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Livingston Homecoming

The 2019 Livingston Homecoming will be Friday-Sunday, August 30-September land, as usual, there is a full weekend of family fun events planned. Many topname bands will be performing while demonstrations and vendors will line the streets of Livingston. For more information call (606) 453-2061. Everyone is invited to attend all of the events which will culminate with the usual fireworks display Sunday night at 10 p.m.

Recycle center

The Rockcastle County Recycling Center is open Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Center is located at 2528 South Wilderness Road next to the Rockcastle County Road Department Garage.

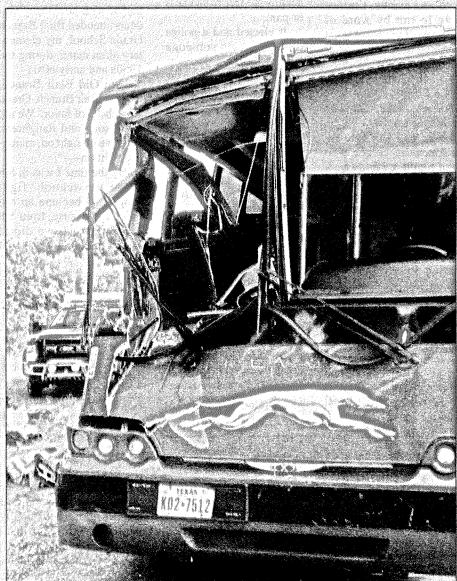
River Sweep

Don't forget the River Sweep is this Saturday, August 24. from 8 a.m. to noon. Meet where you ford the river to Wildcat Mountain. For more information, call (606) 256-1902

Twenty years ago

It was 20 years ago that the Columbine incident took place as Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold stormed the school killing several students and teachers. That year Rockcastle County joined schools across the nation in beefing up security. The average price for gasoline in 1999 was \$1.17 per gallon.

Bus and truck crash on I-75



17 passengers were transported to area hospitals after a Greyhound Bus crashed into a flatbed truck on I-75 last Thursday, August 15. According to several reports, the driver of the bus, Vincent Watts, 64, of Georgia, may have been using a cell phone moments before the crash occurred after his bus apparently veered from the center lane and hit the truck driven by Cary Harrison of Richmond. The accident is under investigation by the Greyhound Bus company and the Kentucky State Police Vehicle Enforcement Unit. Northbound lanes of I-75 were closed while crews cleaned debris from the roadway and transported injured victims.

17 injured

By: Mike French

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A crash on I-75 in Rockcastle County Thursday, August 15, has become the fo-

cus of news stories across the state in the week since the accident. At about 4:30 p.m. that Thursday, a Greyhound bus, driven by Vincent Watts, 64, of Atlanta, Georgia, was

traveling in the center north bound lane of I-75 near mile marker 71, when it apparently veered into the right lane and struck a flatbed truck driven by Cary Harrison of Richmond. Northbound lanes were closed for several hours while

crews from Madison County and Rockcastle County cleared the scene debris and treated 17 injured passengers that had been on the bus.

All 17 injured parties were transported to Rockcastle and Madison County hospitals.

Passengers told news crews that two passengers were trapped in the front of the bus and other passengers had to exit from the rear of the bus while crews worked to free those injured.

One passenger told reporters there was "glass everywhere and everyone was screaming and crying.

There were no fatalities and investigators began looking into the incident. Then a passenger sent a photo of Watts on a cell phone while he was driving the bus. A time stamp on the photo showing the driver using the cell phone while driving, indicated it was taken minutes before the crash.

Officials with Greyhound say their company has a zero tolerance policy concerning cell phone usage while driving and Watts has reportedly been placed "out of service" while the company investigates the incident along with Kentucky State Police Vehicle Enforcement.

Greyhound sent another bus to pick up the remaining passengers who were traveling from Atlanta to Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Rockcastle County Sheriff's Department, Mount Vernon Police Department, Mount Vernon Fire Department, Brodhead Fire Department, Kentucky State Police, Kentucky State Vehicle Enforcement, Rockcastle EMS, Madison County EMS and the Mount Vernon Police Department all worked the scene which is still under investigation.

