



Late last week, State Representative Jonathan Shell introduced a resolution adjourning the State House in honor of David "Diamond Dave" Brock who passed away Tuesday, February 2nd. Rep. Shell spoke on the House floor of Brock's love for Rockcastle County sports and the immense impact he made on so many people in the community. School Superintendent David Pensol acknowledged Brock's contribution to local sports to be recorded in the meeting minutes during Tuesday's school board meeting. On Monday, Shell presented a copy of the resolution to RCHS Principal Jennifer Mattingly. It will be placed in the Rockcastle County High School's trophy case. (See obituary on A4)

Winter storm damages county and city budget

By: Mike French
Winter storm Jonas caused a lot of problems for residents of Rockcastle County, with stranded motorists and vehicle accidents, after 18 inches of snow covered the county two weeks ago.

An emergency shelter was established at the local middle school and over 70 stranded motorists from across the county spent the night in Mount Vernon to escape the brutal weather.

However, the long term problems from the storm are still adding up, according to County Judge/Executive Doug Bishop and Mt. Vernon City Administrator Josh Bray.

"The county was out a lot of expense during the storm and this will have an impact on our economy," said Bishop.

According to Bishop, 14 pieces of equipment were used during the storm and over \$21,750 worth of salt.

Bishop said the county spent over \$10,000 in overtime pay alone dealing with the storm clean up bringing the total payroll for the two week period to over \$27,000.

Bishop said purchasing parts for the work was over \$8,000 and private contractors cost the county over \$30,000.

"There are still other costs involved that we don't

know yet," said Bishop. "Such as the damage of three of our county vehicles. We are just glad no injuries were reported."

According to Bray the City of Mount Vernon spent \$4,211.68 in overtime pay for those serving the community during the storm.

The city also used \$1150 worth of salt on the streets and \$850 in equipment and

fuel.

Bray said the estimated cost of the storm will be over \$6,200.

Bishop said there was also a lot of volunteer work throughout the county as citizens stepped forward to help their neighbors.

"The Fiscal Court would like to thank all the citizens who helped during the

(See "Storm" on A3)

911 gets okay for new full time employee

There were few items for discussion on Tuesday's agenda for the regular monthly meeting of the Rockcastle Fiscal Court.

One of the items, gave 911 director Bonnie Roark permission to add a full time dispatcher.

Roark had been before the court several times on the matter, saying that she

was having to pay quite a bit of overtime to cover the need and pointing out that 911 now has only seven full time employees compared to the nine they had when the service began.

The director told the court that she had someone to hire who was already trained and could begin

(See "911" on A5)

ATC Principal gives presentation to board

By: Mike French
Ralph Baker, Principal of the Rockcastle Area Technology Center, addressed the school board Tuesday night during the regular meeting.

Baker provided members of the board and department heads with a hand out detail-

ing the school's progress and plans as part of Superintendent David Pensol's plan to bring the school board closer to a hands-on relationship with each school.

Baker told the board that his office receives call evve

(See "ATC" on A3)

School board may adjust calendar for missed days

By: Mike French
Since there was no school Wednesday, one more, missed day of school will mean no spring break for Rockcastle students.

Wednesday was the ninth missed day and according to school officials, ten missed days means students will have to skip spring break to meet state requirements of 170 school days and 1,062 hours of instructional time.

One of the discussions during Tuesday night's regular meeting of the Rockcastle County Board of Education was the state ap-

proved Non-Traditional Instructional days (NTI). This program allows schools to send packets home with students or set assignments via internet or have some other way of instructing the students on the days that schools are closed.

This would then allow schools to count those instructional hours even though school was cancelled.

However, Superintendent David Pensol, and members of the board as well as department heads, all agreed that NTI days do

not serve the purpose of better education.

"I believe that quality teaching and direct instruction from a teacher to a student, face to face, is critical to the teaching and learning

process. I am of the opinion that implementing NTI days into our school calendar would mean that teachers would have less time and fewer opportunities to maximize learning for our

students and would negatively impact our instructional program," said Pensol.

Pensol told the board he had been fielding questions recently about the NTI pro-

gram and that there may be some good points to implementing the program however, he believes those reasons do not put the children first. "It's a new program

(See "Calendar" on A3)

High speed chase ends in Rockcastle County

By: Mike French
Police were led on a high speed chase that ended in Rockcastle County last week, according to a report from the Kentucky State Police.

The report says Lewis J. Landis, 60, of Louisville was driving a Dodge Challenger south on I-75 last Thursday evening, when troopers observed him traveling in excess of 100 mph in Fayette County.

The trooper attempted to stop the vehicle but Landis accelerated and attempted to evade police, the report said.

The pursuit continued for almost 40 miles, taking troopers through Madison County and into Rockcastle County before Landis pulled into a gas station in Mount Vernon where he was taken into custody.

Reports say the vehicle

(See "Chase" on A5)

Brodhead council seeks more citizen involvement in local public meetings

By: Mike French
There were no items on the agenda for the regular scheduled meeting of the Brodhead City Council Monday evening. However, those board members present voted to pay the city's bills.

The monthly bills include \$16,467 in insurance and the continued lower water bill to the City of Mount Vernon for \$10,928.

Council members praised the Brodhead Water and Sewer Department for

(See "Brodhead" on A5)

RCIDA holds called meeting

Discusses Jones Building

By: Mike French
Since there was not a quorum for the regularly scheduled RCIDA meeting Monday, Feb. 1st, the board called a special meeting for Thursday, February 4.

Chairman Jason Coguer informed the board mem-

bers about the continued work on the HVAC units at the Source HOV building.

Coguer said the new unit has arrived to replace the broken unit. According to Coguer the cost to repair the old unit was going to be around \$4,700 but since it

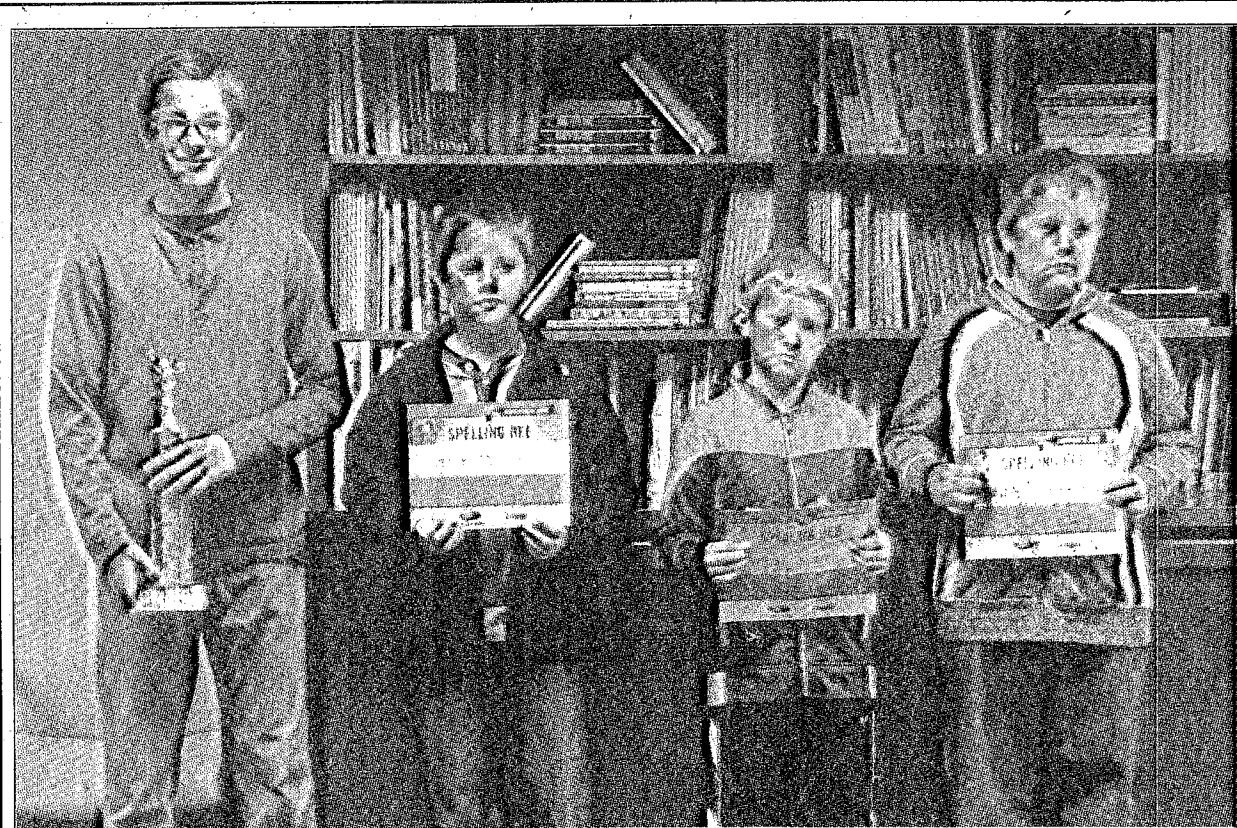
was an older unit it could be in constant need of repair. So the board purchased the new unit for \$10,000. "This way we have a trustworthy unit with a warranty," he said.

Coguer said there is another unit causing problems

at the building and workers will be going soon to troubleshoot that unit.

The board is also responsible for naming the new member to the Cumberland Valley Area Development District. According to board

(See "RCIDA" on A3)



The District Spelling Bee took place Thursday, February 4th at the Rockcastle Teaching and Learning Center on Richmond Street. The 2016 Spelling Bee winners are shown above, from left: first place, Aidan Cain, 8th grader at RCMS; second place, Connor McGuire, 5th grader at MVES; and a tie for third place between Ezekiel Graves, 4th grader at BES and Daunte Northern, 5th grader at RES. Aidan will be participating in the Kentucky Derby Festival State Spelling Bee Saturday, March 5th in Louisville.

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Aces Over

By Mike French



Things in life that need fixin'!

We sometimes get so wrapped up in the problems of life, that we let the little stuff go. Since I am a little tired of the constant huge problems with government and evolution and religion and politics, I am thinking about some of the little things in life that have been ignored.

This is my effort to make a better world starting with the little things that need a good old fashioned fixin'. If these little things get fixed and off our minds, we can concentrate on the bigger stuff.

First, twisty ties on bread. I guess that's what they are called. The little plastic covered wires that keep bread fresh by keeping the bag sealed. Twisty ties.

Dear factory workers, those twisty ties should be tied in a clockwise direction. NOT counter clockwise. When you put them on wrong, I spend five minutes trying to open a loaf of bread. Everyone should know, righty-tighty, lefty-loosey.

Now that we have that out of the way, let's move on.

There needs to be a better dipper. It is impossible for me to dip soup or chilli from the pot to the bowl without getting some on the side of the bowl.

Then I get the soup all over my hands and clothes and anything else around me. I would love to have a soup dipper that doesn't get the soup all over the bowl and leave a trail from the pot to the bowl.

If we can put a man on the moon, we can invent a dripless dipper.

Okay, next small thing. Zipper alarms. You know that beeping noise that machinery makes when it's backing up? Well, zippers need that.

When ever I am standing in front of people and my zipper is down or not totally up, my zipper

should be beeping to alert me to the problem.

This would save a lot of embarrassing moments for everyone involved. Of course, every time I go to the bathroom people would hear me in there beeping. But, it would be worth it.

Dryers need a sock replacement button. If I put 12 socks in the dryer, why do I only get 11 socks back? Where could it possibly go?

If dryers had a sock replacement button, when I take 11 socks out, I could push the button and it would dispense an extra sock.

Mopping the floors is also an area that needs some NASA experts to study.

What is a mop's job anyway? Any mop I have ever used doesn't pick up anything. Instead, it only smears stuff around on the floor. By the end of the room, I am dipping the mop into dirty water and then swiping filthy water around the floor.

I need a mop that picks stuff up off the floor and sends it to that same place where that sock went.

Another bothersome area of life involves my remote controls. Why is there a "self destruct" button on a remote control?

Oh it doesn't say "Self Destruct" but that's what it is.

If my elbow accidentally touches the remote as I sit down on my couch, the television goes black and the sound keeps going and I can't change channels or turn the tv off. But it's not the "power" button.

Some button on there just locks up the whole system and my wife has to spend the next 20 minutes pushing every button (sometimes two at once) trying to make it be a TV again.

What on earth did you hit?" she asks. I just sit in silence and wait until she fixes it.

Whatever that button is, it shouldn't be on my remote.

(See "Aces" on A3)

Points East

By Ike Adams



At last, the first harbingers of spring have arrived and are showing keen interest in getting into the family way.

When we first moved to Charlie Brown Road in the late 1990's, there was an old, hollowed-out, locust fence post at the side of the yard where a pair of brightly colored eastern bluebirds nested every spring until their knot hole fell out and the nesting site became large enough for sparrows and flying rats to take over.

Whereupon I purchased half a dozen bluebird boxes from the 4-H kids and scattered them around the premises and gave some away. Only one of them has ever proven to be attractive enough to meet whatever rigid standards bluebirds deem necessary for raising a family.

One of them is in the back yard, attached to a walnut tree, and it is hard to see unless I walk around the house to get out there looking for it or take a notion to mow the grass and visit the purple finches that have commandeered it for the last several years. I even call it the finch house.

The other one is attached to a telephone pole at the corner of our front yard and I can watch it from the front yard. It had hung out there, unused for a decade, until last spring when a pair of blue birds finally decided to call it home.

Last Sunday Ma and Pa bluebird spent the better part of the day cleaning out last year's residue and doing the things that bluebirds do to set up housekeeping.

Late last summer, my brother, Andy, was here and he pointed out that the newbirds were not quite as blue as the ones he was accustomed to seeing and I had to admit that he was right. They are the same size and have the same reddish-brown chest markings, but their main color, including the male, is more like a blue-gray than the

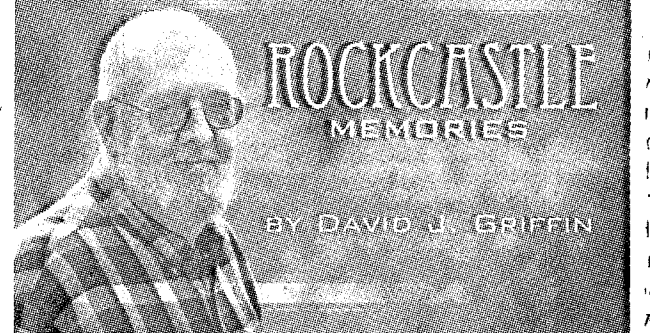
ivid sky blue of our previous fence post residents.

Furthermore, unlike the previous, much-bluer birds that were as one-and-done as a UK basketball recruit, this pair raised at least three broods, maybe four, and kept at the propagation process from mid-March until late summer. Not only that, but their juvenile offspring have hung around all fall and winter. It has not been unusual to see as many as a dozen of them flitting about the yard and tree line adjacent to the nesting box all winter long even though they seem to be shy of the feeders we have hung about. I have no idea what they're eating.

I'm also reasonably sure that Ma and Pa took an extended vacation between about Halloween and last week-end because Ma sports a tiny leg band and she likes to take frequent rests on a shepherd's hook flower pot hanger less than ten feet from the swing when I sit outside to get occasional nicotine fixes. It's easy enough to see the band when she's up that close and I had not seen her on the perch, before last Sunday, for at least three months.

I am only assuming that this year's Pa is the same fellow as last year. Both are just a wee bit larger than their ever-present off-spring from last year who seem totally disinterested in all the current housecleaning fuss that Ma and Pa are making. It's going to be interesting to see how long Ma and Pa will tolerate them hanging around when it comes time to commence catching moths and grass hoppers to feed new babies.

Last year Ma and Pa frequently chased away sparrows and even vermin starlings 3 times their size but I often saw them perched nearly shoulder with a pair of what I believe to be Acadian flycatchers. I know for sure that they are flycatchers but I'm not expert enough to swear that they



Brach's Chocolate Covered Cherries

As I have often said, when I was a small boy, my mother (Bee) and I lived with her parents. Pop was a traveling salesman for Aubry Red A Feed and for Louisville Grocery Company. He traveled all over Rockcastle County and several surrounding counties taking orders for feed and groceries.

One of the perks of his job was to be able to purchase groceries at a wholesale price. When Mommie Katie needed to order supplies for her kitchen, she usually had Pop order a case of whatever she needed.

One of Mommie Katie's favorite "sweets" was Brach's Chocolate Covered Cherries. She always had a small box of these wonderful treats in the refrigerator. The rest of family also liked this special brand of candy, so Pop would order them by the case. This would ensure that we never ran out of cherry candy. During the winter months, the candy was kept in one of the upstairs bedrooms because there was no heat in those rooms. In the summer, the candy was stored in the cellar.

After our evening meal, we usually moved to the living room to watch our black-and-white television. In a short while, Mommie Katie would get up and retrieve a box of Brach's from the refrigerator. She passed the box around the room so we could all share the sweet treats. If I had been a good boy, I could have two!

In addition, we always had these cherry candies on

hand during the Christmas season. Occasionally, Mommie Katie wrapped a box to give to us children as a small Christmas present. Over the years, I connected Brach's candy with Santa Claus.

When Kathy started working for the Court of Appeals, we discovered that her boss, Judge Sara Combs, also loved this particular candy. She gave us a box as one of our Christmas presents each and every year. Because Kathy has been retired for over a year, we did not get our "cherries" this year, and it was a great let-down for me. It just seemed like something was missing from the Christmas tradition.

Brach's Confections was founded in Chicago in 1904. "America's Candy Maker" has been in business ever since. The company was the brainchild of Emil Brach, who originally sold his candies out of a small storefront shop that he called "Brach's Palace of Sweets." It eventually developed into the largest candy plant in the world and employed more than 4,500 employees.

I was recently reading a magazine article that was originally published in 1950. In it was an advertisement for Brach's Chocolate Cherries. It contained the following description of this particular candy:

Brach's Chocolate Cherries

Thick bittersweet chocolate covers selected plump cherries centered in

(See "Memories" on A3)



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Input from bikers and walkers

Dear Editor,
If you are a biker or a walker we would like your input.

