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# Minds in the Middle

Red Ribbon Week festivities have begun this week at RCMS. On Thursday, Being Drug Free Make Cents, and students are bringing in spare change for Pennies for Patients to help the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. We send a special thank you to our local RCMS hero 6th grader Caitlin Newcomb. Caitlin was diagnosed with Lymphoma about two years ago and is helping to lead this event.

We have a drug free theme for each day. Friday we are joining all of Rockcastle County for Red Day. Monday, we want students to Be All That You Can Be and wear camouflage. On Tuesday, We're Too Bright for Drugs. Students will wear bright or neon clothing. Next Wednesday, we will Put A Cap on Drugs. Students may wear hats or caps. We end our themes on the 31st with students wearing orange and black to Say Boo to Drugs.

This Friday will be the RCMS Unite Bowl football game. Unite members will be participating in the red balloon launch at halftime. There will be a time of devotion after the game at RCMS.

Also on Halloween, the Leadership Team will be delivering Boograms. Students can stop by the lobby on Tuesday or Wednesday and order a boogram for themselves, a friend or a teacher. Proceeds will benefit kids with special needs.

Other Halloween events include our Spooky Storytelling shows with Mr. Shawn Burdette and our annual Spooky Concert with the RCMS Band and Choir.

RCMS will be hosting a Unite poster contest. Prizes will be awarded. See Mrs. Cromer for poster board.

Time is running out on the Unite Toilet Paper Drive. We are in competition with the schools from Clay County to see who can dominate the most toilet paper for some local drug rehabilitation facilities. The drive will run through October

25th. Remember to be collecting your Box Tops for Education. The teams are in competition to see who can bring in the most. The current contest will end this Friday.

Y-Club members who are interested in attending the Kentucky Youth Assembly need to get their forms

and Monday to Mr. McGuire asap.

Halloween scary movie night will be this Friday from 3-5:00. Presale tickets are \$2. Get your movie request to Mrs. Parker this week. Students must have parent and team permission to attend and be picked up at 5:00.

Our PTSA will begin a fall fundraiser on Monday. Students will be bringing home materials for the

Mixed Bags sales this week. Contact Mrs. Miller if you have any questions.

Monday, November 11th will be our annual Veterans Day Celebration. All veterans and their families should make plans to attend. It is a very special day at RCMS.

Congratulations to the 7th grade Adventurers on having 100% attendance

last Thursday. Congratulations as well to Mrs. Davis's 6th grade homeroom on winning the weekly attendance race. Mrs. Mackinnon's Adventurers came in second place followed by Mr. McGuire's 7th grade Shooting Stars.

Students who are interested in trying out for archery need to see Mr. Alexander as soon as possible.

The Livingston Lion's Club is sponsoring a poster contest for students who are 11-13 years old about what peace means to you. The student who wins first place will win a trophy, certificate, and two movie passes. Posters must be turned by Monday.

There will not be school on Monday, November 4th.



4-H Poster Contest 5th grade winners at BES were Alexa Bussell, 3rd place and Aliah Lopez, 5th place.



Kylie Martin from BES was the first place winner in the 4-H Poster Contest. Second place was Elizabeth Denny and third was Meghan Sumner.



Kyle Coffey from MVES was the first place winner in the 4-H Poster Contest.



A team from Eastern Kentucky University finished fifth in the Arch Invitational Mock Trial Tournament in St. Louis, Mo., held Oct. 19-20. Members of EKV's fifth-place team were, from left: Caleb Taylor, Joshua Lang, Damir Siahkoohi, Allie Maples, Anthony Sean Potter, Angel Spurlock and Matthew Boggs.

**News deadline is noon Tuesday**

# Mt. Vernon Message

## School News

Red Ribbon Festivities continue for the remainder of the week.....

Monday, October 21 is Crazy Hair or Hat Day—“Use Your Head-Don't Do Drugs”

Tuesday, October 22 is Wear Team Apparel Day--“Team Up Against Drugs”

Wednesday, October 23 is Wear Camo Day—“Join the Fight Against Drugs”

Thursday, October 24 is Wear Your PJ's/House Shoes Day—“Follow Your Dreams—Don't Do Drugs”

Friday, October 25 is “Rock Your Red” Day---WEAR RED.

Thursday, October 24 is the last day for our toilet paper/pennies for tp collection. Thanks to all who have

participated.

The UNITE Bowl Football Game will take place on Friday, October 25. MVES UNITE members will be participating in this event!

UNITE will sponsor a dance at MVES on Tuesday, October 29. The theme is “Scare Away Drugs” and is for 3r through 5th grade students. The dance will begin at 3:15 and will end at 4:15. Please be on time to pick up your child. Dance only admission is \$2. Dance admission plus one slice of pizza and a drink is \$3.

Looking Ahead.....there will be no school on Monday, November 4.

Watch for details on our food drive for the Annual Kenna's Kitchen Community Thanksgiving Dinner.

# Chance to win an iPad in KHEAA drawing

Kentucky residents have another chance to win a new iPad from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) in a sweepstakes being held through Facebook in November. The contest runs from 12 a.m. on Nov. 1 through 12 a.m. on Dec. 1.

To enter, a Kentuckian must click on the orange graduate icon on the KHEAA Facebook page, answer one question about college, and “like” KHEAA on Facebook. KHEAA will not share or sell any personal information to a third party.

Only Kentucky residents are eligible. Employees of KHEAA or its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC), and their immediate family members are not eligible. Prior winners are also not eligible. The drawing will be held in early December, and the

winner will be notified by email. The winner must respond by email within three calendar days to receive the iPad with Retina display. If no response is received within three days, another winner will be drawn.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to [www.gotocollege.ky.gov](http://www.gotocollege.ky.gov). For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit [www.kheaa.com](http://www.kheaa.com); write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

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**Tract 2:** Contains 10.109 acres and has 361.02 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract is mostly tillable land with some woodland on the backside of the property.

**Tract 3:** Contains 1.271 acres and 25.00 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. There is a house on this tract that features a living room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms and one bath.

**Tract 4:** Contains 15.107 acres and has 427.05 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract is mostly tillable land with some woodland on the backside of the property. This tract also has a barn.

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**Tract 9:** Contains 15.603 acres and has 571.69 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract is mostly tillable land with some woodland on the backside of the property.

**Tract 10:** Contains 12.022 acres and has 869.19 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract is mostly wooded with some pasture land. There is a house on this tract that features 2 or 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath and a basement.

**Tract 11:** Contains 18.703 acres and has 1,185.64 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features hay and pasture land.

**Tract 12:** Contains 21.069 acres and has 146.22 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features hay and pasture land.

**Tract 13:** Contains 0.653 acres and has 102.44 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. There is a house on this tract that features 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bath, storage room and an enclosed front porch.

**Tract 14:** Contains 11.840 acres and has 371.22 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features mostly tillable land.

**Tract 15:** Contains 12.464 acres and has 397.00 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features mostly tillable land.

**Tract 16:** Contains 14.272 acres and has 397.90 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features mostly tillable land.

**Tract 17:** Contains 19.362 acres and has 471.88 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 18:** Contains 6.165 acres and has 360.67 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 19:** Contains 6.170 acres and has 361.09 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 20:** Contains 6.150 acres and has 361.07 feet of road frontage along Colson Lane. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 21:** Contains 5.724 acres and has 401.70 feet of road frontage along Purrgisby Road. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 22:** Contains 7.506 acres and has 403.61 feet of road frontage along Purrgisby Road. This tract features all tillable land.

**Tract 23:** Contains 9.014 acres and has 219.71 feet of road frontage along Purrgisby Road. This tract features all tillable land.

In addition to the real estate, the following items will also be selling: 1995 Case International 4230 Tractor 1,619 hours - Generator

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A large crowd came out for the 24th annual Civil War reenactment of the Battle of Camp Wildcat last weekend on Wildcat Mountain, Hazel Patch Road off Hwy 25 in East Bernstadt. The reenactment is hosted annually by the Laurel Home Guard. Public school students were guests of the reenactment last Friday and two other separate reenactments were held for the public last Saturday and Sunday. Shown above are Union skirmishers firing at Confederate soldiers advancing up the hill.



## Several Halloween events scheduled for the county

**By: Doug Ponder**  
There will be several events for trick or treaters to attend in Rockcastle County next Thursday night.

**In Mt. Vernon:** The annual Halloween on Main event will take place from 6 to 8 p.m. as local businesses and organizations will be handing out treats to

children. The RCHS band will also be performing as well as the Romp N' Stomp cloggers.

Main Street in Mt. Vernon will close at 5 p.m. for booth set-up. Businesses or organizations that wish to participate in the event will need to call Mt. Vernon City Hall at 606-256-3437 to re-

serve a space.

**In Brodhead:** The annual Halloween in the Park will be held at the new De-

pot Park across from Citizens Bank in Brodhead.

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## Space2Create open meeting Thursday

The Rockcastle County Development Board recently formed a committee that is currently developing a play space for young children between one and five-years-old called "Space2Create."

The committee will hold an open meeting for the public this Thursday at 6 p.m. at the Courthouse in the third floor conference room.

## Rockcastle's Got Talent is next Saturday

The Livingston Community Lions Club will host their annual Rockcastle's Got Talent show next Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Rockcastle County High School Auditorium.

Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$5 for senior citizens and students. Children 4 and under get in free. Registration fee for contestants is \$10. Participants must be registered no later than noon Monday., Oct. 29th. The overall winner will receive a trophy and a cash prize of \$100.

For more information about the event or how to register, call 606-453-2218 or 606-308-1851.

During the meeting, the committee will have discussions about indoor and outdoor activity space. Parents and concerned citizens are invited to attend to ask questions and provide their own responses to the program.

The Space2Create Program will have two locations in Rockcastle County. One location will be in Mt. Vernon and the second location in Livingston. Organizers hope both locations will be developed in building space donated to the project rent free. However, utilities

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## Two indicted

Two Rockcastle Countians were indicted recently by a Rockcastle County Grand Jury.

Indicted were: Jason Dewayne Duncan, 33, of Whitehead Cemetery Road, Brodhead.

Duncan was indicted on eight counts, four for the offense of rape, first degree for engaging in sexual intercourse with a person under 12 years of age. The other four counts involved incest.

Duncan's bond was set at \$100,000 cash/property. His

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## Retirement/sick leave pay discussed at Mt. Vernon city council meeting

**By: Doug Ponder**

Although there was no new business, there was a lot of new discussion at the monthly Mt. Vernon City Council meeting Monday night.

Before the discussion, the council approved the second reading of the 2013 property tax rate ordinance at 16.6 cents per hundred dollar assessment of real estate and personal property. The rate is lower than the previous year's 16.7 cents.

The council also approved the second reading of the vehicle tax rate ordinance which keeps the 16.7 cents rate the same as it has been for the last several years.

After approving the second reading of the two ordinances, Mayor Mike Bryant told the council there was no new business and asked other council members if they had anything they wanted to discuss.

Council member Shelley Lewis brought up an issue she had been asked about by Water and Sewer Superintendent Dennis McClure about the city's policies about retirement and sick leave pay.

McClure was also in attendance at the meeting and addressed the council about his concerns. He said the current retirement policy allows city employees to use six months of sick leave to be applied to their retirement. For example, if a city employee retires after 30 years, they can retire after 29 and a half years because of

the accumulated sick leave.

However, McClure said the retirement pay for those six months will be less than the 100% sick pay at face value.

"It seems like the policy is wrote for the people who call in sick all the time as they get 100% face value," McClure said. "If you come to work every day you lose in the end when it's paid as a part of your retirement pay instead of sick leave pay."

Lewis said there is a conversion chart for state workers that they use to convert and count extra sick leave days toward employees' retirement. But she still said the conversion is based off a lower retirement pay instead of a full face value sick leave.

Bryant said that he be-

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## Annual UNITE Bowl is Friday

The Rockcastle County Rockets is teaming up with the Clay County Tigers during the annual UNITE Bowl football game to "Wipe Out Drugs".

The football game is scheduled for Friday, October 25th at the Rockcastle County Rockets field. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m. Tailgating will begin at 6 p.m. and is provided by the local churches in the parking lot of Rockcastle County Middle School.

Kentucky Senate President Robert Stivers, Con-

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Mt. Vernon Fire and Rescue responded to a severe two car accident Sunday night on I-75 southbound at the 70 mile-marker. Authorities say Joshua Clark, 36, of Calhoun, Georgia was traveling southbound in a blue Chevy Trail Blazer when he clipped a gray Dodge Durango driven by Carolyn Wirries, 57 of Beaver Creek, Ohio. The collision caused Clark to lose control and slam into the retaining wall in the far left lane while Wirries lost control and slammed into the guardrail in the far right lane before her vehicle flipped several times. Clark was transported by ambulance to Saint Joseph in Berea where he was treated for non-life threatening injuries and later released. Wirries was flown to the UK Medical Center where she is currently being treated for life-threatening injuries. Kentucky State Police, Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department and Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife also assisted at the scene.



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# ramblings...

by: *perlina m. anderkin*

Had a family and some friends shower for Allison, and Celia James, Sunday. Yes, Perlina lost out on the honor of being the first family name used by Allison. But, that's okay. She couldn't have picked a better second name. The shower was organized by Allison's nieces, Kayla and Megan, two and three years younger, respectively.

It was fun and enlightening. Most of the family was there, a couple of the men managed to have prior commitments but sons-in-law Jason, official griller for the event, Spencer and Rick Bryant were on hand, along with Allison's husband, Daniel, of course and grandson, Aaron. Aaron and his wife, Lauren are expecting their second child in April -- my second great -- a girl this time.

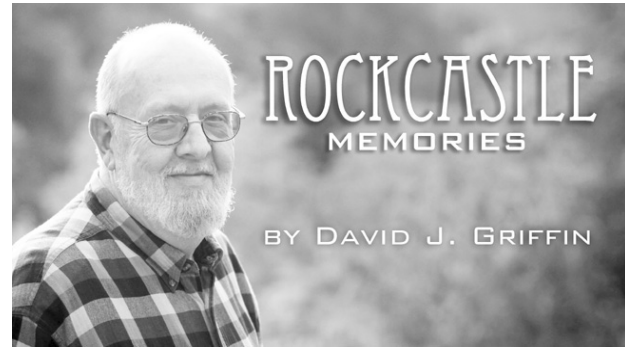
Daughter Sara came up with a delightful idea, from HGTV I understand, for a keepsake for Celia. She had Celia's 10 first cousins spell out Celia James in sign language and had it framed. Now if more grandchildren arrive, I'm not sure what will ensue. It's not everyday that a baby is born with cousins ranging from 28 to 32 but, wow, what a family support system. We spent some time discussing what relation Celia will be to Aaron's son, Avery -- decided second cousins -- very complicated.

I'm so glad that our family has a new addition to look forward to. It's a bright light in an oft times tunnel of darkness. I worry a lot about what kind of world my grandchildren will have to grow up in. I feel badly because I, along with others of my generation, allowed leaders to put this great nation in peril, beginning a long time ago and it just keeps getting worse. By the time Obamacare is fully instituted, I am afraid it will be the straw that breaks the back of our country.