Watts is facing penalty from the Greyhound company

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Police and school work to keep students safe

By: Mike French Editor

For several years, officials of the Rockcastle County School system have voluntarily implemented safety measures that have only recently become required. But, with the recent passage of Senate Bill 1, even more guidelines are

now in place. "We have always been proactive about keeping our kids safe and we had already met most of the new requirements," said School Superintendent David Pensol. But now, even more safety measures are about to take place.

Through a cooperative effort between the school system, the Rockcastle County Sheriff's office, Mount Vernon Police Chief Brian Carter, Rockcastle County Attorney Jeremy Rowe, County Judge/Executive Howell Holbrook and the Kentucky State Police, the local school system is continuing to go even further than required to keep students safe.

"We are working together to provide Rockcastle County students, faculty and staff with the safest possible environment while complying with SB1," said Rockcastle County Sheriff Shannon Franklin.

Franklin says the school system is making the right moves to keep local students safe. "As a first step, the Board of Education has hired retired Kentucky State Trooper Tom Atkin as District School Safety Administrator," said Franklin.

Atkin had been working with the school system in a similar capacity for over a year and Pensol said his service up to now has been "invaluable." But now, his more detailed duties will be to eventually oversee a safety administrator at each school and to help design and continually improve the school safety guidelines above and beyond SB1.

Sheriff Franklin recently officially named Atkin as a Special Deputy so that in the event that the administrator has to take some form of action, he will be acting with the authority of the sheriff's department.

Pensol said the goal of keeping student safety a top priority at each school is an evolving effort and he, as well as board members and a students, faculty or staff to agencies, will be working daily to improve safety.

Franklin agrees. "All local enforcement agencies are joining the board of education to formulate plans and training activities to provide all students with a safe learning environment."

The Department of Homeland Security has also created an emergency button on the school website for

all local law enforcement report anonymously any suspicions they may have.

Officials at the school say this will help provide a way for anyone with suspicions to know where to go to report such thoughts or to voice any safety concern.

The first ever interagency meeting with the school board and several law enforcement agencies will be held tonight, Thursday, Au-

Local woman arrested for having fake prescriptions

By: Mike French Editor

A local woman has written her own prescription to jail, according to Rockcastle County Attorney Jeremy Rowe's office.

A criminal complaint, filed by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, says Kentucky State Police Trooper Adam Hensley arrested Sarah Childress, address unknown, after she was caught writing her own prescriptions for medications.

The complaint says Childress was found in criminal possession of a forged prescription.

Childress is accused of presenting a prescription to the local Rite-Aid Pharmacy in Mount Vernon on Mon-

Local man faces

day, July 29 but the date on the prescription form was 7-29-18 instead of 7-29-19.

As a standard precaution the pharmacist called the signing doctor to confirm that a simple error had occurred but they, instead, were informed that Childress was an employee of that doctor but had never been a patient.

Upon investigating the

(See "Fake" on A5)

Council discusses past year's success

Growth expected to come

By: Mike French Editor

At the September regular meeting, Mount Vernon City Councilmembers, and Mayor Mike Bryant, spent some time reflecting over the past year's projects and activities.

"We passed a lot of new things this year and I believe they are very positive for our community," said the Mayor. "I think it was all positive because it is all working and the city is doing well."

The mayor said the credit for the positive growth goes to the entire community and all of the government entities in the county since they worked together closely last year. "We're visibly seeing the positive changes in our community partly because the city works so well with all the other cities in the county as well as with the county," he said. "I attribute our growth, and the potential new growth that is coming, to working so well with each other."