Rockcastle Co. Health Department has been awarded a Pedestrian/Bicycle Mini Grant from the State. We are collecting data to help us determine the condition of the sidewalks in

Mt. Vernon and need for walking and bicycle paths.

Please stop by the health department to fill out a survey. Information collected from this survey may help in obtaining funding for future projects. Thank you.

Nancy Keber, Nutritionist
Rockcastle Co. health Dept.

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and I think we should watch what happens in other districts who have implemented NTI and see how that goes for them,” he said. “We can leave the idea out there and openly discuss it and circumstances may someday develop that we would need to use it. But for now, there simply isn’t anything as good for a student’s learning process than face to face teacher to student learning.”

So, as it stands now, the last day of school is scheduled for Friday, May 20 and a spring break is planned. But one more missed day will change the calendar.

Becky Isaacs, Director of Pupil Personnel, said “having a spring break is iffy at best right now.”

Several board members and department heads weighed in on the subject but they agreed that NTI days “shortchange” the students.

In other action, the board approved accepting an offer from the Kentucky School Facilities Construction Commission for \$443,916.

“Aces”

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Self check out lanes at the grocery store also need to be changed. There should be an employee discount.

If my choice is, pay for the groceries and let their employee scan them, take my money and bag them, or do all the work of their employees myself, then shouldn’t I get an employee discount on the items I bought?

If I scan them, and bag them, someone isn’t getting paid to do that so why aren’t I getting at least some of that extra profit?

One last thing that needs fixin’.

Winter. If we can keep this “global warming thing” going, our winters here in Kentucky should get a lot better. Eventually no more snow or freezing water pipes or highway accidents because of slick roads. Homeless people wouldn’t freeze to death and we wouldn’t have to go all the way to California to see the ocean.

Global warming could save lives. My advice? Buy a huge SUV, and lots of aerosol cans.

Once these little things are taken care of in life, we can get back to worrying about things like Korea and Socialism and over taxation.

The money comes to the board each year and must be used for specific things. This year, Jason Coguer, director of finance department for the district, said the money will be used to replace some of the funds that were spent purchasing new school buses this year.

Pensol also presented February’s personnel actions report for board approval.

According to the report, Marie Renner was hired as an instructional assistant at RES, James Chris Kirby was hired as assistant softball coach at RCHS and Richard Gibbs was hired as a mid-day bus driver.

“Storm”

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storm, caring for neighbors, giving rides and assisting in the snow removal or just checking on the care of your neighbors,” said Bishop.

“All fire departments, emergency management, 911 personnel, sheriff’s department, and CSEPP in the county were involved with rescues and transportation for medical personnel and the delivery of food, water and medicine to our residents,” he said.

Bishop said many local residents donated their time and effort and absorbed the expenses they incurred without reporting them to the fiscal court. “Although we may not know everyone who helped, they know who they are and the fiscal court greatly appreciates all they have done for our county,” said Bishop.

Bray agreed that local

“Memories”

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smooth, cordialled vanilla cream. Only the finest imported flavors are used in this fine

Brach’s candy. 24 tempting pieces to the pound.

Yum. Makes you want a bite right now, doesn’t it? I may have to run out and get me a box after this.

I will always be thankful to Pop and Mommie Katie for introducing me to Brach’s candy. I don’t think that I could ever get my fill of chocolate-covered cherries. And I simply cannot resist when I spy them on a shelf in a candy store. My motto is: CANDY IS DANDY – KEEP IT HANDY!

(You can reach me at thentuman@att.net or you can drop me a line at 2167 Furnace Road – Stanton, KY 40380. I appreciate your suggestions and comments.)

chard Gibbs was hired as a mid-day bus driver.

Also, Hannah Eaton and Lori Hendrickson were hired as substitute teachers and Devin Taylor volunteered for the position of assistant baseball coach at RCHS.

There were also three resignations, including Devon Bussell as assistant softball coach at RCHS, Brooke Bishop as girl’s basketball coach at RCMS and Valerie Williams as mid-day bus monitor.

The next scheduled meeting is Tuesday, March 8th at 6 p.m. in the Teach-

residents jumped in to help the community and said he and Mayor Mike Bryant and members of the council would like to thank everyone for their community spirit. Bray said the city is appreciative, but not surprised. “It’s what we do here in Mount Vernon. We help each other,” he said.

Bishop said the county is working to keep the community safe during this week’s round of storms as well.

“We will continue to work as needed to keep the roads safe to the best of our ability. We thank everyone for their patience and understanding. These acts of God are beyond our control, but working together we will come through this. Let’s hope spring is soon,” said Bishop.

“ATC”

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Baker told the board that his office receives call every week asking if any students are available for work. “I can say that every student we have who will work, has a job,” said Baker.

Baker informed the board that the school has risen from a 70.4% ranking in 2010-2011, to a 94.2% rating in 2013-2014.

According to Baker some of his strategies include “building student buy-in to the importance of test creden-

“Points East”

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are Acadians.

In the meantime, this is the earliest that I can remember seeing bluebirds show an active interest in nesting and I’m hoping they know more about the coming weather than I do.

“RCIDA”

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member Corey Craig, elected officials are automatically members of the CVADD but the board appoints citizen members as well.

The board is waiting on a name from the fiscal court to be suggested so that it may be submitted.

Corey also pointed out that the CVADD is a strong resource for communities. “As a board, we probably don’t take full advantage of the (CVADD) as much as we should. We really haven’t utilized that resource over the years. We could do a better job at using that for our county,” said Craig.

In other business, board member and Livingston Mayor Jason Medley brought up the Jones Building on Main Street. “I’ve been working some with Lynn (Tatum, Vitalize Mount Vernon Director) and we are thinking about reopening that file,” said Medley.

Medley said he believes the building has a lot of historic value and should be used in some way for the betterment of the area. “It’s a nice, old building and we could perhaps look at it and see what it would take to fix it up again and talk about what it could be used for,” he said.

Coguer said the building is listed with the Historic Society and things may have to be repaired to meet their criteria.

tials, strategically prepare for the test in all areas of instruction, and to continue to talk about their credentials after testing.”

Baker also informed the board of his plans to address student needs which include college readiness, career readiness, FRYSC needs, after school tutoring, student counseling, parent communication, performance interventions and special needs.

Baker presented detailed plans for each of those categories and how his school addresses each issue one student at a time.

Baker then laid out specific modifications that his school uses to better reach each student.

Baker said presented his “recipe for class room success” to the board members as well. “A great world is not built by people who always do what they want, but by people who do what they should,” he said. “Remember, the main goal is teaching each and every child as much as you can, helping them reach their maximum potential.”

Baker also praised the members of the board and called each members and department head by name for their work with the school. “I can’t say enough about this board. This entire group stresses taking care of the kid’s needs first. As long as we do that, everything else will fall into place,” he said.

Pensol said he feels that the local school is an example of what a school should be. “It’s a model school and Mr. Baker is a model leader with a model program,” he said.

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Republican Presidential Caucus

On Saturday, March 5th, Kentucky Republicans will vote on their nominee for President. Rockcastle Republicans will vote at the Rockcastle County Middle School between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Absentee ballot applications can be found at www.rpk.org/caucus and the application must be submitted by February 19th. Call Republican Chair Doris Cromer at 606-308-9704 for assistance.

Chamber of Commerce Meeting

The February members meeting of the Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday, February 16th at noon at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital, 3rd floor outpatient building. Doris Cromer, Republican Chair for Rockcastle County, will be the guest speaker. She will explain the Republican Presidential Caucus coming up in March and the procedures of how it will work. The chamber does not endorse any political party or candidate.

Hearts For Hospice

Throughout February, Citizens Bank in Brodhead and Mt. Vernon will offer customers Hearts for Hospice. For a donation, customers will receive a memorial heart, which will be displayed at the banks throughout the month. All proceeds support Hospice Care Plus.

Kiwanis Club Meeting

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Limestone Grill. Everyone is invited. This Thursday, February 11th, Keith Elkins with the Lexington Legends will be the guest speaker.

RRTA Meeting

Plan to attend the Rockcastle Retired Teachers’ Association meeting on Wednesday, February 17th at 11:30 a.m. at Limestone Grill. Special guest speaker will be KRTA board member Mary Adams.

KPR Meeting January 12th

The Cumberland Valley Chapter of the Kentucky Public Retirees (KPR) will meet Tuesday, February 9th at Golden Corral Restaurant (next to Wal-Mart) in London. Mealtime will begin at 11:30 a.m. with the meeting to follow. Guest Speakers will be Britney Teives, Humana’s Medicare representative/liaison. She will go over the KRS Humana Medicare Advantage plan and answer questions any retirees might have. Any retiree, and their spouse, receiving retirement benefits from KERS, CERS or SPRS is welcome to attend. Membership information will be available at the meeting or at the website: kentuckypublicretirees.org. For more information, call 606-877-0079.

Alpha Recovery

Alpha Recovery, a program promoting freedom from addiction, not a life long struggle with drugs, alcohol or anything else, meets each Saturday from 3 to 4 p.m. at Chestnut Ridge Church of God in Mt. Vernon. The group is led by Ray Owens and Tommy and Gina Dooley. “The past does not have to be your prison. You have a voice in your destiny. You have a choice in the path you take.” Max Lucado For more information, call 606-308-5593.

Celebrate Recovery

Celebrate Recovery classes are held every Monday night at the Community Outreach Center in Brodhead. Celebrate Recovery is a 12-step Christ-centered program and is a safe place to share and begin healing from all hurts, hang-ups and habits. Meal at 6 p.m. Music 6:45 p.m. Large Group 7 p.m. Signatures available for court, probation and snap. For more information, please call Chris Martin 606-308-3368.

DAR Meetings

The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution meets the first Monday of each month, September-May at 6 p.m. at First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon. All prospective members are welcome to attend.

Brodhead Lodge Meeting

The Brodhead Masonic Lodge #566 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.

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 6 p.m. of each month at the Limestone Grill. Commander Tommy Hodges invites all Rockcastle veterans to join this organization that honors American soldiers, sailors and airmen.

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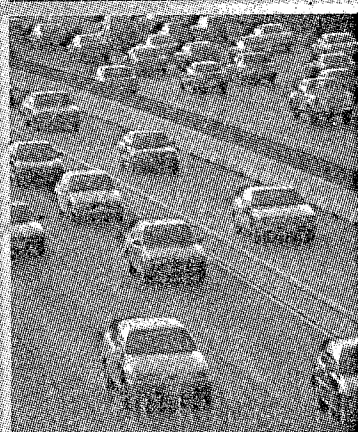
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Obituaries



Dr. K. R. Burdette

Dr. K. R. Burdette, 93, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, January 31, 2016 at Rockcastle Regional. He was born in Wildie, on December 12, 1922, the son of Bradley and Julia Reynolds Burdette. He was a US Marine Veteran of WWII, a graduate of the University of Kentucky, a graduate of Auburn University, where he received his degree in veterinary medicine, a self-employed veterinarian for over 30 years, former Chairman of the Board for Rockcastle County Schools and was a member of Buckeye Christian Church.

Dr. Burdette is survived by: his wife, Mable Burdette of Mt. Vernon; two sons, Rudy (Carol) Burdette of Brodhead and Jeffery K. (Treena) Burdette of Mt. Vernon; one daughter, Kay (Luke) Mullins of Berea; and a step daughter, Janie Boyer of London. Also surviving are: 10 grandchildren, Tammy Mugglin, Jacob Burdette, Jarrad Burdette, Kevin Mullins, Kent Mullins, Angela Burdette, Kyle Mullins, Cade Burdette, Casen Burdette and David Ray Boyer; and seven great grandchildren, Noah Burdette, Josh Mugglin, Hannah Mugglin, Spencer Mullins, Hannah Mullins, Daniel Mullins and Chloe Mullins.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Sue Burdette and one sister, Onieda Witt.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bros. Marcus Reppert and Gary Reppert. Burial was in Piney Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Cade Burdette, Jacob Burdette, Jarrad Burdette, Josh Mugglin, Kent Mullins, Kevin Mullins, Kyle Mullins, and Spencer Mullins.

Honorary pallbearers were: John Benson, Kathy Bobo, Rick Bobo, Angela Burdette, Casen Burdette, Darrick Burdette, Bill Mugglin, Hannah Mugglin, Chloe Mullins, Daniel Mullins, and Hannah Mullins.

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

Jesse Frederick

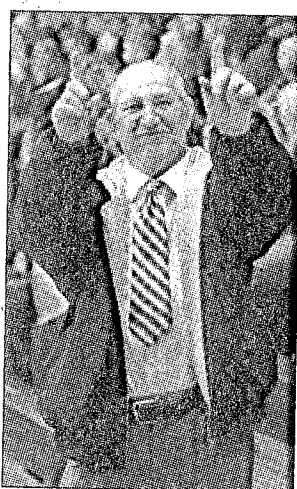
Jesse Vernard Frederick, 80, of Hazard, formerly of London, died Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at Eastern KY VA Center in Hazard.

He leaves behind: his wife, Nettie Cole; five children, James M. Frederick of East Bernstadt, Kenneth W. Frederick of Brodhead, Danny R. Frederick of Burnside, Jeanette Beighley of Sterns, and Cynthia Clark of Sterns; 16 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; plus a host of other family and friends to mourn his passing.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, Saley and Julia Frederick; one son, George Frederick; four siblings, Carol Hamm, and Phillip, David and Bruce Frederick; and two grandchildren.

There will be no public services scheduled.

House-Rawlings Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.



David Daniel Brock

David Daniel Brock, 68, of Brodhead, affectionately known as "Diamond Dave" died Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Rockcastle Health & Rehabilitation Facility.

David was born April 22, 1947 in Pineville, the son of the late Chester Coit Brock and Lilly Mae Helton Brock. He was a graduate of Brodhead High School and a member of Northside Baptist Church where he was a member of the Choir. He found great joy in serving the Lord, was an avid sports fan, enjoying University of Kentucky Wildcats, the Cincinnati Reds and Rockcastle Co. High School Sports. David was well known for being the Rockets # 1 fan. He was involved and committed to numerous sports activities in the County.

He leaves behind a host of church family, friends and neighbors who will greatly miss him. He was an inspiration to all.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Coit Brock (1/18/1910-5/2/1988) and Lilly Mae Helton Brock (2/22/1907-6/11/1954).

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 6, 2016 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Randal Adams officiating. Burial was in the Saylor Cemetery.

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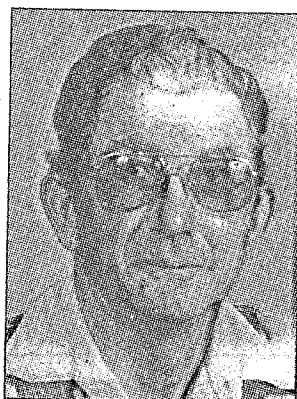
Marie Payne

Marie Overbay Payne, 87, of Cordele, GA, died Saturday, January 30, 2016 at her residence. She was born in Pine Hill of Rockcastle County, to the late Burb Overbay and the late Fatha Matilda Cottengim Overbay. She married Earl Bascum Payne, on Nov. 26, 1947, who preceded her in death. She is also preceded in death by two children, Jill Payne Rogers and Larry Earl Payne.

She was a retired para professional for the Crisp County Board of Education. A lady of strong Christian faith, she was a member of Wenona Baptist Church. She taught Sunday School for over 60 years. An avid reader, she also enjoyed sewing, crocheting and quilting.

She is survived by: her children, Carol Ann (Denny) Cox of Remington, VA, Jeff (Sharon) Payne of Pineview, GA, Dawn (Joe) Farmer of Warner Robins, GA, Traci (Harold) Dickerson, Melody (Randy) Coffee, and Edna (Tim) Veal, all of Cordele, GA; her son-in-law, Randy (Jessica) Rogers of Cordele, GA; her daughter-in-law, Martha Payne of Cordele, GA; 13 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, February 2, 2016 in the chapel of Hughes & Wright Funeral Home. Burial was in the Zion Hope Cemetery.



William (Bill) Melcher

William (Bill) Medford Melcher, 81, left this earth to be with the Lord on Monday, February 8, 2016 due to natural causes. He was born October 22, 1934. He was born to Woodrow Melcher and Erlean Atkins Melcher.

He leaves behind: a loving wife of 62 years, Lena Marie Baker Melcher; a brother, Johnny B. (Shirley) Melcher; a nephew; and two nieces. He also leaves behind children whom he adopted in his heart, Alvin and Donna Pigg and grandchildren, Donovan Pigg and his wife Terra Pigg, and Erica Pigg. He also has a host of great loving friends that he leaves behind. Three sisters-in-law, Frances Carter, Ellen Dailey, and Joann Baker. Brother-in-law, Johnny Ray Baker and wife Ruth. And a host of nieces/nephews.

He worked at Rockcastle County School Systems as a janitor and as a bus driver. He also worked at J.C. Penny's in Chicago, IL, Parsons Gas in Rockcastle County, Deboard Oil in Rockcastle County and the Army Depot in Richmond. He was a member of the Brodhead Baptist Church for thirty years. He loved the Lord with all his heart and the Lord blessed him all the years of his life. He also enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, and mowing his yard as well as church.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, February 11, 2016 at 2 p.m. with Bro. Don Jones and Bro. Wayne Harding officiating. Burial will follow in Piney Grove Cemetery.

Condolences to the family may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Odabe Phillips

Odabe Phillips, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Monday, February 1, 2016 at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She entered into this life August 22, 1935 in Livingston, the daughter of the late George M. and Ida May Milburn Jones. She was a homemaker who was of the Baptist faith. She found great joy in cooking, gardening, flowers and traveling. On January 4, 1954 she was united in marriage to William Ellis Phillips and from that union came five children.

