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Notice is hereby given that Lena Tolson P.O. Box 41, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Bernard Brummett, deceased on the 5th day of June, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Lena Tolson or to Hon. William D. Reynolds, P.O. Box 1240, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before Dec. 5, 2013. 26x3 Notice is hereby given that Rex Mink, 2005 Kimberly

Dr., Somerset, Ky. 42501 has been appointed executor of the estate of Emma J. Mink on the 5th day of June, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Rex Mink or to Hon. Ryan D. Morrow, 126 N. Maple St., P.O. Box 1827, Somerset, Ky. 42502 on or before December 5, 2013. 26x3

Notice: The City of

Brodhead will be accepting bids on various blacktopping and patch work on several streets in the city limits of Brodhead. For a detailed description, you may call 606-758-8635 and have one faxed to you or may pick up at Brodhead City Hall, 7 West Main, Brodhead, Ky. Bids must be "SEALED" and returned to City Hall before 2:00 p.m. Friday, June 28, 2013. Bids will be opened at 2:30 p.m. Friday, June 28, 2013. The City has the right to refuse any or all bids. 27x2

Notice: Property abandoned at 59 Pearl Lane, Berea, Ky. (in Rockcastle) will be disposed of if not claimed by Friday, July 5th. Notice is hereby given that Teresa Bales-Reber, 65 Sally J Road, PO Box 807, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Jimmie C. Bales, II on the 10th day of June, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Teresa Bales-Reber or to Hon. William D. Gregory, 240 E. Main St., PO Drawer 220, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 11, 2013 at 11 a.m. 27x3

Notice is hereby given that Bessie King, 98 Scenic View Lane, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Marie McClure Gentry on the 10th day of June, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Bessie King or to Hon. Jerry J. Cox, PO Box 1350, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 on or before December 10, 2013 att 11 a.m. 27x3

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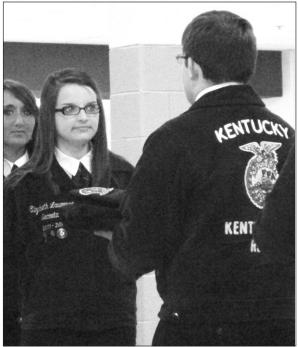
FFA attends Regional Banquet

Submitted by: Tiffany Bowman

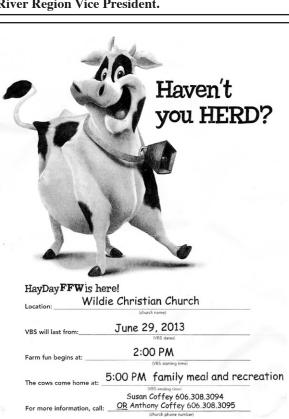
On Friday, April 25th, the FFA traveled to Whitley County to the Regional FFA Banquet. Here, all the chapters of the Kentucky River Region come together and accept awards received from regional contests. Also, new regional officers are installed, and the retiring officers are

At the banquet, Rockcastle received several awards, in various categories. Along with all of these awards, past officer Elizabeth Lawrence was installed as the 2013-2014 Regional Vice President, while another past officer, Megan Martin retired. The Kentucky FFA Reporter for 2012-2013, Billy Cameron, was a guest speaker as well.

The chapter had a great day, with plenty of recognition. Good luck to Elizabeth, and congratulations to all members who have went on to compete in state competitions.



Elizabeth Lawrence was installed as the Kentucky River Region Vice President.





Rockcastle County FFA members at the Regional Banquet in Whitley County.

"Yards"

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these days, not just the cheaper springtime shipments of bare-root items. Getting shipments of growing plants in hot weather or in very cold weather is frought with some concerns though, unless you pay the cost of airmail/airfreight. (Your plants could literally cook in a UPS truck all day.) Order with caution in summer and winter, but I've done it successfully most of the time over the years.

Are you ready to go shopping? Or do you have your plants and need to get the shovel or spade out? Trowels, picks, even my rock hammer gets used sometimes to make planting holes. For those into big power tools, a post hole digger, a bobcat with a big auger, or an electric drill with a small auger-you can make your planting

That's more a man's way of taking care of the planting chore I would suppose.

No matter if you choose one of the ways suggested above, or your own method that works for you, consider creating a new bed of flowering perennials. Even mid summer is OK for this project, so long as you have a hose or other means of watering your new plants from time to time until they get well established. I know you will have a lot of lovely blooms before summer is

The author is a landscaper. Comments and suggestions on future stories are always welcome.Contact Max by sending an email from www.rockcastles.net

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Thursday, June 20, 2013



Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue and Rockcastle EMS responded to a single vehicle accident involing a truck pulling a pull-along camper last Saturday afternoon on I-75 northbound at the 60 mile marker. Authorities said David Gentry, 44 and Dawn Gentry, 39 of Lexington were traveling back home from their family vacation at an RV park in Laurel County when Mrs. Gentry attempted to pass a semi-truck in the left lane and realized she didnt have enough room to switch lanes. Mrs. Gentry then overcorrected and lost control of the truck causing it to rollover. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gentry were transported to Rockcastle Regional Hospital where they were treated for non-life threatening injuries and later released. Authorities also said Mr. Gentry was in a back brace and still recovering from falling 60 feet from a helicopter in a military training exercise in

Brodhead approves blacktop paving and patching plan

By: Doug Ponder

The Brodhead City Council called a special meeting Monday afternoon to discuss and approve their blacktop paving and patching plans for streets within the city limits.

Clerk Becky Bussell told the council she had been compiling a list of streets that city workers and officials had identified as needing paved or patched.

The list included approximately 140,000 square feet of blacktop paving and patching for several of the city's streets including

By: Doug Ponder

School agriculture teacher

and FFA adviser Jeff Hayes

was named Kentucky Agri-

culture Teacher of the Year

last Wednesday at the Ken-

tucky FFA Convention in

annually by the Kentucky

Association of Agriculture

Educators and Kentucky

FFA Foundation. Each candidate has to be nominated

by another agriculture teacher in their region and

is required to fill out an application if nominated. The

applications of the twelve

KAAE regional winners are

then evaluated and voted on by all the agriculture teach-

On the national level, the National Association of Ag-

riculture Educators is di-

vided into six regions.

Hayes will compete with

Teacher of the Year winners

from Illinois, Indiana,

Michigan, Missouri and

Ohio at the NAAE region

four conference in Battle

Creek, Michigan on June

Agriculture Teacher of the

Year, Hayes will compete

with the other five national

If selected Region Four

ers in the state.

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Wallin, Proffitt, Pike, Albright, Silver, West, Church, Tyree and Short Streets. The list also includes paving work for Chestnut Grove Road and the Sycamore Street Bridge.

The blacktop and paving project is being funded through the municipal road aid fund which is based on population determined by the most recent census. The funding can only be used for construction, reconstruction and maintenance of city streets and bridges.

The council agreed unanimously to approve the

regional winners for Na-

tional Agriculture Teacher

of the Year at the NAAE

National Convention in Las

Vegas, Nevada on Decem-

shock from everything and

that winning Kentucky Ag-

riculture Teacher of the Year

"Once I saw the number

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still seems surreal to him.

Hayes said he is still in

ber 3rd-7th.

list of streets to be paved or patched within city limits.

Bussell also suggested that the council advertise bids in the Signal for the various blacktop paving and patch work. She suggested they advertise in the June 20th and 27th issues of the Signal and then open the bids on Friday, June 28th.

The council agreed to advertise for bids in the June 20th and 27th issues of the Mount Vernon Signal. They also agreed to open bids on Friday, June 28th at 2:30 p.m. at City Hall.

For more information about bids or blacktopping contact City Hall at 606-758-8635.

Homeless man arrested for meth possession

By: Doug Ponder

A homeless man was arrested last Wednesday for meth possession after police made a traffic stop on Rich-Street McDonald's.

Arrested at the scene was Joseph Burgess King, 42, (listed as homeless) and Kimberly Lynn Steuber, 31,

of Richmond. According to Mt. Vernon Police reports, Assistant Chief Barry Adams made the stop because he had an active warrant for King's arrest for first degree criminal trespassing and he had

senger seat of a green Chevy Cavalier in the McDonald's parking lot.

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near Longest Day of Play is this **Thursday**

The annual Longest Day of Play and Community Health Fair is this Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Middle

The event is sponsored

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Mount Vernon council approves 2013-2014 budget

By: Doug Ponder

The Mt. Vernon City Council held the second and final reading of the budget for fiscal year 2013-2014 at Monday night's regular meeting.

The council approved the budget without any changes from the first reading, which was held during last month's meeting. The budget shows expected receipts of \$7,468,615 against \$6,258,168 in expenditures.

General fund receipts are expected to be up from \$1,637,065 to \$1,757,265 and water department receipts are also expected to rise from \$2,210,111 to \$4,863,000 mainly because of the new \$2,600,000 from a loan and grant from the Kentucky Infrastructure for the new water tank

Other fund receipts include \$630,000 from sewer \$132,150 from Municipal Aid, \$55,900 from UDAG funds and \$30,300 from LGEA funds.

General fund appropriations include: \$534,575 for administrative salaries and operation; \$718,075 for police department salaries and operation expenses; \$109,172 for fire department chief and assistant chief salaries and operation expenses and \$41,638 for short and long term debt service.

The budget shows \$80,000 for street maintenance \$1,325,675 for water department operation and maintenance, \$324,878 for water department debt service, the \$2,600,000 for the new water tank system project and \$32.000 for miscellaneous expense.

Appropriations from the sewer fund are \$425,925 for sewer department operation and maintenance, \$39,830 for debt service and \$12,000 for miscellaneous expense.

The council agreed unanimously to the reading and

passed the budget for fiscal year 2013-2014. In new business Monday night, the council agreed to purchase a pink helmet from the Mt. Vernon Fire Depart-

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Three people arrested after drugs and needles found in home with children

By: Doug Ponder

Three people were arrested on drug and endangerment charges last Tuesday afternoon after police performed a welfare check on two children inside a home on School Street in Brodhead.

Arrested at the scene were Hobert M. McKinney, Martha McKinney, 31 and Crystal Annette York, 45, all of Brodhead.

According to state police reports, Trooper Scottie Pennington responded to the residence after receiving an anonymous complaint of suspected drug activity inside the home in the presence of two children.

After arriving at the residence, Pennington asked Mr. McKinney if he could see the children and he obliged.

walked into the house, he could smell a strong odor of burnt marijuana coming from the bedroom where

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Kentucky First Lady in Livingston next Tuesday

First Lady Jane Beshear will be visiting Livingstor next Tuesday at 10 a.m. to formally announce the city's designation as a Kentucky Trail Town.

The City of Livingstor has completed all three phases of the Trail Towr program and has recently submitted the final application. As a Trail Town Livingston will receive mar-

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School track.

by Rockcastle Healthy



KET-TV was in Livingston last Thursday and Friday filming for their TV series Designing Healthy Communities. The show focuses on what people and communities are doing in trying to balance health and nature with work, play and life. Producers filmed in Livingston to capture what the city is currently doing in helping develop healthy outdoor activities. Producers filmed shots of people canoeing, kayaking and tubing on the Rockcastle River near Livingston. They also filmed shots of horseback riders at the Red Hill Horse Camp and mountain bicycle riders on mountain bike trails. Many locals, including Livingston Mayor Jason Medley and County Judge-Executive Buzz Carloftis, were also filmed in the documentary which is scheduled to air in September. Photo by Rob Crawford.

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Deadline submission is Noon Tuesday

Former **Sheriff dies**

Former Rockcastle County Sheriff Shirley Smith passed away Tuesday

Smith, 74, of Mt. Vernon was the Sheriff from 1990

Visitation for Smith is from 6-9 p.m. Thursday at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home in Mt. Vernon.

Funeral services for Smith is this Friday at 1 p.m. at Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Brother Kenton Parkey and Brother Vaughn Razor officiating. Burial will follow in the Ponderosa Family Cemetery in Wildie.