Mayor Bryant is referring

to the new TIF district and new Microfoodery plant as well as expected growth around the Renfro Valley

City Administrator Josh reminded Bray councilmembers of many potential new projects coming to the area, including a possible new gas line, new convenient stores, the widening of U.S. 461 and discussions with businesses interested in locating in the TIF District. "We are in talking stages right now but what we expect to be coming to Mount Vernon will be tremendous growth," Bray

Though Bray says the companies he and RCIDA officials and the county are working with could change the entire look of the city of Mount Vernon, he is not able to elaborate yet on what types of businesses may be coming to the new district. "It's big. The potential for our city and county are huge right now."

Councilmembers also (See "City" on A5)

many charges By: Mike French **Editor**

A simple "what are you

up to?" turned into 13 charges, including methamphetamine charges, against a Rockcastle County man Saturday, August 17. According to a citation,

Rockcastle County Deputy Kirk Mays spotted John

Griffith, 43, of Mount Vernon sitting on a motorcycle next to the Valero station when he stopped to see what Griffith "was up to." When the deputy pulled in, Griffith pulled away on the moped-style vehicle.

Mays then pulled Griffith over and discovered his li-

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ramblings...

by: perlina m. anderkin

If you really want to feel your age, go to your 60th class reunion as I did last weekend. It really brought home how long I have been on this earth and how poorly most of my classmates have aged -- just kidding. Most of them looked really good for being 78.

It was fun and sad. The organizers had compiled a list of all the classmates who had died and it was sad to see the 24 names, especially since we only started with 59.

I will never understand why most of the ones who

didn't make it to the event were those who live in and around Versailles. Is it because they really didn't like us or because they get to see the other graduates that live in the area anyway and don't care to see those of us who don't?

Anyway, even daughter Paige, who drew the short straw and accompanied me, seemed to enjoy the night.

It is being brought home, forcibly, to me once again how fleeting summer is. I can't believe that

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JVET rench

Ok. I'm gonna run for President. I've made up my mind. Let's do this.

But my campaign will be different. I'm not going to spend any money. I'm just going to run by word of mouth. So, if you want to get me on the ballot, you better start spreading the word.

I want to see people do well in life.

If elected I will eliminate the income tax.

If elected I will send every American citizen who doesn't have a job a check for \$50,000. If that money should happen to run out, give my office a call. We will see about getting you some more.

If elected all food and clothing will be free from then on.

If you are hungry, go get whatever you want. No charge. And if you want clothes, go get some. No problem. Everyone has a God-given right to food and clothing. What kind of despicable person would want someone to go hungry or

naked?

If elected, I'll see to it that doctor and hospital visits are free. Always. Everyone has a right to a healthy life free of sickness or pain.

If elected and a police officer arrests someone who says the words, "hey, the cop is a racist," then the accused criminal is free to go. Clearly, we can't have racism in our country.

If elected, all education will be free. Everyone has a right to an equal start in life and it's just not fair that some people can afford school and others can't. So, now, it's all free. Go ahead and learn all you went.

In the past century, transportation has become an essential part of life. Everyone has the right to be able to go somewhere.

So, if elected, everyone gets a car. That's right. A better car than Oprah gives away too. I mean a cool car

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Points East By Ike Adams



The most commonly queried email I have dealt with, over the last week, has had to with how many students attended Blair Branch Grade School, my elementary alma mater, during the 1950s and early 60s.

"On Old Blair Branch. On Old Blair Branch. Grand old school of favor. We are loyal sons and daughters, gaily we go right on, marching right on----"

By the time I was in 8th grade the school "fight song" had become an old memory because, from 5th grade upward, we didn't have a principal who could

carry the tune in a coal bucket. Neither of the other 2 teachers seemed much interested in singing.

When I started first grade, there were 11 kids in my class and 11 in the 8th grade. My best guess is that the entire student body was about 85 in 1955. When I finished 8th grade in the spring of 1963, there were 8 students in the class. I can name every one of them. I have an old Mountain Eagle clipping that says the school had 68 students that year, but that our class would be

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We would also like to thank all the parents, players, and volunteers who made the RCMS Rock Hard Bowl game a huge success! Rockcastle County Middle School Football Staff



The Green Bean Stringing Dear Journal,

A few days ago I was just thinking out loud and had commented that I sure would enjoy some fresh garden green beans. We haven't raised a garden in a few years, so there went our good green beans. Since then we have to rely on farmers markets and the grocery stores. Stanley took a list and went to the grocery store shopping last week. To my surprise he brought home a "mess" of green beans. I was absolutely delighted. It doesn't take much to please me now that I've reached that certain age, as I often say.