She is survived by: children, Delores McWhorter of Mt. Vernon, Dale (Jeanetta) Phillips of White Lick, Lola Wright (Chuck Hubbard) of Berea, William Albert (Anna) Phillips of Richmond, and James Earl Phillips (Connie Gadd) of Berea; her brother, Billy (Anna) Jones of Livingston; her sisters, Mary Moore of Mt. Vernon, Ruth Setser of Mt. Vernon, Gracie Jones of Orlando, and Phyllis (Tracy "Hoss") Sowder of Mt. Vernon; numerous grandchildren and step grandchildren; numerous great great grandchildren and step great great grandchildren; and a host of nieces/nephews, friends and neighbors.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, William Ellis Phillips; her parents, George M. and Ida May Milburn Jones; and her brother, Lawrence Jones.

Funeral services were held Thursday, February 4, 2016 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. James Blanton officiating. Burial was in the Leger Cemetery at Conway.

Casketbearers were: Jonathon Gadd, Christopher Wright, Scottie Phillips, Robert Newcomb II, Mike Smith and Donovan Bishop. Condolences to the family may be made at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Lucille DeBorde

Lucille DeBorde, 87, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, February 7, 2016 at the Madison Health & Rehab Center in Richmond, after a long illness. She was born October 28, 1928 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Hurl and Stella Bullock Livesay. She was the former owner and operator of DeBordes Discount in Mt. Vernon for 35 years, enjoyed flower gardening, and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are: her husband, Frank DeBorde; one son, Bobby DeBorde; one daughter, Pam DeBorde, all of Mt. Vernon; two sisters, Patricia Rouse of Cincinnati, OH, and Joyce Gentry of Lexington; three grandchildren; and four great grandchildren. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by: two brothers, Bill and Ray Livesay; and three sisters, Anna Mae Bingham, Margaret Creech, and Janice Pearl Livesay.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. (today) Thursday, February 11, 2016 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. David Sargent officiating. Burial will follow in the Skaggs Creek Cemetery.

Pallbearers are: Tommy Gentry, Denny Rouse, Don Gentry, Brent Garrett, Cary Collins, and Bobby DeBorde.

Arrangements are by the Cox Funeral Home where friends may visit from 12 Noon until service time on Thursday.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send



Martha McKinney

Martha Magdalene McKinney, 82, of Brodhead, died Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at Rockcastle Regional. She was born in Pumpkin Center, KY on March 13, 1933, the daughter of J. T. and Cora Bumgardner Randolph. She was a homemaker and a member of Poplar Grove Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sons, Jim (Wilma) McKinney of Brodhead and John (Jackie) McKinney of Waco. Also surviving are: six grandchildren, Lois (Jamie) Lockard of Somerset, Leah McKinney, Jay Donovan and Leah McKinney, all of Richmond, Michael McKinney of Brodhead, Jeffery (Elizabeth) McKinney of Richmond and Nathan McKinney of Lexington; and four great grandchildren, Madeline McKinney, Logan McKinney, Jackson Lockard and Laura Lockard.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by: her husband, Lloyd McKinney; and two sisters, Georgia Denny and Glenda Hurst.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 6, 2016 at Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. Tony Shelton. Burial was in Poplar Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Jackson Lockard, Jamie Lockard, Jay McKinney, Jeff McKinney, Michael McKinney, and Nathan McKinney.

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

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Call 606-843-2040 or visit www.higherpraiseministries.org

Obituaries



Raymond Hale

Raymond Hale, 84, of Mt. Vernon, the widower of Mary Shelby Powell Hale, died Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at Rockcastle Regional Medical Center in Mt. Vernon. He was born in Rockcastle County to the late William Clyde and Tennessee White Hale. A stone mason, he was a member of the Holiness faith, and he loved to garden, raise chickens and fish. He also loved his grandchildren very much.

He is survived by: his children, Sandra Hale of Mt. Vernon, Connie Ingram of Lancaster, Linda (Bradley) Damrell of Forrento, FL, Terry (Linda) Hale of Birdsboro, PA, Rita (Carson) Chamberlain of Brentwood, TN, Janet (Robin) Brooks of Richmond, Sara (Robert) Brown of Crab Orchard, Michael (Mary) Hale of Lancaster, Hazel (Perry) Roney of Danville, Rogie (Louetta) Hale of Lawrenceburg, Karen Hale of Raleigh, NC, Trina Hale of Mt. Vernon, Ina Hale of Tucson, AZ, Dustin (Kayla) Hale of Crab Orchard, Rachael (Cody) Hale of Mt. Vernon, and Stephen Hale, Adam Hale, and Amie Hale, all of Mt. Vernon; and two sisters, Teresa Fern Lee of Salem, IN and Susie Lloyd of Lebanon, IN. He had 42 grandchildren, 49 great grandchildren and eight great great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by six brothers, four sisters, two infant children and six infant grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, February 8, 2016 at the Davis & Powell Funeral Home with Bro. Arnold Saylor, Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Cartersville Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Brandon Brooks, Greg Brown, Brian Lynch, Michael Hale, Derek Ingram, Kelly Ingram, John Roney, Adam Hale, Robert Brown, Bradley Damrell, Robin Brooks, Dustin Hale, Nick Isaacs and Cody Cochran.
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Card of Thanks Bernice McClure Rice

The family of Bernice McClure Rice would like to thank everyone for their prayers, food, flowers; the wonderful words that were spoken by Bro. Marcus Reppert and Gary and the congregational singing was beautiful. Bernice would have loved it.

To each person that gave money for the burial, Thank you. We also collected enough for a memorial stone. We also thank Dowell and Martin for the service.

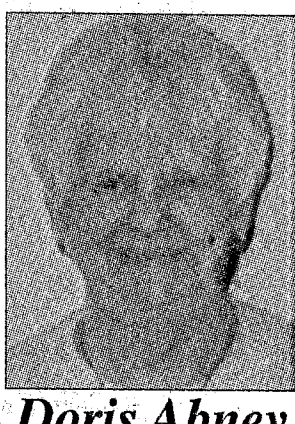
May God bless each one for their kindness. Bernice was a very humble person.

The McClure Family

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Doris Abney Gill

Doris Virginia Beesley Abney Gill, 94, of Berea, died Thursday, February 4, 2016 at the Terrace Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was a native of Mt. Carmel, IL, born to the late Raymond Charles and Henrietta Risley Beesley. She was a member of the Gethsemane Baptist Church, loved spending time with her family and caring for children, playing the piano and crocheting. She also loved to have a cup of coffee with a friend or neighbor and her flower garden.

She was preceded in death by: her husbands, Robert Dewey Abney and John E. Gill; her brothers, Dale and Eugene Beesley; her sister, Alicia Wilnot; a son-in-law, Billy Wynn; and a grandson, Eddie Wayne Abney.

She is survived by: her children, Dewey Lee (Frances) Abney of Morristown, TN, Charles Ray (Polly) Abney of Mt. Vernon, William Eugene Abney and his companion, Sheila Evans of Berea, Jackie Dale (Pat) Abney of Mt. Vernon, and Alicia Lou Abney Wynn; Richard Wayne (Beverly) Abney, and Edward Lewis (Susan) Abney, all of Berea; a brother, Bill Beesley of Illinois; 13 grandchildren, Lee Abney, Chad Abney, Carrie Vargas, Brian Keith Abney, Tammy Taylor, Stephanie Richmond, Darren Ray Wynn, Sherri D. Cotton, Arick Abney, Angie Abney, Melissa St. John and Amanda Chasteen; 22 great grandchildren; and six great great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, February 10, 2016 at Davis & Powell Funeral Home with Rev. Ed Cortez and Rev. Bill Woods officiating. Burial was in the Davis-Witt Cemetery.

Her grandchildren served as pallbearers.
www.davisandpowellfuneralhome.com

Card of Thanks Arthur Collins, Jr.

The family of Arthur Collins, Jr. would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the prayers and support during this difficult time. A very special thanks to Rockcastle Regional Hospital and all of the staff for everything they done for us and our family. All of the hospital staff was exceptionally good to us and we could not have asked the doctors, nurses and all of the support staff to have been any better to us.

Thanks to all of the family and friends and the Pine Hill Holiness Church, members and Pastor Randy and Cynthia Chrisman for all of the visits, prayers, support and food after the funeral services. Also, thanks to all of the singers and ministers which included Brother Allen Hensley, Brother George Baker, Brother & Sister Tommy Hogue and Pastor Randy and Cynthia Chrisman. Thanks also to Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Words Cannot express how much each of you that prayed, visited, called and sent or brought food for our family has meant to us. Thanks to each and every one of you. May God always bless all of you for your blessings to us.

Arthur Collins, Jr.'s Family

Judy Petrey

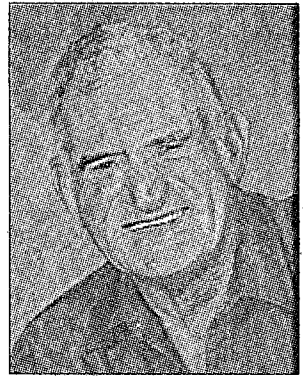
Judy Campbell Petrey, 62, of Somerset, died Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Methodist Medical Center in Oak Ridge, TN. She was born February 6, 1953 in Richmond, IN, to the late Larry and Margie Walters Shelton. She was a Christian and loved to crochet, cook, and spend time with her granddaughter and her family. She was a big fan of Elvis and Dolly Parton and loved helping people through her job as a Physical Therapist Assistant and also working with children through the Helping Hands Program.

She is survived by: her husband, James Petrey; two daughters, Julie Petrey and Teresa (William) Duncan, all of Somerset; one brother, Earl Campbell, Jr. of Cynthiana; two sisters, Sue Mullins of Shepherdsville, and Barbara (Erasmus) Diaz of Berea; one brother-in-law, Ernie Bishop of Brodhead; three grandchildren, Kahlan Duncan of Somerset, and Ashley Duncan, and Breanna Duncan, both of Stearns; and several nieces and nephews.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by: one sister, Flossie Bishop; an infant brother, David Campbell; and one sister-in-law, Kay Campbell.

Funeral services were held Friday, February 5, 2016 at the Chapel of Lake Cumberland Funeral Home with Bro. Mike Stacey officiating.

Send condolences at our website:
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Sam Henry Barron

Sam Henry Barron, 79, of Somerset, died January 21, 2016 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital with his family by his side. He was born September 21, 1936, a son of the late Sam James and Lynda McClure Barron. He was of the Church of Christ faith and enjoyed, fishing and working in his garden.

He is survived by: his wife of 59 years, Roxie (Perl) Barron; five children, Dorothy Rose McClure of Brodhead, James Henry Barron, Randy D. Barron, Ronnie Lee Barron and Deaney Eugene Barron; six grandchildren, Tammy Fletcher, Benjamin Barron, Marvin Barron, Randy D. Wayne Hensley, Kristin Marie Barron and Peggy Joetta Barron; four great grandchildren, James Edward Fletcher, Ashley Nicole Fletcher, Buddy Scott Barron and James Marvin Sam Barron; one half-brother, Jimmy Dean Barron; three sisters, Dorothy McFerron, Wanda Navalre and Hellen Cameron; and many nieces and nephews who will miss him very much.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by: two children, Billy Earl Barron and (infant) Violet Marie Barron; one brother, Willie Barron; and five sisters, Lucy McClure, Zora Mae Brown, Louella Brown, Vina McFerron and Maggie Bradley.

Funeral services were conducted January 30, 2016 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals Chapel with Bro. Marvin Cromer officiating. Burial was in the Old Freedom Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Ben Barron, James Barron, Perry Denney, Randy Hensley, Marvin Barron and James Fletcher.

Condolences may be made at
www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com



Connie Jane Smith

Connie Jane (Baldwin) Smith, 58, of Brodhead, died Friday, February 4, 2016 at the Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation Facility. She was born March 4, 1957 in Frankfort, IN, a daughter of Paul and Loretta Baldwin. She was an employee with the State of Kentucky, holding the position of Personnel Cabinet Deferred Compensation Staff Assistant. She was of the Baptist faith, and found great joy in scrapbooking, reading, jewelry making, traveling and crocheting. She also enjoyed participating in the choir at church, playing both piano and organ, and assisting with AWANA activities. On October 15, 1983 she joined in holy matrimony to William Albert Smith II.

Those left to celebrate her life are: her husband, William Albert Smith II; her parents, Paul and Loretta Baldwin; her sister, Pamela J. (Wayne) King; her step children, Chad Benson Smith, and Meara (Garrett) Brown; her step grandchildren, Trenton Oliver William Brown, Liam Alexander Smith, and Nylah True Smith; her nieces, Stephanie (Travis) West and Melissa (Justin) Feldman; and a host of friends and neighbors.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 7, 2016 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Steve Vanhook officiating. Burial was in the Freedom Cemetery.

Contribution/donations in Connie's memory may be made to Crossroads Assembly of God, Brodhead, KY; or East Frankfort Baptist Church, 457 Versailles Road, Frankfort, Ky. 40601

Casketbearers were: Glenn Murphy, Steve Veno, Farris West, Justin Feilman, Tyler West and Ron Wolfe.
Condolences to the family may be made to
www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

KSP warns of phone scam

Kentucky State Police Post 11, London has received several complaints in the past few weeks from citizens advising that there have been phone calls from someone stating that they are with the Internal Revenue Service / IRS and that they are owed money. The caller is advising them that if the debt is not paid, legal action will be taken against them. The IRS does not contact anyone by phone. Never give anyone your personal information over the phone unless you know who you're talking to.

KSP has also received complaints about another scam going around about citizens receiving calls from someone stating that a family member has been arrested and they need to send money to get them out of jail.

If anyone receives any suspicious calls, please contact the Kentucky State Police or your local law enforcement agency.

FFA Chili Supper and Auction is Feb. 20th

The annual Rockcastle County FFA Alumni Chili Supper and Auction will be held Saturday, February 20th at the Rockcastle County High School cafeteria.

The Chili Supper will begin at 5:30 with the auction held afterwards. The chili supper will include chili, a sandwich, drink and dessert for \$5.

Proceeds from the supper and auction fundraiser will be used to provide funds for FFA student activities.

Any donations will be appreciated. If you have an item to donate or wish to contribute, please contact Jeff Hayes at jeff.hayes@rockcastle.kyschools.us

"Brodhead"

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keeping the water bill so much lower than it had been.

Members discussed trying to get more local citizens to attend the monthly meeting. "People may not realize this is an open, public meeting. Anyone and everyone is invited to attend and it would be great if people could see first hand some of the decisions we have to make on their behalf," said Councilman Ronnie Cash.

Councilman Rick Kirby agreed saying, "I invite everyone I can to come. The agenda has a section for public comment they could use to express a concern or make a suggestion. Or they could just observe and keep informed about their community."

Councilman Keith Graves agreed, saying, "We work for them. Not the other way around. Citizens could help us better understand the needs of the community."

In previous meetings, the head of Brodhead Water and Sewer had informed the council that the city will have to purchase a truck for the department since the existing vehicle is barely operational.

Looking into the matter, Mayor Walter Cash and City Clerk Becky Bussell have located a truck that fits the needs of the department that is up for state auction.

The 2015, Chevrolet, 2500, 4-door, extended cab, 4X4 is expected to cost \$29,000 according to Bussell.

"We better be looking at getting a loan or grant and get money in here for that very soon," said Mayor Cash.

Shannon Cash explained that the department needs a basic truck. "We don't want any bells and whistles and certainly don't want carpet. Just something we can hose out," said Shannon Cash.

The council agreed to look for ways to raise the money for the truck and the few improvements that it may need to serve properly as a water and sewer department vehicle.

After the meeting, councilman Ronnie Cash pointed out that the next meeting will be in March. "We better start looking at our streets and finding all the potholes and other repairs that we are going to have to do after this rough winter," he said. "In the March meeting we need to have in our minds how much of that there is to do and how much it will cost the city."

There was no discussion of the long debated nuisance ordinance during the meeting but councilman Keith Graves mentioned it after the meeting. "Those citizens that came here with those complaints did exactly what they were supposed to do to get things done in their city and we need to help these people," he said.

In January's meeting the council voted to repeal the existing ordinance so members could start from scratch crafting the new ordinance.

"911"

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working immediately.

In other business, the court approved payment of \$28,199.50 to private contractors employed to help clear roads from the recent snow storm. County Judge/Executive Doug Bishop told the court that the final costs, which includes salt and overtime for regular road department employees, would be around \$70,000.

Magistrate Mike McGuire, speaking on behalf of the court, said he wanted to give a special thank you to county road employees for everything they did to clear the roads during the storm. McGuire said that workers put in 12-16 hour days during this time.

The court also voted to pay almost \$6,000 in medical claims for jail inmates, plus one month of the expense for the jail's medical provider from the jail's commissary account, a total of almost \$15,000.

Rockcastle County Jailer Carlos McClure's actions, while he has been in office also brought commendation from the court over figures presented by County Treasurer Joe Clontz from his six month update of revenue and expenditures he presented.

Clontz told the court that through the first six months of the 2015-16 budget, the jail was running at 46% of expected revenue received and at 44.85% of expenditures, about a \$144,000 savings in expenditures.

Clontz said the revenue amount for the jail would probably be lower than ex-

"Chase"

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reached speeds in excess of 170 mph during the chase.

Landis is lodged in the Rockcastle County Detention Center where he faces multiple charges from Fayette, Madison and Rockcastle Counties for DUI, fleeing, evading police, wanton endangerment of police officer, wanton endangerment of other drivers, reckless driving, speeding, resisting arrest and multiple

other traffic violations. The report said Landis was also served with a warrant and charged with a parole violation for absconding parole supervision.

Police say that during the pursuit Landis almost struck several vehicles, including police cars.

The ongoing investigation is being conducted by KSP posts in Frankfort, Richmond and London.

Rockets fall to Admirals 93-85

The Rockets have fallen to 16 and 10 following their 93-85 loss to the Danville Admirals last Saturday night.

The game was close throughout, with the score knotted at 24 all at the end of the first quarter. During that quarter, John Cornelius and Carson Noble contributed half of their team's points with two three point baskets. Cornelius would go on to add four more threes and Noble two more.