A complete obituary will appear in next weeks Signal.

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The Way I See it

Doug Ponder

Father's Day On Sunday, children

across the country honored their fathers during the national celebration of Father's Day by giving them gifts, taking them out to eat, or telling them they love

Many preachers and other community leaders around the county also spoke about the importance of children having a father in their life and the role a father plays in the home.

During the worship service Sunday morning at Bible Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon, Brother Don Stayton preached about the important role that a father plays in their children's

He outlined his message with an acronym that spelled out "fathers" as each letter stood for something that described good fathers. The F stood for faithful, A for affection, T for tough, H for heart, E for example, R for remember and S for support.

When he came to the letter S for support, he showed the congregation a video on the projector screen of the 400 meter race during the Barcelona Summer Olympics in 1992.

The video featured the story of Great Britain runner Derek Redmond, who was favored to win the 400 meter race that year at the olympics. summer Redmond started well but during the middle of the race he tore his hamstring which caused him to limp and eventually fall on the ground

As EMS personnel were bringing stretchers on the track, Redmond continuously declined their assistance and said he was going to finish the race. He then started to hobble along the track toward the finish line.

During this time, a man had pushed through the crowd and security guards, making his way onto the track to help Redmond. Everyone would later learn that the man was Redmond's fa-

As the story goes, Redmond's father wrapped his arms around his son and they made their way toward the finish line together, with Derek leaning on his father's shoulder for sup-

Shortly before the finish line the father let go of his son and he crossed the finish line with a standing ovation from a crowd of 65,000.

Redmond's inspirational story has been used in several different documentaries and commercials as it portrays the strong love of a father who helps his son when he is down and the comfort that a son has in knowing that his father will always be there for him whenever he

Redmond's story goes beyond a "race" as the race has also been used as an illustration of life. When children fall, stumble, or mess up in life their father is always one of the first people who are there for them to help them up again and carry them through.

However, Redmond's story doesn't pertain to me

It's Not a Bird, It's Not a

Plane, It's Not Even

Superman...It's the

Spooklight!

highway...alone...after dark.

The peacefulness is sud-

denly interrupted by a mys-

terious orb of light along the

horizon. What can it be?

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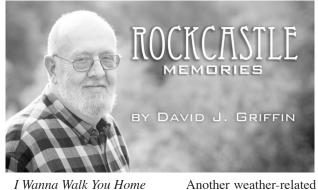
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Strange...

But True?

by: Tonya J. Cook

deserted



When I was approximately 13, I entered the dating scene by taking my girlfriends to Kelsey's Restaurant on Main Street in Mt. Vernon or to the Vernon Theater. Because I was not old enough to drive, we had to walk from the girl's house and then back home again

after the evening came to a close. And since we were on foot, the weather was a major consideration. I remember one particu-

lar evening when I had made arrangements to walk my date to the theater. Just about the time that I was supposed to pick her up, there came a sudden thunderstorm, and I had to be driven by my grandfather (Pop). When we pulled into the driveway of the girl's home, her mother immediately came to the door to see who was actually doing the driving. I suppose she was concerned that I might be riding with an older teenager since she had not yet given her daughter permission to date in a car. Only when she had identified who was behind the wheel did she allow her daughter to enter the ve-

Another weather-related memory occurred on a Friday night when my date and I were visiting the Vernon Theater. When we arrived at the movie, the sky was partially cloudy but dry. After the show (we always called it the show rather than movie), we were walking up West Main Street when rain began to fall in torrents. Of course, we started running. By the time we reached her house, we were both soaked to the bone. Her mother came to the door and said, "Y'all come inside and let me give you some towels to dry off." After we had dried out, my date's father was kind enough to take me home — not something that I was very keen on.

A few days ago while listening to my Sirius Radio, I heard Fats Domino singing, "I Wanna Walk You Home." It brought back those memories of my "walking dates" in Mt. Vernon and how much fun we had. That song carries me back to the late 50's:

I love the way you walk I love to hear you talk I'm not trying to be smart

But if I ask you for a date

I want to hold your hand Please let me hold your

One of my close friends in high school was Jim Barton Nunnelley. He and I often double-dated before either us had our driver's license. I recall the two of us walking down Richmond Avenue on the way to pick up our dates. After picking up the girls, we usually stopped at Kelsey's and had hamburgers before crossing

One night we both made

I want to walk you home Please let me walk you home I'm not trying to break your heart

Will you tell me that I'm not too late

So let me walk you home Please let me walk you home

the street to go to the show at the Vernon Theater.

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Points East

By Ike Adams



If we could have placed a custom order for weather on Saturday, June 1, it could not possibly have been more perfect for walking and plain-old, laid-back, enjoyment than what the Good Lord provided.

Oh, I'm sure that a lot of people, yours truly included, had spent some time in prayer that the weather would, at least, be tolerable, for our Step Out Walk to Stop Diabetes, scheduled to take place in the early hours among the woods and trails surrounding Keeneland Race Track. But I doubt that anyone expected what we got. In fact, when I went to bed on Friday night, the forecasters were saying " forty percent chance of thunderstorms before noon on Saturday.'

Loretta and I stashed rain gear in the back seat and headed out of Paint Lick just after daybreak. We didn't even bother taking the big cameras and that proved to be a huge mistake because the valleys along the way were full of fog and the photo light was perfect. When we arrived at the

parking lot around 7:30 the only clouds in sight were puffy and snow white as though the sky had been specially decorated with truck loads of giant hydrangeas. A gentle breeze was stirring and the sunlight was diffused just enough that nothing was glaring and the temperature was around 70. In other words, picture perfect. And at least Loretta and our daughter Jennifer had brought along their little cameras and they sure were put to use.

The dozen or so members of Team TKO signed in and joined about 700 other walkers, either directly or indirectly afflicted by this terrible disease and determined to do whatever we can to stop it. Grandson, Tyler Kane Ochs, for whom our team is named, was feeling puny so he did his mile atop Dad, Kevin's shoulders while the rest of us kept asking him, "how's the weather up there, Champ?"

I am oh so proud of and grateful to my readers for sponsoring Tyler and me in this annual fundraiser.

At this writing, 50 of you have contributed just over \$1,500 to our cause which is half of Team TKO's total effort that will amount to over \$3,000 when the final tally is complete. Donations are still coming in because the drive is not officially over until July 1. The Keeneland Step Out Walk will top out at over \$275,000, making it one of the most successful fund raisers in the nation for The American Diabetes Associa-

If you want more information, simply go to the address stepout.diabetes.org and follow your nose. Our specific event is listed as "Lexington, KY, June 1, 2013".

Our event is blessed with numerous corporate sponsors and I can't begin to list them all in this column but a few deserve special notice. Starbucks must have served up a few hundred gallons of coffee throughout the day Kroger's gave out at least a ton of fresh fruit and there was an abundance of free soft drinks, fruit and vegetable juices and healthy snacks available everywhere we turned. Walmart stores collected thousands of dollars from customers and employees.

But I believe that the biggest reason for our success is my favorite television newsperson, Ms. Amber Philpott who co-anchors the local evening news for Lexington CBS affiliate. WKYT, Channel 27! Not only does this wonderful woman tirelessly promote our Step Out Walk but she is on the scene from start to

Amber was already rubbing elbows with the crowd when we arrived at 7:30. She was still encouraging

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to drive in hopes of getting a closer look to determine the light's source. The light continues to move away from you like an elusive pot of gold at the end of the rain-

These orbs have been appearing on a regular basis in many parts of the world for many years. They appear after dark in a variety of colors: green, orange, red, yellow, and even blue. The are usually round or in a lantern shape and travel two to three feet off the ground.

When I was a young girl, my mother would tell me of a legendary "spook light" in the mountains of North Carolina. The legend says that a slave owner was searching for a runaway slave and both were killed. Today, you can stand on a ridge looking toward a certain mountain and still see the master's lantern each night searching for the elusive runaway slave.

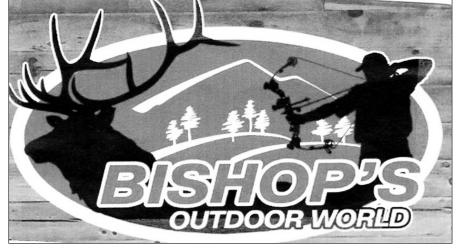
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Mr. and Mrs. Hunt live next door to this property and have no need for both places. This property originally belonged to Mr. Hunt's late father, Mr. Leo Hunt. Since Jeff and Angie have purchased the property they've completely remodeled it and it's ready for immediate occu-

This lovely ranch, rustic home is situated on seven acres making it an ideal mini-farm. The house has an entrance of stone and wood siding.

The interior has three bedrooms, 2 baths, a large living room, formal dining room, large country kitchen/family room combination with stone fire place. In addition, there's a heat pump, central air, wall-to-wall carpet and a large front porch.

Auctioneer's Note: It's rare that you have the opportunity to purchase this much acreage adjacent to the city limits of Mt. Vernon. Furthermore, you are only a 1/2 mile from Hwy 461, only 5 minutes from I-75 and just around the corner from the Rockcastle County High School. If you're looking for convenience with acreage plus a lovely home, look no further. Remember, this is an Absolute Auction... the last bid will buy regardless of the price. **Terms:** 20% down the day of the sale, balance within 30 days.

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June 12th through June 21st. The successful bidder must sign a waiver of the 10-day post sale inspection period.

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Obituaries



Donnie Ray Robbins

Donnie Ray Robbins, 65, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, June 13, 2013 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born in Rockcastle County, January 11, 1948 the son of Dewey and Zora Irene McFerron Robbins. He was a self-employed logger and was a member of the Chestnut Ridge Church of Christ. He loved working in the log woods, hunting, fishing and

most of all his family. He is survived by: his wife, Gloria Ann Phelps Robbins of Mt. Vernon; one son, Donnie Ray (Pamela) Robbins, Jr. of Bethel Ridge; two daughters, Joann (Marvin) Wilson of Mt. Vernon and Juanita Lynn Robbins of Richmond; his mother, Zora Irene Robbins of Mt. Vernon; three brothers, Garry (Lisa) Robbins, Jerry (Millie) Robbins and Danny (Carol) Robbins, all of Mt. Vernon; and six sisters, Bronnie (David) Steel, Bonnie (Arlis) McFerron, Janice (Bill) Davis and Sharon (Tommy) Miller, all of Mt. Vernon, Vivian Burton of Brodhead and Teresa (Jeff) Sacre of Leesburg. Also surviving are: four step grandchildren, Angela, Robert, Lacy and Tarra Ann; one great step grandchild, Raelynn; and a host of

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 15, 2013 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bros. Dale McNew, Phillip Scott and Ova Baker. Burial followed in the High Dry Cemetery. Pallbearers were:

nieces and nephews.

Dewey McFerron, Wesley Miller, Jeff Phelps, Daniel Robbins, Harold Robbins and James Wynn.

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

Ernest E. Bullock, Jr.

Ernest E. Bullock, Jr. (affectionately known as "the Man in Black"), 83, was freed from earthly bonds and moved on to his immortal home on June 15, 2013.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, June 19, 2013 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home. Burial followed in the Elmwood Cemetery.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Sig-

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

Shirley Smith

Shirley Smith, 74, of Mt. Vernon and father of Marsha Deaton and Lisa Hemsley, died Tuesday, June 18, 2013.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, June 21, 2013 at 1 p.m. at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. Kenton Parkey and Bro. Vaughn Razor. Burial will follow in the Ponderosa Family Cemetery.

Friends may call from 6-9 p.m. (today) Thursday.

Donations are suggested to Hospice of Richmond, 350 Isaacs Lane, Richmond, KY 40475.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Sig-

Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Bud Brewer

Bud Brewer, 76, of Sand Hill, died Saturday, June 15, 2013 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born in Laurel County February 7, 1937 the son of Riley and Josephine Feltner Brewer. He was a retired logger and saw mill operator and was a member of the Morning View Holiness Church. He enjoyed spending his days in the woods, logging and coon-hunting.