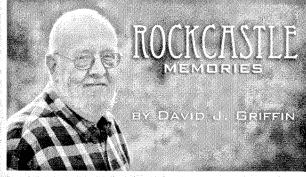
I saved them until the weekend so we could have a really good meal and I could have time to cook at my leisure. I love to cook if I have the time and don't have to rush. I decided to



have them for Sunday's meal. I thought about what I could have with them and decided on some turkey breast I had in the freezer. I made myself comfortable in the living room and began the process of getting the beans ready.

As I sat there and broke the beans my mind wandered back to my childhood. Back in those days, you had to string the

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At home in Rockcastle County

Last week my brother, Al, and I were discussing the early history of our family, and I learned things that I had never heard before. I suppose you are never too old to learn new information.

Since I was not born until 1944 and AI is my older brother, he was able to provide some background to my life with information about our parents of which I was unaware. He explained that some of these facts and details were established by personal notes written by our mother, whom we always, called Bee

On June 23, 1939, Bee

and Daddy purchased a piece of property from her father, Eugene Stokes (Pop). The location was on US25, near the Pine Grove section of Rockcastle County. At the time, my parents were living in a rented house behind Helton's Store on US25 in the same section of the county. They paid Pop \$250 for the lot. That same year, they built a four-room structure for \$900. The family, including Al, moved into the new home in 1940.

Then everything changed for the entire country. On December 7, 1941, Pearl Harbor was attacked by the Japanese, At the time,

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Livingston Homecoming **2019**

Friday August 30th Saturday August 31st Sunday September 1st

7pm - Gospel Singing
Featuring
" Destiny"
"Ralph Allen & Friends"
"Williamsburg Gospel Band"
"Sister Judy O'Brien"
"The Jones Family"
And many morel



Food! Vendors! Music! 8am - Livingston Leap 5K Homecoming Homestyle Breakfast in school cafe 10am - Parade Line up 11am - Parade 12pm Awards Program 2pm - Rockastle Shao-Lin do Karate Demo

Bluegrass " 5pm + "Jaclyn Bullock" 6pm- "Heidi & Ryan" 8pm – "Blind Ricky"

3pm - "Gospel Traditions



1pm - Devotional with
Bro. Tornmy Miller
2pm - Pet Show
3pm - Watermelon
Eating Contest
4pm - "Paul Ponders Pink
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Rockcastle Garden Club Meeting

The Rockcastle Garden Club will meet Monday, August 26th at the Extension Office on West Main St. at 6 p.m. The theme will be "Celebrating the Tomato." Please bring your favorite "named" tomato for the taste test. The variety must be known to enter. Place your tomato or tomatoes in individual ziploc bags with the variety and your name. Specimens must be turned in by 5:45. The tomato theme will also be carried over into the refreshments. Members are asked to bring a tomato-based dish to share or any type of appetizer to nibble between tomato samples to cleanse the palate. This promises to be a fun time for all. The Rockcastle Garden Club invites members of the public to attend and share in this celebration of America's favorite fruit.

2019 Hummel Homecoming

Come join us and see friends and relatives you haven't seen since last year on Saturday, August 31st, beginning at noon. The event will be held across the tracks on Hummel Road in Hummel Holler. Bring a covered dish. For more information, call 606-308-3466 or 606-308-9587.

Pine Hill School Reunion

The Pine Hill School Reunin will be held Saturday, August 31st at Pine Hill Church Fellowship Hall. Bring a covered dish. The event will begin around noon.

Benefit Singing for Bradley Family

There will be a Benefit Singing for the family of the late Michael Bradley on Saturday, August 24th, beginning at 6 p.m. in the RCHS auditorium. There will be concessions, a raffle and a silent auction (items will be in the cafeteria). Admission is free with donations accepted at the door.