However, the Rockets lost the second quarter 25-22, the third 23-19 and the fourth 21-20 for the victory margin of eight.

In the game, the Admirals Matthew Turner had eight three point baskets and one free throw to tie for scoring honors for his team with 25. Spencer McKinney also scored 25 points, including four threes.

In all, Danville had 13 three point baskets in the game and the Rockets 12 with Dylan Rowe and Zach Loudermilk hitting one each.

The free throws were pretty even with the Rockets hitting 23 of 29 and Danville 16 of 25 but the Admirals hit six more two point baskets than the Rockets 19 to 13.

Noble led the scoring for his team with 28 points - four three point baskets, four twos and eight of 11 free throws. Cornelius had 22 points, six three point baskets, one two pointer and two free throws. Lucas Gentry got 20 points, including going 12 of 13 from the

charity stripe. Rowe got 7, Burdette 5 and Loudermilk 3 to round out the scoring.

The Rockets game with Jackson County, scheduled for Tuesday night at RCHS was cancelled. It was rescheduled for Wednesday but that also was cancelled due to the weather.

The Rockets next game will be this Friday night, the 12th, at Garrard County and they will travel to Whitley County next Tuesday night.

47th All District Team

Seven Rockets and Lady Rockets were named to the 2016 47th All District Basketball Team recently.

Receiving the honor from the Lady Rockets were: juniors Hope Kelley and Mahala Saylor and senior Ashley McKinney.

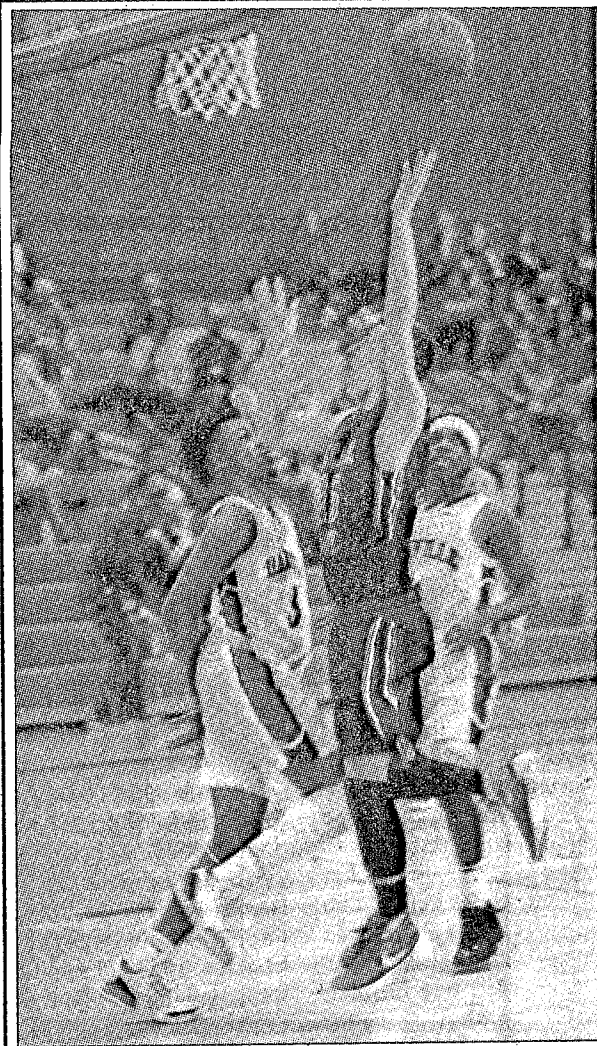
Pulaski County had four players named to the team and Casey Co. and Somerset had two each.

Named from the Rockets were: juniors John Cornelius, Lucas Gentry and Carson Noble and senior Dylan Rowe.

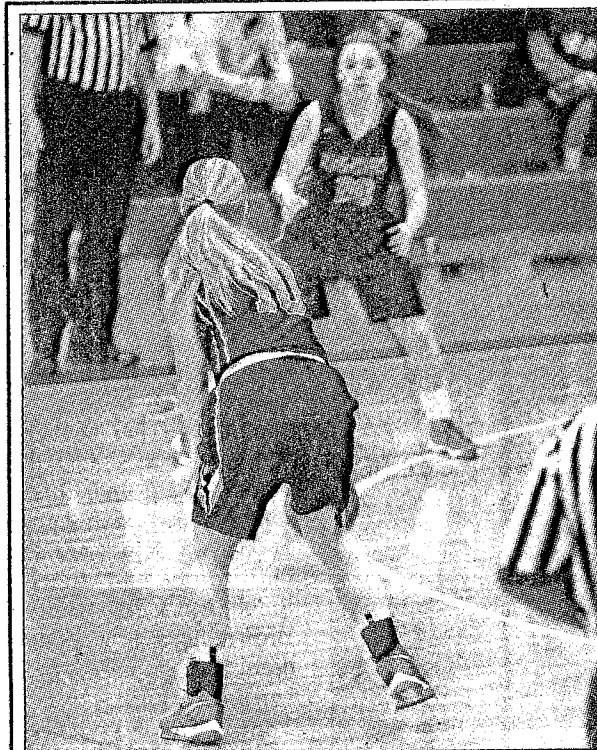
There were 12 slots available on the boys all district team, because of the tie between RCHS and Pulaski Co. for first place.

Pulaski also placed four players on the team and Casey Co. and Somerset each got two.

The 47th District Tournament is scheduled for Feb. 21-25th at RCHS.



Senior Dylan Rowe goes up for two points for the Rockets in their 93-85 loss to Danville last Saturday night. Rowe had seven points in the contest.



Mackenzie Payne makes a pass to Emma Bullens during Lady Rocket action last Saturday night against Danville.

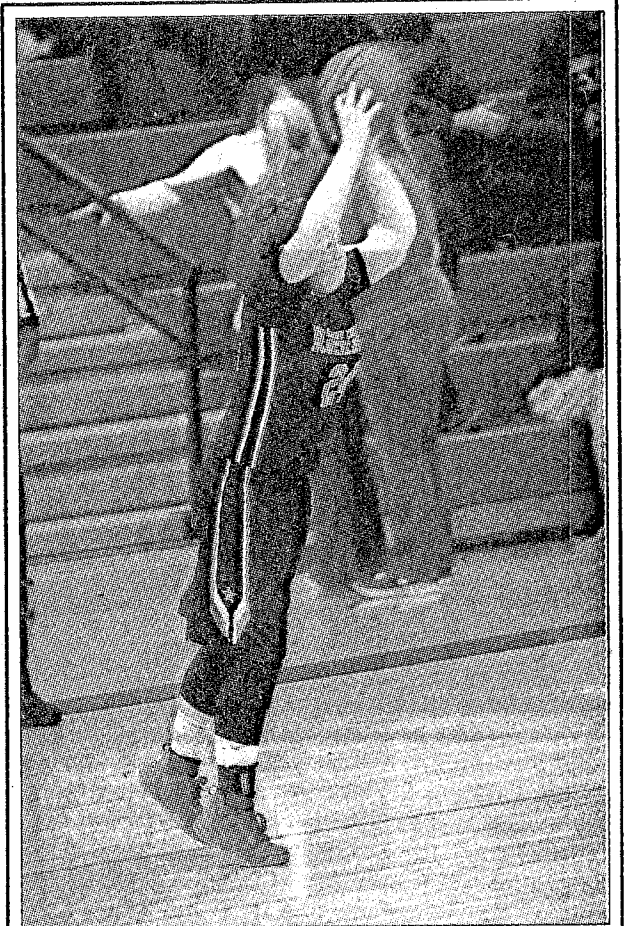
Lady Rockets lose to Lady Admirals 61-46

Only one Lady Rocket was in double figures in their 61-46 loss to the Lady Admirals Saturday night at Danville. Hope Kelley scored 11 points in the losing effort, their 11th of the season against 14 wins.

The Lady Rockets were down 17-10 at the first quarter stop and 31-27 at the half. However, the third quarter saw the Lady Rockets get outscored 15-6, sealing the win for the Lady Admirals.

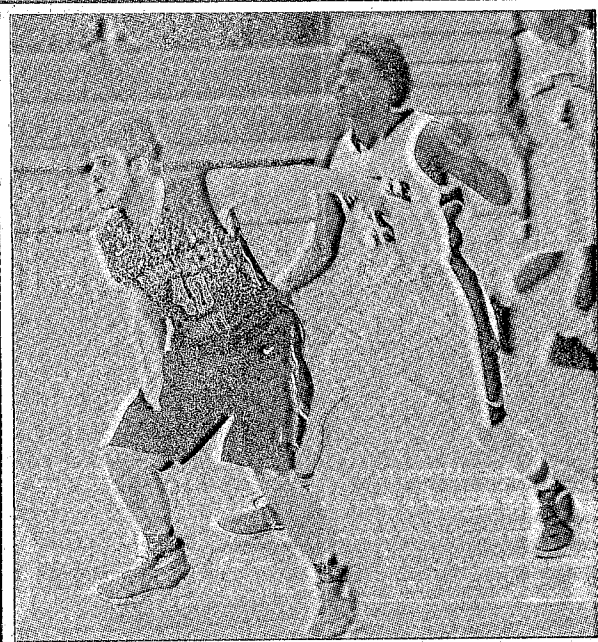
Besides Kelley's 11; Jayna Albright got 8, including two three point baskets; Ashley McKinney scored 7; Maddy Bullen 6; Emme Barker, Mahala Saylor and Kenzie Himes, 4 each and Morgan Renner 2.

The Lady Rockets game with Berea, scheduled for Monday night was cancelled because of the weather. They are next scheduled to host Madison Central on Thursday, the 11th (tonight) and will host McCreary Central next Monday night.

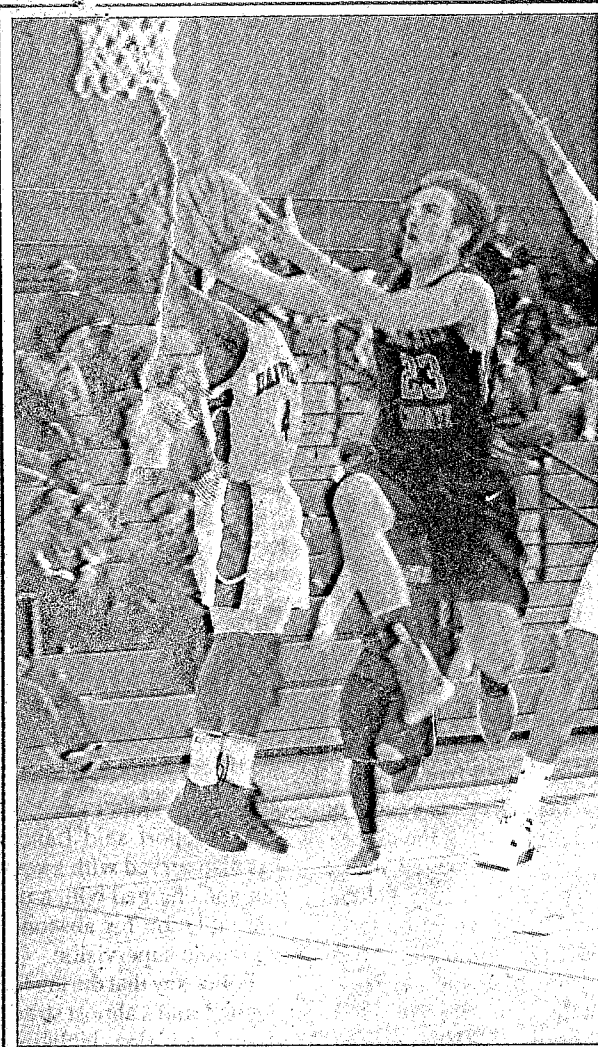


Junior Mahala Saylor looks to make a pass inside the paint during the Lady Rockets' loss to Danville last Saturday night. The Lady Rockets were led in scoring by Hope Kelley with 11.

Rocket photos by Jamie Cornelius



Senior Alex Spragens applies defense during the Rockets' loss to Danville last Saturday night. The Rockets travel to Garrard County this Friday night and to Whitley County next Tuesday night.



Junior Lucas Gentry goes high for two of his 20 points against Danville last Saturday night. Carson Noble led the Rockets with 28 points followed by John Cornelius with 22.

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 15-CI-00114

Commonwealth of Kentucky,
County of Rockcastle, et al Plaintiff
v.
Paul Harrison, et al Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on December 21, 2015, for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of ONE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE DOLLARS AND 05/100 (\$1,185.05) 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, February 19, 2016
Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.

Said property being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

825 Grace Loop Road
Map #042-00-002

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

1. 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.
2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.
3. The full satisfaction of any liens for delinquent ad valorem taxes assessed against the real property of record at the time of entry of judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale.
4. The purchaser shall pay the 2015 local, county, and state property taxes.
5. Full satisfaction of the plaintiff's judgment shall be paid from the proceeds of the sale.
6. The purchaser shall have possession of the real property upon compliance with the terms of the sale.
7. In the event that the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required.
8. This 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 II Civil Action No. 11-CI-00279

Citifinancial Services, Inc. Plaintiff
v.
Dean A. Hahn,
Melissa Hahn,
Lien Solutions, LLC and
Kentucky Tax Company Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale entered in this action on June 11, 2012 and order to reschedule sale entered on January 8, 2016 for the purpose of satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of NINETY THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY FOUR DOLLARS AND 52/100 (\$93,264.52) plus interest, costs and attorney fees. I will offer at public auction the hereinafter described real property in Rockcastle County, Kentucky.

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on Friday, February 19, 2016
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Said property being described as follows:

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At track meet Saturday

RCHS and RCMS girls win at Mason County

Rockcastle's girls' track teams competed at Mason County this past Saturday. The RCMS girls' team defeated 14 other teams and won the meet by a score of 87-72 over Class 3A state power Louisville Male.

8th grader Tori Dotson led the way for RCMS with 1st place wins in the 800 (2:36.6), 1600 (5:41.83), and 3000-meter (11:56.20) runs. She also ran a very fast lead

leg of the girls' winning 4 x 800-meter relay team that also consisted of freshman Kensie Sheffield, junior Taylor Bullock, and junior Sierra Mercer. The girls' exceptional time of 10:57.33 was their fastest this season.

In the 55-meter hurdles, 8th grader Autumn Courtney ran an awesome personal best of 10.49 seconds and finished 2nd overall.

Sierra Mercer led the way

for RCMS in the 55-meter dash with a 7th place finish overall in a fast personal best time of 8.02 seconds. Other top finishers for RCMS included junior Jennifer Mercer - 19th (8.24 seconds), senior Nikki McGuire - 39th (8.71), and freshman Shaylin Howerton - 53rd (9.15).

Kensie Sheffield had a pair of impressive performances in the 1600 and 3000-meter runs. In the 1600, she placed 11th overall in 7:04.28, despite running an extra lap. In the 3000, she finished 5th overall with a great time of 13:28.91.

Sierra next competed in the 400-meter dash for RCMS. She blazed her way to a 2nd place finish overall with an incredible time of 1:04.16 on the small 133.3-meter track. Nikki placed 45th in 1:20.1 and Shaylin finished 57th in 1:26.32.

Taylor ran an exceptional 800-meter race, keeping a great pace throughout and finishing 4th overall with an awesome time of 2:50.79.

Autumn and Jennifer had great performances in long and triple jump. In triple jump, Autumn placed 3rd overall with a great jump of 31'2". Jennifer placed 3rd in long jump with a great jump of 14'8.25".

In the shot put competition, Nikki came close to her personal best, finishing 11th overall with a great throw of 20'4.25".

The girls' 4 x 400-meter relay team of Sierra, Autumn, Jennifer, and Taylor sealed the team win with an awesome 2nd place finish overall in 4:37.56.

The RCMS girls' team defeated 9 other schools and won by a score of 129-49 over Tichenor Middle School.

8th grader Grace Gardiner and 6th grader Allie Martin led the way for RCMS with several outstanding performances. Allie won the 55-meter dash (8.28 seconds), 400-meter dash (1:13.56), and finished 2nd in long jump (14'1"). She had all-time personal bests in the 55 and long jump, as well as an indoor personal best in the 400. Grace finished 2nd in the 55 (8.51), 2nd in the 400 (1:14.82), and 1st in long jump (14'2.25"). Her long jump mark was an all-time personal best.

6th grader Kylie Martin led the RCMS distance crew with outstanding performances in the 1600 and 800-meter runs. In the 1600, Kylie placed 1st with an awesome time of 6:30.53, an all-time personal best. In the 800, Kylie placed 8th overall with a great time of 3:07.57. 7th grader Erin Hindman was close behind finishing a great race of her own in 9th place with a time of 3:08.92.

8th grader Brianna Owens won her first-ever triple jump competition with a personal best of 25'8.75".

In the 55-meter hurdles, in her first-ever hurdle race, 6th grader Sydney Carrera led the way for RCMS with a 2nd place finish in 12.23 seconds. 7th grader Jasmine Ashcraft placed a very close 3rd in 12.30 seconds. Jasmine also ran an awesome all-time personal best of 2:57.85 in the 800-meter run, placing 2nd overall.

In the shot put competition, the RCMS throwers had career best performances. 7th grader Valerie Kendrick placed 2nd with an amazing all-time personal best throw of 26'6". 7th grader Jessalyn Burton had an awesome all-time personal best performance of 24'11.5" and placed 3rd. 6th grader Natalie Tolle threw an incredible all-time personal best of 16'8.75" and placed 7th overall.