With the present day dependence on the govern-

ment by, it seems, the majority of our citizens, I fear that we will never again be able to restore fiscal or moral sanity. While I realize that you can't legislate morality, you do not have to encourage immorality as this administration tends to do.

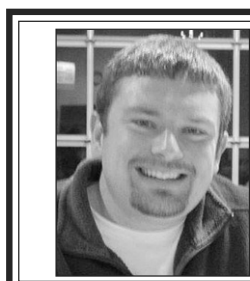
I hope I'm wrong and a utopian society where no one has to work, all needs are provided for by the state and no one has to worry about acceptable standards of behavior is a sustainable goal. Somehow, I don't think so.



**Lard**  
My friend Jeffro recently brought me some left-over fried potatoes that he had prepared for dinner the previous evening. Man, were they tasty! I believe they were the best fried taters I have ever sampled. I immediately inquired about how he had prepared them. Jeffro modestly replied, "I just cooked 'em in lard!" His response took me back to being a boy at my mother's table, where she used "rendered pig fat" to prepare most of our meals. It was one of her "secret" ingredients for cooking scrumptious dishes.

I will borrow the definition of lard from Roger Engle, an author from West Virginia: "one hundred percent pure, white, pig fat with no additives or coloring -- that's lard." Like me, Engle was raised on a small farm where each fall's hog killings produced enough lard to last our families for the rest of the year.

I can see my mother (Bee) now as she stood over a large kettle placed on an



# The Way I See it

By  
Doug Ponder

My grandpa Dell Ponder started having severe chest pains during the morning church service last Sunday and we had to rush him to the emergency room.

Fortunately, it was nothing life-threatening, more of a scare than anything serious. After receiving the proper treatment at the ER, he was sent home and scheduled for a quick ap-

pointment with his cardiologist the following week.

To be safe, grandpa and my Aunt Cindy wanted me to stay all night with him in case he started having more chest pains or any other health emergencies.

In an odd turn of events, my grandpa had no problems and my stay ended up being a blessing in disguise in several different ways as we watched baseball on TV and talked about the "good ole days" for hours until it was time to go to bed.

As I walked upstairs to the guest bedroom, I was overcome with a wide range of emotions as I realized I hadn't been on the second floor of my grandpa's house since I was a little kid in elementary school.

I had visited my grandpa hundreds of times over the years but I guess I never had any reason to go upstairs while I was visiting.

As I roamed around from room to room taking in the moment, memories instantly started flooding my mind of all the great times I had at my grandpa's house when I was a kid.

I was amazed and overjoyed at how nothing had changed. All the same pictures were still hanging on the walls in the hallways, bathrooms and bedrooms. All the same furniture and beds were still in their same spot. The moment I came up those flight of stairs to go to bed, it literally felt like I had walked back in time to a period of my life some 10 to 15 years ago.

During my childhood, when school was out for summer break I would spend the majority of my summers at my Grandpa and Grandma Ponder's house with my cousins J.D. and Joe Rauch.

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# Points East

By Ike Adams



So here it is, at this writing, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October and leaves on the woods across the way are still as green as the bushel of bell peppers that Loretta and I picked Saturday afternoon before the frost hit Sunday morning.

I have a feeling though, that they will be brown by the time you read this and that I will be in long Johns from now until next May. I've learned, the hard way, that no matter when I switch from long underwear back to basic boxer briefs, I'm going to have the sneezing sniffles for three days or so. I figure it's easier to sweat through Indian summer and warm spells in early spring than it is to endure a bad cold.

They're pricey but I've found that the two piece stuff that skiers and snowmobilers wear under it all are one of the best inventions in fabrics to come along in the last few decades. They do cost over three times as much as regular old thermal knit but they fit like another layer of skin and they are really light weight. And they don't seem to wear out. I have some I'm still wearing that are at least four years old.

As ole Henry Ford said of the Model T, "they come in whatever color you want as long as it's black". The brand I mostly wear is called Dunlap. At least I think it's spelled that way. I probably have a dozen sets. At least I heard Loretta tell one of the kids the other day, "Do not get him anymore underwear or socks. An Amazon kindle gift card would be perfect". One assumes that Christmas shopping is also underway while certain daughters shop for my grandkids' Halloween costumes.

And yes, they do come styled for both men and women. I get mine at sporting goods stores and, frankly, I do not understand why they are not on the racks in all clothing stores. I can tell you for sure that I gave all my old cotton thermies to Goodwill several years ago. Now if I can only find where my wife has squirreled them away, I'll be in business. I figure my merino wool boot socks are in the same stash.

So there you have. Some sound advice for staying warm this winter.

In the meantime I'd been looking for some fall pho-

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# Obituaries



## Wanda Jean Thacker

Wanda Jean Thacker, 92, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, October 20, 2013 at The Terrace Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Berea following a short illness. She was born in Kenton County on May 31, 1921 the daughter of Joe and Nancy Howard Benge. She and her husband, throughout their lives, operated a large farm in Scaffold Cane. She was an active member of Scaffold Cane Baptist Church. Her family will remember her for her home cooking, quilting, and sitting on her porch enjoying time with her family.

She is survived by nine children, Bailey P. (Pearlie) Thacker, Cecil Y. Thacker, Sylvia J. Barnes, Rebecca I. Goss, Dr. Willadene (Dr. Innokenty) Tolmachoff, Wendell (Patty) Thacker, Joyce (Chock) Machal, Geniva M. (Devon) Cain, and David Y. Thacker. Also surviving are 19 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, and a brother, Johnny Benge.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Willie Thacker; two sisters; four brothers; a daughter-in-law; two sons-in-law; and one great grandson.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 22, 2013 at Scaffold Cane Baptist Church by Bro. Chris Cobb and Bro. Bobby Turner. Burial followed in the Scaffold Cane Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Danny Thacker, Gregory Thacker, Jeffery Thacker, Joey Thacker, Shawn Thacker, Shane Thacker, Clark Cain, Jason Thacker, Benjamin Thacker and Blake Thacker.

Honorary Pallbearers were: Steve Bullens, William Bullens, Roy Gene Todd, Herman Todd, Bill Kirby and Ronnie Abney.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

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## Sherman Lee Mason

Sherman Lee Mason, 76, of New Albany, IN, formerly of Richmond, died Thursday, October 17, 2013, at Floyd Memorial Hospital in New Albany. He was born August 22, 1937, in Rockcastle County to Emmett Mason and Carrie Falin, both of whom preceded him in death. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Edith Fay Mason.

He was a retired maintenance supervisor at the Kentucky Horse Park and supervisor at the Meadow Gold Ice Cream Plant in Richmond. He was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include: one step daughter, Virginia (Larrell) Miller; one step-grandson, Rodger (Pam) Miller; and two step great-grandchildren, Alexa (Jonathon) Miller and Austin Miller. He is also survived by one brother-in-law, William Fielder and one sister-in-law, Lorean Mason.

Services were conducted Monday, October 21, 2013 at Oldham, Roberts & Powell Funeral Home with Rev. Harry Hoover officiating. Burial was at Viney Fork Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Rodger Miller, Austin Miller, Jonathon Kiviniemi, Larrell Miller and Alexa Miller.

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## Weton Reams

Weton Reams, 84, widow of Monroe Reams, died Friday, October 18, 2013 at her residence in Brodhead. She was born August 2, 1929, in Brush Creek, a daughter of the late James Isaac and Cleo Abney Bowman. She was a housewife, enjoyed flowers, gardening, traveling and quilting. She was of the Christian faith, and was affectionately known as "Grandma" to her extended family.

She is survived by: her children, Lois Renee (Ronnie) Burdett of Mount Vernon and Lewis Ray (Gail) Reams of Brodhead; two sisters, Stella Bowman Sparks of Mount Vernon and Etta Bowman Brockman of Richmond, IN; four grandchildren, Tracy Coleman Burdett, Tim Burdett, William Lewis Burdett and Amy Mae Tolle; three great grandchildren, Aiden Foley, Gavin Ray Foley and Kateann Foley; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends, and neighbors.

Besides her parents, she is preceded in death by: her husband, Monroe Reams; an infant son, Glendon Reams; two brothers, Jack Bowman and Amos Bowman; and two sisters, Ollie Bowman Carter and Myrtle Bowman Rogers.

Funeral services were October 21, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Brother Luther Allen and Brother Zandell Hasty officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery in Mount Vernon.

Casketbearers were: Tracy Burdett, Tim Burdett, William Burdett, Bobby Tolle, Jordan Cash and Donnie Collins.

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## Lisa Darlene Miller

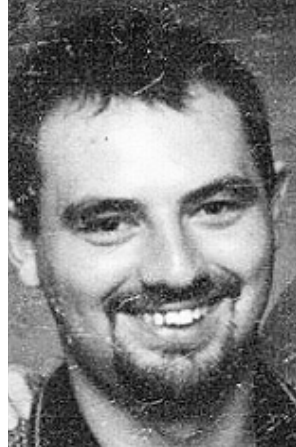
Lisa Darlene Miller, 52, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, October 13, 2013 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. She was born in Scott County January 31, 1961 the daughter of William and Patricia Hughes James. She was a homemaker, mother and grandmother, she enjoyed being with her children and grandchildren and was a member of the First Pentecostal Church of God.

She is survived by: her husband of 26 years, Earl Miller of Mt. Vernon; her mother, Patricia James of Paris; one son, Christopher Miller of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Bethany Miller of Georgetown; two brothers, Keith and Billy James, both of Georgetown, and one sister, Pam Littrell of Paris. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Paige Miller and Landon Miller. She was preceded in death by her father, William James.

Funeral services were October 17, 2013 at Northside Baptist Church by Bro. Randy McPheron. Burial followed in the Johnetta Cemetery. Pallbearers were: Ray Miller, Steven Miller, Chris Miller, Jeremy Long, Austin James, Billy James and Keith James.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

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## Gary Robert Lloyd Reed

Gary Robert Lloyd Reed, 32, of Berea, died Sunday, October 20, 2013 at UK Medical Center following an illness. He was a Madison County native, born September 5, 1981, former Tokico Manufacturing employee, member of the Baptist Faith and had been a resident of the Berea area all his life.

Survivors include: his wife, April Grubb Reed; four children, Gary Joshua Reed, Austin Reed, Natalee Reed, and Krystal Nicholas Hughs; his parents, Jimmy and Betty Smallwood Dooley; one sister, Stacy Reed Eversole and her fiancée Kenneth Kelley; one brother, Brandon Scott; maternal grandmother, Betty Nicholas; paternal grandmother, Lois McHone; an aunt, Gloria Smallwood; uncle and aunt, Ricky and Sharon Reed; mother-in-law, Marlena Grubb; father-in-law, Phillip Grubb; sister-in-law, Stacy Rose; as well as, numerous relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his biological father, Gary A. Reed.

Funeral services will be held at 12 noon (today) Thursday, October 24, 2013 at the home of his parents at 200 Wildflower Lane, Berea, KY, with his Uncle Clark Quinley officiating. Burial will follow in the Smallwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be: Brandon Scott, Jimmy Dooley, Jeff Deborde, Kenneth Kelley, Tommy Dooley, Anthony Cain.



## James R. Jones

James R. Jones, 58, of Mt. Vernon, died Saturday, October 12, 2013 at his residence. He was born in Berea January 5, 1955 the son of James and Flossie Irene Overbay Jones, Jr. He was a truck driver for Clifford Collins Backhoe LLC and fellowshiped at Freedom Missionary Baptist Church. He was a mechanic and loved working on cars and radios.

He is survived by: his wife, Regina Ledford Jones of Mt. Vernon; his mother, Flossie Jones of Livingston; two sons, Brian Jones of Pine Hine and Gilbert Test of Lily; two daughters, Crystal Jones Brookshire of Berea and Jennifer Jones of Richmond; three brothers, Donnie Jones of Berea, Carlos Jones of Livingston and Jeff Jones of Pine Hill; and three sisters, Christine Jones McClure, Barb Jones

Smith and Lucille Jones Barron, all of Livingston. Also surviving are six grandchildren, Angel, Ellyann, Rihanna, Janelle, Kierra and Connor.

In addition to his father, James Jones, Jr., he was preceded in death by one brother, Walter Lee Jones.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by

Bro. Carmen Brewer and Bro. Jay Mathis. Burial followed in the Wilson Cemetery in Clay County.

Pallbearers were: Gilbert Test, Willis Ledford, Mitchell Turbysill, Eric Smith, Austin Barron and Danny Smith.

Honorary pallbearer was Paul Turbysill.

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## Ordinance #2013-2

An Ordinance levying the annual ad valorem tax for city purposes in the corporate limits of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

Whereas, Kentucky Revised Statute (KRS) 92.280 requires that the legislative body of each city annually levy an ad valorem tax for city purposes, and,

Whereas, KRS 92.330 requires that all taxes be levied by ordinance, and,

Whereas, KRS 83A.130 requires that the legislative body, by ordinance provide for sufficient revenue to operate city government, and,

Whereas, the city has calculated the tax rate(s) for real and personal property in accordance with KRS chapter 132.

Now Therefore Be It Ordained, by the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky as follows:

**Section One: Tax Levy** - Real estate and personal property A. An ad valorem tax rate of 16.6 cents on each \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) assessed value of real property subject to taxation under the laws of the State of Kentucky is hereby levied for city purposes.

B. An ad valorem tax rate of 16.6 cents on each \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) assessed value of personal property subject to taxation under the laws of the State of Kentucky is hereby levied for city purposes.

**Section Two: Due Date, Payment, Discount and Penalty** All said taxes shall be due and payable at the City Offices as set forth on the tax bill. Taxes paid prior to the due date shall receive a two percent (2%) discount. Taxes paid up to thirty (30) days after the due date shall be at the face amount. Taxes paid more than thirty (30) days after the due date shall be charged a ten percent (10%) penalty.

**Section Three: Effective Date and Use Thereof** This ordinance applies to the 2012 calendar year tax assessment and all receipts shall be used for city purposes and accounted in the 2013 fiscal year and subsequent fiscal years in reference to delinquent collections.

Adopted this the 21st day of October, 2013

/s/ Mike Bryant, Mayor

Attest: /s/ Jeanette Robinson, City Clerk

Date of First Reading: 9/16/13

Date of Second Reading: 10/21/13

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## "I See It"

(Cont. from A2)

Whenever we would go with our grandparents to run errands in Livingston, or to visit a neighbor in the Red Hill community, my cousins and I were always referred to as "Dell's or Gwen's grandkids." We were rarely called by our actual names.

When we were not with our grandparents out in the community, a typical summer day for us consisted of wandering along our manmade paths through the woods of Red Hill where we would play every kind of imaginative game known to man. Then when it got dark, you could always find us "three grandkids" in our upstairs bedroom playing video games. This was a typical pattern for all three of us during our childhood summers at grandpa and grandma's house.

When I stayed all night with my grandpa last Sunday, I slept in one of the very same beds that I used to sleep in during those childhood summers.

Before I went to sleep, I laid in bed just taking everything in and a big smile came across my face. It had been a long time since I felt that relaxed, peaceful and happy. I loved my childhood summers and I didn't honestly realize how much I loved them and missed them until that very moment.