He is survived by: his girlfriend, Connie Little; two sons, Bobby (Tammy) Brewer of East Bernstadt, and Joshua Little of Livingston; and seven daughters, Allene (Tommy) Gabbard, Kay (Rick) Hall, Judy (Harold) Medlock, and Verla (Thomas) Allen, all of East Bernstadt, Rebecca Brewer of Livingston, and Renea (Larry) Renner and Jenny (David) Bass, all of Mt. Vernon. Also surviving are two brothers, four sisters, 25 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Dean Brewer, and a granddaughter, Kaitlyn Little.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, June 18 at the Sand Hill Baptist Church by Bro. Burgess Daugherty and Bro. Jasper Carpenter. Burial followed in the Daugherty Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Billy Ray Allen, Tommy Allen, Bobby Brewer, Bobby Brewer Jr., Joshua Little and Michael Medlock. Honorary Pallbearers were: David Bass, Devin Bass and Harold Medlock.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Fu-

neral Home. Visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Lois Jean Chasteen

Lois Jean Chasteen, 66, went home to be with the Lord, Thursday June 13, 2013 at Hospice Compassionate CareCenter in Richmond. She is the daughter of Clarence Edward Brock and Dorothy Helen Brock. She was retired from General Mills Company where she was affectionately known as "Queen Jean". She was a member of Church on the Rock in Berea

In addition to her parents she is survived by her daughter, Gina Chasteen (Rob) McCollum, and granddaughter, Kendra McCollum. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tony H. Chasteen and Tony Kendall Chasteen.

Services were held June 17, 2013 at Church on the Rock with Rev. Mark Sarver officiating. Burial was in the Berea Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Jimmy Nickell, Jack Brooks, Ronnie Williams, Vince McGuire, Stevie Chasteen, Floyd Chasteen.

Arrangements entrusted to Lakes Funeral Home.

Card of **Thanks**

Kenneth K.B. Barnett The family of Kenneth

K.B. Barnett would like to say thanks to everyone who visited with us and helped us in any way during the sudden death of our brother, KB. Thanks to everyone who sent flowers, gave money and brought food and for all your prayers. A special thanks to Bro. Dennis Doan for his comforting words and the beautiful songs he and his wife sang. Thanks to Dowell and Martin and staff for being so kind to us. Thanks to all the pallbearers: Frank Baker, Michael Bryant, Howard Cameron, Justin Cameron, Gene Evans, David Madden and Brandon Smith. We want to say a special thanks to Elmer Osborne for digging the grave. A special thanks goes to Howard Cameron, Roger Baker and Michael Bryant for everything they did. Again, we would like to say thanks to everyone who visited the funeral home. Special thanks to all our friends and neighbors and thanks for all the prayers. May God bless

each and everyone. Pauline Bryant and all

KB's family



James H. Mink

James H. Mink, 82, of Warren, MI, died Monday, June 10, 2013. Born in Livingston, January 21, 1931, he was the son of Henry W. and Molly (Poynter)

Mink. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and retired tool and die maker for the G.M. Tech Center in Warren. He was a member of Faith Temple Church in Brighton, the Warren Masonic Lodge, also enjoyed traveling and "tinkering" around the house.

Beloved husband of Betty J. (Smyth) Mink, whom he married in Ft. Wayne, IN on January 9, 1955. Loving father of Betty (the late James) Lowery of Chesterfield Township and Tammy (Steven) Joseph of Clinton Township. Proud grandfather of three grandchildren and two great-grandchil-

Funeral services were held Saturday, June 15, 2013 at MacDonald's Funeral Home, Howell.

Memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the American Diabetes Association.

Online guestbook at www.macdonaldsfuneralhome.com



In Loving Memory of Terry Mink Sept. 13, 1963 -June 22, 2011

We lost a piece of our hearts the day the Lord took you away. I guess he had his reasons but we wanted you to stay. We have our memories of you held close in our hearts and we look forward to seeing you again some day. We love you and we miss you.

Love - Mom and Denton, Penny, Carol & Randy

Philadelphia United **Baptist Church Cemetery**

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.

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"Schedule Change" Mon., June 24th: Brodhead and Copper Creek. Tues., June 25th: Green Hill, Fairview, Lambert Rd. and Sweetwater.

Dance and Act Camp

A Dance and Act Summer Camp will be held June 24-28 at Mt. Vernon Elementary School gymnasium. Price is \$55 per camper. For questions, call Drew Davidson 606-392-8323 or email at drewdavidsonactor@gmail.com

2012-13 RCHS Documents Ready

2012-13 grade reports/transcripts and diplomas for all grade levels may be picked up in the front office of the high school any week day, between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. Students, who will be enrolled for the 2013-14 school year may pick up class schedules, purchase parking passes/lockers on the following dates, according to grade level: Seniors - July 30; Juniors- July 31; Sophomores -August 1 and Freshmen - August 2. You may not pick up these items before the assigned date, but may do so after

Grief Support Group

A Grief Support Group will meet each Wednesday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at Trinity Church PCA behind Pizza Hut on the bypass in Richmond. The group will meet thru Wednesday, June 26th. There is no cost and no need to preregister. For more info, contact Nora or Jackie, Hos-Plus 1-859-986-1500 Care at hospice@hospicecp.org.

Grow Appalachia Workshop Series

Grow Appalachia Workshop Series - Farmers Markets and Living Local - will be held Monday, June 24th at 6:30 p.m. at 50 Lair St. For more info. contact 606-256-0077.

Historical Society Meeting

A meeting of the Rockcastle County Historical Society will be held Saturday, June 22nd at 2 p.m. at 85 Spring Street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

NAMI Meeting

There will be a NAMI meeting June 24th from 12 to 1 at the Comp Care Building in the conference room.

WRFD 4th of July Celebration

Western Rockcastle Fire Dept. will be holding their annual 4th of July celebration on Saturday, June 29th starting at 6 p.m. at the Quail Firehouse on Hwy. 70. Food and drinks will be for sale and live music from Level Green and also Julie Hines and Jennifer Bishop White. Come on our and enjoy lots of fellowship and good times. Door prizes will be given away also.

Attn: Brodhead Elementary Parents

If you did not turn in your parent pick-up tag at the end of school, please drop that off at BES at your convenience. The office is open Monday through Friday from

Daniel Boone Board Meeting

Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc. will have a Board of Directors meeting on Tuesday, June 25th at 5:30 p.m. in Clay County at the central office, located at 1535 Shamrock Road in Manchester. The public is invited to attend. DBCAA is an equal housing opportunityprovider.

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. Everyone is invited.

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.

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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.

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This week's photograph is of the 1941 Mt. Vernon High School cheerleader tryouts. Pictured from left are: Mary Ann Davis, Tabitha Craig, Christine Bussell, and Ann Lair. If you have a photo for Blast From The Past, contact David Owens at (606)256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com

"I See It"

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in the same way as it does others because my father

passed away when I was 10-years-old.

Before then everything was going fine in my own "race of life." I had my dad to turn to for support, ad-

October of 1999 when he was killed in an electrical accident, all of that was taken away from me at the snap of a finger.

My dad's death left a

vice, etc. But on that day in

My dad's death left a void in my life. I remember praying to God for direction and guidance to help me overcome the loss of my dad. Although that void could never be replaced, it was filled.

Looking back on everything now, I often tell people that when my dad passed away it was like I went from having one dad to having six dads as my four uncles and two grandfathers immediately stepped in and became a father figure in my life, thus filling the void left by my dad's death.

I could fill up a 16 page newspaper explaining all the ways each one of them have had an impact on me as a father figure and how each one of them played a particular role in shaping me into the man I have become.

Don't get me wrong, no one could ever replace my dad. But my four uncles and two grandfathers all became like second fathers to me and have always been there for me as a father figure in my life.

Actually, they're not really uncles and grandfathers to me anymore as they are all like second fathers instead. That is why when my Uncle Randall died it was like I lost another father all over again.

As you can see, the video of Redmond's story had an entirely different meaning to me while I was watching it in church on Sunday morning.

For the first ten years of my life I had started my race off great and all of the sudden I came home from school one day and learned that my dad was killed in an electrical accident. When that happened I was just like Redmond as I fell and I fell hard

But just like with all deaths in the family we have to go on in our lives and we have to continue our race.

As I continued on with my life, I had six great men who came charging out of the stands, barging through security and running to my aid to support me as a father figure.

Despite their busy schedules and commitments, they still took the time out of their lives to be there for me and support me like a second father. There is not a day that goes by that I don't thank God for bringing them in to my life and for giving me the father-like relationships that I have with each of them.

One thing I have learned is we are all going to fall in our own race of life. Some of the falls are out of our control and some of them are caused by decisions we make. Some people may fall harder than others and some people may fall more than

others. But one thing is always for sure, we will all fall at one point or another in our lives.

When we do fall, thoughts usually flood our minds and try to convince us that there is no hope in continuing our race. But just when many of us are about ready to throw in the towel, God always sends people rushing out of the stands who barge through any obstacles in their way as they run to our aid for support.

From now on when I fall in life and thoughts of hopelessness fill my mind, I have learned to pray for and always be aware of the people who God sends my way to help carry me through to the finish line.

Those people are always there but it's still our choice to recognize them, accept them and allow them to help us in continuing our own individual races in our lives.

"Strange" (Cont. from A2)

through history, has captured the fascination of many weary travelers and led them away never to be seen again. Through the years, the lights have been given different names: Hornet Spooklight, Hollie's Light (around Joplin, Missouri), and of course the Joplin Spook Light, or the will-o-the-wisp. Each country has a name for this mystery.

The legend goes back to the 1830s to the time of the Trail of Tears, but the first documented sighting was in 1881, although some say 1866. During the 1960s and 1970s, the phenomenon brought about a large amount of sightseers hoping to get a glimpse of the light. People would park along the road for miles and wait for it to appear.

The light is to be seen in a small area known as the Devil's Promenade, located on the border between southwestern Missouri and northeastern Oklahoma, near the town of Hornet, a small unincorporated town in Missouri along Highway 50. Some say, on East 50 in Oklahoma, near the tri-state junction of Kansas, Missouri, and Oklahoma is best for viewing. It has even been seen in people's backyards, both near and far

away.

The cause of the legend goes back to the days when the native tribes occupied the prairie. A "chief" or tribal elder was apposed to giving his daughter in marriage to a certain young brave, possibly of another

tribe, who couldn't afford her as the elder requested too much in exchange for her hand. The young lovers ran away together and when they heard a search party coming, they jumped from a rocky ledge, killing themselves. The legend says that the light is the spirits of the young lovers searching for each other even today.

Is the legend true? We will try to "shine a light" on the origins and other sightings of these orbs in the next column of "Strange But True?".

"Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

a drastic mistake on our way to return our dates to their homes. One of our friends with a car stopped by and offered to give the four of us a ride. We took him up on it. I'll tell you, neither of those girls' mothers appreciated our delivering their daughters home by way of a car. I don't know what we were thinking. We knew good and well that they were not permitted to date in cars. We received some extremely stern and sour looks from those mothers. Jim Barton and I never made that mistake again.

The simplicity of the time when we were only allowed to walk with our dates stands out in my memory. The fun we had and the topics we discussed were so uncomplicated. Most of the time when we arrived at the girls' houses, we were allowed to sit on the front porch for a while before saying goodnight. And, of course, there was that magical time at the end of the evening when we procured the much-desired goodnight kisses. For a 13 or 14 year old boy, that capped off a successful evening.

Those were the days my friend; we thought they'd never end ...

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

walkers and diabetics when we left shortly after noon. And, of course, she walked with her own "Red Team". whose members are all diabetic. Loretta even got a photo of me hugged up with Amber that I intend to

Amber Philpott is an award winning journalist but she is also a down to earth, genuine human being who goes way beyond the call of duty to stand up for causes she believes in. I feel like I'm with family when I watch her on the evening



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In 1975, Will accepted a job as a teacher of English as a Second Language from a school in Guadalajara, Mexico. That's where we met and became good friends with Gil and Gloria.