In the 55-meter dash, 6th grader Gracie Spoonamore placed 3rd (8.64 seconds), 8th grader Kaylee Brock 4th (8.65), 7th grader Hannah Davis 10th (8.94), 7th grader Aliyah Lopez 11th (8.97), 6th grader Sydney Carrera 12th (9.00), 6th grader Savannah Thacker 14th (9.08), 8th grader Brianna Owens 16th (9.17), 7th grader Jasmine Ashcraft 17th (9.18), 7th grader Elisabeth Owens 26th (9.46), 6th grader Jailey Martin 27th (9.49), 6th

grader Reina Lykins 28th (9.53), 6th grader Candace Mahaffey 31st (9.71), 6th grader Melanie Vanwinkle 32nd (9.78), 7th grader Erin Hindman 33rd (9.85), 3rd grader Lila Holt 37th (10.39), 6th grader Delani Reynolds 39th (10.72), 3rd grader Learn Reagan 42nd (10.95), 2nd grader Kennadie Anderson 43rd (11.03), 6th grader Natalie Tolle 45th (12.87).

In the 400-meter dash, Gracie placed 4th (1:15.31), Kaylee 5th (1:16.17), Savannah 6th (1:17.30), Reina 9th (1:18.52), Aliyah 11th (1:20.01), Elisabeth 12th (1:20.47), Sydney 13th (1:22.36), Lila 19th (1:29.22), Brianna 22nd (1:30.44), Hannah 24th (1:33.45), Jailey 25th (1:33.62), Melanie 28th (1:37.17), Learn 29th (1:38.89), Delani 32nd (1:41.11).

Three other RCMS long jumpers came through with career best performances. Kaylee Brock placed 3rd with an awesome jump of 13'1". Reina Lykins placed 5th with a great jump of 11'5" and Jailey Martin had a great jump of her own, placing 7th with a leap of 10'3.25".

The girls' 4 x 800-meter relay team of Gracie, Hannah, Erin, and Kylie dominated the competition, winning with an awesome time of 12:26.45.

The girls' 4 x 400 relay team of Allie, Grace, Savannah, and Kaylee won going away with an incredible time of 5:01.92. The team of Brianna, Jasmine, Sydney, and Gracie placed 3rd with a great race and an awesome time of 5:20.67.

The RCMS girls' team competed in the Wildcat Classic hosted by the University of Kentucky on January 30. Many of the top teams in the state were on hand for the competition. RCMS finished as the top Class 2A team with

several outstanding performances.

Tori Dotson led RCMS with impressive record-setting performances in both the 800-meter and two mile run. In the very competitive 800, Tori kept up a very fast pace, finishing 7th overall and breaking her own RCMS indoor record in the event with an exceptional time of 2:27.21. She later followed that with another awesome performance in the two mile run against some great competition. She easily won that event, breaking her own RCMS indoor record once again with a great time of 12:11.64.

Sierra Mercer established a new RCMS indoor record in the 400-meter dash against a talented field of competitors. Running in the fastest heat, Sierra blazed her way to a 7th place finish overall with a new record time of 1:02.12.

Against some stellar competition, Autumn Courtney ran an awesome race in the 60-meter hurdles. She finished 10th overall with a great time of 10.57 seconds, very impressive for an 8th grade hurdler.

Autumn, Jennifer Mercer, and Grace Gardiner had great performances in the long jump competition against a tough field of competitors. Autumn placed 8th overall with a great leap of 15'1.5". Jennifer was not far behind, finishing 11th overall with a great jump of 14'9.75". Grace came through with a much improved all-time personal best jump of 13'9.25".

Grace also led the way for RCMS in the 60 and 200-meter dashes. In the 60, Grace established a new all-time personal best with a great time of 9.00 seconds. Continuing what was undoubtedly the best meet of her young career, Grace fin-

ished with another impressive career best time of 30.15 seconds in the 200.

Taylor Bullock and Emily Deubel came through with career best times in the 400-meter dash. Taylor sprinted her way around the track with an impressive time of 1:09.45, while Emily finished with a solid time of 1:16.75. Emily also ran an all-time personal best in the 200-meter dash, finishing with a great time of 34.15 seconds.

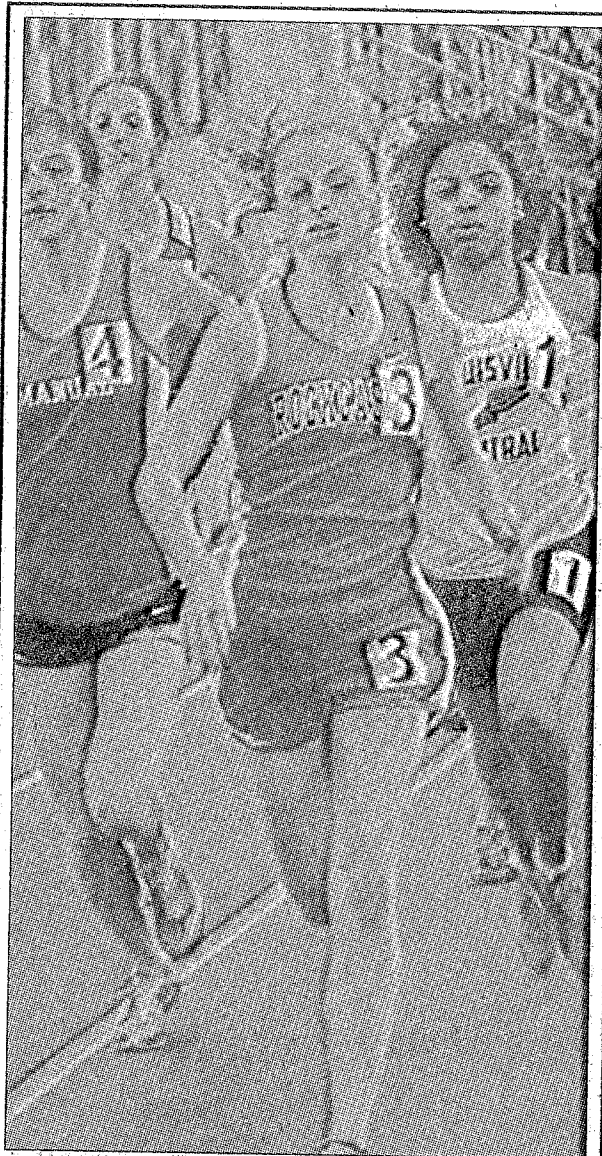
Samantha Douglas placed 24th in shot put with an incredible early season throw of 27'1.75". Nikki McGuire also came through with an exceptional all-time personal best throw of 20'10.5". Nikki also ran well in the 60-meter dash, finishing with an impressive time of 9.40 seconds.

Kensie Sheffield had two great performances in the one mile and 800-meter run. In the mile, Kensie ran a strong race and finished in 6:21.43. She followed that with a great race in the 800, finishing in 2:56.15.

The 4 x 400-meter relay team of Sierra, Autumn, Taylor, and Jennifer placed 10th overall with an awesome team effort and an unbelievable first meet time of 4:28.49.

Despite being fatigued from such a long day of competition and back-to-back events for Sierra, Autumn, Taylor, and Jennifer, the 4 x 800-meter relay team of Tori, Kensie, Taylor, and Sierra finished in 11th place overall with a great time of 11:25.04.

With many of our athletes ranked among the best in their events in the state and some in the top twenty in the nation, the teams will look to further improve with competition again next weekend at Mason County beginning at 10:00 am.



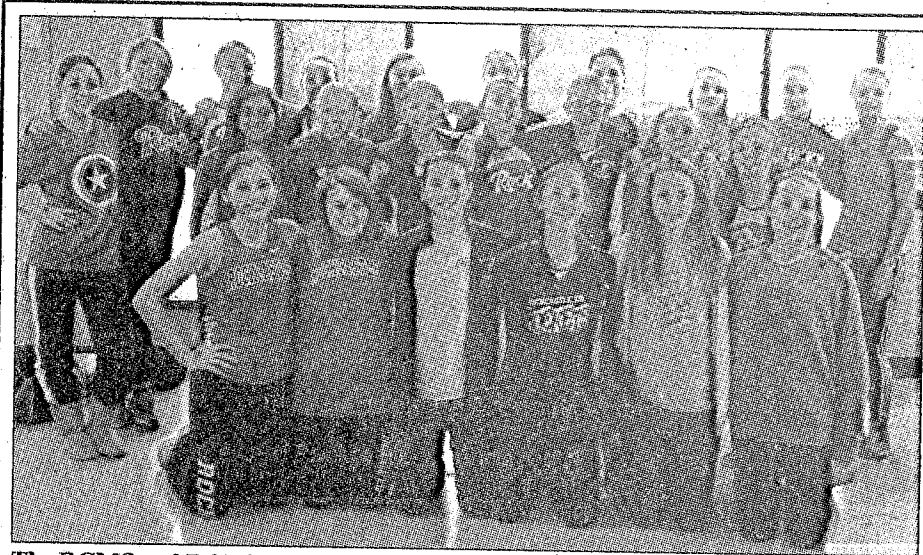
RCMS 8th grader Tori Dotson won the two mile run in 12:11.64 at the UK Wildcat Classic while breaking her own RCMS indoor record in the event. She also broke her own RCMS indoor record in the 800-meter run, finishing 8th overall in 2:27.21. At Mason County, she won the 800, 1600, and 3000-meter runs, and ran lead leg on the winning 3200-meter relay.



RCMS junior Sierra Mercer finished 7th in the 400-meter dash at the UK Wildcat Classic with a new all-time personal best and RCMS indoor record time of 1:02.12.

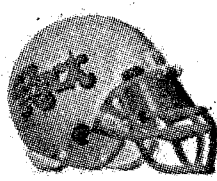


RCMS 8th grader Autumn Courtney finished 10th in the 60-meter hurdles with an all-time personal best of 10.57 seconds at the UK Wildcat Classic. She also placed 8th in long jump (15'1.5").



The RCMS and RCMS girls' indoor track teams both won at the first Mason County indoor meet of the season on Saturday. With their two top scoring athletes competing for the varsity team, RCMS still dominated the competition and won by 80 points over runner-up Beechwood Middle by a final score of 129 to 49. RCMS had a great meet as well and defeated Class 3A state super power Louisville Male High School by a final score of 87-72. Team members are front from left: Taylor Bullock, Nikki McGuire, Kensie Sheffield, Grace Gardiner, Erin Hindman and Kaylee Brock. Second row from left: Hannah Davis, Kylie Martin, Savannah Thacker, Brianna Owens, Sydney Carrera, Elisabeth Owens and Jasmine Ashcraft. Back row from left: Gracie Spoonamore, Shaylin Howerton, Reina Lykins, Candace Mahaffey, Aliyah Lopez, Allie Martin, Natalie Tolle, Melanie Vanwinkle, Jailey Martin and Tori Dotson. Not pictured - Valerie Kendrick, Jessalyn Burton, Lila Holt, Learn Reagan, Delani Reynolds, Kennadie Anderson, Autumn Courtney, Jennifer Mercer and Sierra Mercer.

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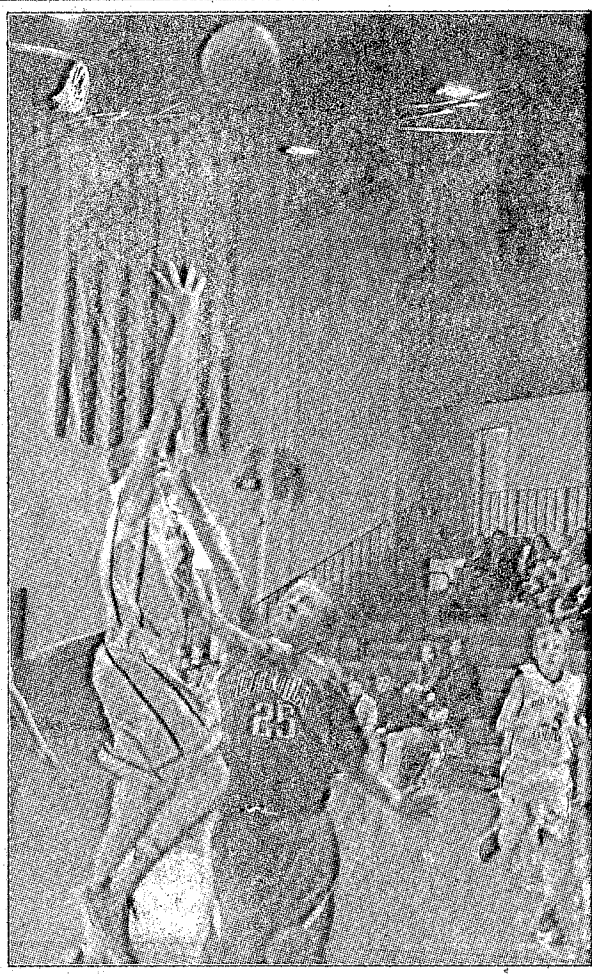
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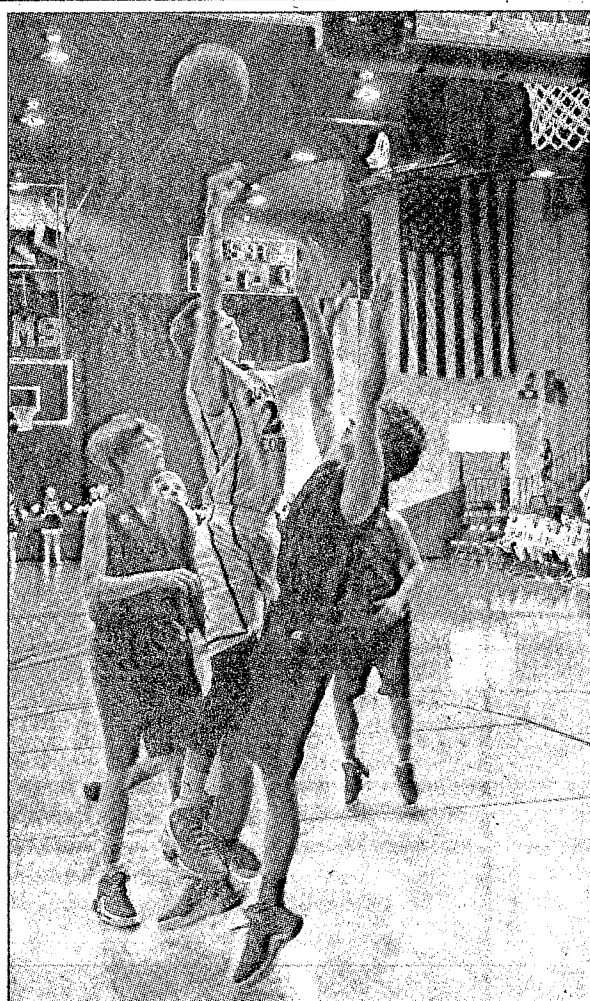
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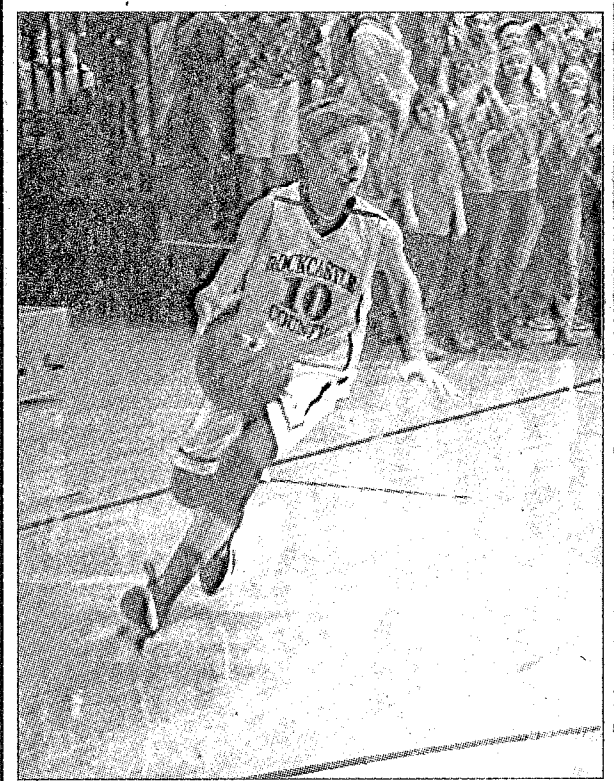
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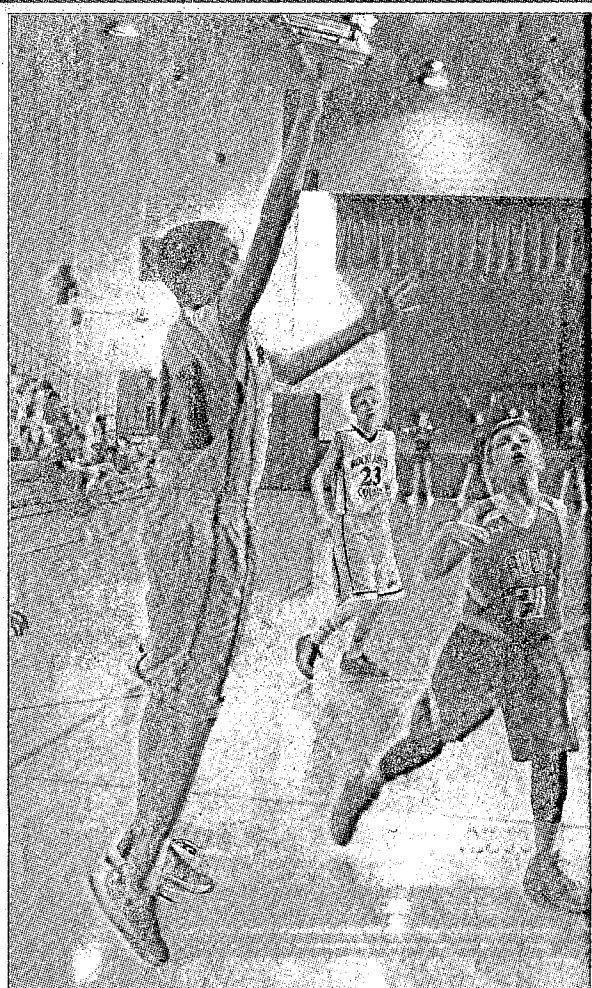
Sixth grader Drew Hopkins goes up for two of his nine points in the Rockets' 62-40 second round win over Caudill last week. The sixth grade defeated Model 46-9 in the first round and Farristown 54-39 in the championship game to capture the season ending conference tournament.