If the truth be known, if some fairy or genie would have come in the bedroom that night and told me I could leave my current life and go back to the days of those childhood summers, I would have immediately said YES and wouldn't have thought twice about it either.

However, when that very thought came across my mind before I went to sleep, it occurred to me what was happening. I was wanting to relive parts of my past.

I think the majority of us have found ourselves wanting to relive the good times of our past at some point in our lives. This is especially true when we are going through tough times.

I know people who are currently in college that miss being in high school, people who recently gradu-

ated college who miss being in college. People who have children starting school who miss their children as a baby or toddler and people who are sending their children off to college who miss having their children at home.

I could go on and on with hundreds of other examples that range from children to senior citizens who are missing or wanting to relive some period in their past.

I learned something last Sunday night. We should never live our lives thinking that our best days have already been lived out. When people live like this they are just "existing" and not actually "living." This type of thinking can turn dangerous if it's done often and it can rob people of a huge chunk of "living" in their lives.

Instead we should live our lives as if our best days are still ahead of us no matter how old you are, what tough times you've had or what period of life you're in currently.

Our time on this earth is very short and the more time we spend wanting to relive our past the more time we actually take away from living out our future to its fullest extent.

After all, we only get one life so we better take complete advantage of it and live everyday to its fullest because if we try to relive our past we are simply increasing our chances of missing out on the great times of our future.

## Memories"

(Cont. from A2)

Everything bad for you is good again. Sugar? Naturally better than high-fructose corn syrup. Chocolate? A bar a day keeps the doctor away. Caffeine? Bring it on. Lard has been a hard sell. Good cooks point out how superior this totally natural fat is for frying and pastries." Of course, when my mother and grandmother flavored our favorite dishes with pig fat, we were not being bombarded with TV messages about consuming too much cholesterol, trans-fats, or other hazardous substances

like we are today. Heavens to Betsy, we even used real butter and drank whole milk!

The most recent research available for today's cooks suggests that lard might actually be good for you. The reason given concerns the composition of fat in our present recipes. The fat in lard is mostly monounsaturated, which we know is healthier than saturated fat. Even the saturated fat in lard has a neutral effect on blood cholesterol, according to Jennifer McLagan in her book, *Fat: an Appreciation of a Misunderstood Ingredient*. She maintains that lard has a higher smoking point, which causes foods like chicken to absorb less grease when fried. She also raises the point that the body converts animal fat to fuel and that it helps absorb nutrients, especially calcium and vitamins. A very persuasive argument can be made that lard in today's cooking is better because it has been processed as minimally as possible. These points sound quite reasonable in my view.

When I was a youngster, most everything we ate was flavored in lard. Even the bacon drippings (fat) were poured into that coffee can on the stove to be used again at a later time to flavor some food. As I have said before, I believe my mother and grandmother were two of the best cooks I have ever known.

Now we understand why we held such opinions. And it isn't just simply that animal fat makes food taste better. It was better. I consider myself to be a living testament: I am 69 years of age and, unlike many of my cohorts, I take no prescription medications. Zero. Do I need to thank those ladies for my health? Seems highly likely to me.

As for now, I think I will go have me a country ham sandwich. What could it hurt?

*(You can reach me at themtnman@att.net or you can drop me a line at P.O. Box 927 - Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your comments and suggestions.)*

## "Points East"

(Cont. from A2)

tographs Loretta and I shot a few years ago that I'm going to try selling to an outfit that produces calendars. When I finally found them on the computer I discovered they'd been shot in 2009. I'd been looking in 2011. Time flies when you're having fun.

Somewhere I recently read that as we age, the years feel shorter because each one is progressively a smaller percentage of our total lives. All I know for sure is that just when I've gotten used to dating stuff 2013, it's nearly time to start using 2014 and 2013 will be nothing more than another habit hard to break.

So, anyway, I found the photos and got a bit of a surprise. Our camera's have built in computers that store a ton of data every time we shoot pictures. Such things as lens settings, shutter

speed, focal length, the exact date and time of day the photo was shot and other information are available with two right clicks on the picture.

Although it didn't say so, I knew the shot had been taken at Owsley Fork Lake in Southern Madison County. I would not have been surprised if the camera had also known that. But the date was October 9, 2009, 5:27 p.m., and the hills were ablaze with color on what few blackgum, oak and maple leaves were left. One of us had taken a shot of a stand of poplars and an-

other of walnuts without a leaf left on them.

However, the forest floor was washed in bright yellow, red and orange.

So here it is, two weeks deeper into October than our pictures of four years ago and the big walnut tree in my back yard is as green as it was in July.

But the weatherman is saying that a hard freeze is just around the corner. I have about fifteen bushels of pears still hanging on a tree in the backyard orchard and I have to figure out something to do with them before Wednesday.

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We would like to individually recognize and thank all our sponsors. We had two levels of sponsorship, Gold and Silver. Gold

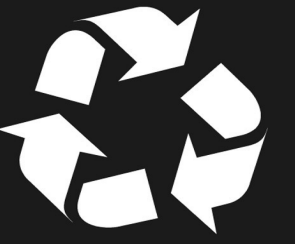
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Because of such a huge turn out for our race and our wonderful sponsors we were able to raise \$3,376.45. This money will go a long way providing much needed technology for our classrooms. Again, the staff, students, and ENPTG thank everyone involved!

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### Bookmobile Schedule

Mon., Oct. 28th: Calloway, Red Hill, Livingston, Lamero, Pine Hill and Sand Hill.

### Halloween on Main/Council Meeting

Halloween on Main will be held in Mt. Vernon on Thursday, Oct. 31st from 6 to 8 p.m. Businesses or organizations can reserve your spot by calling City Hall at 606-256-3437.

### Halloween in the Park

The Brodhead Homecoming Committee will be sponsoring "Halloween in the Park" at the New Depot Park on Thursday, October 31st from 6 to 8 p.m. Children 12 and under should be accompanied by an adult.

### LVFD Fundraiser

Livingston Volunteer Fire Department will hold a 4 Wheeler Ride Fundraiser on Saturday, October 26th, beginning at 10:30 a.m. The ride will leave from 8500 Highway 1955 (the Martin place). Riders must be 16 years of age or accompanied by a parents. Helmets are suggested. Lunch will be provided. Donations for ride and lunch appreciated.

### Upward Basketball

Registration is now open for Upward Basketball for boys and girls, ages kindergarten through 6th grade. Every child needs to attend one evaluation. They are, as follows: Tuesday, November 5th, 6-8 p.m. at FBC and Saturday, November 9th, 10 a.m. to noon at Bible Baptist Church. Cost to participate is \$60 (shorts are optional at a cost of \$15).

### Upward Cheerleading

Upward Cheerleading, for girls kindergarten through 5th grade is being organized. There will be a cheer clinic on Saturday, November 23rd from 9 a.m. to noon. Cost is \$75 per child and includes the mock turleneek.

### Halloween Truck or Treats

Halloween Trunk or Treats will be held Thursday, October 31st from 6 to 8 p.m. at First Baptist Church. Hotdogs, apple cider, hot chocolate and, of course, lots of candy for the kids. The theme will be based off Chris Rice's song "Cartoons" and kids will get to see their favorite cartoon characters.

### Halloween Alternative at Grace Fellowship

Fellowship invites everyone to our Halloween Alternative - Family Fun Night! A fantastic evening of entertainment awaits you on Thursday, October 31st from 6 to 8 p.m. Come dressed in your favorite costume (no scary costumes please) and enjoy games, inflatables, food and lots of other goodies! The church is located at 845A S. Main St., London.

### Free Training Classes

The USDA Rural Development is sponsoring free classes to provide training in business start-up, marketing tools, accounting and team building. The first of these classes will be "Own Your Own Business!" on Tuesday, October 29th from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Rockcastle Adult Education Center. The next class will be "Marketing, Why Do I Need That?" on Wednesday, October 30th from 6 to 7 p.m. at the same location. For more information, or to register, contact Yvonne Harrison at 859-622-7995 or Yvonne.harrison@eku.edu

### 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.

### American Legion Post 71

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

# On Call

By: Rick Branham



Last week I ended with the question regarding the different classifications of fire. How many classifications of fire are there? The answer is 5 different classifications. I am going to break each of the classes down and what they consist of. The classification of fire is important because each class of fire has its own requirement for extinguishment.

The first class of fire is labeled as A. Class A fires are what we call ordinary combustibles such as wood, cloth, paper, rubber, and grass. The easiest way to extinguish a Class A fire is by cooling it down by adding water. Using a fire extinguisher is also very effective at extinguishing Class A fires.

The second class of fire is labeled as B. Class B fires are flammable or combustible liquids and gases. These include gasoline, diesel, paint, alcohol, oil and mineral spirits. In order to extinguish Class B fires you can shut off the gas supply or apply foam. A fire extinguisher can also be used for extinguishment. The best extinguisher to use on Class B fires will contain a specialized powder called Purple K. these extinguishers can look similar to a regular red fire extinguisher but will usually have a label with a purple outline.

The third class of fire is labeled as C, notice a pattern yet. Class C fires are electrical in nature which involves anything that uses electric. Of course electricity does not burn so the actual fuel of a Class C fire is usually the insulation on the wiring. The best way to fight a Class C fire is to cut off the electric first then began to extinguish the fire. One of the resources we request on any structure fire is the electric company. We want to make sure the electric is shut off to the house.

Fourthly with Class D fires. Class D fires are combustible metal fires. Ex-

amples are aluminum, magnesium, potassium and titanium. Class D fires are very hazardous. In the right concentrations airborne metal dust can cause an explosion given suitable ignition source. Also, applying water will only make the metal burn hotter. A special extinguisher we call Metal X is carried to extinguish a Class D fire. These extinguishers are usually yellow and contain a special formulated powder to smother the fire.

What do you think is the next classifications of fires? If you guessed Class E, I'm sorry you would be incorrect. The final classification of fires is Class K. Class K is for basically kitchen fires. See K for kitchen, we try to make things firemen proof. Class K involves oils and grease found in commercial kitchens. Extinguishing a Class K fire involves a process called saponification. Saponification is a process where a specifically formulated extinguishing agent comes into contact with the cooking oils turning them into a soapy film that extinguishes the fire. If you look at commercial kitchens you will see, or should see, an extinguishing system in the hood.

Now that we have covered all the classifications of fires, I feel compelled to do a quick fire extinguisher training seminar. In using a fire extinguisher remember the PASS method. P – Pull the pin. A – Aim at the base of the fire. S – Squeeze the handle and S – Sweep the nozzle back and forth at the fire. There a quick fire extinguisher class. Of course the first need to think of your own safety. If the fire is small a can be put out by an extinguisher you may attempt to extinguish. However don't, for your own safety, run a get another extinguisher if you fail to extinguish the fire on the first attempt. We will be there soon and extinguish the fire. It's what we do.

Alright, I hope everyone has been enjoying this col-

umn up to this point. I have enjoyed writing it every week. I have created an email address and would love to hear from you. Ask questions; give your opinions about the article good or bad. I want to hear from you guys. The email address

is oncall139@hotmail.com. Next week I go into fire development and its stages. This week's question centers on that. How many stages does a typical fire go through? Is it 2, 4, 6 or 8, the answer coming next week?

## Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

### SHERRY'S BAKED PINEAPPLE

2 cans (15 ounces each) pineapple chunks  
1 cup sugar  
1/4 cup flour  
1 and 1/2 cups shredded cheddar cheese  
1 stick butter  
1 sleeve Ritz® cracker  
Preheat oven to 350°. Drain pineapple and place in 9 x 13 baking dish. Mix sugar and flour; sprinkle over pineapple. Sprinkle cheese over this. Melt butter. Crush crackers and mix with melted butter. Sprinkle over cheese. Bake for 30 minutes.

**PINEAPPLE SOUFFLÉ**  
1 can (20 ounce) crushed pineapple  
12 whole graham crackers, crushed  
1 cup white sugar  
1 cup brown sugar  
2 eggs, beaten  
1/2 cup evaporated milk  
1 stick butter, melted  
Preheat oven to 350°. Drain pineapple and spread in 9 x 13 greased baking dish. Sprinkle with graham cracker crumbs. Mix sugars, eggs, evaporated milk, and melted butter. Spread over crackers. Bake for 45

### MINUTES. PINEAPPLE PIE

This looks like a chess pie after it has baked. It has a wonderful pineapple flavor.  
1 and 1/2 cups sugar  
1/2 cup butter, at room temperature  
1 cup drained crushed pineapple  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
2 eggs  
1 unbaked pie shell  
Heat oven to 350°. Beat sugar, butter, pineapple, vanilla, and eggs together until well blended. Pour into unbaked pie shell; bake for 50 minutes or until it sets and is brown.

**GLAZED PINEAPPLE**  
6 ounces butter  
1 small pineapple, peeled, cut lengthwise, cored and sliced  
3/4 cup packed brown sugar  
Melt butter in large frying pan over medium heat. Add pineapple slices and cook for one minute. Sprinkle evenly with brown sugar and cook, turning pineapple occasionally, until sugar is melted and pineapple is translucent, 2 to 3 minutes. Serve with whipped cream, ice cream or as is.

## Strange... But True?

by: Tonya J. Cook

### The Hope Diamond: A Cursed Jewel, Part II

With the history of the Hope Diamond being discussed last week, this week, the "Strange...But True?" series will focus on the curse itself. The diamond has had a long and interesting past, and now is resting in Washington, DC at the Smithsonian.

The diamond, among other names, is also known as "The Diamond of Death". A curse is said to follow the gem. The priest who stole it from an Indian idol was tortured to death, according to legend. King Louis XIV, who owned the "Blue Diamond of the Crown" died a shattered man, with his empire in ruins. His heirs met with misfortune, as well. Princess de Lamballe was beaten to death by mobs in the streets. King Louis XIV and his wife, Marie Antoinette, were beheaded. Jean Baptiste Tavernier, the jewel merchant who sold the stone to King Louis XIV was killed by a pack of wild dogs.

Wilhelm Fahn, a diamond cutter, cut the diamond to hide its identity, but died from grief. His son, Hendrick, stole the gem and later committed suicide. King George IV of England owned the diamond and died penniless in 1830.

Henry Philip Hope bought the cursed stone, and his nephew's grandson later owned the diamond. He was involved in an accidental shooting that resulted in the amputation of his leg. He also went bankrupt.

The diamond exchanged hands many times, with each owner meeting doom

of some variety. An Eastern European prince was said to have bought it and gave it to actress Folier Bergere. He later shot her. A Greek owner and his family plunged to their deaths in an auto accident. A Turkish sultan, Abdul Hamid II, owned the stone a short while when an army revolt took his throne in 1909.

In 1912, Pierre Cartier sold it to the wife of an American tycoon, Evelyn McLean. He warned her of the curse but she wasn't worried, claiming that objects with the reputation of bringing bad luck brought her good luck. She was so wrong. Shortly after the stone came into her possession, her mother-in-law died along with two household servants. Then her nine-year-old son was killed in a car wreck. Her twenty-five-year-old daughter committed suicide soon after Edward McLean, her husband, died in a mental institution.