GLORIA'S PIZZA BURGERS

Gloria fixed these for us the first time we had a meal prepared by her at their home in Mexico. I've had the recipe in my file box since then (1976). It is a great way to stretch a pound or two of beef.

2 pounds lean ground beef 1 small onion, chopped 1/2 small green bell pepper, chopped

1 can cream of mushroom

1 can tomato soup Chopped black olives Hamburger buns OR English muffins

Cheddar cheese, cubed Brown beef; add onion and green pepper. Cook till tender. Stir in both cans of soup. Add olives; simmer 30 minutes. Allow to cool slightly. Spoon some mixture onto bun or muffin halves. Top with cubed cheese. Toast in oven till cheese melts, about 10 minutes at 350°.

GIL'S BEAN DIP

I have had this recipe since 1976 also.

1 can (14 ounce) refried beans 1 small can Ortega chilies

chopped 1 cup sour cream

2 or 3 tablespoons red chili powder

1/2 teaspoon garlic salt Combine all ingredients

and heat to boiling point. Turn down heat and simmer five minutes. Serve warm with taco chips. LEMON GLAZE CAKE

We didn't get to enjoy this cake until 1981 when we visited Gil and Gloria in Hollister, California. 1 package yellow cake with

pudding mix 4 eggs

1 package (3 ounce) lemon

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floured 9 x 13 pan for 25 to 30 minutes or until back when springs touched. While cake is baking, mix powdered sugar and lemon juice. When baked, prick hot cake all over with fork and pour lemon mixture over it. Chill well before serving.

MARY ANN'S 14-DAY SWEET PICKLES

Day 1: Wash cucumbers, pack into jars and cover with brine water—1 cup salt to gallon of water. Let stand 7 days.

Day 8: Wash cucumbers and put back in jar. Cover with boiling water. Let stand 24 hours.

Day 9: Drain and cut into desired shape. Add alum (about 1 teaspoon to a gallon of pickles). Cover with boiling water and let stand for 24 hours.

Day 10: Drain and cover with boiling water. Let stand 24 hours.

Day 11: Drain. Mix 2 1/2 quarts sugar, 1 bag pickling spices and 2 1/2 quarts vinegar ;bring to boil and let boil a few minutes. Pour over pickles. Let stand 24

Day 12: Drain; add 1 quart sugar to liquid. Boil and pour over pickles. Let stand 24 hours.

Day 13: Drain; add 1 quart sugar to liquid. Boil and pour over pickles. Let stand 24 hours.

Day 14: Drain. Heat juice to boiling. Pack pickles in jars. Pour boiling juice over pickles; seal. MARY ANN'S DILL

PICKLES

Cucumbers, washed Grape leaves, washed Place a grape leaf in bottom of each jar. Cut tips off cucumbers and place in

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1 cup sliced onions 1 cup sliced green peppers 1 tablespoon salt 1 cup white vinegar 1/2 cup sugar 1 teaspoon celery seed 1 teaspoon mustard seed Mix cucumbers, onions, peppers and salt; set aside. Put vinegar, sugar, celery seed and mustard seed in a pot and bring to a boil Remove from heat and let cool for one hour. Pour mixture over cucumbers. Put in jars and store in refrigerator. Add more sugar for a sweeter pickle. I have also added some thinly

cucumbers sliced thin



Orlando native Tpr. Adam Hensley (center) received the Kentucky State Police Post 9 (Pikeville) Trooper of the Year Award from KSP Commissioner Rodney Brewer (left) and Justice and Public Safety Cabinet Secretary J. Michael Brown (right) on May 23 in Frankfort. A three-year veteran of the agency, Hensley is a 2004 graduate of Rockcastle Co. High School and a 2008 graduate of Lindsey Wilson College. He is the son of Ronnie Hensley of Orlando and Rhonda Johnson

EKU teacher education program receives honors

Kentucky University's teacher education program has received national honors.

sliced carrots.

The University's undergraduate program to prepare students to teach at the secondary level ranks in the top 9 percent nationally, according to a report issued today by The National Council on Teacher Quality (NCTQ) and U.S. News & World Report. The joint report measures the level of quality and success of institutions that prepare 99 percent of the nation's traditionally trained new teachers. Of the 1,200 elementary and secondary programs for which NCTQ was able to assign an overall program rating, only 105 programs made the Honor Roll by earning at least 3 stars out of a possible 4.

The EKU program was one of only four programs at three Kentucky universities to make the Honor

Roll. Only two institutions nationwide - neither in Kentucky – earned 4 stars.

"As the product of eight years of development and ten pilot studies, the standards applied here are derived from strong research, the practices of high-performing nations and states, consensus views of experts, the demands of the Common Core State Standards (and other standards for college and career readiness) and occasionally just common sense, such as our insistence that student teachers be trained only by effective teachers," the report stated. "(The standards) are entirely consistent with the recommendations of the National Research Council in its 2010

"Breathing new life into teaching requires that we begin at the beginning: who gets in and what kind of training is provided."

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Benefit Singing

A gospel benefit singing will be held for the late James "Biggin" Dees to help cover funeral expenses, Sunday, June 23rd at 2 p.m. at Gold Dust Barn (white barn in Conway). Silent auction, bake sale, plate lunches. Singers will be Friends of Faith, Dogwood Ridge, StraitWay, Joe and Stacy Isaacs, Glorybound Inspirations, and Mary Reynolds.

For more information or to make a donation contact Vicki Barnes at 606-308-

Revival

Revival at Climax Holiness Church with Cecil Himes and Preston McCreary starting June 20th - 23rd. Everyone welcome to attend each night at 7 p.m.

Yard Sale

Philadelphia United Baptist Church, 834 Bryant Ridge Rd., Brodhead, will be having a yard sale Friday and Saturday, July 5th and 6th at Mt. Vernon, Hwy. 461/25 across from McDonalds from 8 to ? to pay for new church van. In need of donations. Donations can be left at church Sunday or Wednesday or left at 205 J. Shelton Rd., Crab Orchard, just leave on porch or call Bro. Gordon Mink at 606-308-5368 or at day of yard sale.

Special Speaker

Brother David Frymer from Sand Gap (Lighthouse Pentecostal Holiness Church) will be at West Brodhead Church of God June 26th at 7 p.m. For more info. call 758-8216.

Family Fellowship Weekend

Wildie Christian Church will host a HayDay Family Fellowship Weekend June 29th from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. A family meal and recreation will begin at 5 p.m. Parents, grandparents and friends are invited to join us for a Sunday Celebration on June 30th at 10 a.m., a dramatic, high-energy celebration of Jesus' lovel you won't want to miss. For more information call Susan Coffey at 606-308-3094 or Anthony Coffey at 606-308-3095.

Philadelphia United **Baptist Church**

June events

June 22 - Church will be at the nursing home in Brodhead at 10 a.m.

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

Church is located at 834 Bryant Ridge Rd., Brodhead. Transportation available, just call Pastor Gordon Mink at 606-308-

VBS at Northside

Northside Baptist Church will hold Vacation Bible School - Colossal Coaster World - June 24th -28th from 6:00 - 8:45 p.m. For a ride or information call 606-256-5577.

Haven't you HERD? HayDayFFW is here! Wildie Christian Church June 29, 2013 2:00 PM 5:00 PM family meal and recreation Susan Coffey 606.308.3094 information, call: OR Anthony Coffey 606.308.3095

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Reunions

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The Fish family reunion will be this Sunday, June 23rd at the Fish homeplace in Wildie. Eat at 1 p.m. but come anytime. We hope all can come and enjoy this day of fellowship with friends and family.

Miller Reunion

Miller Reunion will be at Maple Grove Baptist Church Fellowship Hall Saturday, July 13th. Families of Bill and Susie Miller, John and Mary Miller, Ervin and Lettie Miller, Orville and Ivy Miller, Oliver and Harriett Miller and the late Tarrie and Maggie Gray invite you and your family to come and spend the day with us. Lunch at 12:00. For more info. call 758-4988 or 256-3805.



Spring Piano Recital given by Mrs. Marsha Parsons, teacher, was held at the Central Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon on Friday, May 10. Pictured are, front: Makaylee Sigmon McNally. Second row from left: Luke Peavie, Bailey Bullock, Gracie Peavie, Joliann Parsons and Kerrigan Medley. Third row from left: Cassidy Daugherty, Adrianna Pena, Rachel Cain, Mrs. Marsha Parsons (teacher),

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Rockcastle Health & Rehab receives national accreditation

Rockcastle Health and Rehab has earned the Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement (QAPI) Accreditation from Providigm LLC, a developer of quality management systems for nursing homes.

QAPI focuses on performance improvement, measuring a facility's QAPI activity against national QAPI standards and activity of other nursing homes across the county. The process uses data-driven methods to determine if nursing homes are effectively conducting QAPI. The Affordable Care Act (health care reform) requires nursing homes to adopt an acceptable QAPI

"We are continually working o enhance the quality of care we provide our residents," said Rockcastle Administrator Steven Cook. "This accreditation is an acknowledgement of those efforts and a reminder that we must sustain this level of care."

Rockcastle is one of 78 skilled-nursing and rehab centers operated by Louisville-based Signature HealthCAREW.Signature has numerous initiatives in place to continue enhancing quality at its homes and recently reached a milestone withh more than half of the company's homes earning four-or five star ratings from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

"Raising our number and four-and-five-star building was a proud achievement for Signature, made possible by the dedicated staff in each of our homes," said Signature President and CEO Joe Steier. "This accreditation is further proof that our efforts to provide our residents with the quality care they deserve are paying off."

Card of Thanks



Genis Ray Burdine

We would like to take just a moment to express our appreciation for all of the kindness and compassion shown to our family over the last several weeks during the illness and death of

our loved one, Genis Ray Burdine.

food, help with the children and many other acts of kindness such as mowing and tending the garden, we are

Thanks also to those who cared for Genis (and for us) while he was ill and in the hospital.

Thanks also to Marvin Owens Funeral Home. Everyone has been such a blessing to our family during a very difficult time.

Joyce, Steve, Wanda, and Samuel

Jackson Energy hosts annual meeting Jun. 28

Mark Friday, June 28, on vour calendar for Jackson Energy's Annual Meeting. It will be an evening of country music, a special 75th anniversary celebration, Elvis and fireworks.

Registration will begin at 2 p.m. at the Jackson Energy Farm, next to the McKee District Office on KY HWY 290 in Jackson County. Members can register until 7 p.m., and all registered coop members will receive a bucket of energy-saving light bulbs.

One lucky co-op member will drive away in this year's grand prize, a 2007 Chevrolet Impala. The Kentucky Blood Center will also be conducting a blood drive at the meeting and all donors will receive a \$10 Walmart gift card. Other prizes to be awarded include cash prizes and children's prizes.

The featured entertainer will be Ronnie McDowell, who will perform a show of country music at 6 p.m. and his Tribute to Elvis show at

Jackson Energy members will also have the opportunity to vote in the coop director election. Voting for director candidates will be held from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the McKee District

Office. The Annual Meeting also includes a celebration of the

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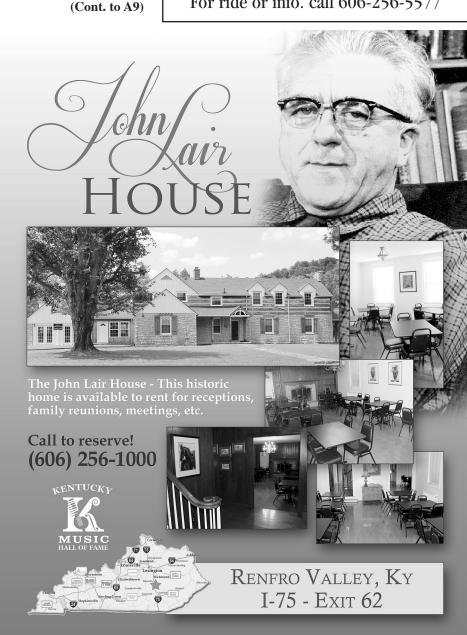
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Congratulations to the Rockcastle County Hot Styx 10U travel team on winning the Laurel County Bash and the Anderson Dean 2013 Slugfest. Members of the team are pictured above, front row from left: Addison McClure, Hailey Thacker and Vicky Countryman. Second row from left: Gabby Countryman, Sara Powell, Madison Yates and Raegan Chasteen. Back row from left: head coach Dusty McClure, Jaylon Ponder, Ashlynn Brock, asst. coach Jason Brock, Madison McIntosh, Jordan Miller and asst. coach Tim McIntosh. A special thanks to Nikki Chasteen and Crystal Hester for all your hard work.