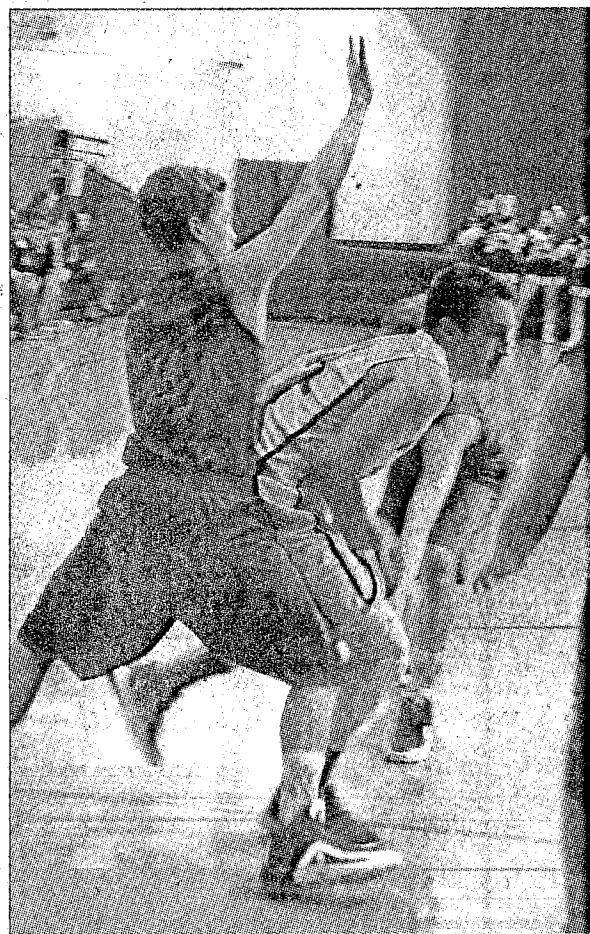
Seventh grader Hunter Spivey goes up for two of his team leading 11 points during the Rockets first round conference tournament win over Foley last week. The seventh grade lost to Clark Moores in the semi-finals of the tourney. Others scoring for the seventh grade were Riley Smith with 7, Jacob Lopez added six, Tanner Noel scored three, Drew Hopkins with five and Ashton Hansel and Reece McGuire each scored two.



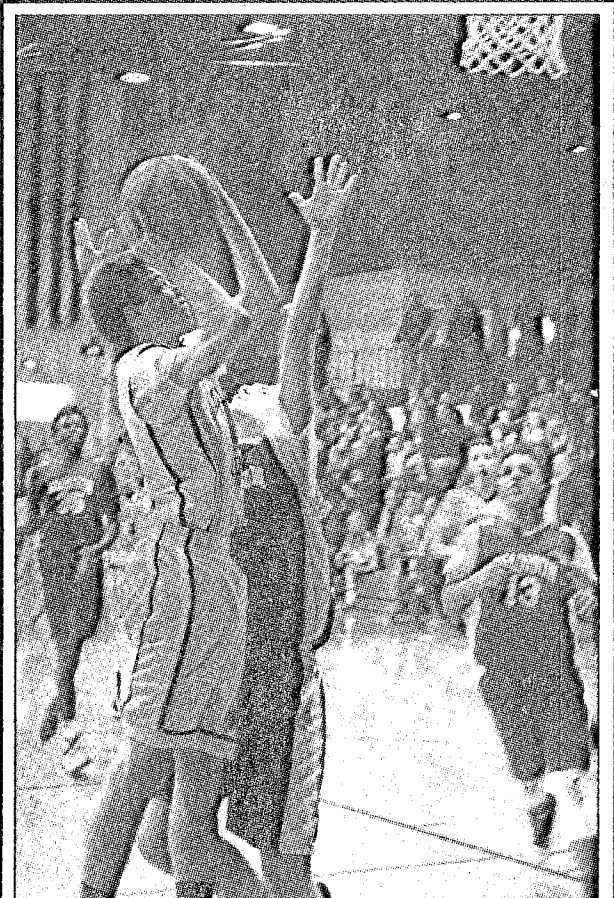
Eighth grader Dylan Bullen drives to the basket during the Rockets 52-34 win over Madison Middle last week. The win was part of the season ending conference tournament that saw the eighth grade lose to Clark Moores in the semi-finals. Bullen scored seven points for the Rockets. Also scoring were Jacob Loudermilk with three, Bentley Taylor with 14, Logan Noel scored 16, Alex Vanzant added seven and Logan Bullock and Logan Bowman each scored two.



Sixth grader Daniel Mullins led his team in scoring with 20 points against Caudill last Wednesday. The sixth grade finished as regular season and tournament champs with a 23-2 record.



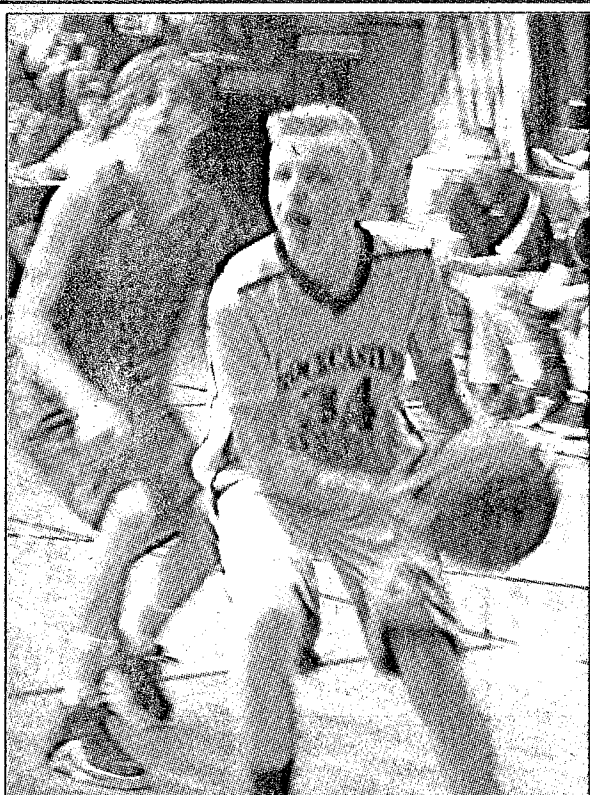
Seventh grader Riley Smith works hard to the basket in the Rockets win over Foley last week. The seventh grade, coach by Dustin Reynolds, finished the season with an 18-11 record.



Eighth grader Alex Vanzant goes up for two of his seven points for the Rockets in their victory over Madison Middle last week.



Sixth grader Reese Coguer puts up a jump shot in Rocket action against Caudill last Wednesday. Coguer scored seven in the contest. Besides Mullins, Hopkins and Coguer's scoring, others scoring were Silas Shaffer with three, Landon Gentry added eight, Ethan Fain and Tyler Howard each scored three, Matthew Chasteen added five, and Noah Fain and Jaydon Albright each added two.



Seventh grader Tanner Noel drives to the basket in the Rockets' win over Foley last week.



Eighth grader Logan Noel led the Rockets in scoring with 16 points in the Rockets win over Madison Middle during the conference tournament. The 8th graders finished their season with a 15-9 record.

Rockets, Lady Rockets, Cheerleaders and Color Guard senior photos next week

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RCHS Archery Team competes at Regional Tournament

The RCHS Rockets Archery Team participated in the KASP Regional Tournament on Friday at the Center for Rural Development in Somerset. The team shot a season high 3170.

Jacob Collins, Jackson Cromer, and Aaron Pevley were all on target for a bulls-eye 11 times each. Jacob's overall score of 273 and Jackson's score of 272 ranked them as 31st and 33rd respectively out of 103 male high school shooters.

Aaron Pevley, Erika Howard and Rachel Chadwell each scored 270.

Erika came in 22nd and Rachel 23rd out of 96 high school female archers. Alexis Baker also shot very well for the Rockets scoring a 267 and joining the top three boys with 11 bullseyes.

Rounding out the top 12 and adding to the Rockets' overall score was Dustin Gentry (264), Ethan Thompson (a season high 261), Rebekah Lake (257), B.J. Wynn and Ben Tyler (each scoring 256) and Sam Brickley with personal best of 254.

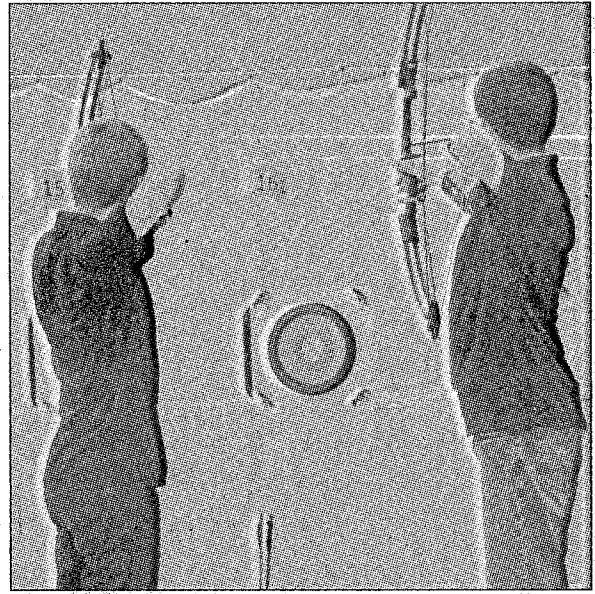
The RCMS Rockets also did very well at the middle school regional

tournament on Saturday with a score of 2911.

Congratulations to RCMS 8th grader Brylee Gill with 13 bullseyes and a total score of 265. Brylee ranked 18th out of 117 middle school girls. Second in scoring for RCMS and ranking 32nd among the females was Liz Renner with 257. The top male archers for the Rockets were Andrew Sargent with 250 followed by Gentry Phillips with a 248. Contributing to the overall team score was Leann Tankersley (247), Michael Roebuck (245), Jeremiah Powell (244), Eric Sparks (243), Ethan Carpenter (241), Freddie Doyle (236), T.J. Ramsey (232) and C.J. Cameron (221).



Senior B.J. Wynn took aim with RCMS freshmen Kim Wheat and Ben Tyler in their first regional tournament.



Sophomores Jackson Cromer and Joseph Cowan aimed for the bulls-eye at the regional tournament.



The RCMS Archery Team takes the line with Pulaski County High before beginning their first 10 meter round.



Jacob Collins and Rachel Chadwell both shot in the top five for RCMS on Friday.

Tips to do better on the ACT

Juniors in Kentucky public high schools will take the ACT on March 1, with March 15 set for a make-up day. These tips from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA) may help students do better on the test.

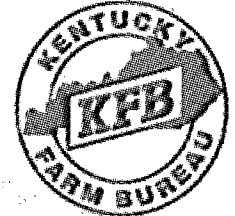
- Read, read, read. Most of the ACT is based on reading. The more you read, the better you'll do.
 - Take advantage of any free ACT prep courses offered by your school or by local colleges and libraries.
 - Take practice tests online or buy practice tests for use at home.
 - Familiarize yourself with the sections and directions.
 - Get plenty of rest the night before, and eat a good breakfast that morning.
 - Remember to take No. 2 pencils and a calculator if your school doesn't provide them.
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The project site is located at 955 West Main Street, Mt. Vernon, KY 40456. The bid is to furnish all necessary labor, materials, tools, machinery, warranties, and all other items required to make exterior ADA Improvements to the existing site. Work to include, but not limited to; demolition and disposal of plants, trees, concrete walks, light poles and pavement. Project also includes substantial amount of new asphalt pavement, construction and grading for new parking spaces, new concrete walks, ramps and stairs according to the contract documents.

There will be a pre-bid meeting at the project site on Wednesday, February 24, 2016 at 3:30 p.m. Bidders shall submit questions or comments to the Design Professional by no later than 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 25, 2016.

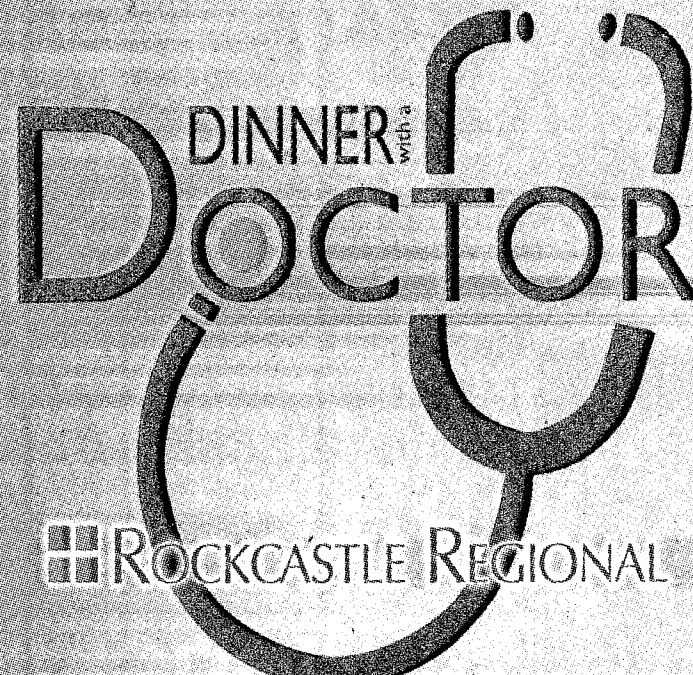
No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 60 days after the opening. Each bid must include a bid security in the amount of 10% of the total bid in the form of a certified check, cashier's check, irrevocable letter of credit, or surety company bond made payable to the Rockcastle County Board of Education.

If a bid security in the amount of 10% of the full bid amount is submitted with the bid, the successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond and labor and material bond from an acceptable surety in the amount of 100% of the full contract amount. If a bid guaranty bond in the amount of 100% of the total bid is submitted with the bid, no additional performance and labor and material bond will be required.

The contract documents have been prepared by N3D Group, 1204 Winchester Road, Suite 200, Lexington, KY 40505. For additional information or questions, send email inquiries to snoel@n3dgroup.com or phone 859-303-5708. Copies of the documents may be purchased from Lynn Imaging, 328 East Vine Street, Lexington, KY, 40507, (859) 255-1021 or www.lynnimaging.com.

All provisions of the Kentucky Revised Code as it relates to bid guaranty's conditions, liabilities, and withdrawal of a bid are applicable to this contract. The owner reserves the right to waive any informality or to accept any bid which is deemed most favorable. The owner also reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the owner: Rockcastle County Board of Education



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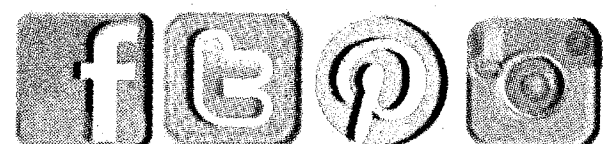
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Mount Vernon Signal

Second Section

Thursday, February 11, 2016

Good old days are alive and well in Livingston

Local movie theater may be possible

By: Mike French

Most people have heard the phrase, "in the good old days." But those who say it are usually talking about days gone by. Unless they live in Livingston.

Livingston Mayor Jason Medley is committed to growing and developing the community while keeping the "good old days" alive.

"One thing we don't need to lose as we grow and develop and expand and move into the future, is our past," said Medley.

With this attitude in mind, the City of Livingston has purchased the Old Depot Building for \$22,000 and turned it into a community center.

"It was my goal from day one as Mayor to have a community center where people could congregate and share fellowship and

just sit and chat over a hot cup of coffee," he said.

Through donations from residents and businesses, Medley was able to repair the old abandoned building and create a warm, welcoming atmosphere.

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Jason Medley

Volunteers and inmate workers have done all the work including new electrical wiring, plumbing and lots of other improvements.

With the improvements though, Medley made certain the old building didn't lose any of its original glory. "Even though we have a furnace that keeps the place warm, we kept the old coal burning stove and every Friday night we see people gathered around that old stove," he said.

Volunteers have built a stage inside the building and

now the center has a Gospel Singing every Friday night. "It's good, clean fun and people come to enjoy the gospel music and have a bag of popcorn," said Medley.

The building, built around 1910, was left unattended in the 1980s and sat in the heart of Livingston unused for many years.

Now the building is available for weddings or fund raisers or most any other "clean" event, according to Medley and thanks to a donation from Rodney Cameron of Central Kentucky Pool in Mount Vernon, there is now an ADA compliant handicap ramp for easier access.

Medley said there have been several "good sized" donations and though there is no charge for the Friday Night Gospel Singing, volunteers do take up a love offering. "That love offering alone pays the utilities and keeps things running," said Medley.

And that's all Medley is

after. "We don't want to make a dime. This center is here for the community. A safe place for people to go to enjoy some good music,"

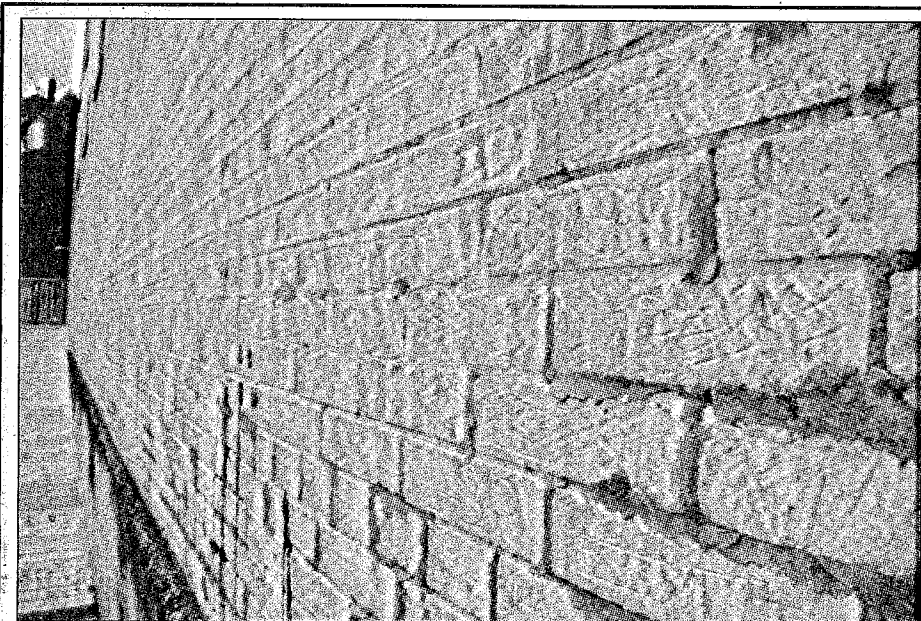
said Medley. "I'm just pro-Livingston. Anything good for the community is what I am after. And good things just keep happening."