MVHS Class of '69 Reunion is September 14th

The Mt. Vernon High Schoool, Class of 1969, will be celebrating their 50th high school reunion with the Mt. Vernon High School Alumni Association on Saturday, September 14, 2019. The reunion will be held at Rockcastle County Middle School at 6 p.m., with doors opening at 4 p.m. If you, or anyone you know was associated with this class or you would like more details of the event, please contact Loretta Powell at 859-302-8411. There are a few classmates we have been unable to locate and just want to make sure we don't miss anyone.

MVHS Homecoming Reunion

The Mt. Vernon High School Homecoming Reunion is scheduled for September 14th at Rockcastle County Middle School. Invitations have been mailed. Please return your invitation as soon as possible as we must plan for the amount of food to order. This reunion is for everyone who ever attended Mt. Vernon High School. We will honor the class of 1969 as this is their 50th year. Registration begins at 4:30 p.m.. and the meal will be served at 6 p.m. Home to see you there.

Celebrate Sobriety Service

CrossPoint Church of God will host a monthly Celebrate Sobriety Service on the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. We are located at 211 Industrial Park Road (across from the high school) in Mt. Vernon, KY. Call 859-582-2553 with any questions.

Chamber of Commerce Meetings

The Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce meets once a month, on the third Tuesday, at noon at Limestone Grille. All members are encouraged to attend.

VFW Post Item

VFW Post 5908 at Lake Linville welcomes all members and is also looking for new and associate members. New hours are: Wed. - Sat., 5 p.m. to ? Call 606-386-1490 for more information.

Rockcastle County Recovery Meetings Monday-Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Communit

Monday-Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Community Outreach Center, 6 to 8 p.m. Leaders: Nathan DeLeon 859-230-9590/Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099.

Tuesday-Celebrate Recovery-Mt. Vernon - Northside Baptist Church, 606-256-5577 Tuesday, 6 to 8 p.m.. •••Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride in the church van.

Wednesday-Celebrate Recovery Step Studies. Men Only. Northside Baptist, 606-256-5577, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Men Only. Small group.

Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies - Women Only. Community Outreach Center, Brodhead, Thursday, 6 p.m. Leader: Katheryn Pope, 606-308-3099. AA Meeting, 8 to 9 p.m. Men and Women, everyone welcome!

Friday-Celebrate Recovery-Livingston School Cafe, Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828. Friday, 6 to 8 p.m.

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 Catholic Church on Williams St. in Mt. Vernon.

Kiwanis Club Meetings

The Rockcastle Kiwanis Club meets every Thursday at noon at the Limestone Grill. Everyone is invited.

American Legion Post 71

American Legion Post 71 meets the second Thursday at 6 p.m. of each month at the Limestone Grill. Commander Rick Bobo (308-2271) invites all Rockcastle veterans to join this organization that honors American soldiers, sailors and airmen.

"ramblings"

(Cont. from A2) school is already back in session and Labor Day, the official end of summer, is only one week away.

I have spent most of the summer indoors. I'm not a big work in my yard person and I truly do enjoy sitting in the air conditioned comfort of my family room watching TV. Of course summer TV is terrible but Paige introduced me to Netflix this summer and I have binge-watched several shows.

It was funny at one point when I read where the Obamas had been given millions of dollars for some reason by Netflix to do something, and I informed Paige that I was going to cancel it and she just as quickly informed me that I couldn't because I wasn't paying for it, she was. Seems she downloaded her subscription to my TV and it wasn't really my choice whether or not it got cancelled.

So, I have made good use of her Netflix. I have binge watched *Friends*, *Longmire*, *Bosch*, *Stranger Things* and others and have enjoyed all of them thoroughly.

We resumed our bowling league this week and I came to work Wednesday morning having considerable trouble functioning.

Bowling is not really a big exercise sport but when you're my age, it seems like it's a pretty big deal. We managed four wins our first week so we'll just have to wait and see how long that lasts...