Kentucky Full Throttle 14U swept the six team field at the Summer Slugfest in Harrodsburg last Saturday to take home first place honors. They defeated Lexington Aftershock, 11-1, in the championship game. Local team members are Bailey Chasteen, Juliann Kirby and Shelby Ham.

Rockcastle Regional Golf Scramble donates over \$6,000 to WHAS Crusade

Rockcastle Regional Hospital and Respiratory Care Center held its Golf Scramble on June 12, 2013 at Cedar Rapids where twelve teams gathered to raise money for WHAS Crusade for Children. The event raised \$6,050.

WHAS Crusade for Children wasn't the only winner of the day. A team sponsored by Banners, Signs, etc. won first place. Players on the winning team were Steve Jeffers, Kyle Jeffers, Ed Morgan and Tyler Morgan. A team sponsored by Citizens Bank came in second place with a team of Joe Young, Brandon Young, Brian Clontz and Mikhael Shaffer. The other team sponsored by Citizens Bank came in third with the players of Rick Bray, Andrew Pensol, Josh Bray and Joe Clontz.

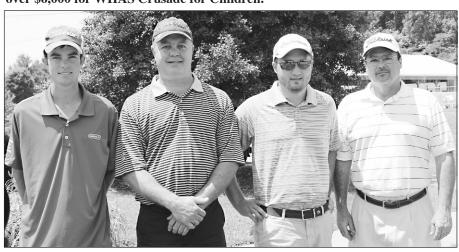
The event wouldn't have been possible without the generous support and time of many people. Many, special thanks to Dolly Sodds for catering for a delicious lunch and Cedar Rapids for being a great host. Thanks also to all those who sponsored lunch, beverage carts, holes, goodie bags and teams: Banners, Signs, etc.; Bissell's; Bluegrass Bio-Med; Borden Dairy; Central Body; Citizens Bank; CMTA Consulting Engineering; Community Trust Bank; Community Trust and Investment Company; Dean, Dorton, Allen, Ford; D.W. Wilburn Construction, Fayette Graphics; Good Neighbor Pharmacy; Healthcare Management Systems (HMS); Hospice Care Plus, Jeff Kolpek Architect; John Ford & Willis Coffey; Kentucky Music Hall of Fame; KHA Solutions Group; Marshall Emergency Services Associates (MESA); Mt. Vernon-Rockcastle County Tourism; Rockcastle Family Wellness; Rockcastle Professional Pharmacy; Rockcastle Regional Hospital Emergency Department; Rockcastle Regional Hospital Physical, Speech, and Occupational Therapy Departments; Seneca; Signature HealthCare – Rockcastle Health & Rehab; Surge Promotions; UK College of Health Sciences; UK HealthCare; UK HealthCare Physician

Liaison Program; Vanhook Architectural Services and Wiser Strategies.

Since 1990, Rockcastle Regional has participated in various annual fundraisers with over \$98.373 for WHAS Crusade for Children. To date, Rockcastle Regional has received over \$546,355 from the Crusade. This money has been used to purchase two trip vans, portable ventilators, a specialized bathtub and numerous pieces of equipment and therapy materials.



Citizens Bank sponsored two teams in the recent Rockcastle Regional Golf Scramble. Their team of (pictured above) Brandon Young, Brian Clontz, Joe Young, and Mikhael Shaffer came in second place. Their other team of Andrew Pensol, Rick Bray, Josh Bray and Joe Clontz placed third. The tournament raised over \$6,000 for WHAS Crusade for Children.





The 14U Rockcastle County Hot Styx finished 2nd in the City of First All American Showcase in Danville. The team was undefeated in pool play. Pictured are, front from left: Tiffany Fain, Emme Barker, Jayna Albright, Savannah Smith, and Lauryn Carpenter. Back row from left: Coach Garry Fain, Brittany Wright, Kristin Holcomb, Katie Adams, Brianna Carter, Amber Collins and Coach Steve Holcomb.

Upward Soccer

It's not too late to join in on all the fun! We are still taking applications for those children entering kindergarten through 8th grade this fall. Cost is \$60 per player. Shorts (optional) are additional \$15. If you register after June 30th there will be a \$20 late fee. For more information please contact:

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Pre-Registration includes a guaranteed drawstring backpack. Pre-Registration Deadline is due on July 1st 2013; you can also register that morning on July 20th, 2013 at 7:30 am. Mail form to Rockcastle County High School JROTC (1545 Hwy 461 PO box 1410 Mt Vernon Ky. 40456)

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Eastern Rockcastle Water Association recently finished installing a new pump at their Sandhill pump station near Livingston. The motor quit on the old pump causing a new pump to have to be installed. The newly installed pump should prevent any interruption in service for the customer area, except during a power

"Meeting"

(Cont. from A6)

co-op members who were born in 1938 - the year the cooperative was founded. Members born in 1938 who plan to attend should call 1 800-262-7480 to reserve Winners of the Jackson

Energy scholarship essay contest will also be recognized at the meeting. Eight students, winners in the annual essay contest, will receive a \$1,200 college scholarship. The funds are payable to the college they will be attending in the fall.

Students who were selected to attend the 2013 Washington Youth Tour program will also be recognized at the meeting, as well as the winner of the lineman scholarship. The lineman scholarship pays a full-tuition scholarship, valued at \$3,500, for a student to attend the Lineman Training Program at Somerset Community College.

The meeting will end with a fireworks show at For more information, visit Jackson Energy's website,

www.jacksonenergy.com.

"Needles"

(Cont. from front)

Mrs. McKinney and York were located. Pennington also noticed several used and unused needles lying out in the open throughout the home.

While searching the residence, Pennington found a bag of marijuana, several burnt marijuana roaches, several spoons and over 100 needles including 25 needles which had already been used.

bathroom, In the Pennington also found a spoon with a burnt mark on the bottom and a needle that appeared to be loaded with an unknown substance. Mr. McKinney would later tell Pennington that the needle loaded Oxycodone.

The two children inside the home were taken into protective custody and social services placed them with family.

Hobert and Martha McKinney were charged with first degree Wanton Endangerment, first degree possession of a controlled substance, possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. York was charged with endangering the welfare of a minor.

Both Hobert and Martha McKinney remain lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$7,500 cash/property bond. York was also lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center where she was later released on a \$2,000 unsecured bond.

"Play"

(Cont. from front)

Communities and is free of charge. The event encourages everyone to rediscover the fun of play and physical activity. The event also provides health promotion and disease prevention educa-

All events will be outdoors and play stations will be set up with fun activities for all ages. There will also be karate and clogging exhibitions throughout the

For more information about the Longest Day of Play contact Harris at 606-256-7891 or Nancy Keber at

606-256-2242. Rockcastle Regional Hospital is also sponsoring the Fit Family Run during the event, which is the sixth of the 12 events in the County-Wide Stride Run/ Walk series.

The Fit Family Run includes a fastest kid in town race at 6:15 pm, a family fun relay race at 6:45 pm and a 1-3 mile self-timed run/ walk at 7:15 pm.

These races will be at the RCMS track and admission is three cans of non-perishable food items. The food items will benefit the Christian Appalachian Project Grateful Bread food pantry.

For more information

www.rockcastleregional.org/

about the Fit Family Run

visit the website at

RCHS softball/ baseball players recognized

An RCHS softball and baseball player were recently selected to the 2013 All-State team.

RCHS senior softball player Samantha Payne was selected as honorable mention to the 2013 Class 2A All-State Team.

Payne broke two RCHS softball school records this season becoming the season homerun hitter with 6 homeruns and the career homerun hitter with 12 homeruns.

In May, Payne signed a National Letter of Intent to continue her fast pitch softball career with the University of the Cumberlands. She is the daughter of Scott Payne and Sandra Burke.

RCHS senior baseball player Boone Saylor was selected as honorable mention to the 2013 All-State Team.

Saylor is currently undecided on which college he will attend in the fall. He is the son of Boone and Karen Saylor of Brodhead.

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Family Room

By: Guest Columnist Amy Oakley

We've all heard the phrase "stay together for the kids." People who utter this phrase usually believe that a child is better off with his or her parents together, no matter what the situation. But what about children whose parents are in a relationship that involves domestic violence?

Domestic violence has a serious effect on children. Studies show that over 80% of domestic violence incidents are witnessed by children. This means that even when the parents think they are doing a good job of hiding what is going on, the children know. Even if they don't see the actual violence, they witness the effects and know that not all is well at home.

Children who witness domestic violence are at a greater risk to be abused themselves. Often victims of domestic violence tell us that they were only able to find the strength to leave their abusers when his abuse turned to the children. Children who grow up in violent homes are also at risk of neglect, due to the great amount of stress on the fam-

Witnessing domestic violence will have both physical and emotional effects on children as well. Children who see a parent abused often feel guilty for what is happening. They may think it is their fault and wonder what they have done to make their parents fight like this. They may feel extremely guilty for what has happened and attempt to take on the role of "protector," trying to shield the victim from further attacks and trying to take care of any siblings. Children are often hurt when trying to intervene in domestic violence situations.

Due to the trauma experienced by children growing up in domestic violence situations, physical and developmental delays often occur. Many of these children fall behind in school and may not mature as quickly as their peers. They may experience behavioral issues such as anger, or they might regress back to an earlier stage. Many of the children who come to Bethany House have nightmares or are afraid to go to sleep at night. Often these children will exhibit physical ailments such as headaches and stomachaches due the amount of stress they are

As these children move into adulthood, they may continue to face problems. Women who witnessed domestic violence as children (usually seeing their mother as the victim) are at risk for becoming victims themselves. Men who witnessed fathers who were abusive are more likely to become abusers. (While this can be a contributing factor for why someone is abusive, it should never be used as an excuse for their behavior.) We know that domestic violence occurs in a cycle, and this is one of the ways that the cycle can move through generations.

Should women who are in abusive relationships "stay together for the kids"? No. It's true that domestic violence occurs in a cycle, but it is important to remember that all cycles can be broken. The best thing to do for your children is to find a way to end your relationship and begin the journey from being a victim of domestic violence to becoming a sur-

If you are in a domestic violence situation and you are ready for it to end, Family Life Abuse Center can help. We provide safe and secure emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence and their children. You can call us at any time, day or night at the following numbers: 1-800-755-5348. All calls are free and confidential.

David Brock update...

David Brock is now at Williamsburg Health and Rehabilatation, 287 North Eleventh Street, Williamsburg, KY 40769.

He is continuing his rehabilitation and would like to see his friends and/or receive cards.

He is in Room 125, bed 2. The telephone number is 606-549-4321.