Harry Winston bought the diamond in 1958 from the McLean estate, giving it to the Smithsonian Institution. It is valued at one hundred million dollars, and is kept in a special safe. Has the curse ended? The United States seems to have a curse hanging over it, with multiple disasters occurring every few days...earthquakes, floods, forest fires, disease outbreaks, hurricanes, people homeless, the economy faltering and the government hanging by a thread. Do you suppose that the blue stone has brought America a "little something"?

Source: Underworld Tales

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# CHURCH NEWS

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## Let the Bible Speak

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

## Benefit Auction

There will be a Benefit Auction Friday, November 1st, beginning at 7 p.m. at the East Bernstadt Fire Dept. The Great Commission Missionary Group will be holding the auction and all proceeds will be used to purchase Bible and food for missionary work on the Tapajos and Arapiuns Rivers in Brazil. Concessions will be available beginning

at 6 p.m. For more information, call Tim and Tammy Renner at 606-687-0295 or 606-219-0584.

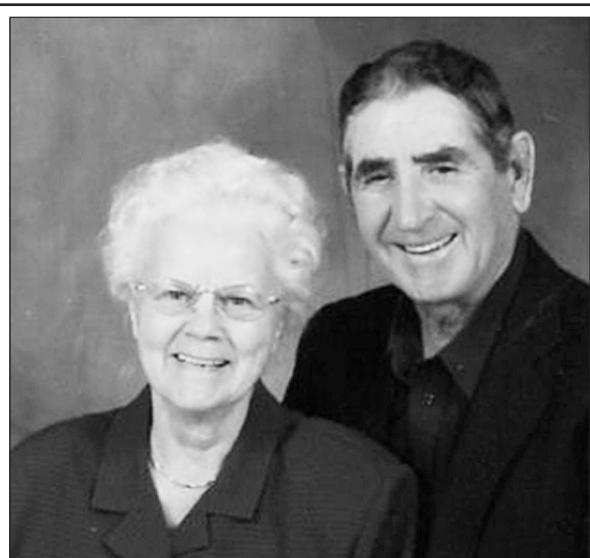
## Sweet Salvation Celebration

Conway Missionary Baptist Church will hold a *Sweet Salvation Celebration* Thursday, October 31 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Candy and other treats will be handed out during the Trunk or Treat and this will provide a safe trick or treat environment for children in our community.

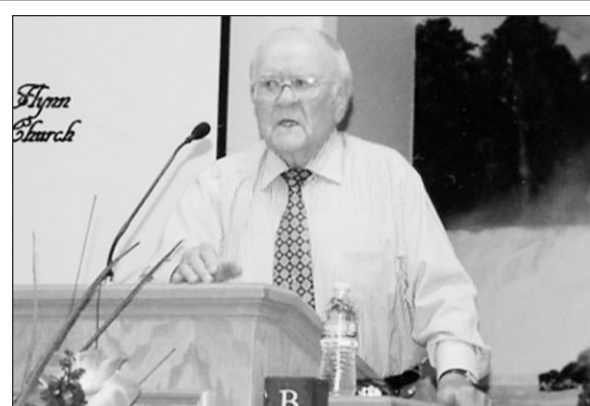
Come join us! Don't let the fun stop on Halloween. Also, please join us for our worship services.

The church is located on Hwy. 25 between Mt. Vernon and Berea at 116 Meadowlark Lane.



## Pastor Appreciation...

Pastor and Mrs. Donald King have pastored Crab Orchard Pentecostal Church for many years. They both have been very dedicated, not only to our church but to several churches in the community. Crab Orchard Pentecostal Church's congregation is blessed and honored to have been a part of their lives. *We love and appreciate you Bro. and Sister King!!*



## Pastor Appreciation...

We, at Flat Rock Baptist Church, are currently without a pastor. However, there has been a pastor who has stepped up to the plate on every occasion when asked and filled in for us. We have come to love and respect his teachings, dedication and service to the Lord. We appreciate so much the time and effort that Bro. R.C. Flynn has given our church. We want to take this time to say Thank You and to let him know we love him in Christ. *May God Bless Him and Keep Him. Num. 6:24-26.*

## KSDAR holds joint meeting

Rockcastle Chapter hosted a joint meeting with the Somerset and Logan Whitley chapters of KSDAR on October 12th to commemorate local Native American history.

Local historian, David Owens, gave a wonderful and informative presentation on the Tales of the Thunderbolt People, who were indigenous to Southeastern KY and members of the Chickamauga Cherokee Nation. Mr. Owens' presentation included the introduction to the Medicine Wheel (the Circle of Life), history and customs, folklore and myths. The meeting was followed by lots of food, friendship and fellowship!



David Owens and grandson, during presentation of the Tales of the Thunderbolt People.

## Veterans to be honored at Maretburg Baptist

A special service to honor and appreciate veterans will be held Friday, November 8th, beginning at 6 p.m. at Maretburg Baptist Church on Hwy. 150, Mt. Vernon.

The meal will be catered by Denny's Restaurant and there will be special patriotic music with Zach Rice from London. Col. John Mark Toby, Director of Missions for the Warren County Baptist Association will be the guest speaker.

"In Rockcastle County, we have many veterans," said Wayne Harding, pastor of Maretburg Baptist Church and prayer coordinator of the Rockcastle Baptist Association, "and, sad to say, in this day, our veterans are not honored and respected as they deserve to be. In fact, our veterans, who have served our country in times of peace and war are being sadly neglected and mistreated, even by our federal government."

Bro. Harding went on to say, "Our veterans have a

crucial and vital role in times of peace and war in keeping our nation free and there is no doubt that the freedom we enjoy today is possible, because our veterans, both men and women, have honorably served our country."

"It will be a service in which we will worship God, pray for America and honor our veterans," Bro. Harding added.

Veterans and their families are cordially invited to attend.

This special service will be presented by Rockcastle Association of Kentucky Baptists.

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## Conway Missionary Baptist Church

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# Yards to Paradise

By Max Phelps

When's Bulb Planting Time? (And what should you plant?)

Most of us think of spring daffodils and other bulbs when we see them peeking through the snow or covering the yard or hillside where an old house once stood. But to enjoy blooming bulbs at your home next spring, you have to think in advance and plant some bulbs this fall.

So, when is bulb planting season? Must be like Christmas, since the big box stores seem to have them on display right after Labor Day anymore, one might think. While many bulbs in more northern climes will be OK with early September planting, it would be better to have later harvested bulbs cured out good, and plant them after the nights have gotten chilly.

It's time to plant bulbs when you see squirrels spending the day burying walnuts or acorns, it's time to plant bulbs when you start getting up in the night to look for a blanket, and it's time to plant bulbs when the winter keeping apples are ripe out in the orchard. You don't want to dig in snow or frozen soil, so don't procrastinate too late if you have more than just a handful to plant this year.

Kentucky, Tennessee and gardeners in neighboring states would be safe planting bulbs from the first day of fall until about Thanksgiving most years. December will probably work also so long as the ground isn't frozen hard.

Deciding what to plant can be harder. The picture books and bulb catalogs try to entice you to buy a lot of rare and beautiful (and expensive) bulbs. The truth is, since bulbs don't keep from one year until the following one, most stores and garden centers just carry a few bulbs which are the most requested. So, they have thousands of daffodils and some packages of tulips, a small quantity of two or three other times usually. Be first to shop the new bulb crop at your garden center—or be left with only narcissus bulbs to pick from—maybe pale yellow and dark yellow.

The other main way to order bulbs is mail order catalogs or online. Even here, they may sell out of the hottest items early, so pre-ordering even before summer digging season is over might be wise. Planting time is a bit late if you are choosy, for early shoppers will have bought the hottest plants and the best bargain lots.

Let's look at some popular bulbs you might plant this fall in your yard or garden. I've not done a study to see if daffodils or tulips are more popular with folks. But, I can say one thing, it's the daffodils/narcissus that win when it comes to longevity and the 'perennializing' of the planting. Deer and mice and moles and other critters love tulips, as do you and I do. You will wonder what happened to your tulip bed with so many not coming up and blooming the second and third seasons. The narcissus and daffodils on the other hand seem to double or triple their presence in your garden year by year, becoming more numerous. (Daffodils are poisonous, and the wild animals know this and won't eat them.)

Hyacinths (and I guess we can add muscari or grape hyacinths here too) smell so good and are among the first bloomers in spring, often ahead of the daffodils. Sometimes they get frozen because of putting up their noses to the chilly air so early!

Crocus seem to be blooming under the snow when it melts it seems. There are spring blooming anemone or windflowers that result from small bulbs planted in the fall. (There are more fall blooming anemones.)

Crown Imperials or fritillaria and the guinea hen flowers are lovely choices, if you can afford several dollars per bulb. The results will amaze, except in the deep south, when these bulbs bloom in a prominent spot in the bed or garden.

Iris are planted in late summer or early fall, and are excellent choices for most gardeners. Dutch iris and South African iris are only hardy where it's warm in winter with only a few dips

of the thermometer below the freezing mark.

Alliums should be planted more often. These are members of the onion family. Most onions will bloom if replanted as the bulbs become larger and larger. But the choices in colors, height and size, along with much variation in hardiness, means there are super onion, or allium, choices for gardens almost anywhere.

Paperwhites are such powerfully fragrant narcissus bulbs, and are often 'forced' to bloom in the winter for indoor tabletop decorations. Paperwhites are not hardy in winter if the temps outside reach 15 to 20 degrees.

Scilla, or Spanish bluebells, also called Squill, come in many varieties and most are zone 6 hardy. Try some if you can find bulbs to plant!

Lily: there is convallaria (Lily-of-the-valley), and there are lots of big and bold lilies such as madonna lily, asiatic lily, oriental hybrid lilies. All of these are hardy in zone 6 and probably where you live too.

Summer snowflakes, glory-of-the-snow, winter aconite, plus camassia for the spots that stay soggy, are all listed for further consideration. You may have to search more zealously to find these bulbs for planting this fall.

Having something different blooming at your place might make the effort rewarding next spring!

With these and other spring blooming bulbs and roots to choose from, not to mention color, size and blooming time differences among each group, your bulb garden options are almost endless. For that spot of early flowers next spring, fall is the time to put in the bulbs and make it happen. A few months from now you can have lovely daffodils, tulips and many other flowering bulbs showing themselves off around your home.

I know winter's coming, but I hope it's not a really bad one. I am already thinking of spring flowers.

Perhaps, now you are, too.

The author is a freelance writer and landscape professional. Send inquiries to [waterfallsinyards@yahoo.com](mailto:waterfallsinyards@yahoo.com)



On Saturday, friends and family of Christene Morris gathered at First Christian Church for a surprise birthday party for her. People came from Mt. Vernon, Livingston, London, Manchester, Richmond, and Taylorsville to celebrate. It was a wonderful day filled with fun and good food.



## Flu Shot Clinics

GET IN – GET ONE – GET OUT!

Everyone 6 months of age and older should get a yearly flu vaccine. The Rural Health Clinics at Rockcastle Regional want to make it easier on you to get vaccinated this year – get in, get one, and get out – during hours that are convenient for you.

Get your flu shot during October at any of these locations:

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## Make time for your Mammogram

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

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If you are age 40 or older, take that step! (Speak with your healthcare provider about when to get your mammogram; if you have certain health risks or a family history of breast cancer.)

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## County gets funds for emergency food/shelter

Rockcastle County has been chosen to receive \$6,803 for supplemental emergency food and shelter in the county.

The selection was made by a national board that is chaired by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency and consists of representatives from American Red Cross, Catholic Charities USA, National Council of the Churches of Christ in the USA, The Jewish Federations of North America, The Salvation Army and United Way Worldwide. The local board was charged to distribute funds appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs in high-need areas around the country.

A local board, made up of Rockcastle Co. Judge Buzz Carloftis and other lo-

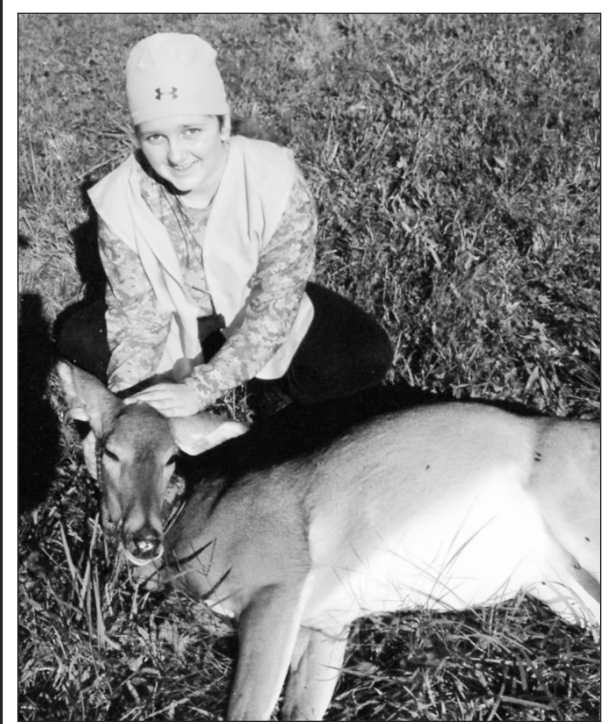
cal government and charitable organizations, will determine how the funds awarded to the county are distributed among the emergency food and shelter programs run by local service agencies. The local board is responsible for recommending agencies to receive these funds and any additional funds available under this phase of the program.

Under the terms of the grant, local agencies chosen to receive funds must: 1) be private voluntary non-profits or units of government, 2) be eligible to receive federal funds, 3) have an accounting system, 4) practice nondiscrimination, 5) have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs and 6) if they are a private voluntary organization, they must have a voluntary board. Qualifying agencies are urged to apply.

Rockcastle County has distributed emergency food and shelter funds previously with Daniel Boone Community Action Agency, Inc. participating. This agency was responsible for helping families with mortgage assistance and rent, as well as providing food for the local food bank at the First Baptist Mission. Public or private voluntary agencies interested in applying for emergency food and shelter program funds must contact Tamara Cox, 105 E. Main St., Box 7, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 for an application. Deadline for applications to be received is November 1, 2014.



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Pvt. Warren D. Mullins on your achievement in becoming a member of the U.S. Army.  
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Dad, Angie, Emily, Conner and Samantha.



Allison Coffey, daughter of Bobby and Donna Coffey, killed her first deer Sunday, October 13th. Congratulations, Allison!



Zachary Coffey, 10, killed this button buck on Sunday, October 13, 2013 during youth weekend in Rockcastle County. He shot it at 125 yards away with a .223 rifle on his papaw's farm. Makayla Coffey, pictured at right, was very happy for her brother.

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# Rockets lose close game to Knox Central, 24-14

By: Doug Ponder

The Rockcastle County Rockets lost a close game to the Knox Central Panthers 24-14 last Friday night.

Last Friday night's game was also the sixth consecutive year the Panthers have defeated the Rockets in football.

The Panthers were first to get on the board with an 18 yard touchdown run by

All-State running back Johnathon Gist. The extra point attempt was no good giving them an early 6-0 lead.

But the Rockets struck back immediately on offense when junior running back Isaiah Adams punched the ball in from the one yard line for a touchdown. The extra point was good giving the Rockets the 7-6 lead near the end of the first quarter.