"Aces"

(Cont. from A2) with buttons and stuff.

People are human beings and everyone deserves (and has a God-given right) to stuff they want or need.

Stuff my administration will provide for free cause everyone deserves it:

Cornbread, gasoline, shoes, socks, television, laptop, cell phone, remote controls, pictures to hang on

your wall, coffee mugs,

cigarettes, radio, hand sani-

tizer, make-up, a job mak-

ing \$55/hour, retirement at 30, more combread.

If elected I will sign an executive order that if someone who has more money than you gets something you like, you get one

It's degrading and dehumanizing (and probably racist somehow) for anyone to have to see another citizen get something and you can't afford it. So, if your neighbor gets a cool new four wheeler, call my office. We will get you a better one.

If elected, I will eliminate the word "first" from the English language. Never again will your child have to hear that little Johnny came in "first" while your child was "second."...or "last" I better get rid of that word too. "Last" is a pretty demeaning word for a poor little kid that wanted to win. Oh wait..."Win" has got to go

If elected, I will create a board to ask each person in America to list all the things

that offend them. If something offends you, it's probably racist. We will get rid of it. Humans have the right to walk down the street without feeling offended. What kind of country would we be if we put up statues and monuments that made someone feel bad? No more of that. If it offends you, it's out of there!

If elected, all drug addicts will be treated for their uncontrollable disease. After all, it's not their fault. They stuck that needle in their arm because they have a disease and we as a people can't just cast them aside. They are people too. Free heroin and meth to any poor soul that needs it. (Besides, it's racist to say no.)

Oh yeah, can't forget global warming or the poor, innocent little snail that is endangered.

If elected, I will get scientists to invent a carboneating machine. This machine will save the ozone and stop all the stuff that is making the Earth get hotter (crazy racist earth). The biproduct of the machine will be fertilizer that will help gardens grow and feed people better.

If I am your prez and a business treats you unfairly, or discriminates against you or says something you don't agree with, they are probably racists, They will be shut down immediately. We can't have a business owner who is all smarty pants and thinks they are right about everything. ALL people should be treated fairly.

So there. That's my platform for starters.

If you want all this stuff and agree with me, spread the word. Mike French for

Apparently other people believe this crud. I may as well promise it too.

"Points East"

(Cont. from A2) the last one for 8th graders.

In 1963, Blair Branch's 8th graders were "consolidated" into a new school at Letcher. By 1966, every student at Blair Branch had been reassigned to the new school and Blair Branch Grade School was an empty building. The building burned a couple or 3 years after the school closed. After 60+ years of surviving overheated, pot-bellied, heating stoves fired by adolescent school boys, Blair Branch Grade School burned to the ground without a fire in one of the stoves. My Dad used to say that Hell was going to be a lot hotter than the school fire for whoever had set it.

Another emailer wanted to know where the gym was located.

We had an open air gymnasium that consisted of most the ground on the 1.5 acre lot that was not occupied by the school house. "Restrooms" were situated between a "coal house" that sat behind and off to right side of the school. There was no plumbing or running water in the toilets. Bags of quick lime were used to scoop into the "toilet holes" to keep the smell down.

We had an octagon shaped merry-go-round made of 2-inch galvanized water pipe that sat atop a steel axel/spindle in front of the building. The center of the merry-go-round was fitted with ball bearings that made it very easy to push and spin much, much faster than common sense safety should have dictated. I'd like to have a dollar for every bloodied knee, knuckle, palm, elbow, shoulder and head caused by that contraption but, to the best of my knowledge, it never sent anybody to the hospital.

A basketball court sat directly behind the school building. If it was raining or the court was muddy, we passed the ball when it wouldn't dribble. A lower court, situated in front of the coal shed and toilets was used for dodge ball, red rover, hop-scotch, numerous marbles games, tag, etc.

Usually, once a month or so, a couple of students stayed a few minutes after school to oil the pine floors.