2013 Rockcastle County Dance & Act Summer Camp June 24 – 28 This camp is designed to encourage an interest in Acting and

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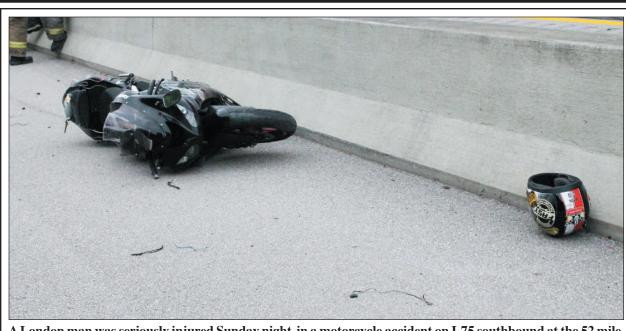
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A London man was seriously injured Sunday night in a motorcycle accident on I-75 southbound at the 52 mile marker. Authorities say Herald Thompson, 42, of London was tryeling in the left lane when a piece of his luggage came loose and got caught in his rear tire, causing him to lose control and skid approximately 1,000 feet in the emergency lane. Thompson was transported to Saint Joseph London and was later airlifted to the UK Medical Center where he is currently being treated for life-threatening injuries.

"First Lady"

(Cont. from front)

keting assistance from the state to help propmote the city's tourism.

Livingston Mayor Jason Medley and County Judge Executive Buzz Carloftis would like to invite everyone to come out and be a part of the Trail Town designation event.

Refreshments will be served after the ceremony at the newly remodeled Visitor Center in the former Livingston Elementary School. For more information contact Livingston City Hall at 606-453-2061.

"City"

(Cont. from front)

ment for \$200 to raise awareness for breast cancer. The \$200 covers the cost of the helmet and graphics. Every year after that the city agreed to pay the sponsorship fee of \$100 which will be donated to the Rockcastle County Cancer Assistance Fund (Hope Fund.)

Mt. Vernon Police Chief Brian Carter's report to the council for May showed 475 total calls for service, 33 total arrests, 15 warrants served, 12 vehicle accidents worked, 8 traffic violations, 3 criminal summons served, 17 cases opened, 1 indictment, 1 juvenile trans-

ported, 5 DUI arrest, 19 drug charges, 3 juveniles charged and 29 other charges.

Fire Chief David Bales report to the council included 7 accidents with injuries, 1 non-injury accident, 1 tractor trailer fire, 1 tractor trailer accident, 5 vehicle fires, 3 structure fires, 1 woods or brush fire, 1 fire alarm activation, 1 smoke investigation, 1 control burn, 1 lighting striking a residence with no fire and 1 mutual aid structure fire.

"Homeless"

(Cont. from front)

Once Adams approached the vehicle and asked Steuber for her driver's license, King got out of the vehicle, opened up the rear passenger door and started looking through a pair of pants in the backseat.

Adams then walked around to the passenger side of the vehicle and noticed a rolled-up coffee filter lying on the ground beside King's foot.

When Adams started unraveling the coffee filter, King told him it was methamphetamine. Adams then proceeded to unravel the coffee filter and discovered a white powder inside the coffee filter that he believed to be meth.

Adams also found a syringe on King at the time of

King is charged with drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine). Steuber was also charged with tampering with physical evidence and drug paraphernalia.

King remains lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center on a \$5,000 unsecured bond. Steuber was also lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center where she was later released on a \$5,000 surety bond.

"Hayes"

(Cont. from front)

of quality candidates from the different regions I was surprised to win," Hayes said. "But once the surprise wore off, I was honored to win and have the chance to represent Kentucky on a national level."

Hayes said he believes the award is more of a representation for the agriculture program at RCHS than a representation of himself.

"I honestly feel this is

more of an award for our agriculture program that has been built over the years by former agriculture teachers Bill Ponder and the late Russell Parsons as well as current agriculture teacher Roy Reynolds and myself," Hayes said. "To me, this award is more of an award for these guys as well instead of just simply an award for me only.'

Hayes went on to say that he wouldn't have won the award without the support of others in his life who have helped him reach this milestone in his teaching career.

"I have been blessed to have a supportive wife, supportive school system, quality students and a community that sees the value of an agriculture education program," Hayes said. "I am not sure if I belong with some of the best agriculture teachers in the country but I am sure that I have had, and currently have, some of the best agriculture students in the country."



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Two people arrested for drug possession

By: Doug Ponder

Two people were arrested for drug possession last Tuesday morning after police observed a suspicious vehicle parked at the Carquest parking lot in Mt. Vernon.

Arrested at the scene were Duane Edward Didonato, 43, and Elisha Lynn Jasper, 45, both of Mt. Vernon.

According to the Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department, Deputy Sheriff Matt Bryant was patrolling the area when he observed the suspicious vehicle improperly parked across two parking spaces during business hours.

When Bryant approached the vehicle, he noticed that Didonato was in the driver's seat and Jasper was in the passenger seat, slumped over with her head in the floor-

After receiving consent to search the vehicle, Bryant found various items associated with drug use, including an end piece to a hypodermic needle, 1 cc needle, belt, snorting straw and Q-tips. Inside the passenger glove compartment, Bryant found a small bottle containing approximately four CC's of liquid morphine.

Didonato and Jasper were charged with drug paraphernalia and possession of a controlled substance, first degree.

They both remain lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center. Didonato remains lodged on a \$5,000 cash/ property bond and Jasper remains lodged on a \$7,500 cash/ property bond.





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Second Section

Thursday, June 20, 2013

MVFD sponsorship raises awareness for breast cancer

The Mt. Vernon Volunteer Fire Department is requesting a sponsorship fee for a pink helmet to raise awareness about breast cancer.

The business or individual will sponsor a helmet for \$200 for the first year which will cover the cost of the helmet and graphics. Every year after that the sponsor fee will be \$100 which will be donated to the Rockcastle County Cancer Assistance Fund (Hope Fund.)

The business or individual will have possession of the

helmet for eleven months of the year to be put on display in their location. MVFD will have possession of the helmets in October during National Breast Cancer Awareness The firefighters will wear the helmets during fire edu-

cation at local schools, parades and special events. The helmets will not be worn on fire runs or anytime where they might be damaged.

To purchase a helmetsponsorship contact Chief David Bales at mtvernonfire@twc.com.

Hospital sponsors summer Lunch & Learn series

Rockcastle Regional Hospital & Respiratory Care Center will sponsor a series of Lunch and Learn events this summer.

The first event titled "Wellness for all Ages" will be on Thursday, June 27 at Bible Baptist Church with Ginger Mink-Cash, APRN. The second event titled "Cholesterol: Know your Numbers" will be on

<u> At Quail Firehouse</u>

4th of July Celebration

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Food and drinks for sale and live music from Level Green, Julie Hines and Jennifer Bishop White. Come on out and enjoy lots of fellowship and good times. Door prizes will be given.

Wednesday, July 24 at First Baptist Church with Angela Parsons-Woods, MPAS, PA-C. The third event titled "What is Celiac Disease?" will be Thursday, August 29 at Brodhead Baptist Church with Brittany Perkins-Saylor, MPAS, PA-C. All events start at 12 noon.

"We've planned a summer series with our healthcare providers and hope to see our friends in the community join us," said Estes. "We want to raise awareness and encourage proactive behavior with regard to wellness and health education."

A healthy lunch will be provided for those who sign up. These events will be similar to "Dinner with a Doctor" events hosted by Rockcastle Regional Hospital. To register (by June 24, July 19 and August 29) or for more information, contact Arielle Estes at a.estes@rhrcc.org or 256-7880.



Blast from the Past!!!

This week's photograph is of the 1972 Mt. Vernon High School Junior Varsity football cheerleaders. Pictured in front: Janet Cummins. Back row from left: Karen Baker, Leslie Mullins, Jennifer Hansel, Alicia Dick, and Sherry Woodall. If you have a photograph for Blast From The Past!!! Contact David Owens at scoopowens24@yahoo.com or 606-256-9870.

UNITE Service Corps touching young lives

Reprinted from the Floyd County Times

"You give hope. You touch lives. And, you do that every year."

That was the sentiment of long-time educator John Hale, principal at Somerset Christian School and chairman of the Rockcastle County UNITE Coalition, who praised the efforts and achievements of UNITE's Service Corps during a year-end celebration held last month at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg.

"Education is a noble profession. You won't get rich, but you will touch lives," Hale said. "Children will meet our expectations."

Hale said leadership requires setting the proper example: Respect others, be genuine, be kind and courteous, and display good ethics. "Take personal pride in doing a good job," he said. "Give of yourself and the dividends are out of this world."

Operation UNITE employed 44 full-time AmeriCorps members to serve schools in 11 school districts as part of its Service Corps initiative during the 2012-13 school year.

AmeriCorps members provide math tutoring, teach the "Too Good for Drugs" and "Healthy Futures/Take 10" wellness curriculums, and coordinate anti-drug UNITE Clubs. In addition. members provide thousands of hours of volunteer service and recruit volunteers for school prevention activities.

"I am humbled by what you do every day to help children make goals and keep them," Eileen Cackowski, executive director of the Kentucky Commission on Community Volunteerism and Service (which coordinates the AmeriCorps program statewide), told those attending the luncheon.

"I firmly believe the Service Corps program is one of UNITE's crown jewels," said Dan Smoot, president of UNITE. "It makes a difference in kids' lives."

Each participating school contributes \$5,500 toward salary of their AmeriCorps member. Upon completion of one or two years of service, members are eligible for a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay back student loans or cover tuition costs.

"It's a win-win," said Ralph Kilgore, director of pupil personnel for the Pike County school system. "You're making a difference - for the district, for the school, and especially for our children."

Others attending the event included Andrea Sieloff, KCCVS program

year," (from 28 members) because of additional funding from the Corporation for National and Community Service."

This past fall, UNITE's Service Corps received the "Governor's Citation of Excellence" for service to citizens during the 2012 Make A Difference Day food

More than 10.3 tons of food was collected - enough to feed 41,255 people in need an 8-ounce serving. This food was donated to Family Resource and Youth Service Centers, community charitable groups and/ or church pantries in the communities where the food was collected.

Second-year member AnnDraia Bales, serving Hayes Lewis Elementary in Leslie County, was nominated for the Governor's Volunteer Award Aleisha Lewis, a first-year member serving Page School Center in Bell County, received Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers' "Difference Maker Award" for work in her dis-

In the wake of recent natural disasters, all UNITE Service Corps members received state certification in disaster preparedness and response so they would be ready to help their communities in case of an emergency.

The expansion also led to the addition of Nancy Hale as assistant Service Corps

"This year we have really been hurt with a lot of personal tragedies within our schools," Hale noted. "We can't celebrate without remembering those people. Our members rallied in support of families, even if tragedy was at a different school."

"You should never forget the real purpose of what we're doing," Hale said. Although the final num-

bers aren't yet available, through March 15 this year the UNITE Service Corps: Tutored 2,007 students in math. These students

- showed a growth of 35.1 percent in test scores. • Recruited 1,442 volunteers who recorded 11,814
- service hours for their schools. Served as sponsors for 55 UNITE Clubs that had
- 2,910 student members. • Had 2,256 students participate in the Too Good For Drugs or Healthy Futures curriculum. Post-test scores indicate a 43.5 percent increase in healthy decisions
- edge. • Served 3,682 disadvan-

and drug education knowl-

taged children. • Mentored 4,094 students

For more information about Operation UNITE visit their website at www.operationunite.org.



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ght to you by the Chemical Stockpile Emergency Preparedness Program and the Kentucky Department of Emergency Management.

officer, and Marionette Little, Pike County Safe Schools/Drug Free Schools director. "There have been many

things to celebrate this past said Eugene Newsome, who has coordinated the Service Corps program the past two years. "Our big challenge was the expansion to 44 members



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Grow Appalachia Workshop Series: Farmers Markets and Living Local Monday June 24th 6:30pm at 50 Lair St.

Contact: 606-256-0077

News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Circuit Civil Suits

Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Regina Smith, complaint for child support and medical support. CI-00125

Deeds Recorded

The Estate of Emma J. Mink, property in Pongo section, to Lana Michelle McClure. Tax 50c.

John and Sandra Tyler, property in Rockcastle County, to Sonya Parker. Tax \$3.

Larry and Debra Stone, property in Rockcastle County, to Jim Blaney. Tax \$12.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Transportation Cabinet, property in Rockcastle County, to Rockhill One, Inc. Tax \$7.