Though the center is up and running and provides Karate lessons on Monday

(See "Depot" on B3)



The old Depot Building on Main Street in Livingston was built around 1910 and was left unused since the 1980s until Mayor Jason Medley and many volunteers worked to turn the structure into a community center. The historic building still has marks on the window ledges where men used to stand and sharpen their knives. A gospel singing is held there now each Friday night at 7 p.m.



Names carved in the brick over 50 years ago will be left alone as the Livingston Depot Building is being renovated to maintain the historic charm of the building.



Over 80 people can sit comfortably in the newly renovated Depot Building for gospel singings and other local events.

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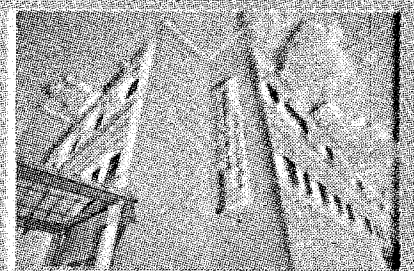
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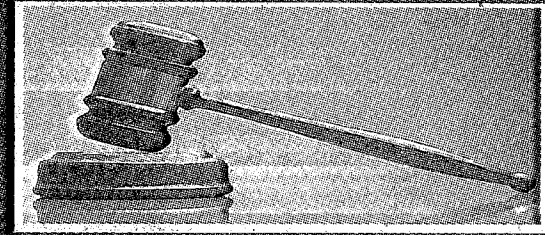
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News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Deeds Recorded

Marvin Kelly and Judy L. Ponder, property in Rockcastle County, to Shannon David and Angelina Dowell Bishop. Tax \$125

Matthew and Brandi Shepherd, property on Old US 25, to Raymond D. and Janie Kirby. Tax \$219

James Noe, property in James Noe Subdv., to Christopher and Alisha Lewis. Tax \$25

Farm Credit Mid-America, FLCA, property on Linville Rd., to Brian Lee Baker. Tax \$7.50

John Blair and Teresa Blair, property on Little Clear Creek, to John Blair. No tax

Janet and Robin Brooks, property on Buschner Lane, to Morgan Thacker. Tax \$4

Sarah Miracle, property on US 25S to Jeffrey L. and Lori J. Miracle. Tax \$60

Carlos and Tara McClure, property in Owens Subdv., to Ronnie Banks. Tax \$24

Tammy Martin, property in Rockcastle County, to William Keith and Melanie Denny. No tax

Donnie Statom, property in Rockcastle County, to Thomas and Sofya Mikeworth. Tax \$10

Sandra and Dwight Burdine, property in Rockcastle County, to Mary Lear. No tax

Marriage Licenses

Sharla Danielle Kidwell, 19, Brodhead, Community Trust Bank to Timothy James Dewayne Nichols, 20, Berea, factory. 1/29/16

Erica Geane Arvin, 28, Mt. Vernon, housewife to Cory Joe Gentry, 23, Mt. Vernon, CSR. 1/29/16

Paula Allen, 56, Brodhead, KU to Elbert Stanley Reed, 61, Mt. Vernon, disabled. 1/30/16

Jacquelyn Renee Dees, 37, Berea, health care provider, to Robert Jake Tillery, 33, Berea, unemployed. 2/3/16

Kayla Renee Collins, 25, Mt. Vernon, World Finance to James Leon Bradley, 28, Mt. Vernon, material handler. 2/3/16

Kendall Lynn Mitchell, 19, Berea, Berea Health Care to Rodney Keith Smith, 20, Brodhead, factory. 2/4/16

Circuit Civil Suits

Donna S. Robbins v. Michard R. Hubbard, complaint for child support and medical support.

Jennifer Burdette v. Dusty Burdette, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Jerry Denney, et al v. Tom Still, et al, \$12,198.49 plus claimed due.

Bank of America v. P.K. Carlisle, \$15,625.43 plus claimed due.

Jennifer L. Gilliam v. Anthony D. Gilliam, complaint for child support and medical support. CI-00027

District Court

Jan. 26 - 27 and 2/1 2016
Hon. Kathryn G. Wood
Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless

John Mark Coyle: fines/fees due (\$1,029.92), converted to 16 days in jail.

Joshua C. Emerson: failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine converted to one day in jail; operating on suspended/revoked operators license, 10 days in jail/costs merged.

Christopher Scott Jones: public intoxication, 10 days; drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, 10 days/concurrent/costs/costs merged.

Christina M. Abney: no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, bench warrant (bw) issued for failure to appear (fta).

Amy M. Bingham: fines/fees due (\$100), bw issued for fta.

Kevin T. Byrd: speeding, license to be in possession, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, failure to notify address change to Dept. of Transp., bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Jeremy D. Caldwell: possession of synthetic drugs, 30 days/probated 24 months on condition, \$100 fine plus costs.

Christopher Gill: speeding, \$48 fine; one headlight, \$25 fine; failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, \$500 fine/suspended on condition plus costs.

Speeding: Ruth M. Hickman, Farrah L. Peyton, Veronica Degallado, Haley Eversole, Talia Nicole Robinson, Evan S. Sharfe, Kristopher T. Shover, Chance T. Simpson, Jared Tyler Vanover, Adam M. Watkins, Randy R. Joshua, license suspended for fta;

John J. Weaver, \$48 fine plus costs; Terry Smith, paid; Cody James Shuart, \$32 fine and costs;

Billy Jack Rayburn: fines/fees due (\$733), converted to 15 days in jail.

Charles Franklin Walton, Jr: failure to wear seatbelts, license suspended for fta.

Marlene J. Jones: failure to wear seatbelts, license suspended for fta.

Bryan D. Robinson: drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, 90 days/probated 24 months on condition plus costs.

Lee R. Williams: failure to produce insurance card, rear license not illuminated, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Landon Winchester: failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security (two counts), \$500 fine/suspend \$400 on condition plus costs/concurrent.

Bradley D. Wyatt: no/expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Randall L. Young: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Casey Bradley: Failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Kenneth D. Burton Jr: speeding, Viol Part 392, Fed Safety Reg, m Driving of Motor Vehicle (two counts), license suspended for fta.

George Harvey Jarrell, Jr: flagrant non-support, bw issued for fta.

Clinton Johnson: failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, expired temporary plate, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Steyen Pitman: no/expired registration plates, operating on suspended/revoked operators license, license suspended for fta/bw issued.

Cecil Rucker: possession of synthetic drugs, bw issued for fta.

Cody James Shuart: speeding, failure to register transfer, failure to produce insurance card, license suspended for fta/bw issued.

Crystal Rae Sizemore: speeding, failure of non-owner operator to maintain reg. insurance, bw issued for fta/license suspended.

Joey Thacker: no tail lamps, \$25 fine; failure to or improper signal, \$25 fine plus costs; speeding, \$26 fine/costs merged.

Paula Marie Brock: alcohol intoxication in public

place, \$50 fine and costs.

Joseph Campos: alcohol intoxication in public place, bw issued for fta.

David J. Couch: careless driving, \$50 fine and costs.

Paula Marie Dobbs: leaving scene of accident/failure to render aid or assistance, sentencing order entered.

Jonathan T. Allen: fines/fees due (\$163), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or full payment.

William Bentley Bailey: fines/fees due (\$283), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or full payment.

Joshua D. Bengel: fines/fees due (\$143), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or full payment.

Benfis Brown: fines/fees due (\$288), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or full payment.

Angela Chaney: menacing, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct, bw issued for fta.

Takina S. Cottrell: fines/fees due (\$1233), bw issued for fta/25 days in jail or full payment.

Tonya Denny: fines/fees due (\$143), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or payment in full.

Christopher Scott Farmer: fines/fees due

(\$156), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or full payment.

Amanda L. Goff: fines/fees due (\$238), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or full payment.

Roxanne N. Gregory: fines/fees due (\$341), bw issued for fta/7 days in jail or full payment.

James R. Haight: possession controlled substance, endangering welfare of minor, drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, possession of synthetic drugs, controlled substance prescription not in orig. container, bw issued.

Brandon J. Hoskins: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Crystal Isaacs: unlawful transaction w/minor, sentencing order entered.

Elisha L. Jasper: fines/fees due (\$406), bw issued for fta/9 days in jail or full payment.

Rodney G. Kelly: speeding (two counts), reckless driving, racing motor vehicle on public highway, license suspended for fta.

Harlan B. Lawson: fines/fees due (\$158), bw issued for fta.

Jeffrey D. Milburn: fines/fees due (\$153), bw issued for fta, 4 days in jail or full

payment.

Timothy S. Milburn: fines/fees due (\$208), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or full payment.

Laurie Mudd-Kirby: fines/fees due (\$183), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or full payment.

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

Jason L. Ring: reckless driving, \$100 fine plus costs.

Johnny Roundtree: fines/fees due (\$288), bw issued for fta/6 days in jail or full payment.

James Lee Seals: fines/fees due (\$183), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or full payment.

Jamie Sturgill: fines/fees due (\$133), bw issued for fta/3 days in jail or full payment.

Ana M. Valdez Ortiz: no/expired registration plates-receipt, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for fta.

Vernon L. Wilson: fines/fees due (\$153), bw issued for fta/4 days in jail or full payment.

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NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
RECOVERY BY ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY'S 2016 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") on January 29, 2016 in Case No. 2016-00026, an Application pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute 278.183 for approval of an amended compliance plan ("KU's 2016 Environmental Compliance Plan") for the purpose of recovering the capital costs associated with new pollution control facilities through an increase in the environmental surcharge on customers' bills beginning August 31, 2016 under KU's existing Electric Rate Schedule ECR, also known as the environmental cost recovery surcharge. The total capital cost of the projects in KU's 2016 Environmental Compliance Plan is estimated to be \$678 million.

Federal, state, and local environmental regulations require KU to build and upgrade equipment and facilities that produce energy from coal to operate in an environmentally sound manner. Specifically, KU is seeking Commission approval of Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity for the construction of Phase II of the landfill at the E.W. Brown Generation Station ("Brown"), and to close coal-combustion-residual ("CCR") ponds and construct new process-water facilities at Brown, the Ghent Generating Station ("Ghent"), and the Trimble County Generating Station. Each construction project is component of KU's 2016 Environmental Compliance Plan.

KU is also seeking an order declaring that CCR pond closures at the Green River Generating Station, Pineville Generating Station, and Tyrone Generating Station are ordinary extensions of existing systems of the usual course of business.

Lastly, KU is seeking an order approving an amended compliance plan for purposes of recovering the costs of new pollution control facilities through its Environmental Surcharge tariff. These projects are required for KU to comply with the federal Clean Air Act as amended, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's new rule on the Disposal of CCR from Electric Utilities, the Mercury Air Toxics Standards, and other environmental requirements that apply to KU facilities used in the production of energy from coal. In addition to the projects described above, additional projects in KU's 2016 Environmental Compliance Plan include installing improvements to the Wet Flue Gas Desulfurization systems on Ghent Unit 2 and installing improvements to the mercury-related control equipment of Ghent Units 1-4, thereby allowing additive injections to mitigate mercury emissions. The total capital cost of the new pollution control facilities for which KU is seeking recovery at this time is estimated to be \$640 million. Additional operation and maintenance expenses will be incurred for certain projects in KU's 2016 Environmental Compliance Plan and are costs that KU is requesting to recover through the environmental surcharge in its application.

The impact on KU's customers is estimated to be a 2.06% increase in 2016 with a maximum increase of 3.35% in 2019. For a KU residential customer using 1,146 kilowatt hours per month, the initial monthly increase is expected to be \$2.16 during 2016, with the maximum monthly increase expected to be \$3.52 during 2019.

The Environmental Surcharge Application described in this Notice is proposed by KU. However, the Public Service Commission may issue an order modifying or denying KU's Environmental Surcharge Application. Such action may result in an environmental surcharge for consumers other than the environmental surcharge described in this Notice.

Comments regarding KU's 2016 Environmental Surcharge Plan and Application may be submitted to the Public Service Commission through its Web site or by mail to the Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602.


Any corporation, association, body politic or person may, by motion within thirty (30) days after publication, request leave to intervene in Case No. 2016-00026. That motion shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Blvd., P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. Intervention may be granted beyond the thirty (30) day period for good cause shown, however, if the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of initial publication, the Commission may take final action on the application. Any person who has been granted intervention may obtain copies of the Application and testimony by contacting Kentucky Utilities Company at 220 West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky, 40202, Attention: State Regulation and Rates.

A copy of the Application and testimony is available for public inspection on KU's website (<http://www.lge-ku.com>), on the Commission's website (<http://www.psc.ky.gov>), and in paper medium Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the office of Kentucky Utilities Company, 100 Quality Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507 or the Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, after January 29, 2016.

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The RCMS softball team is so appreciative of Kentucky South Central Pools who presented them with a new Jugs Pitching Machine for the 2016 season. The company also purchased new home and away uniforms for the team. Pictured are: Principal Marcus Reppert, RCMS softball player Allison Coffey, Softball Coach Ainsley Bussell, and Kentucky South Central Pools owner Helen Cameron.

DAR and local students participate in Valentines for Veterans Project

The Rockcastle Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution along with local students from the middle and elementary schools participated in the annual Valentines for Veterans Project as part of the National Salute to Veteran Patients Week. The week of February 9th each year is the community's opportunity to say thank you to more than 98,000 Veterans of the U.S. armed services who are cared for everyday in Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) medical centers, outpatient clinics, domiciliary and nursing homes.

During the National Salute, the VA invites individuals, Veterans groups, military personnel, civic organizations, businesses, schools, local media, celebrities and sports stars to participate in a variety of activities at the VA medical centers. Activities and events in VA facilities across the U.S. include special ward visits and valentine distributions; photo opportunities; school essay contests; special recreation activities and Veteran recognition programs.

Valentines for Veterans began in 1989 when the late newspaper columnist, Ann Landers, encouraged her

readers to create special valentines for Veterans in care facilities throughout the United States and Canada. She asked her readers to remember the valiant sacrifices of their nation's Veterans by making them personal hand-crafted valentines. Through the efforts of local DAR members and students, Rockcastle Chapter collected and sent over 300 valentines to the VA Hospital in Lexington, KY. The Chapter would like to express a special thank you to the participating teachers for getting their students involved with its project to honor Veterans.

Minds in the Middle

Congratulations to our recent kind kid of the week, Dylan Bullen.

Next Friday, February 19th will be Hat Day. Students can pay \$1 to wear a hat and proceeds will go to the Wounded Warrior Program and to March of Dimes.

We will also be duct taping the principal next Friday. Students can pay \$1 for a piece of duct tape and help

tape Mr. Reppert to the wall. Money raised will go toward the 8th grade trip.

Continue to collect Box Tops for Education. The end date for this collection period is February 24th.

Studies have shown that artwork in the healthcare setting have direct benefits to patients during the healing process. With this in mind, the Cancer Care center at Rockcastle Hospital

would like to display some artwork from RCMS students. Students who submit artwork will be in a drawing for a \$25 Wal-mart card. Students can see Mrs. Cromer for the necessary registration form and paper.

The deadline for any 8th graders who are interested in applying for the Rogers Scholars summer program is Monday, February 15th. See Mrs. Cromer or Mrs.

Bullock for information or assistance.

Remember to order your yearbook. The cost is \$35. Additional forms are available in the office if needed.

Eighth graders finally took over the top spot in our weekly attendance races. Congratulations to Mr. Geentry's Challengers homeroom on winning first

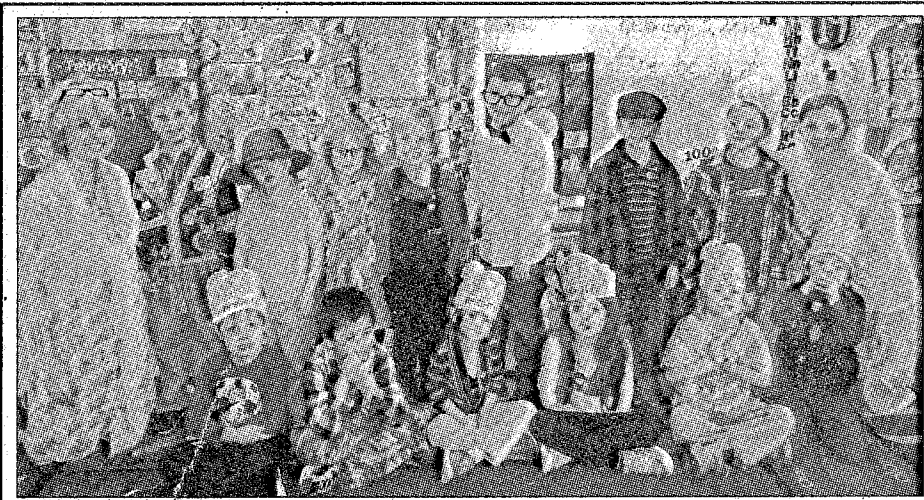
place last week. In 2nd place was Mrs. Stewart's 6th grade Voyagers followed by Mr. Mattingly's 7th grade Shooting Stars in 3rd place.