We kept 5-gallon cans of low-grade petroleum lubricant and used an industrial size mop to wet down the floor. By morning the oil would have soaked into the floors and this kept the dust down and made the floors easy to sweep.

The only "running water" in the building consisted of three water faucets located directly behind the heating stoves. In cold weather, if the faucets had not been used for half an hour or so, the pipes would get very hot. If someone went to get a drink of water, the experience was often like an eruption of Old Faithful and hot water would shoot all the way to the ceiling.

When the "pump house" froze solid several times each winter, 2 students would walk to a neighbor's house and draw buckets full of drinking water from her well. Most of us used a dipper to pour glasses of water into cups we kept at our desks, but if someone drank directly from the dipper, nobody paid it much attention.

Needless to say, we kept the water bucket as far away from the stove as we could place it but we still had to sit it outside to cool off from time to time.

Since the old school days column has resonated so well, we will continue it again next week.

1. J. S

(Cont. from A2)

beans and then break them. Not today. Someone has invented a stringless bean. Mom would be overjoyed. She always said that I got as many strings in the beans as beans.

Back then all of the gar-

in about now or earlier. Everybody had to pitch in and help get it ready to can or freeze. Either way, the various fruits and vegetables had to be processed. On hot summer evenings, porches would be full of various family members sitting around stringing and breaking up the beans or processing some kind of produce. It gave us something to do because we would be sitting out there anyway because it was too hot to sleep. Nobody had air conditioning and a few were lucky enough to have a fan. People would sit out on the porch until at least 10 PM or later waiting for the air to cool. Even then, it was miserable. We slept with the windows and doors open with nothing to separate us from the outside except a screen. We couldn't stand it today. We've become too soft. I know because just the other day our AC went out and we thought we'd die for two days. If we hadn't grown up back in the day we couldn't have stood it. It reminded us of our childhood.

den stuff would be coming

had to go to the motel. I remember those old hot summer nights. You could hear, after you finally went to bed, what seemed to be a million chirps of frogs, crickets and a variety of "night bugs" as mom called them. Lightning bugs filled the night sky and I probably had a few in a jar on my night stand that I had caught earlier in the evening. One by one, you could hear the pop of mom's canned goods as they sat on the kitchen table sealing. They would be for "when the snow flies" she always said.

Had it not been for two or

three fans we would have

While sitting out there on the porch, there would be all kinds of stories told of days gone by and happenings of the day. Sometimes, there would be a few songs sung. Mom often sang "When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain", made popular by Kate Smith, It would be a certainty if there was a full moon that night. She sang it at first sight of the moon coming over the mountain.

I finally got the beans on to cook. Later that afternoon, we had turkey breast, the beans, a fresh garden tomato and some fried cornbread, commonly known as a "hoe cake" to many. I got tied up with some other things and let those beans slightly scorch I'm sorry to say. But they were simply delicious anyway. Stanley particularly enjoyed them, scorched or not. I'm planning to have some more green beans before they are gone and they won't scorch if I have to sit in a chair by the stove. They may be so good we can't stand it.

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Michael Lester Bradley

Michael Lester Bradley, 40, husband of Becky, of Brodhead, died August 14, 2019, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington, after a brief illness.



Hel was born October 24, 1978, a son of Derotha Elliot Bradley and the late Michael Ray Bradley, Barbourville. He was a member and a trustee of Jacob's Well Baptist Church. He was united in marriage to his wife Becky on February 21, 2015. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, basketball, and watching all UK sports.

Those left to celebrate his life are: his mother, Derotha

Elliot Bradley of Livingston; his wife, Rebecca Osborne Bradley of Brodhead; a daughter, Kaleigh Richards of Brodhead; a brother, Stevie Bradley and Amanda of Mount Vernon; a sister, Angelia Bussell and Kevin of Livingston; maternal grandfather, Lester Elliott of Gray; niece and nephews, Harlee Mink, Rylie and Ella Rae Bradley, Denzel and James, and Justin and Logan Brown; as well as a host of many uncles, aunts, friends and neigh-

He was preceded in death by: his father, Michael Ray Bradley; paternal grandparents, Sam and Myrtle Bradley, of Livingston; and maternal grandmother, Axie Elliott.