The Panthers answered on their next drive with a 5 yard touchdown strike from quarterback Matthew Barger to receiver Jared Hall. The two point conversion was no good but the Panther reclaimed the lead 12-7 at the end of the first quarter.

In the second quarter, Rocket senior quarterback Corey McPhetridge connected with senior receiver John Hughes with a 48 yard touchdown pass. The extra point was good putting the Rockets ahead 14-12.

However, the Panthers would score again before time expired in the second quarter as Barger scrambled in from seven yards out for a touchdown. The two point conversion was once again no good giving the Panthers an 18-14 lead at halftime.

The third quarter proved to be a defensive battle between the two teams as neither offense put any points on the board.

The Panthers put the game away in the fourth quarter with a three yard touchdown run by Jacob Mills. The extra point was no good making the final score 24-14.

Offensively, the Rockets were led by McPhetridge who was 16 out of 25 in pass attempts for 179 yards and one touchdown with one interception.

McPhetridge also had a big night rushing as he led the Rockets on the ground with 62 yards on thirteen carries. Other Rockets picking up rushing yardage were: Adams with 61 yards on fifteen carries and one touchdown; junior Chance Ansardi had 37 yards on eight carries and freshman Chayse McClure picked up 3 yards on one carry.

Hughes led the receiving corps with three receptions for 63 yards and one touchdown. Other Rockets making receptions were senior Tyler Harper with four receptions for 45 yards, McClure with two for 32 yards, Adams with three for 30 yards and senior Brandon Jones with four for 9 yards.

Defensively, the Rockets were led by Ansardi with ten tackles. Senior Jared Lake also had a big night defensively with eight tackles.

Other Rockets picking up tackles and assists were junior Kyle Denny with 7, Jones with 5, senior Koty Bengé and freshman Austin Mills had four each, McClure was credited with three tackles and one fumble recovery, Hughes and freshman Devon Robinson had three each and senior R.C. Kirby and Adams had two each. Freshman Logan Coffey, junior Austin Emery, freshman Lucas Jones and freshman Dalton Rowe were all credited with one tackle each.

Head Coach Scott Parkey said the difference in the game was not being able to score on their last offensive drive before halftime.

"McPhetridge ran 20 yards to their 20 yard line but as he was going down he fumbled the ball. The Panthers recovered it and marched down the field to score before halftime," Parkey said. "Instead of going into the half ahead 21-12, we were down 18-14. Getting a turnover instead of a touchdown put the guys in a different mindset for the second half."

Parkey said that he still believes the Rockets are showing improvement from the beginning of the year. He said the bad thing is the scoreboard still isn't showing how hard the Rockets are playing and how much they have improved.

"We had the momentum swing several times during the first half of the Knox Central game. We just didn't capitalize in the second half," Parkey said. "I'm still really pleased with how the guys played overall. They showed heart and played till the final horn."

The Rockets next game is this Friday when they host the Clay County Tigers at home during Senior Night

and the UNITE Bowl. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.

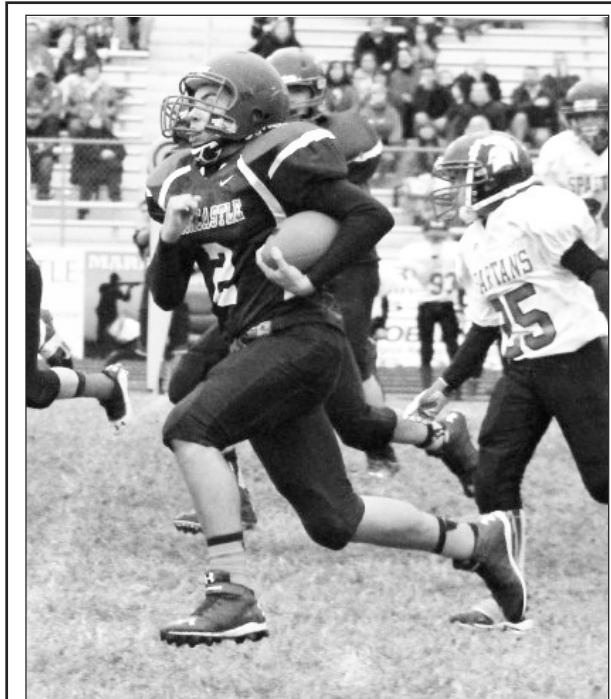
Parkey said the Tigers are not as big as they were last year due to losing most of their linemen to graduation.

"They lost a lot of their big guys but they still have a lot of skilled players. Their tailback is fast and elusive. He will be a big challenge for our defense," Parkey

said. "The Tigers are good against the run on defense so we need to mix it up in order to keep them off balance."



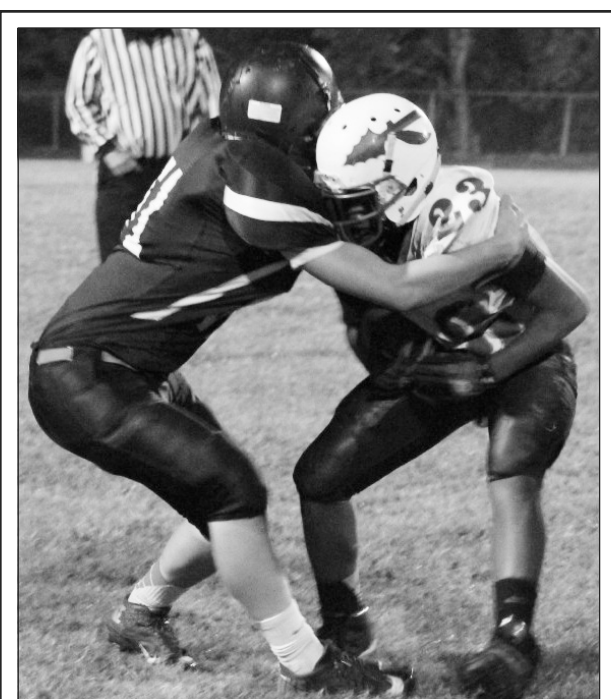
Seventh graders Jacob Stonekind and J.D. Hamilton take down a Caudill defender during last Thursday night's win against Caudill.



Evan Hendrickson breaks free for a touchdown run during the seventh grade Rockets 48-18 win against Caudill.



Seventh grade Rocket Jacob Hansel attempts to swat the ball away from a Caudill receiver during last Thursday night's game. The Rockets won 48-18



Eighth grader Dylan Messer slams a Clarke Moore defender to the ground during last Thursday night's shutout win.



Senior lineman Jared Lake makes a block during last Friday night's 24-14 loss to Knox Central. Lake and other seniors Brandon Jones, Corey McPhetridge, John Hughes, Tyler Harper, R.C. Kirby, Koty Bengé and Blaine Amyx will be honored before the game this Friday night. The senior night festivities will begin at 7 o'clock.



Junior fullback Chance Ansardi runs through a hole during last Friday night's game at Knox Central. The Rockets next game is this Friday when they host the Clay County Tigers at home during the UNITE Bowl. Kick-off is at 7:30 p.m.



Junior Isaiah Adams loses his helmet as he dives forward for more yardage during last Friday night's 24-14 loss to Knox Central. Adams rushed for 61 yards on 15 carries and one touchdown.



Senior quarterback Corey McPhetridge scrambles out of the pocket to pick up some extra yards in action at Knox Central last Friday. The Rocket offense was led by McPhetridge who was 16 out of 25 passing for 179 yards and one touchdown with one interception. McPhetridge also led the Rockets in rushing with 62 yards on 13 carries.



Brent Lovell gets around a Clarke Moore defender during the eighth grade Rockets 40-0 shutout win last Thursday night.

## Operation UNITE Bowl is Friday

The tenth annual UNITE Bowl football game and festivities to "Wipe Out Drugs" is this Friday

Tailgating will begin at 6 p.m. and is being provided by local churches in the parking lot of Rockcastle County Middle School.

Kentucky Senate President Robert Stivers, Congressman Hal Rogers, and Karen Kelly, Operation UNITE's first CEO, will be honorary guests for the coin toss before the Rockcastle Rockets and Clay County Tigers football game.

Donations are still being accepted for the toilet paper drive. All toilet paper collected will be donated to drug treatment centers (Chad's Hope, Karen's Place, and Hope in the Mountains). The Traveling Toilet Paper Trophy will be awarded to the high school who collects the most toilet paper for donation.

The theme for the 2013 UNITE Bowl is "Be A Hero.." Rockcastle County and Clay County citizens will be asked to participate in the annual Red Balloon Memorial Launch at half-time in memory of those whose lives have been adversely affected by drugs. Also, UNITE will be honoring local heroes in both communities, who inspire young children every day to choose a drug-free life. Our heroes will be lighting ten wish lanterns representing the ten years of Operation UNITE.

Because Operation UNITE has brought hope to our communities, the RCHS Band and the Rockcastle and Clay County cheerleaders will be participating in the Balloon Launch, representing hope, with white balloons.

Any and all contributions/donations are appreciated for the Wipe Out Drugs Challenge. Unopened packages of toilet paper can be dropped off at any of the five Rockcastle County schools.

All monetary donations collected will be used to purchase cases of toilet paper from IGA in Mt. Vernon. IGA has been a major supporter of the Wipe Out Drugs Challenge for several years.

For more information contact Karen King or Precia Bowling at (606) 256-3976.



Jaden Payne jukes a Caudill defender during the seventh grade Rockets 48-18 win. The Rockets play Clarke Moore for the conference championship at Farristown Middle School in Berea this Thursday. Kick-off is at 6 p.m.



Emanuel Miller looks for running room during last Thursday night's win against Clark Moore.



The Rockcastle Middle School 8th grade Lady Rockets won the Commonwealth Middle School Conference Tournament last Saturday, defeating Clark Moores in the championship game. The girls also finished runners-up in the regular season and had a 16-9 record on the season. Members of the squad are shown above, front row: Shyann Reynolds, Breonya Napier, Kristen Wilson and Mackenzie Payne. Back row: Jordyn Powell, Emily Adams, Rebekah Lake, Lea Ellen Rogers, Kristin Holcomb and Coach Ken Hopkins.



The Rockcastle Middle School 7th grade Lady Rockets won the Commonwealth Middle School Conference Tournament last Saturday defeating Estill County in the championship game. The girls finished the season with a 15-8 record. Members of the squad are shown above, front row from left: Caroline White, Kassie Lay, Hope Holbrook, Savannah Neeley, Izzie Kidwell and Zoe Burdette. Back row: Coach Brooke Bishop, Hannah Denney, Courtney Wren, Hannah Bryant, Jamison Roberts, Kaitlyn Conner, Emma Bullens and Megan Eversole.



The Rockcastle Middle School 6th grade Lady Rockets won the Commonwealth Middle School Conference Tournament last Saturday, defeating Foley in the championship game. The girls were also regular season champs finishing the season with a 20-5 record. Members of the squad are shown above, front row from left: Ashlyn Brock, Jaylon Ponder, Kaleigh Richards, Shelby Newland, Tori Dotson, Emma Smith and Valerie Franklin. Back row: Selicity Broaddus, Coach Paige Bengé, Kylee Fain, Bailee Allen, Ravyn Bullens, Cynthia Wells, Amy Clark, Kenzie Himes and Katelyn Singleton.



Eighth grade Rocket Ryan Winstead recovered a Clark Moore fumble during last Thursday night's 40-0 Rocket win. The Rockets will travel to Berea this Thursday night to take on Foley for the conference championship. Kick-off is a 7:30 p.m.

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October 25th  
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October 25th  
 10:30 -11:30 PM  
 RCMS Gym

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Guest Speaker: Ralph Baker

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### Sat., Oct. 26th

Beginning at 10:30 a.m.  
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We will leave from 8500 Highway 1955 (The Martin Place). Riders must be 16 years of age or accompanied by a parent. Helmets are suggested.

**Lunch will be provided**  
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# Chance to win an iPad in KHEAA drawing

Kentucky residents have another chance to win a new iPad from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) in a sweepstakes being held through Facebook in November.

The contest runs from 12 a.m. on Nov. 1 through 12 a.m. on Dec. 1.

To enter, a Kentuckian must click on the orange graduate icon on the KHEAA Facebook page, answer one question about

college, and "like" KHEAA on Facebook. KHEAA will not share or sell any personal information to a third party.

Only Kentucky residents are eligible. Employees of KHEAA or its sister agency, the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC), and their immediate family members are not eligible. Prior winners are also not eligible.

The drawing will be held in early December, and the winner will be notified by email. The winner must respond by email within three calendar days to receive the iPad with Retina display. If no response is received within three days, another winner will be drawn.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to [www.gotocollege.ky.gov](http://www.gotocollege.ky.gov). For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit [www.kheaa.com](http://www.kheaa.com); write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

## FSA increases loan limit for Guaranteed Loan Program

John W. McCauley, State Executive Director for Kentucky's Farm Service Agency (FSA), announced that the loan limit for the Guaranteed Loan Program increased to \$1,355,000 on Oct. 1. The limit is adjusted annually based on the "Prices Paid to Farmers Index", compiled by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).

"Raising the guaranteed loan limit will allow FSA to better meet the financial needs of producers across the Commonwealth," said McCauley.

FSA guaranteed loans allow lenders to provide agricultural credit to farmers who do not meet the lender's normal underwriting criteria. Farmers and ranchers apply for a guaranteed loan through a commercial lender, and the lender arranges for the guarantee. FSA can guarantee up to 95 percent of the loss of principal and interest on a loan. Guaranteed loans can be used for both farm ownership and operating purposes.

Producers should contact their local FSA Service Center with questions about farm loans or by visiting [www.fsa.usda.gov](http://www.fsa.usda.gov).

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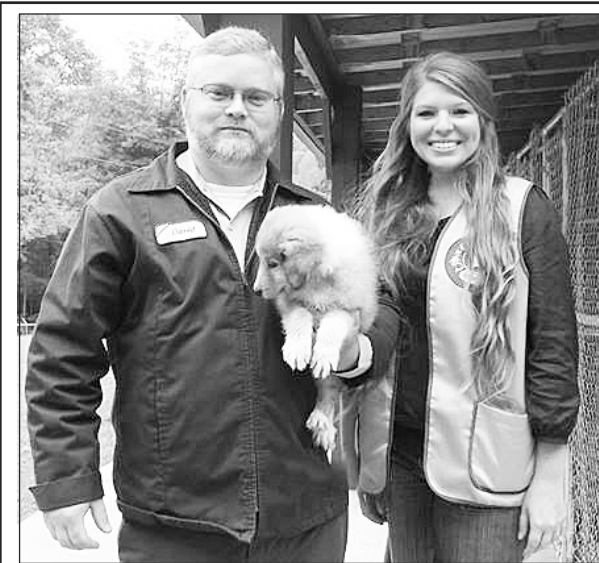
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The Livingston Community Lions put on a Pet Show during the Livingston Homecoming Festival on September 1st. Proceeds were donated to the Rockcastle Animal Shelter. Pictured are David Carpenter of the Rockcastle County Animal Shelter and Livingston Community Lions President, Courtney Hale.

