Kay Kong and Edison Kong. Creating Writing Club, 3 yrs - president, 1 yr; Japanese Club, 4 yrs - Received EKU Regent's Scholarship.

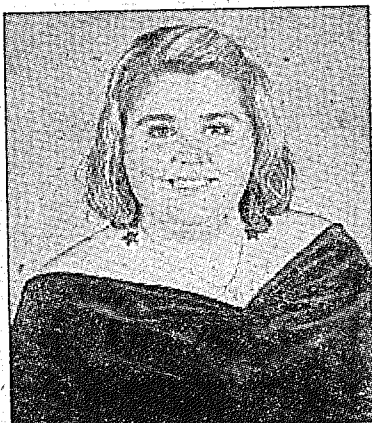
**Jacob Singleton**, Mt. Vernon, son of Shonda Singleton and Randy Singleton.

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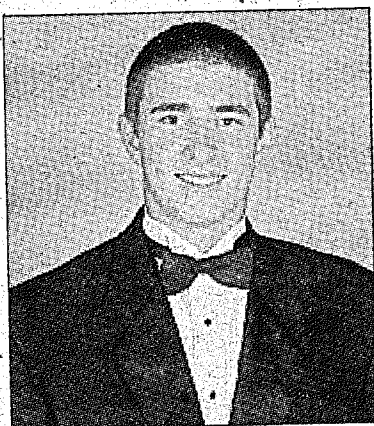
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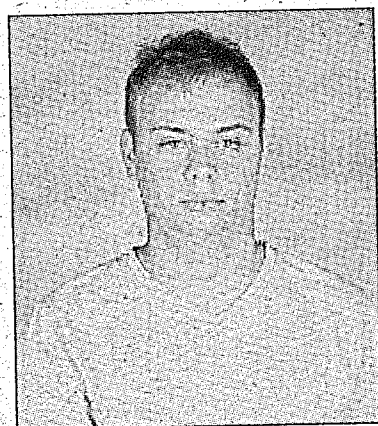
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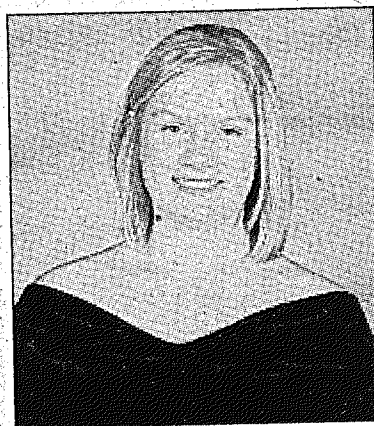
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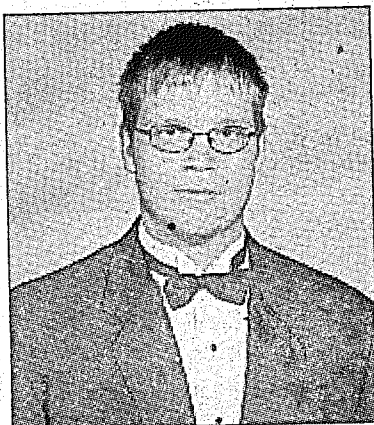
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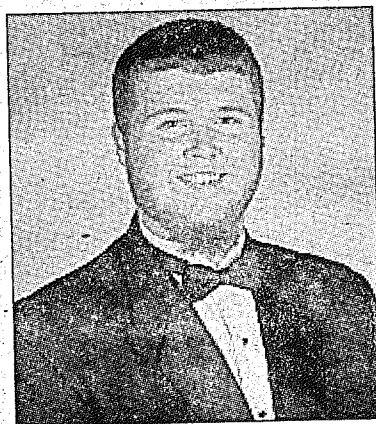
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Alexis Delisle Young

# Best Wishes Class of 2013

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Circuit Court Judge

# Departmental Awards

*Valedictorian -- Hannah Bullock*

*Salutatorian -- Logan Durham*

*Highest ACT -- Charity Adams*

*Library -- Hannah Tyler*

*Art -- Alma Miranda Clark*

*Math -- Austin Jordison*

*Agriculture -- Charity Adams & Elizabeth Lawrence*

*Yearbook -- Kaitlyn Delph*

*Academic Athlete Girl -- Hannah Bullock*

*Academic Athlete Boy -- Eli Haddix*

*Science -- Aaron Adkisson*

*John Lair Award -- Charity Adams*

*English -- Hannah Bullock*

*DAR Good Citizenship -- Samantha Payne & Eli Haddix*

*Spanish II -- Sara Adams & Bryan Jude*

*Band -- Rylan Cromer*

*Marines Distinguished Athlete Award -- Ashton Arvin*

*Marines Scholastic Excellence Award -- Charity Adams*

*Marines Semper Fidelis Music Award -- Hannah Tyler*

*Academic Team -- Aaron Adkisson, Jessica Bentley,*

*Heather Clontz & Austin Jordison*

*Presidential Fitness --*

*Rachel Johnson, Steven Lane Ponder, John Curtis Wilson*

*Family and Consumer Science -- Courtney Hasty*

*Arts & Humanities -- Adam Poynter*

*MVP Honors Choir -- Adam Alcorn, Heather Clontz*

*& Rachel Johnson*

*Criminal Justice -- Austin Jordison*

*Journalism -- Angel Spurlock*

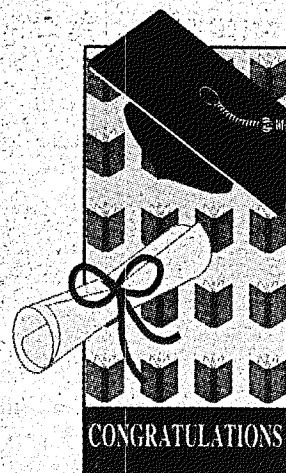
*Psychology -- Zachary Poynter*

*Senior Leadership Award Band -- Laiken Coffey*

*Senior P.E. Award -- Rachel Johnson*

*Woodman of the World -- Adam Poynter*

*Special Achievement -- Timothy Tyler Elliot & Earnest Ryan Rawlins*



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