Marlon and Patricia Mullins, property in Ever-

Recycling Center

Is Now Open!!!

The Rockcastle County Recycling Center is located at

2528 South Wilderness Rd (US 25 South) next to the

Rockcastle County Road Department Garage and is

open Monday thru Friday from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m.

(closed on major holidays).

The following items may be recycled:

Newspapers w/inserts, magazines, catalogs, office paper,

junk mail, shredded paper, books, phone books, card-

board (corrugated and slick), plastics #1-7, plastic gro-

cery store bags, metal cans, aerosol cans, aluminum cans,

aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, glass bottles and

glass jars, old cell phones, car batteries, empty printer

and toner cartridges, old computers and all related ac-

cessories, telephones, radios, digital clocks, televisions,

rechargeable batteries (if the battery says rechargeable

on it, then it is recyclable), and large bulky metal items.

Clean used motor oil may also be dropped off at the

Rockcastle County Road Department.

green Estates, to Janet Leigh Walker. Tax \$97.50.

District Civil Suits

Castle Village Apts. vs. Abbie Thomas, eviction notice. Ronnie Jones vs. Jon

Sanders, eviction notice.
Castle Village Apts. vs.

Dakota J. Haste, eviction notice.

Springleaf Financial Ser-

Springleaf Financial Services of America vs. Mel Easton, \$4,433.54 plus claimed due. C-00086

Marriage Licenses

Taylor Mae Harlow, 19, Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County Hospital to Jacob Logan Bustle, 21, Mt. Vernon, unemployed. 5/31/ 13

Heather Baggett, 22, Mt. Vernon, student to Christopher M. Pendery, 22, Mt. Vernon, Rtec. 6/8/13

District Court

June 10-12, 2013

Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless
Joseph S. Burke: public

intoxication, time served plus costs.

Joseph P. Bales: speed-

ing, failure to wear seat belts failure to produce insurance card, no operators/moped license, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Scott D. Browning: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, order entered.

Dustin C. Cameron: fines/fees due (\$258), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.
Willard D. Cope: alcohol

Willard D. Cope: alcohol intoxication, \$50 fine; failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; possession open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle, \$50 fine.

Prudencio Cordero: possession open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle, \$25 fine and costs; failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transp., \$25 fine/suspended; rear license not illuminated, \$25 fine.

David L. Cromer: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs (two counts), order entered.

Timothy W. Gadd: receiving stolen property, order entered.

Francis D. Grubb: fines/fees due (\$455.50), bw issued for fta/9 days in jail or payment in full.

David M. Hering: failure to wear seat belts and failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta.

Stephen C. Howerton: speeding, possession open alcohol beverage container in a motor vehicle, possession of alcohol in dry territory, operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, orders entered.

Jennifer I. Jones: hindering prosecution/apprehension-1st degree, order entered.

Jennifer M. LeFevers: speeding and operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Steven Moberly: operat-

ing motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, bw issued for fta.

William D. Moberly: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs and failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transportation, order granted.

Kyle L. Mullins: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered; possession of marijuana, \$100 fine.

Speeding: David A. Novak, order granted;

Bryon A. Post: disregarding stop sign, failure of nonowner operator to maintain req. insurance, operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, order granted.

William N. Powell: failure t produce insurance card, license to be in possession, failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transp., license suspended for fta.

Raymond Sargent: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, order entered.

John D. Saylor: no/expired registration plates - receipt; operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs (two counts), orders entered.

Jerry Leearon Slate: possession of marijuana, \$100 fine; drug paraphernalia -buy/possess, \$100 fine.

Steven P. Stearns: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, violation Part 392, Fed Safety Reg., Driving of Motor vehicle (three counts), Part 393, Federal Safety Regs., Parts Needed For Sale, orders entered.

Christina L Williams: theft by unlawful taking, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest, failure to notify address change to Dept. of

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Transp., bw issued for fta; theft by unlawful taking and drug paraphernalia, bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or payment in full.

MacArthur D. Young: speeding, failure to wear seat belts, failure to produce insurance card, driving on DUI suspended license,, orders entered.

James R. Alcorn: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Patricia L. Cameron: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Speeding: Tracy R. Hargrove, Billy Hibdon, Chaity D. Spencer, Quinton L. Frost, Laura D. Latham, license suspended for fta; Cora M. Wilson, paid; Vera Lopez, \$28 fine and costs; Richard C. Leonardo, \$16 fine and costs;

Everett D. Morgan III: no operators license in possession, \$25 fine/suspended on payment of costs by 10/2/13.

Brandon K. Partin: oper-

ating ATV on roadway, \$100 fine/suspended on condition and forfeiture of dirt bike to sheriff's department; operating ATV without headgear, \$25 fine; no operators/moped license, \$100 fine; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine/suspended on condition.

Michael L. Reynolds: failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; Pt 393 Federal Safety Regs, Parts needed For Sale, \$100 fine.

Tyler M. Sparks: operating ATV on roadway, \$100 fine; operating ATV without headgear, \$25 fine; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine/suspend \$400 on condition.

Stormy D. Bullock: speeding and failure to use child restraint device in ve-

hicle, license suspended for fta.

Mark Jordan: theft by

deception, order entered.

Larry J. Lawson: fines converted to 25 hours of CSW w/proof failure to wear seat belt, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Jeffery S. Kidwell: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Everett D. Morgan III: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta. Martin K. Ponder: failure

to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Vernon D. Renner: viola-

tion of Kentucky EPO/DVO, 30 days in jail/to serve on house arrest and costs.

Robert R., Ballard: fines/

fees due (\$743), bw issued for fta/15 days in jail or payment in full. Dale J. Bradley: fines/

for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Jessica R. Coffey: operating motor vehicle under

fees due (\$208), bw issued

influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Ova B. Collett: fines/fees due (\$183), by issued for

fta/4 days in jail or payment in full.

Ashley N French: operating motor vehicle under

influence of alcohol/drugs, sentencing order entered.

Michael S. Freson: operating on suspended/revoked

ating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to surrender revoked operators license, no/expired registration plates - receipt, bw issued for fta.

Mary E. Guinn: operat-

ing on suspended/revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.



Mr. James E. Hammons'

Commercial Property

If you have any

questions, you may

call the Rockcastle County

Solid Waste Office

at

Saturday, June 22, 2013 at 12:00 Noon

50 Williams St. - Mt. Vernon, KY



Location: Just off of Hwy 150, across from Mt. Vernon IGA and the Mt. Vernon City Park on Williams Street. Auction signs are posted.

Now retired, Mr. Hammons has decided to sell this property via Absolute Auction giving everyone the opportunity to participate.

The lot measures $200 \times 75 \times 200$ along Williams Street. It has an office with a restroom, storage warehouse at the back of the property, plus a loading dock. In addition, there's also a 3-bay garage building. The property also has city water, sewer, KU electric and parking space.

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Being in town and close to everything makes this property even more appealing. The last bid will buy regardless of the price. ONLY AT AUCTION.

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2 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Board Election Business Meeting 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. 7 p.m.

Blood Drive 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Donors receive a \$10 Walmart gift card

Ronnie McDowell

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Frankfort Report...

By Jared Carpenter, State Senator

We began what is called the "interim" last week. The interim is the

period from June to December between the regular legislative sessions that begin in



January. During the interim, committee meetings are held to discuss and weigh potential legislation that could be introduced during the regular sessions. These committees are made up of both Senate and House members. In addition to chairing the Natural Resources and Energy Committee, I also serve as Vice-Chair of both the Banking and Insurance Committee and the Special Subcommittee on Energy. I am a member of the Education Committee -- all high-profile committees. I meet with both advocates and regular citizens on issues we cover. There is also staff available to research topics when appropriate.

The Joint Interim Natural Resources and Energy Committee received testimony from the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources on sport-fishing below dams owned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers as well as a discussion on boating safety. We also heard about the toll of invasive and/or exotic plant and animal species. Invasive plants and animals can cause extensive and costly damage to farmers, homeowners, city and county government budgets, and tourism. For example, the bushy honeysuckle has created a big mess for farmers and landowners. Those purple traps hanging from trees are for the emerald ash borer.

A two-year moratorium on boating restrictions

planned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers both above and below dams on the Cumberland River recently took effect, restricting boater access to popular fisheries on Lake Cumberland and Lake Barkley. The moratorium is part of the Freedom to Fish Act, sponsored by Senator Mitch McConnell, which was signed into law by the President. The ban took effect immediately, preventing planned "full-time" restrictions while a permanent solution to the Corps of Engineers' concerns is worked out. During the 2013 Session, I supported Senate Resolution 112 which opposed the proposed restrictions. As you can imagine, I was very pleased to see the results.

The Education Committee also met. The committee heard testimony from several groups and individuals regarding the Common Core Standards adopted by the Kentucky Department of Education after the passage of Senate Bill 1 in 2009 which directed the department to revise academic standards for the state. Common Core standards only pertain to English and math. There appeared to be some disagreement over how strict the standards are and how they might apply in Kentucky. I will continue to monitor and assess the situation during this interim.

While it is the interim and I will be working primarily from home, I still maintain an office in Frankfort which is staffed. The interim will be chock-full of issues including the budget, agriculture, energy, education and everything in between. Please call me with any questions, comments, or concerns at 502-564-8100 or toll-free at 800-372-7181. If you miss watching the proceedings on KET, meetings are archived at www.ket.org.

Two local students graduate from National College

National College in Richmond and the American National University online program conferred degrees for the class of 2013 in a graduation ceremony on Friday, April 19th at First Baptist Church.

The following graduates received their degrees and diplomas: Serra G. Mills of Mount Vernon - Diploma; and Kayla M. Quinley of Orlando - Associate Degree - Double

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Kentuckian, singer.

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47. Mamie's man

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Be of use to "Show Boat" composer

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22. Bay window 25. Goat antelope

21. Beach Boys hit

12. Indian butter

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29. Check recipient

Perfect

34. Dish holder

36. Long hike

37. Southern

30. Tolkien creatures32. Kitchen appliance

constellation 40. Elderly's concern

Knox Co.

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community

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"The Rockcastle County Little League finished its season on Saturday, June 8. Championship Saturday included ceremonial first pitches by Judge Buzz Carloftis, Magistrates Lee Earl Adams and Gary Burdette, Mayor Walter Cash, and Donald Carpenter. The league presented the court with a thank you banner signed by all the players for the court's support in improving the two baseball fields with dirt, drain tiles, and bases. The season ended with an exciting championship tournament. Congratulations to the Major League Reds, Minor League Nationals, and the Coach Pitch Reds. Following the last game, all players and their families enjoyed a league picnic with great food and drinks. An awards ceremony followed the meal where all 220 players received awards for an outstanding season. Finally, everyone enjoyed a spirited battle ball game featuring coaches vs. players. A special thanks goes to all the players, coaches, parents, and board members for a successful season. The league missed its long time announcer and biggest fan, "Diamond" David Brock. We are praying for a full recovery and a return back to the ball field."





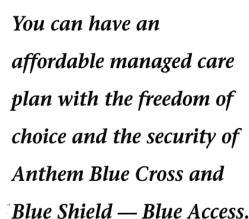
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For additional details -Camp AJ call (606) 287or lphelps@chrisapp.org . Camp Shawnee call (606) 874-2091 or email: bpowers@chrisapp.org or pgriffith@chrisapp.org

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Summer Camp Schedules

CAMP SHAWNEE SUMMER CAMP SCHEDULE Boys & Girls June 10-14 Ages 6-8

June 17-21 Day Camp Meade Memorial, Johnson Co. Ages 9-10 June 24-28 Boys & Girls July 1-4 Teen Boys Ages 12-15 July 9-13 Teen Girls Ages 12-15 Ages 11-12 July 15-19 Boys & Girls July 22-25 Day Camp Archer Park, Floyd County

Camp Shawnee call (606) 874-2091 or email: bpowers@chrisapp.org or pgriffith@chrisapp.org Camp AJ call (606) 287-7073 or email: lphelps@chrisapp.org

CAMP AJ SUMMER CAMP SCHEDULE

June 24-June 28 Boys & Girls July 1-5Boys & Girls July 8-12 Girls July 15-19 Co-Ed Teens July 22-28 July 29-Aug. 2 Boys & Girls

> By Max Phelps Creating a Bed of

Flowering Perennials

little daydreaming about a

new lovely and easy to care

for bed of flowering plants

that will keep coming back

year after year. Then let's

make a plan. Let's also dis-

cuss building that planting

it?" "What should I plant?"