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## Ordinance #2013-3

An Ordinance levying the annual ad valorem tax on motor vehicles for city purposes in the corporate limits of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

**Whereas**, KRS 83A, 130, 140 and 150 require that the legislative body, by ordinance, provide for sufficient revenue to operate city government, and;

**Whereas**, KRS 132.487 and 132.488 requires submission to the Kentucky Revenue Cabinet prior to October 1 of each year the annual tax rate to be levied on motor vehicles and motorboats.

**Now Therefore Be It Ordained**, by the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky as follows:

**Section One: Tax Levy** - Motor Vehicles and Motorboats  
A. An ad valorem tax rate of 16.7 cents on each \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) assessed value of motor vehicles and motorboats subject to taxation under the laws of the State of Kentucky is hereby levied for city purposes.

**Section Two: Due Date, Payment, Discount and Penalty**  
A. All ad valorem taxes on motor vehicles and motorboats shall be collected by the Rockcastle County Clerk in accordance with the provisions of KRS 134.800 and other applicable statutes.

B. Ad valorem taxes on motor vehicles and motorboats shall become due and delinquent as set forth in KRS 134.810 and such taxes not paid when due shall be subject to the penalty and interest as specified therein.

Adopted this the 21st day of October, 2013

/s/ Mike Bryant, Mayor

Attest: /s/ Jeanette Robinson, City Clerk

Date of First Reading: 9/16/13

Date of Second Reading: 10/21/13

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**Who should attend?** Any RCHS Senior or community member wishing to begin the transition to college.

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By Howard Coop



It was the middle of September in 1946, and I was just out of high school. With high hopes and lofty aspirations, I had planned to go to the college of my choice that fall to prepare for the career I had chosen, but that possibility seemed to vanish. I was so disappointed that I gave up all hopes of achieving my lofty dream.

The summer job that had promised so much and I had accepted so readily was a total failure; I had borrowed money to get through the summer. Therefore, there was no money and no hope for college, and I saw no possibility of achieving my goal. In that state of disappointment, I was frustrated, for I did not know what was ahead for me, but things changed amazingly fast.

On a beautiful Monday, September 16th, my father, with a few encouraging words, gave me some good advice that made all the difference in my life. Accepting his advice, I boarded a bus on Wednesday, September 18th, for Hopkinsville to attend the Louisville Annual Conference of our church. By the

end of that conference, I was appointed to serve as student pastor of three small churches near Lindsey Wilson College, and with the encouragement of some friends and \$1.58 in my pocket, I enrolled in college on my way home from that conference. The next few years were not always easy, but after some set backs, I graduated from college seven years later and went on to Emory University for further education.

Life doesn't always give one what one wants. Along the way there are set backs--and they are unpleasant. But those set backs are not the end of everything. One can't give up because of them, for better things are ahead. Some anonymous person put it in perspective: "Giving up on your goal because of one set back is like slashing your other tires because you have a flat." One must accept the set backs and move on.




Elizabeth Sturm, third from left, was one of those receiving a tour of the Brindle Ridge Volunteer Fire Dept. during last week's Fire Prevention Week. With Elizabeth are, from left: Chad Croucher, George Clark and Jeremy Neal.

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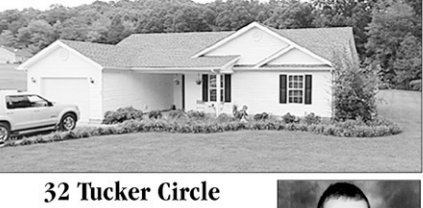
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## Rockcastle receives \$10,000 grant from Kentucky Oral

Rockcastle County has received a \$10,000 grant from the Kentucky Oral Health Program. The Purpose of the grant is to develop an Oral Health Coalition and to promote oral health within the community. Bright Smiles Coalition was formed in the spring of 2013. Bright Smiles Coalition has promoted oral health through print and radios ads. A display board, Rethink Your drink, has been displayed throughout Rockcastle at several community events. Our focus for this year is Drink More Water, Drink Less Pop.

September 24th, Nancy Keber, Nutritionist from Rockcastle Health Department, presented a program to an assembly of sixth graders at Rockcastle Middle School. Students learned that a 12 ounce pop has over 9 teaspoons of sugar. In addition to that, pop has either phosphoric or citric acid. Both the sugar and the acid can damage our teeth. They also learned that all cells and organs in our bodies depend on water to function. Water serves as a lubricant in digestion and in our joints. Water transports nutrients and regulated body temperature. It also removes toxins from our bodies. Water is amazing! Students were asked to help promote the message Drink More Water, Drink Less Pop by participating in a poster contest.

First place winner of the Bright Smiles Poster Contest is Selicity Broaddus. Second Place winner is Emma Smith and Third Place winner is Katelynn Singleton.



A Williamsburg couple lost control of their vehicle while trying to park at the Medical Arts building at Rockcastle Regional Hospital Wednesday morning. Authorities say Arlona McKiddy, 74, of Williamsburg was attempting to turn into a parking spot when her foot reportedly slipped off the brake and onto the gas. McKiddy lost control of the vehicle as it tore through railing and drove on top of a white Nissan Maxima before sliding off and coming to rest. McKiddy and her husband, Lawrence McKiddy, 78, were taken to the Emergency Room next door where they were treated for non-life threatening injuries and later released. The white Nissan Maxima and black Chevy Tahoe were also severely damaged in the accident.

## “Council”

(Cont. from front)

believed that was how the retirement policies were set up when he was working for the state. He said sick leave is viewed more as a privilege than a right and he suggested the council look at other cities in the state to see how they have their retirement and sick pay policies written.

“When I worked for the state they viewed sick leave as more of a privilege than a right,” Bryant said. “It’s kind of like having a driver’s license. A lot of people don’t realize you have a privilege to have a driver’s license not a right to have one.”

McClure went on to say that the retirement policy was written for people to abuse the system.

“People abuse it and just call in sick a few days or weeks, that way when they retire they have already made the full 100% face value for a sick day,” McClure said. “It’s better to stay at home and get paid then it is to come to work.”

Council member Cliff Mullins suggested that the council reexamine what they classify as a sick day. Currently, if an employee misses more than three days in a row they are required to have a doctor’s excuse.

Bryant said the current sick leave policy is written so that employees don’t have to go to the doctor for stomach viruses or other minor illnesses. However, he said it’s hard to make a determination on whether an employee is legitimately sick or playing hooky.

“Some people will abuse it but we’re not a doctor. We can’t determine if someone is actually sick and we can’t force someone to go to a doctor,” Bryant said. “If the city starts to get that strict with employees we could run into some legal implications.”

McClure concluded by saying that he will lose around 1,000 full paid hours when he retires and that other city employees are in similar situations.

“It would be crazy if we didn’t use our sick leave because if we don’t we will get reduced pay for them. If I take a sick day I get my social security paid in, retirement paid in and full pay as well,” McClure said. “I just hate to see a person who comes to work every day and work hard for a living and end up getting penalized with a reduction when they retire.”

Bryant suggested that the council review the sick leave and retirement policies before making a change.

“That way we can check on legal parameters and seek legal consultation. The next meeting we will have more information to view so they (the council) can make an informed decision,” Bryant said. “At the same time we want to take care of our employees but we must do what is legal and cost effective for our city.”

Vernon Council member and Litter Coordinator Wayne Bullock said he and other volunteers had collected a lot of litter around Lake Linville during the month of October.

Bullock said they found 14 bags of garbage and two dead dogs in fishing spots near the intersection of Barnett Road and Mt. Zion Church Road. He suggested that the council do something to monitor and punish those who litter in the area.

Bryant suggested the city look into purchasing wireless game cameras to hide in the areas with the most litter problem. McClure also suggested that the city put up more “no littering” signs. Bryant said the city will look into acquiring the most cost effective items necessary to reduce and hopefully eliminate the litter problem around Lake Linville.

Bryant also informed the council that the city is considering placing a street light at the triangular intersection of East Main Street and Hwy 25. Bryant said Kentucky Utilities is working on approving a location where the light can be placed. He also said city crews have almost completed the new sidewalk and steps at Tim’s Barber Shop on West Main Street.

As one of the final items of business, Fire Chief David Bales and Police Chief Brian Carter reported on activities of their department for September.

According to Bales’ report, 26 runs were made and 4,550 gallons of water were used to answer: 7 accidents with injuries, 1 EMS assist, 1 vehicle fire, 2 tractor and trailer accidents, 2 structure fires, 1 mutual aid to Brindle Ridge for a structure fire, 3 woods and brush fires, 4 fire alarm activations, 1 standby for Laurel County Fire Department for chief’s funeral, 2 land searches for missing males, 1 CSEPP Deacon evaluation and 1 special detail for traffic control on Main Street. The report also showed 264 runs for the year to date.

Police Chief Brian Carter presented the council with the September activity report for his department.

The report showed 493 total calls for service including: 21 non-injury accidents, 3 injury accidents, 40 total arrests, 2 DUI arrests, 14 drug charges, 40 traffic violations, 27 warrants served, 1 criminal summons served and 7 indictments.

## “Space”

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will be the responsibility of the program.

Volunteers are meeting to construct the parent-run program that they hope will help young children socialize and their parents network. The goal of the program is to provide a space where toddlers can play with others in a safe and fun environment. The target opening date for at least one location is January 1, 2014.

The Development Board applied for an ARC grant to create the program and to

purchase start-up fixtures and play items.

Anyone interested in participating in the development of the program, remodeling of the space or volunteering your time when the program starts up, please contact Lynn Tatum of the Rockcastle County Development Board at 606-308-4646.

## “Indicted”

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arraignment date has been set for December 13th at 10 a.m.

Also indicted was Johnny F. Abney, 54 of Shug Road, Mt. Vernon.

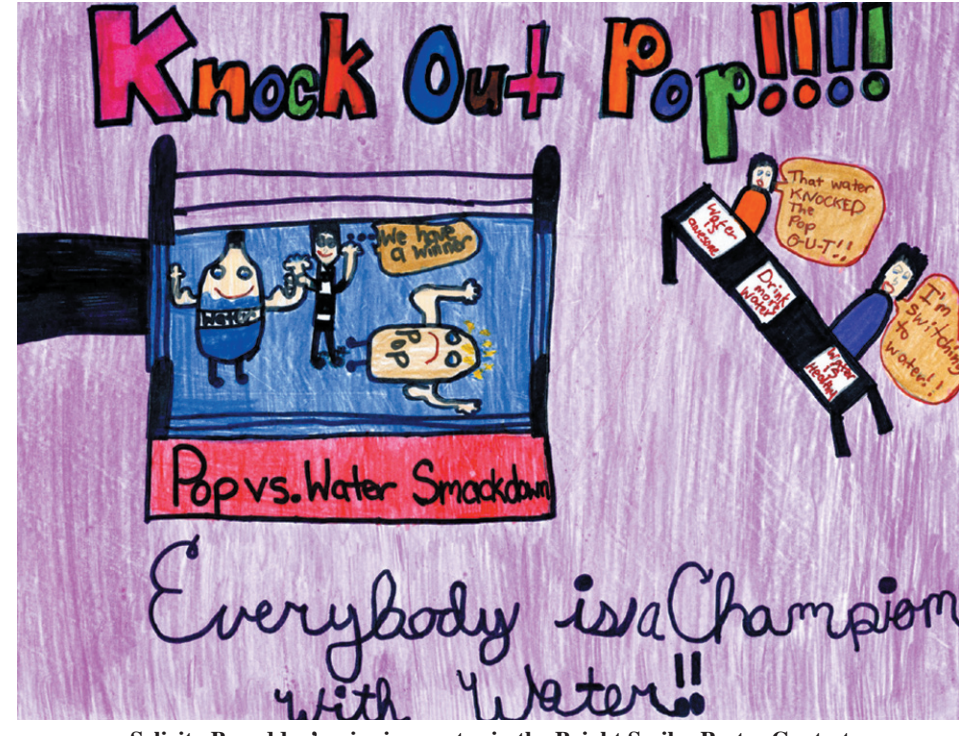
Abney was indicted on one count of Wanton Endangerment, First Degree involving operating his vehicle in a manner which created a substantial danger of death or serious physical injury to Alicia C. Abney.

Abney’s bond was set at \$50,000 cash/property. His arraignment date was set for December 19th at 10 a.m.

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Winners of the Bright Smiles Poster Contest were from left: Katelynn Singleton, 3rd place; Selicity Broaddus, 1st place and Emma Smith, 2nd place.



Selicity Broaddus’s winning poster in the Bright Smiles Poster Contest

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Main Street will close at 5 p.m. for booth set-up.



## 10 graduate from Leadership Rockcastle

On Thursday, October 17th, Leadership Rockcastle, sponsored by the Rockcastle County De-

velopment Board, graduated 10 local residents. The program began in March with a full day open-

ing session. Participants then met once a month for a half day to tour the county or discuss county issues.

Graduation began with a discussion about future county projects class participants would like to see pursued.

Development Board Chair, Kathy Robinson, stated that many of the 2009 county strategic plan visions have been completed. In 2014 we will begin developing committees to discuss new visions for county improvement that will carry us into 2020.

Class participants reported on their community projects which included solar pathway lights for the Livingston Trail Town Campus, re-constructing trails and primitive campsites at the ASPI Lower River Road facility, community fundraising, trail development, volunteering time to help renovate the Livingston School and a savings program for young adults.

Graduate Greta Tompkins indicated an interest in developing a cultural tour of Rockcastle County and invited classmates to help her develop the concept.

Several city and county officials spoke briefly about the merits of the Leadership Rockcastle program and the importance of community involvement to get projects started and completed.

Attending officials included: Rockcastle County Judge Exec Buzz Carloftis, Livingston Mayor Vernon Medley and Mt. Vernon Mayor Michael Bryant. Development Board Chair, Kathy Robinson presented the certificates and lapel pins. Brushy Fork Institute, Associate Director, Rodney Wolfenbarger was the keynote speaker.

This year the 2013 Leadership Rockcastle graduates were: Suzi VanEtten, Patsy McFalls, Katha Carpenter, Chris Mullins, Kristen Harper, Greta Tompkins, Natasha Howard, Jane McClure, Holly Nolan, Duane Lewis. Plans will begin in December to develop a class for 2014. Contact Lynn Tatum, Facilitator for Leadership Rockcastle at 308-4646 or 256-8007 if you would like to join the 2014 class.

## LVFD holding 4-wheeler ride this Saturday

Livingston Volunteer Fire Department will hold a 4 Wheeler Ride Fundraiser on Saturday, October 26th, beginning at 10:30 a.m. The ride will leave from 8500 Highway 1955 (the Martin place). Riders must be 16 years of age or accompanied by a parent. Helmets are suggested. Lunch will be provided. Donations for ride and lunch appreciated.

## Renfro Valley to recognize Pete Stamper Saturday

Long time Renfro Valley entertainer Pete Stamper will be recognized for his contribution to the entertainment industry during the Barndance Show on Saturday night, October 26th, beginning at 7 p.m.

Stamper made his first appearance on the Barndance in 1950, and is still an important part of the Barndance today. He began work at WRVK radio station in 1957 and is one of the voices still heard on the station every day.



Recognized and loved by so many people, Stamper is a legend in the music field. Except for a period of time when he left to become Dolly Parton's road manager and when he performed on Red

Foley's Ozark Jubilee, Pete has been fully committed to Renfro Valley, WRVK and to Rockcastle County.