There will be a Valentine's Day dance this Friday, February 12th. Tickets to the dance will be \$3 each. Profits will go to the 8th grade trip fund. We

need parents of 8th grade students to donate items to sell for the dance. Canned drinks, candy bars, and individual bags of chips would be greatly appreciated.

ESS takes place each Thursday now. Transportation is provided.

There is no school on Monday, Presidents' Day, February 15th.



Ms. Kami Lovell's Class was one of the many classes at MVES that had lots of fun celebrating the 100th day of school.

Mt. Vernon Message

School News

Archery practice is each Monday from 3:15 until 4:55.

Brownies (2nd & 3rd Grades) will meet each Wednesday from 3:30 until 4:30.

Tutoring will be each Tuesday from 3:30 until 4:30. Parents must pick up their children.

FRC Jump Rope Club meets each Thursday at 3:30.

Students enjoyed their 100th day of school with a variety of activities. Pictured below are just a few of the fun learning activities from that day.

KINDERGARTEN
FUN: Mrs. Lora's class

dressed as 100 year olds! Rhonda VanHoose, Brayden Isaacs, Jacob Reynolds, Brooklyn Doan, Aiden Lear, Lora Lambert. Ms. Kami Lovell's Class had lots of fun celebrating the 100th day. We dressed as 100 years old, counted 100 items, and had lots of fun.

Mrs. Kathy's and Mrs. Kaci's first grade classes had a great time celebrating the 100th day of school! The students spent the day working through eight different stations with 100th day activities. The stations included using a pencil eraser to paint 100 gumballs in a gumball machine, building with 100 pattern


blocks, making their own 100th day crown, a one hundred square name design, working together as a team to build a pyramid using 100 red cups, counting by tens to "scoop" ice cream, building a 100 chart puzzle, and preparing their own snack mix.

Connor McGuire was the MVES Spelling Winner! He went on to the District Level to compete with the other school level winners. Connor came in 2nd place at the District Level. Congratulations Connor!!



56th Annual Farmers/Businessmen Banquet


March 1, 2016



Guest Speaker will be Mr. Warren Beeler,
Executive Director of Governor's Office of
Agricultural Policy.

Ticket Price: \$18
Rockcastle County Middle School
Doors Open at 6:00 p.m.
Dinner Served at 6:30 p.m.

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"Depot"

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nights and hosts other events as well, Medley is a long way from finished with the building.

"There is another section in the other side of the building where we hope to open a wholesome movie theater," said Medley. "No movie will ever play here that is more than a PG rating," he said. "Parents turn their kids loose these days at a mall or a movie complex and they could be exposed to some very unwholesome movies. Here, parents won't have to worry about that."

Medley likes the idea of a Sunday matinee where kids can watch a cartoon. "We hope to make a theater where kids are exposed to good, wholesome movies and values," he said, "A place where parents would know their kids are safe with us."

Medley said he is seeking funding and the possibility of some grants to help the movie theater along but it's clear that he doesn't plan to give up on the issue.

In the mean time, the community center is up and running and available for rent should anyone have a need.

For information about the center or to schedule an event, call Michael Smith at (606) 308-9339.

Or, if you are simply looking for a place to go to warm your hands by an old coal stove with some gospel music in the background, go by the Old Depot building on any Friday night around 7 o'clock.

Have an idea for a news story that you would like to read in *The Mount Vernon Signal*?
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LEADERSHIP ROCKCASTLE

Accepting Applications for
Class of 2016

This year's program will kick off Thursday, March 17th with a full day session trip to Frankfort to tour the State Capitol.

On Saturday, April 23rd, we will have a full day session facilitated by Brushy Fork Institute.

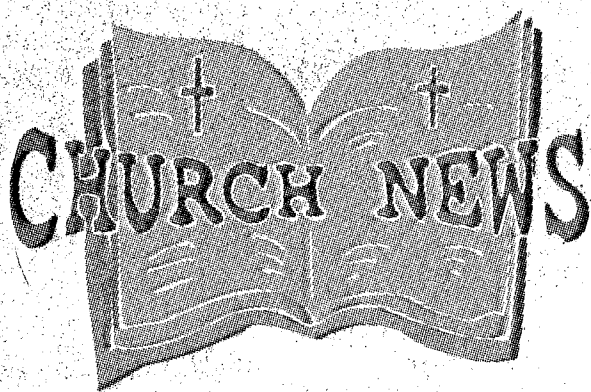
Six sessions will take place once a month from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at various locations around the county.

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or contact Lynn Tatum at 606-308-4646, email lylltatum@yahoo.com.



Republican Presidential Caucus set for March 5th at RCMS

On Saturday, March 5th, Kentucky Republicans will vote on their nominee for President. Rockcastle Republicans will vote at the Rockcastle County Middle School between 10 a.m. & 4 p.m. Absentee ballot applications can be found at www.rpk.org/caucus and the application must be submitted by February 19th. Call Republican Chair Doris Cromer at 606-308-9704 for assistance.

Free Bible Courses

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

Let the Bible Speak

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

Celebrate Recovery

Celebrate Recovery classes are held every Tuesday night, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church.

Celebrate Recovery is a 12-step Christ-Centered program and is a safe place to share and begin healing from all hurts, hang-ups and habits. Meal at 6 p.m., music at 6:45 p.m., followed by a Celebrate Recovery lesson or an amazing testimony of a transformed life! At 8 p.m., you can join a small group discussion. All sessions are designed to provide the strength to overcome hurts, habits and hang-ups. Large group at 7 p.m.

Come and be inspired and begin your journey of healing! Child care and transportation provided. Call 606-256-5577.

Gospel Singing

Lighthouse Baptist Church will hold a Gospel

Singing on Saturday, February 13th, beginning at 6 p.m. featuring the Adams Family from Ohio.

The church is located at 1391 Gabbardtown Road, Berea.

Special Service

There will be a Special Saturday Service at Berea Gospel Tabernacle, US 25 in Berea, on February 13th, beginning at 7 p.m. Speaker will be Rev. Jimmy Miller. Pastor Eugene Webb and congregation invite everyone.

Fellowship Meeting

There will be a Full Gospel Ministerial Assn. Fellowship Meeting at Livingston Pentecostal Church on Monday, Feb. 15th, beginning at 7 p.m. Bro. Ernie Wyatt will be the speaker.

Bro. Jim Miller and congregation welcome you.

Philadelphia Baptist Church News

Sunday services 10 a.m. to noon and 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study at 7 p.m.

We are at the Brodhead Nursing Home the first Sunday of each month.

We are planning a lot of things for this spring and summer. Our church has sure been blessed.

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Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Pastor: Bill Davis
bhop@ymail.com

Berea Gospel Tabernacle
231 US 25 South
Berea, KY
Tuesday Night 7 p.m.
Sunday Night 6 p.m.
Pastor: Eugene Webb

Bible Baptist Church
100 Higher Ground (off US 25)
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Church Phone 606-256-5913
e-mail: www.biblebaptist.org
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship/Children's Church 11 a.m.

Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Video services Tues., Thurs., & Sat. at 11 a.m., 4 p.m. & 9 p.m.
Channel 3 - New Wave
Cable Channel 5 in Berea and Richmond 1 p.m. Wednesdays
Pastor: Don Stayton
Associate Pastor/Youth: Bro. Jeremy Ellis
Secretary: Jo Roberts
Music Director: Dan Dull

Blue Springs Church of Christ
7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd)
Services: Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Preaching Brethren
Gary Reppert, Doug Hawkins
Marcus Reppert
Contact Info: Marcus Reppert
104 Byrda Way • Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-308-2794
marcistreppert24@hotmail.com

Bride of Christ Church
100 High St. Mt. Vernon
Sundays 6:00 p.m.
Thursdays 7:00 p.m.

606-416-7136
606-379-6335

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

Brodhead Church of God
Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead

758-8216
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday evening 7 p.m.
Terry Orcutt, Pastor

Brush Creek Holiness Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
Tuesday Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.
Lonnie R. McGuire, Pastor

Buffalo Baptist Church
Located 15 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd.)
606-256-4988
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:15 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Tim Owens, Pastor

Calloway Baptist Church
76 Calloway Branch Rd.
(Off US 25) • Calloway
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
George Renner, Pastor
606-224-4641

Central Baptist Church
86 Maintenance Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
606-256-2988
centralbaptistky.org
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Bro. Philip Scott

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Hwy. 1912
308-2806 - 256-4138 - 256-5977
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Terry Thornton, Minister

Climax Holiness Church
Sunday Night Worship 6 p.m.
Thursday Nights 7 p.m.
3rd Sat. of every month at 7 p.m.

Conway Missionary Baptist
116 Meadow Lark Lane
Berea, KY 40403
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship

11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service and Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Meetings: Sunday 5 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Bobby Turner, Pastor
606-758-4007

Crab Orchard Pentecostal
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tuesday Evening 7 p.m.
Pastor: Donald King
606-355-7595

Crossroads Assembly of God
Hwy. 150 • Brodhead
Bro. Steven Vanhook, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Dixie Park Cornerstone
700 N. Powell St. Berea, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Joe Vanwinkle, Pastor

Fairground Hill Community Holiness Church
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Thursday Service 7 p.m.
Robert Miller, Pastor

Fairview Baptist Church
520 Fairview Loop Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Choir 6 p.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Sunday Adult Choir 8 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Creative Ministry 6 p.m.
Bible Study 7 p.m.
Youth Ministry QUEST 7 p.m.
RAs and GAs 7 p.m.
Mission Friends 6 p.m.
Vaughn Risor, Pastor
606-256-3722
email: fairviewbapt@aol.com

Faith Chapel Pentecostal
S. Wilderness Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.
Jack Carpenter, Pastor

First Baptist Church
340 West Main Street
Mt. Vernon, Ky. 606-256-2922
Neal Thornton, Pastor
Jesse Wright,
Assoc. Pastor/Youth
website: www.fbcmtvky.org
email: fbcmtvernon@newwave.net
Sunday Services: 8:20 a.m., 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.
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Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Flat Rock Missionary Baptist
504 Maple Grove Rd. Hwy. 1004
Orlando, Ky.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Fellowship Hour 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.
Jack Stallworth, Pastor

Freedom Baptist Church
Freedom School Rd.
Mt. Vernon
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
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606-256-2968

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Randal Adams, Pastor
Youth Pastor, Scott Adams
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wed. Evening 7 p.m.

Lighthouse Assembly of God
Hwy. 1004 • Orlando, Ky.
Tim Hampton, Pastor
606-256-4884 • 606-308-2342
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Tues. Night Intercessory Prayer 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 p.m.

Little Country Church
Jarber Rd.
Turn left off Rev. Green Loop onto Jarber Rd.
Jack Weaver, Pastor
Sunday 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.
Livingston Baptist
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Children's Church 11 a.m.
Prayer Meeting/Bible Study Wednesday 7 p.m.
Gary Parker, Pastor

Livingston Christian Church
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Arthur Hunt, Minister

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

Macedonia Baptist
Scaffold Cane Road
Mount Vernon, Ky.
Bro. Barry Hurst, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Maple Grove Baptist
Hwy. 1004 (Big Cave Road)
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Home Phone 606-256-3075
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
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Mareburg Baptist Church
2617 New Brodhead Rd.
Mt. Vernon, KY 40456
Wayne Harding, Pastor
Phone: 256-8844
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m.
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Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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mareburgchurch@yahoo.com

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Jerry Ballinger, Pastor

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
David Smith, Pastor
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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5 p.m.

New Hope Baptist Church
Jct. 1797 New Hope Tower Rd.
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
Bro. David Carpenter, Pastor
Northside Baptist Church
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(Off 461 bypass) Mt. Vernon
606-256-5577
Kenny Allen, Pastor

Ottawa Baptist Church
1074 Ottawa Rd. • Brodhead
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Children's Church 11 a.m.
Sunday Discipleship Training/Youth Mission Groups 6 p.m.
Wednesday Services
Youth Choir 6 p.m.
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Jim Craig, Pastor • 758-8453
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515 Williams St (across from MVES)
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606-256-4170
Mass Times:
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.
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Fr. Michael Flanagan, Pastor
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Tom Darst, Maintenance

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7 p.m.
Saturday Service 7 p.m.
Gordon Mink, Pastor
606-308-5368

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Sun. Evening Worship 6 p.m.
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859-986-1579
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:30 p.m.
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Wednesday Prayer Meeting & Youth Service at 7:00 p.m.
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www.WhatSaiithTheScriptures.com

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Jason Brown, Pastor
606-308-1272
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Sand Hill Baptist Church
Sand Hill Rd.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Night 5:00 p.m.
Thursday Night 6 p.m.
Pastor Tommy Miller

Sand Springs Baptist
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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 6 p.m.
Pastor: Bro. Eugene Gentry

Scaffold Cane Baptist
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Night 7 p.m.
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

Union Chapel Pentecostal
1505 Union Chapel Rd.
Brodhead, Ky.
Letcher Napier, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Thursday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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4 miles off US 25 on Wildie Rd.
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Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Berea, Ky. 40403
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.
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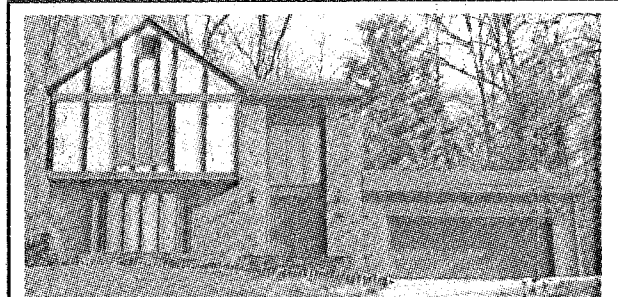
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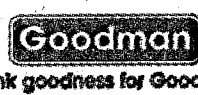
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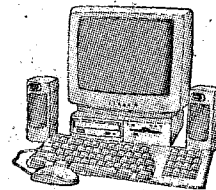
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Cameron Smith, Jaken Masters, and Antonio Rose showing their best impersonation of themselves at 100 years old. Logan Fry, and Callie Thacker with their best impersonation, while Isabella Whitaker, Ella Bussell, Averi Dillingham, and Haven King show off their creative 100 days T-shirt.

Kindergarten students get down to the nitty gritty on tooth hygiene with a visit from the Tooth Fairy. The Tooth Fairy stopped by Brodhead Elementary to talk to our kindergarten students on the importance of dental care. Students were able to validate their newly sharpened skills with the learning tools that the Tooth Fairy brought for demonstration. A special thanks to Ms. Sherry Spragens for helping arrange our time with the Tooth Fairy.

Rockcastle County Schools celebrated students 100th day Wednesday, February 3rd. Brodhead students celebrated in a variety of ways around the school. Many dressed to impersonate themselves as 100 years old, others revealed various 100 items on individually unique shirts, and classrooms were filled with activities centered around the number 100.



Pictured with the Tooth Fairy is Lacey Hayes, Abby Bussell, Jace Brock, and Portia Sargent. Showing off their skills is William Mahaffey, and Jeremy Felty.

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Library News

February is Love Your Library month. During the month of February, when you return any overdue items, your overdue fees will be forgiven! Please return your items as soon as possible. You may contact the library at 606-256-2388 to find out if you have any overdue items.

The library will be having Computer Basic classes. Registration is required for the classes. The classes are free of cost. Computers will be provided. Secession One will be Monday, February 22 at 10:00am; Secession Two will be Wednesday, February 24 at 10:00am, and Secession Three will be Monday, February 29 at 10:00am. Topics to be covered include: Basic Usage, Email, Internet, and Microsoft Word. You may contact the library at 256-2388 to register for the classes or if you have any questions.

Storytime is every Friday at 1:00pm for children ages 3-5. This past Friday, February 5, we read "Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Do You Hear?" and made polar bear with puffy paint. This

Friday, February 12, we will be having a Valentine's Day Party. Parents are welcome to bring a pre-packaged snack and valentine cards

for the children. Snacks and a treat bag will be provided. Please contact Mrs. Carla McFerron at 256-2388 if you have any questions.

T.J.'s Journal

by: Tonya J. Cook



Feeding Your Wolf

Dear Journal,
Stanley and I have been to the quarterly gathering of the Southeastern Kentucky Shawnee today. It was, as usual, very much fun. We saw many good friends that we don't get to see very often, and met some new prospective friends.

The gathering serves as an educational tool, as well. Several native dances were demonstrated with several people participating. The potato dance, with a couple pressing a potato against each other's foreheads as they dance to the music was a favorite. If a couple allowed the potato to fall to the floor, they were disqualified.

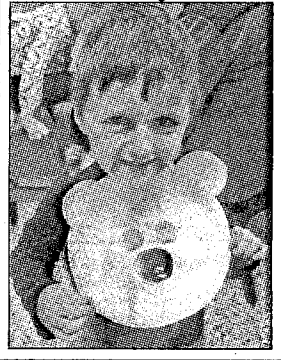
The second dance was the snake dance. The dancers formed a line and wove and twisted and turned to the music. If the head of the snake "bit" its tail, that person was disqualified. The third dance was the broom dance. A couple would dance in a circle with the female trying to keep her partner from being touched by a person in the center of the circle, who is trying to touch her partner with a broom. If they were

touched, that person moved to the center of the ring to take the broom.

Rarely do I come away from the gathering without a tidbit of wisdom. Martha Jones, wife of Tribal Elder, Tom Jones, told a wonderful story. There was once a little boy talking with his grandfather. The grandfather explained to the little boy that two wolves lived inside of everybody. "Two wolves?" questioned the little boy. "Yes", replied his grandfather. He explained that one wolf was evil, dwelling on evil things. It loved the self, never thinking of others, focusing on negative things such as jealousy, greed, envy, and strife, and hated truth, justice, and fairness. The other wolf was the opposite. It thrived on generosity, a genuine caring for others and their feelings, truth, justice, joyfulness, and focusing on the positive always. The grandfather explained that these two wolves were constantly fighting with all of us on the inside. The little boy questioned his grandfather, "Which wolf wins, Grandfather?" The grandfather replied, "The wolf that is fed."



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