We could ask many ques-

tions. You can study on

where you want planting beds, of you can just pick a

spot you desire a new bed

and get busy with it. You can

choose the design or lay-

out—I like to mark the

ground with paint, or you

could use lime or flour from

the kitchen, or borrow the

water hose and play with layouts. You can make a list

of plants you want to in-

clude—or you could take

your chances by going on a

shopping spree and see how

it turns out. Actual preparation and planting chores,

plus decorating the bed

when finished with some

new mulch are all things we

a location, and the overall

look you want, try putting a

plan together on paper.

Drawing paper, copy paper,

graph paper, the paper is not

as important as just getting

started. Let's draw up a plan

and have some fun doing it.

Sketch in some plants. Some

colored pens or pencils or

crayons might make this

more fun! If you can't draw

plants, draw circles of sev-

eral sizes and then color

them or write the name of

the plant you are thinking of

A color wheel can help

you decide how to mix your

colors. You can do an

internet search for a color

wheel, or most good garden-

ing books may have one

among their pages some-

where. Basically, some col-

ors look much better when

planted together than do

other colors. This particu-

larly pertains to the blooms

of your plants—but yellow

or silver or blue foliage mix-

ing with green foliage may

also play into the overall

planting in each circle.

Nobody needs to be an artist. Draw an outline for the bed on your paper.

Once you've decided on

will touch on.

"Where should I build

Let's begin today with a

Boys & Girls Yards to Paradise

outcome of your new peren-

Ages 7-12 years old Ages 7-12 years old

Ages 7-13 years old

Ages 7-12 years old

Ages 7-12 years old

Ages 13-15 years old

You can have a "hot" garden, a "cool" garden, a white garden or even a green garden! The green garden would be different; you'd need to use various shades of green and many contrasting textures of leaves and some with large leaves and some with small leaves, etc. It's your garden, so following rules is up to you of

To work up your planting site, here are some options: Dig up the grass (a sod cutter is great here), and begin planting. Another idea is to use weed killer and begin planting a day or two later. My favorite is to kill the grass with Spectracide or Roundup and bring in a load of good topsoil and spread it creating a rasied bed that will also have fewer weeds and grass (that is if you can get weed-free and grass-free soil). In this new bed you easily and more quickly can plant. When planting is done, putting down some Preen or other brand of preemergent herbicide, perhaps some slow release fertilizer, and then finishing off the bed by mulching it. When it comes to mulch, everything from wood chips to hardwood mulch to cypress or cedar, pine needles, (even chocolate (cocoa) bean hulls, can be fine for mulching new planting beds if you live near a chocolate fac-

Shopping for new plants is one of the most fun things for some people. You can go to a big box store or a major garden center, especially in larger towns, and find most of what you may be looking for in one spot.

But if you're into the adventure, I'd suggest finding some out-of-the-way little greenhouses and garden centers and even roadside stands where local farmers and gardeners have some unusual stuff to sell that may not be carried by the big stores. (Note: Buying direct from the local grower is better for the local economy and may be a more sustain-

able way of gardening.) Online and mailorder are fine choices. Many nurseries ship actual potted plants

(Cont. to B8)



47 Rockcastle County campers and adults attended JM Feltner 4-H Camp in London on June 10-13. The Rockcastle County 4-H Council would like to express their gratitude to the following for sponsoring Rockcastle County youth: Thursday's Club (Eleanor Burke), Quail Homemakers, Kiwanis Club, Citizens Bank, Peoples Bank, Farm Bureau, Jackson Energy Cooperative, Castle Quilt Club, Nine Patch Club and Rockcastle Regional Hospital.



Joseph Coffey of Rockcastle County participated in archery at 4-H Camp.



Rant Saylor, Evan Hendrickson and Aiden Cain participated in a canoeing class at 4-H Camp.

INFLATABLES

Come bounce around with us

June 20th • 4:00 p.m.





June 25th • 4:00 p.m.

Truck Day

June 27th • 4:00 p.m.



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AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE CITY OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2013 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2014 Ordinance # 2013-1

Whereas, an annual budget proposal and message has been prepared and delivered to the legislative

Whereas, the legislative body has reviewed such budget proposal and made modifications. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY

AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE: The annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013 and ending on June 30, 2014 is adopted as set forth herein.

	General Fund	Municipal Aid Fund	LGEA Fund	Water Fund	Sewer Fund	UDAG Fund
Resources Available						
Cash balances (estimate)	350,000	68,000	17,800	150,000	150,000	53,300
Taxes	1,049,000					
License & permits	30,000					
Intergovernmental reciepts	50,750	64,150	12,500			2,600
Charges for services	8,400			2,113,000	480,000	
Other receipts	257,115					
Project Funding				2,600,000	0	
Bond Financing						
Transfers (in)*	12,000					
Total cash and revenues	1,757,265	132,150	30,300	4,863,000	630,000	55,900
Appropriations:						
Administrative Dept.	534,575					
Police Department	718,075					
Fire Department	109,172					
LGEA Trans on Police wages			12,000			
Firehouse Loan						2,400
Streets/Maintenance		80,000				
Water Dept. O & M				1,325,675		
Sewer Dept. O & M					425,925	
Debt Service (short & long term)	41,638			324,878	39,830	
Project Development	0			2,600,000	0	
Miscelleanous, taxes, etc.				32,000	12,000	
Total appropriations	1,403,460	80,000	12,000	4,282,553	477,755	2,400
Balances	353,805	52,150	18,300	580,447	152,245	53,500

* Budgeted transfers per the detailed operating and accounting budget of the MRA and LGEA Funds.

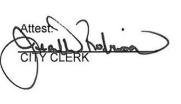
SECTION TWO: This budget ordinance shall be administered by the executive authority as prescribed and set forth in the Kentucky Revised Statutes. Administration shall include but not be limited to at least the following:

- A. Preparation and submission of financial statements which include budgetary comparisons on not less than a quarterly basis.
- Provide for budget amendments if called for by the council or if anticipated through implementation.
- Prepare any financial statements required for publication purposes, pursuant to KRS 424 and 91A.
- Cause each fund of this budget to be audited as prescribed by law.

SECTION THREE: The detailed operating budget, including the water project budget of the funding agencies, is adopted by reference for administration and accounting purposes.

SECTION FOUR: This ordinance shall be published in the Mt. Vernon Signal by title and summary within thirty days of adoption. 2013.

Adopted this the May 20 Date of first reading June 17 2013 Date of second reading



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Trailer For Rent: No pets. Deposit required. 859-358-3560. 27ntf

2 Bed/Bath Mobile Home. \$350 mo., \$350 deposit. No pets. Call 606-256-8603 or 606-308-5459. 27ntf

2 BR Mobile Home. Electric heat, 2 miles from Mt. Vernon. References required, water and sewer furnished. \$325 mo. \$200 deposit. Call 606-758-8317. 27x1p

For Rent: 2 BR, 1 BA home for rent in Mt. Vernon. The home is conveniently located to schools, hospitals, etc. The home also has a nice size living room, dining room, central heat/air, and is located on a quiet street. First month's rent and a security deposit required. If interested call 256-9914 or 606-308-4990. 26ntf

Duplex: 2BR/2BA, all appliances including washer and dryer. Next to Medical Arts building, 75 High St., Mt. Vernon. \$475 month/ \$475 deposit required. Call 606-308-2927, 606-308-1169 or 606-308-3073. 25x4 Trailers and house in Brodhead. No pets. 758-8922. ntf

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

For Rent

Maple St. **Storage** of Brodhead

256-2884 or 606-308-2491

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

Property For Sale

247-2510. 36tfn

2 Lots in Livingston. On Hwy. 25. \$10,000 for both. 606-386-1627 or 606-386-1171. 26x4p

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

House in Brodhead for sale or will rent to own with down payment. 758-4729. 22xntf

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

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

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

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

belonging to Lila Durham on Copper Creek Road. 26x4p

Posted: No hunting or trespassing without permission on the land of Kenneth and



For Sale: Nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths bedford stone house located in Wildie, 1/2 mile from U.S. 25. Asking \$55,000.

If interested, call Willis Coffey 606-256-4405



Located on 80 Crawford Lane, this 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath home is within walking distance of MVES, the city park and several area businesses. Beautiful hardwood floors, full basement, rear deck, large lot, new Trane heating and a/c unit, and more. This home is must see. \$94,300.

Call now 606-386-1700



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

606-386-1364

Jimmy Parsons on Popular Grove Rd. 27x25p

Posted: No trespassing (people or animals) on property belonging to Richard and Connie Weiss, located at 3219 Quail Road, Mt. Vernon. Not responsible for accidents. Violators will be prosecuted. 25x3p

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/

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

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

Posted: Absolutely no hunting, fishing or trespassing on property belonging to and Mark 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 prop-

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

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

Miscellaneous For Sale

Baby Rabbits, \$5 and up. 606-256-8367. Leave message on answering machine.

Fresh, country, brown eggs. Cage free, pastured, no anti-biotics, hormones or steroids. \$3 dozen. Shire Farm, 5 minutes from downtown Mt. Vernon. 606-256-8580. 22x10

Motor Vehicles For Sale

For Sale: 2000 Suzuki 1500 Intruder. Nice bike. Lots of extras. 606-386-1470. 26x2p

2004 Lincoln Aviator. Pearl white, leather seats, sunroof, 3rd row seat, new tires, one owner. 100,000 miles. Taken very good care of this vehicle. \$6,995. Call 606-308-2927 or nights 606-256-2404. 25x4

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

For Sale: 2000 Dodge Ram 1500 2 WD. Regular cab, long bed, 318, automatic, Laramie SLT package, AM/ FM/CD, good shape. No rust, doesn't smoke, everything works, 180K miles. \$3,250. 758-9623. 27x1p

For Sale: 2 bed trailer, foundation, 3/4 acre lot, \$36,000. '03 Cavalier, 27K miles, 4 door, \$5,500. '04 Cavalier LS Sport, 2 door, 80K miles, \$4,600. '05 Cavalier, 4 door, 80K miles, \$4,600. 859-979-1841. 27x2p

Professional Services

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

Jonathan Collins Remodeling and Repair Service. Home improvements of any kind from doors and windows, painting, new floors to roofs and decks - will do it all. Any home, any problem, we're the one to call. 606-308-3533. 27x4p

International professional all breed dog grooming. Call 606-260-5079. 18x8

Owens Monument: Located behind Owens Funeral Home in Brodhead. Open Mon-Fri. 8 to 5 and Sat. 9 a.m. to noon. 606-758-9600. 14xntf

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

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

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

Gail's Pampered Pooch 57 West Main St., Brodhead. For appt. call 606-758-0064 20xntf

Pets

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

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Recycling Center Is Now Open!!!

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

The following items may be recycled:

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



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

Rocket Storage

will be selling contents of the following storage units on Saturday, June 29th

Crawford St. • 8:00 a.m. Unit #s C14, C20, C22, C31, 45, 60, 63

Richmond St. • 8:15 a.m. Unit #81

Williams St. • 8:30 a.m. Units #s 10, 12

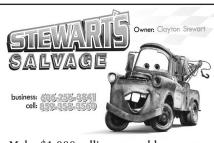
West Main St. • 8:45 a.m. Unit #s 20, 28, 35, 38

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