Please make plans to attend this special Barndance Show on October 26th and join in recognizing Pete Stamper.

Tickets can be purchased on line at [www.renfrovalley.com](http://www.renfrovalley.com) or by calling 800-765-7464.

Also, the annual Barndance Alumni Show is scheduled for Sat., Nov. 2nd. Details in next week's Signal.

## Hospital Security Program recognized

Rockcastle Regional Hospital & Respiratory Care Center was recognized by the International Association for Healthcare Security and Safety (IAHSS) at the 2013 Healthcare Coalition Conference in Covington, Kentucky on October 16.

Rockcastle Regional Hospital Facilities and Environment of Care Manager Gary Asher was presented the Spain Award by the Kentucky Chapter of IAHSS for security excellence. The Spain Award recognizes one hospital security leader in the state who has made the most dramatic improvement in their hospital security program.

"I am honored to receive this award on behalf of Rockcastle Regional Hospital," said Asher. "Our team of security, including hospital staff, local police, sheriff department and security personnel, are continuously seeking to strengthen and improve patient safety on our campus."

Nominations were taken by the KY-IAHSS and selection is made by the board for the one leader that is most deserving. According to a press release from IAHSS, Mr. Asher and Rockcastle Regional Hospital were selected for the many improvements made during 2013 to the hospital security program. Improvements included: conducting a comprehensive security survey of the facility, increasing the physical security of the hospital by making several enhancements including locking down the Emergency Department, providing training and classes to hospital staff, and creating a position for a dedicated hospital security manager.

"The safety of our patients is a number one priority at Rockcastle Regional Hospital," said Stephen A. Estes President & CEO. "We have specific performance improvement initiatives in our security management plan. I am proud to be recognized for the efforts."

The Spain Award was significant to honor an outstanding security leader who made significant improvement in their hospital security program. The award also honors long time Security Professor at Eastern Kentucky University, Dr. Norman Spain. Dr. Spain is recognized nationally as an expert in security and has made massive improvements to the security industry.



The Livingston Community Lions recently donated two cases of hearing aid batteries to Rockcastle Regional Hospital. Pictured are: Jessie Barron; Stanley Cook, Lions Community Lions Club Vice-President; Courtney Hale, Livingston Community Lions Club President; Angie Adams; and Worth Ann Harris.



2013 graduates of Leadership Rockcastle were, from left: Patsy McFalls, Duane Lewis, Katha Carpenter, Holly Nolan, Suzi Van Etten, Kristen Harper, Greta Tompkins and Chris Mullins. Not pictured: Jane McClure.

## Dispose of unwanted drugs October 26th

Residents living in southern and eastern Kentucky wishing to dispose of unwanted or expired prescription medications have plenty of options at this coming Saturday's National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day.

Over the past year, Operation UNITE has helped establish 41 permanent medication drop box sites in 34 counties. These boxes are available free to citizens during operating hours that vary by location.

In addition, special take-back sites will be available between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on October 26 at Kentucky State Police Posts and other law enforcement agencies in 12 of UNITE's counties.

"Having unsecured prescription and over-the-counter drugs around the home makes them susceptible to diversion, misuse and abuse," said Dan Smoot, director of UNITE. "We are proud to partner with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) to offer easy-to-access locations for disposal of these medications."

During the Take-Back Day event held this past April, nearly 1,200 pounds of prescription medications were collected at UNITE drop-box locations.

Residents are asked to please remove all identifying labels from prescription bottles before bringing them to the drop-off sites.

According to the 2011 Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration's National Survey on Drug Use and Health, twice as many Americans regularly abused prescription drugs than the number of those who regularly used cocaine, hallucinogens, heroin and inhalants combined.

That same study revealed more than 70 percent of people abusing prescription pain relievers got them through friends or relatives, a statistic that includes raiding the family medicine cabinet.

An August 2013 Reuters/Ipsos poll found that 1 in 10 Americans admit taking a prescription drug they have not been prescribed, and a quarter of those people have used them just to get high.

"With increased abuse comes an increase in the number of overdose deaths," Smoot said. "Unfortunately, this part of the commonwealth is being impacted the most."

Seven of the top 10 counties with the highest rate of overdose deaths for 2011 and 2012 combined are located in southern and eastern Kentucky, according to the 2012 Overdose Fatality Report issued by the Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy.

In 2012 there were 1,004 overdose fatalities in Kentucky – the first decline in a decade – down from 1,023 the year before. Of the deaths, 888 were unintentional, 59 were suicides and 57 remain undetermined, the report stated.

Medications, mostly prescription drugs, were involved in nearly 60 percent of the 38,000 drug overdose deaths in the United

States in 2010, overshadowing those from illicit narcotics, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

• For a list of permanent drop box locations in the UNITE service region visit <http://operationunite.org/investigations/med-drop-box-sites/>.

• For a list of permanent drop box and National Take-Back Day locations statewide visit the Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy website at:

[odcp.ky.gov/Kentucky+Prescription+Drug+Disposal+Sites.htm](http://odcp.ky.gov/Kentucky+Prescription+Drug+Disposal+Sites.htm)

The National Prescription Drug Take-Back Day, which began in October 2010, aims to provide a safe, convenient and responsible means of disposal, while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse of these medications. More than 2.8 million pounds (1,409 tons) of pills were removed from circulation in the first six DEA Take-Back Days.

For more information about Operation UNITE visit their website at [www.operationunite.org](http://www.operationunite.org) or <http://www.operationunite.org>.



## Brodhead wins PRIDE trophy

Brodhead earned the Volunteer Recruitment Award as the city with the greatest increase in PRIDE Spring Cleanup volunteers from 2012 to 2013. During PRIDE Spring Cleanup Month in April 2013, 81 volunteers contributed 335 hours to pick up litter in the county. In the photo, Mark Buras, the city's PRIDE Coordinator, accepted the city's trophy from PRIDE's Mark Davis. Volunteers are encouraged to pick up litter in October to make sure roads look their best for scenic drives.



County Judge Executive Buzz Carloftis attended the October UNITE Coalition meeting and is shown signing a Proclamation declaring this Friday, October 25th countywide "Wear RED Day." He is joined by county school's UNITE Club representatives, with the exception of RCHS who were present at the meeting, but had to leave early. "Rock Your Red Day," as some refer to it, is a day set aside for our community to show unity in our stand against drugs. By wearing red, you will be showing your support for a drug free Rockcastle community. Pictured are, from left: Paige Ruppe, Haley Mink, Lindsey Jones, Faith Harris, Judge Carloftis, Bailee DeBorde, Kylee Fain, Kerrigan Medley, and Valerie Franklin.

# News from the Rockcastle Courthouse

## Circuit Civil Suits

Madison Bank vs. Ramey C. Taylor, \$68,547.62 plus claimed due.  
 Cabinet for Health and Family Services, ex rel Bobby Dean Daniels vs. Carissa Dawn Ingram, complaint for child support and medical support.  
 Katie Cantini vs. Joseph W. Bostic, petition for child support.  
 Citizens Bank vs. Clarice E. Kirby, et al, \$60,387.95 plus claimed due.  
 Marie L. French vs. Aaron R. French, petition for child support.  
 Jessica Williams vs. Andrew Williams, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-00232

Tar Kiln Road, to Darvel L. Rader. Tax \$55  
 Linda Swinford, property in Rockcastle County, to Connie Gadd. No tax  
 Estil R. and Betty Cromer, property on Frosty Hollow Road, to Thomas Lee Cromer. Tax \$1.50  
 Jesse and Barbara Mason, property on Sand Hill Road, to George and Patricia Lynn Lewis. Tax \$1  
 Circle B LLC, property on Brush Creek Road, to Woodridge USA Properties. Tax \$12  
 Jacob and Melinda Renner, property in Rockcastle County, to David and Carolyn Lindsey. Tax \$30  
 Janet L. Blevins, property on John Cash Road, to Paula L. and Keith A. Mink. No tax  
 Ronald Staton and James A. and Kathleen Wylie, property on Bradley Piowell Road, to Ronald Staton. No tax

## Deeds Recorded

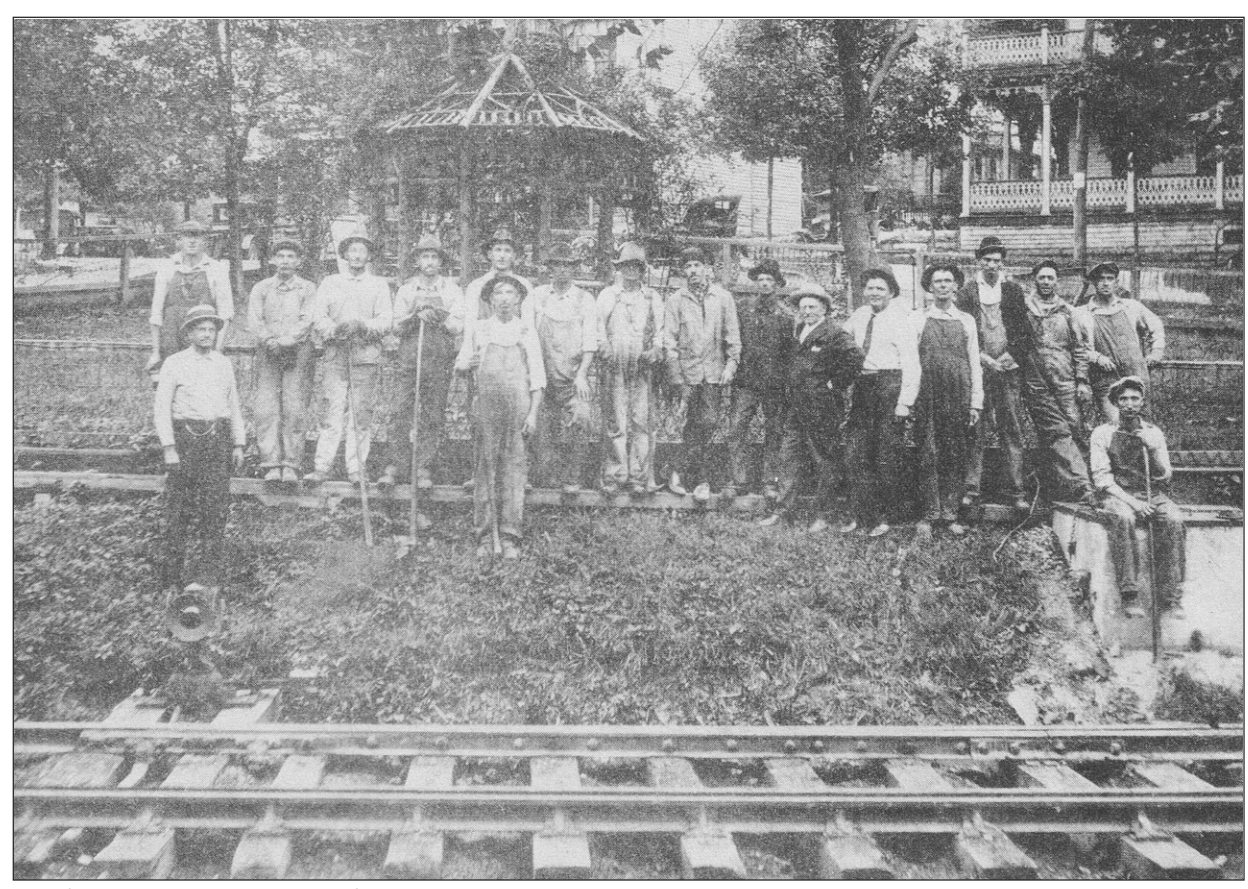
Joselyn Noel Coultrup, and other, property on Rt. 3, Brodhead, to Lisa Coultrup. No tax  
 Franklin and Betty Pheanis, property on Skaggs Creek Road, to Bryan and Debbie Pheanis. No tax  
 Rissie Griffin-Wolff and Michael Wolff, property on

## Marriage Licenses

Brittany Jo Gregory, 24, Berea, unemployed to Steven Oscar Saylor, 36, Berea, fencing. 10/12/13  
 Ashley Brook Lake, 30, Mt. Vernon, unemployed to Brian Heath Yauger, 29, Mt. Vernon, disabled. 10/14/13

## Haunted House

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## Blast From The Past!!!

This week's photographs are of Rockcastle L&N Railroad Work Crews. The top photo was taken at Mt. Vernon City Park. Notice it had a cast iron fence. You can also see the old Williams house in the right back and the Miller house (now a parking lot for Coffee & Ford) in the center background. You can also see Model T automobiles. The year unknown. The bottom left photo is of a Rockcastle L&N Crew, but names, place, and year unknown. The bottom right photo is of a Rockcastle L&N Crew taken at Humble Bridge, names and year unknown. If you have a photograph for Blast From The Past contact David Owens at 606-256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com.



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**Adult and Teen Competitors:** Adam Young, Amanda Renner, Robert Renner, Josh Stallsworth, Jeanitta Montano, Thomas Graves, Casey Hardin, Joseph Montano, Chris Graves, Beckah Renner, Aaron Hardin and Paige Neal. Not Pictured: Tommy Philbeck, Benny Dennison, Jason Smith, John Wells, Sam Mathis and Cassie Bullock.



**Children's Division:** Autumn Hackler, Chazdin McClure, Sydney Martin, Jenna Wells, Lazarus McClure, Noah Dennison, Devona Smith with Kids Instructor Cassie Bullock.

# Shaolin Do wins 28 medals in tournament

Rockcastle Shaolin Do had 33 students competing this year at the annual Lexington Shaolin Do Tournament held Saturday, September 14th. Rockcastle had the more students competing than any other school in the competition and the RSD Demo Team also performed that night for the demonstration.

Rockcastle Shaolin Do brought back 28 medals total and also had students fighting in all of the black and brown belt finals that night, with Kids Instructor Cassie Bullock winning 1st in 2nd Degree and Up Black Belt Men's Division, Sensei Jason Bullock placing 2nd in the 1st Degree Black Belt Men's Division, and Robert Renner placing 1st in Brown Belt Men's Division.

Students as young as 5 competed, with: Luke Martin placing 2nd in sparring and Jaden Minton placing 2nd in weapons in the PeeWee Division; Autumn Hackler placing 3rd in empty hand and Devona Smith placing 3rd in weapons in the Children's Green-Black Belt Division; Eli Price placing 2nd in empty hand, weapons, and sparring in the Pre-Teen Blue-Green Belt Division; Haley Bullock placing 3rd in Empty Hand, 3rd in Sparring, and 2nd in Weapons in the Pre-Teen Brown-Black Belt Division; Beckah Renner placing 3rd in Empty Hand and Sparring and Joseph Montano placing 2nd in Empty Hand, 2nd in Sparring, and 3rd in Weapons in the Teen Brown-Black

Belt Division; Adam Young placing 2nd in Empty Hand and 2nd in Sparring in the Men's White Belt Division; Casey Hardin placing 1st in Empty Hand, 2nd in Weapons, and 3rd in Sparring in the Men's Yellow-Green Belt Division; Robert Renner placing 1st in Empty Hand and 1st in Sparring and Chris Graves placing 3rd in Empty Hand and 3rd in Weapons in the Men's Brown Belt Division; Jason Smith placing 2nd in sparring in Men's 1st Degree Black Belt Division, and Cassie Bullock placing 3rd in Empty Hand, 1st in Weapons, and 1st in Sparring in the Men's 2nd Degree Black Belt and Up Division.

The Rockcastle Shaolin Do Demo Team, Haley Bullock, John Wells, Cassie Bullock, and Master Eric Bullock also performed that night at Lexington Catholic High School in the Tournament Demonstration.

The following weekend 35 Rockcastle Shaolin Do students tested for rank advancement in front of Grandmaster Sin The'. Students all passed and received their belt and certificate for the next rank.

Passing from white into yellow belt: Heath Barnes, Clay Kirby, Hayden Philbeck, Jeriann Price, Adam Young, Brooklyn Bullock, Cameron Bullock, Callie Delph and Joanna Thompson.

Yellow to blue: Luke Martin, Haley Hayes, Samantha Vanzant, Aaron Hardin; Blue to green:

Kaleb Whitaker, Gail Hardin, Joe Hardin and Coby Neal.

Green to 3rd brown: Eli Price, Tommy Philbeck and Casey Hardin.

3rd brown to 2nd brown: Sam Brickley, Diana Helms, Paige Neal, Sarah Renner, James Renner and Granville Graves.

2nd brown to 1st brown: Chris Graves, Thomas Graves, Joseph Montano, Jeanitta Montano, Bekah Renner, Robert Renner, Josh Stallsworth, Lazarus McClure and Chazdin McClure.

Blue to green sash: Chris Graves, Kimberley Graves, Thomas Graves, Joseph Montano, Jeanitta Montano and Granville Graves.

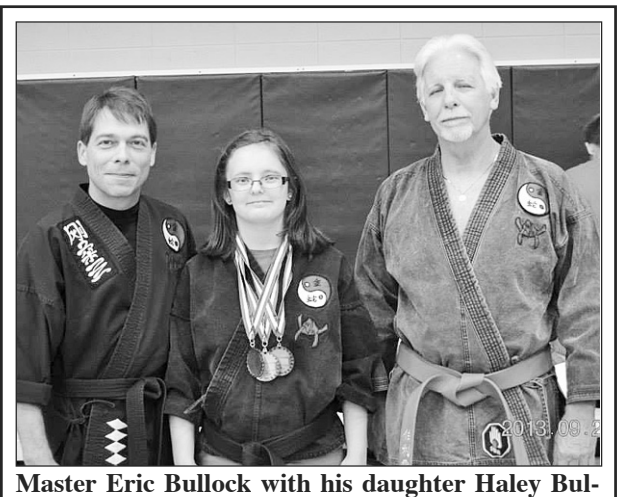
Tournament Medal Winners: Luke Martin, 2nd in Sparring; Jaden Minton, 2nd in Weapons; Autumn Hackler, 3rd in Empty Hand; Devona Smith, 3rd in Empty Hand, Weapons, and Sparring; Haley Bullock, 3rd in Empty Hand and Sparring, 2nd in Weapons; Beckah Renner, 3rd in Empty Hand and Sparring; Joseph Montano, 2nd in Empty Hand and Sparring, 3rd in Weapons; Adam Young, 2nd Empty Hand, 2nd Sparring; Casey Hardin, 1st Empty Hand, 2nd Weapons, 3rd Sparring; Robert Renner, 1st Empty Hand and 1st Sparring; Chris Graves, 3rd Empty Hand and 3rd Weapons; Jason Smith, 2nd in Sparring; and Cassie Bullock, 1st Weapons and 1st in Sparring, 3rd Empty Hand.



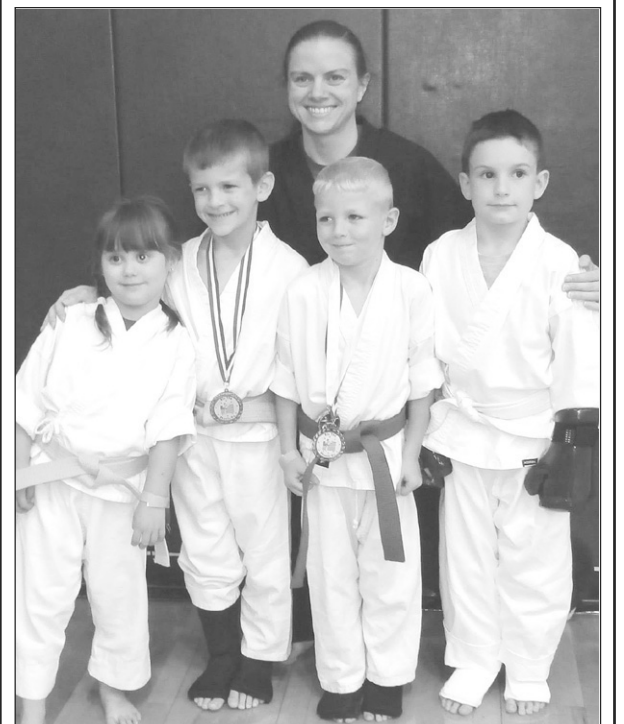
**Demo Team:** Cassie Bullock, Logan McClure, Chris Graves, Ezekiel Graves, Joseph Montano, Eli Price, Beckah Renner, Melanie Mink, Thomas Graves, Haley Graves, Josh Stallsworth, Granville Graves, Diana Helms, Jaden Minton, Cager Doan, Paige Neal and Casey Hardin.



**Preteen Division:** Cager Doan, Melanie Mink, Haley Bullock, and Eli Price with Kids Instructor Cassie Bullock and Head Instructor Master Eric Bullock.



**Master Eric Bullock with his daughter Haley Bullock and his teacher Elder Master Bill Leonard.**



**PeeWee Competitors:** Addy Graves, Luke Martin, Jaden Minton, Heath Barnes, with Kids Instructor Cassie Bullock.

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On September 28th, cadets from The Rocket Battalion Raider Team went to the Eastern Kentucky University Cadet Stakes Raider Competition.

## JROTC competes in competition at ECU

**Submitted**  
On September 28th, cadets from The Rocket Battalion Raider Team went to the Eastern Kentucky University Cadet Stakes Raider Competition. Two teams, an A Team and a B Team, perform in six events throughout the day.

Cadets performed physical and mental challenged events, such as: the Army Physical Fitness Test, One Rope Bridge, Boat Race, Litter Relay (where cadets had to carry heavy equipment through several obstacles), and Mystery Event (cadets had to carry a heavy wooden pole 20 meters, give 25 push-ups per cadet, and push a Humvee 25 meters).

The Physical Training Test consisted of three different sections. Cadets had to perform as many push-ups possible within a one minute time period, and was

directly followed by one minute of sit-ups. The last section of the event was a one mile terrain run. The A Team placed with a score of 13, B Team placed with a score of 30.

The One Rope Bridge was an event that cadets had been working hard at. Cadets had to construct a one rope bridge going across a stream, with each member crossing it with all their equipment. The teams' objective was to complete the one rope bridge with the fastest time possible and the least penalties possible. A Team placed with a team score of 10, and the B Team placed with a score of 17.

Cadets were competing against 39 teams from other counties and states. Each cadet pushed themselves mentally and physically throughout the day.

At the end of a long day of competition, teams gath-

ered for the award ceremony. The mighty Rocket Raiders received a participation plaque and streamer. Cadets Holden Abrams, Addison Adkin, Logan Anglin, Victoria Barron, Marina Blevins, Megan Boggs, Jeremiah Caudill, Israel Carry, Amethyst Chiantaretto, Josh England,

Dillion Doan, Luther Garrett, Jeriah Hamm, Tiffany Horn, Marybeth Hurst, Shania Lawson, Christopher Powell, Austin Ramsey, John Robinson, Andrew Sizemore, Jacob Wade, Keavin Webb, and Brittany Wright all participated in the ECU Cadet States.

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 12-CI-00083

**Kentucky Housing Corporation** Plaintiff  
**Paul Thomas II, et al** Defendants

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on October 26, 2012 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of NINETY SIX THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED TWENTY FOUR DOLLARS AND 46/100 (\$96,924.46) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street  
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky  
on Friday, November 1, 2013  
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Being LOT NUMBER SEVEN (7) of the residential development identified as Chestnut Heights Subdivision in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, and for a more complete and detailed description of said lot, reference is hereby made to the plat of said subdivision development which has been duly recorded and appears of record in Plat Book 4, Page 175 (now Plat File 400), in the office of the Rockcastle County Court Clerk at Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

The property identified herein is subject to the easement and restrictions appearing on the recorded plat of Chestnut Heights Subdivision referenced above.

Being the same property conveyed to Paul Thomas, II and Brandi Thomas by deed dated June 11, 2004 of record in Deed Book 200, Page 123 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office.

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

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of twenty five percent (25%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid delinquent state, county and/or city real estate taxes shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2013 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

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

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 12-CI-00233

**Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as trustee on behalf of the Holders of the Terwin Mortgage Trust 2006-11 ABS, Asset-Backed Certificates, TMTS Series 2006-11ABS** Plaintiff

**V.**

**John A. Edwards, Celeste M. Edwards, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Investaid Corporation, its Successors and Assigns and NCO Portfolio Management, Inc.** Defendants

#### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 26, 2013 and order to reschedule sale entered on September 27, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of FIFTY FIVE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FIFTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 67/100 (\$55,655.07) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street  
Mt. Vernon, Kentucky  
on Friday, November 1, 2013  
Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

560 West Main Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456.  
Situated in the county of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky; Beginning at a stone in P.D. Colyer's line (now Lucy Mullins line) on the North side of the Crab Orchard Road and being a corner to a lot formerly owned by Andrew Gentry; thence North with Gentry's line about 215 feet to said Gentry's North East corner; thence East 100 feet to a stone near some hickory trees; thence South with the fence 215 feet to a stone set in North side of Crab Orchard Road; thence West with public road 100 feet to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to John A. Edwards and Celeste M. Edwards, husband and wife, by deed executed by Lonnie Rice, et ux. dated June 26, 2006 and recorded in Deed Book 211, page 204 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk.

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

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
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- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
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**Posted:** No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Jason and Sara Coguer at Roundstone. Not responsible for accidents.

**Posted:** Absolutely no trespassing for any reason on property belonging to Ernest Alcorn, located off 461 bypass at 257 Reverend Green Loop and 23 Jarber Road, formerly Old Rocky Road, without my written permission. 45x3p

**Posted:** No hunting, trespassing or ATVs on land belonging to Lora Lambert on Boone Gap Road. Not responsible for accidents.

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

Jimmy Parsons on Popular Grove Rd. 27x25

**Posted:** No hunting or trespassing on property of Maggie Coffey at 3863 South Upper River Road outside of Livingston.

**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.

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

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

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

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

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

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### Notices

Notice is hereby given that Jennifer Shivel Caperton, 352 Nations Lane, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 has been appointed executrix of the estate of Richard Edward Shivel on the 2nd day of October, 2013. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Jennifer Shivel Caperton or to Hon. D. Bruce Orwin, P.O. Box 716, Somerset, Ky. 42502 on or before April 2, 2014 at 11 a.m. 43x3

**Notice:** Frankie Cope, this is notice to remove your belongings from 230 Wallin St. by October 31st. Ruby Epperson. 44x2

### Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division II Civil Action No. 09-CI-00182

**The Bank of New York Mellon fka The Bank of New York as trustee for the Certificate-Holders CWALT, Inc., Alternative Loan Trust 2006-26CB, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates** **Plaintiff**

**Andrew B. Carrera, Dana L. Carrera aka Dana L. Mason, unknown defendant, spouse of Dana L. Carrera aka Dana L. Mason and Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.** **Defendants**

### NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on February 12, 2010 and order to reschedule sale entered on September 13, 2013 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY SEVEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 45/100 (\$137,947.45) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

**At the Courthouse on East Main Street  
 Mt. Vernon, Kentucky  
 on Friday, November 1, 2013  
 Beginning at the Hour of 11:30 a.m.**

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

3 Perry Rigsby Road, Brodhead, KY 40409.  
 Lot No. 7 of Cedar Point Subdivision of record in Plat Book 4, Page 297, Slide 522 in the Office of the Rockcastle County Clerk. Reference is made to said plat for a more complete description of said lots.

Being the same property conveyed to Dana L. Mason, single, nka Dana Carrera by deed dated 11/23/03, of record in Deed Book 197, Page 301 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's Office.

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

- The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser required to pay a minimum of twenty five percent (25%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.
- The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
- Unpaid taxes of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid from the sale proceeds.
- The purchaser shall pay the 2013 local, county and state property taxes.
- Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
- The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
- In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
- The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

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

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### BLASTING SCHEDULE APPLICATION NUMBER 902-0052

This is notice that Jamieson Construction Company, 30 Jamieson Lane, London Ky, 40744, Phone (606)878-7966, Permit #902-0052 will be blasting at its location in the Billows area, 1.27 Miles Northeast of junction of Ky 80 and Hwy 1956 in Pulaski and Rockcastle counties, .22 miles east of Line Creek, at latitude 37 degrees 09'59.29" and longitude 84 degrees 18'12.81". Blasting will be done daily. No blasting will be conducted before sunrise or after sunset for the period of October 31, 2013 through October 31, 2014. Entry to the blasting area will be regulated by signs and/or barriers. When necessary, public roads will be blocked by the use of a flagman. An authorized company representative will prohibit access to the blasting area by unauthorized persons. At least 10 minutes before the blast, Company personnel will control access to the area. Before each blast is detonated the following type of audible warning will be given: WARNING SIGNAL - A one-(1) minute series of long blasts of a siren, five (5) minutes prior to the blast signal. BLAST SIGNAL - A series of short blasts of a siren, one (1) minute prior to the shot. The all-clear signal(s) after blasting will be: A prolonged blast of a siren, following the inspection of the blast area. Blasting will not be conducted at times different from those given above except in emergency situations where rain, lightning, other atmospheric conditions, or operator or public safety requires unscheduled detonation. Prior to these detonations, the following audible warning will be given: three long blasts of an air horn. Also prior to detonations in emergency situations the permittee, using audible signals, shall notify all persons within one-half (1/2) mile of the blasting site.

The "Blasting Schedule" will be published in the newspaper with the largest circulation in the county at least 10 days, but not more than 30 days, before beginning a blasting program.

The "Blasting Schedule" will be republished and redistributed (Either by hand delivery or USPS First Class Mail Delivery) at least every twelve (12) months. The "Blasting Schedule" shall be revised, republished, and redistributed at least ten (10) days, but not more than thirty (30) days prior to blasting whenever the area covered by the schedule changes, the actual time periods for blasting significantly differ from those identified in the prior announcement, or the permittee changes the types or patterns of warning or all-clear signals identified in the prior schedule.

Copies of the "Blasting Schedule" will be sent to the County Judge, the property owners listed in Item 1.18, public utilities in the vicinity, the regional DSMRE office, all persons regularly working within one-half (1/2) mile of the blasting area and all residents within one-half (1/2) mile of the blasting area at least ten (10) days, but not more than thirty (30) days, before beginning the blasting program.


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