Services were conducted Saturday, August 17, 2019 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Jason Brown officiating. Burial was in Oakhill Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Stevie Bradley, Justin and Logan Brown, Troy Goforth, Nick Brightbill, and BJ Mason.

Honorary pallbearers were: Ethan Carpenter, and Chris, Brandon, and Justin Elliott.

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

Patty Ellen Hurt Taulbee

Patty Ellen Hurt Taulbee, 71, died peacefully at her home on August 15, 2019 surrounded by her family. She was born June 3, 1948, in Burkesville, to the late Otis E



and Haley Farlee Hurt. She was a member of Scaffold Cane Baptist Church. She worked at numerous jobs, but has been retired from Rockcastle Manufacturing since 2005. She enjoyed spending time with her friends, family, and church family. She also enjoyed reading her Bible, feeding her birds, working in her flowers, sewing, and playing with her Shih-Tzu dog, Cooper.

She was the greatest Mother and Mammy a family could have ever had, she will be dearly missed.

Those left to celebrate her life are: her husband, James C. Taulbee; two children, Stacie (Randall) Thacker, and Joe (Rebekah) Ferguson; six grandchildren, Rodney and Dixie Thacker, Ben and Jonah Ferguson, and Jared and Bekah Taulbee; two great grandchildren, Leah and Tanner Taulbee; as well as several nieces and nephews, and a special sister-in-law Bonnie Hurt.

Besides her parents, she was precededin death by: her first husband, James L Ferguson; and five brothers, Edward L Hurt, Shalton E Hurt, Howard E (Big Joe) Hurt, Richard D Hurt, and Donald K Hurt.

Services were held Monday, August 19, 2019 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Chris Cobb officiating. Burial was in Scaffold Cane Baptist Church Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Rodney Thacker, Ben Ferguson, Jared Taulbee, Stephen Hurt, Dustin Jones, Shannon Doyle, and honorary pallbearer, Jonah Ferguson.

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Jerry Drexal Moore

Jerry Drexal Moore, 68, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, August 11, 2019 at Baptist Health Hospital in Lexington. Born in Lexington on January 15, 1951, he was a

retired UPS driver and farmer, and an Army Vet-



eran of the Vietnam War. He was a loyal member of Freedom Baptist

Church where he served as Deacon and Sunday Schoolteacher. He loved the Bible and decorating for Vacation Bible School. He was a member of the American Legion, and was a 33rd De-

gree Mason. He dearly loved his grandchildren and enjoyed working on cars and farming. He is survived by: his loving wife of 47 years, Patricia

McKinney Moore; a son, Slade Moore of Mt. Vernon; grandchildren, Karisa, Evan, and Colton Moore; three sisters, Joanne (Ralph) McClure and Debbie Moore, both of Mt. Vernon, and Brenda (Darrell) Cottrell of Brodhead; and a sister-in-law, Melba Moore of Mt, Vernon. He was preceded in death by: his parents, James and Ella Moore; his father, Homer Simpson; his mother and father-in-law, Bill and Gladys McKinney; and three brothers, James Moore, Jr., Tommy Simpson, and Jeffery

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 15, 2019 at Freedom Baptist Church by Bro. Barry Hurst. Burial was in Freedom Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Kevin Bullen, Darrell Cottrell, Andrew Cromer, Ronnie McClure, Ross McClure, and Marvin McKinney.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com or Dowell & Martin Funeral Home's Facebook® page to view online obituary.

Monroe Wayne Adams

Monroe Wayne Adams, 81, beloved husband, father, grandfather, son, and brother, died peacefully Thursday, August 15, 2019 at Rockcastle Regional Hospital in Mount

He was born July 22, 1938, in Mt. Vernon, a son of the late Lewis L. Adams and the



late Myrtle Pennington, in Mt. Vernon. He was united in marriage to his wife Barbara Burdette Adams on October 9, 1957, and they enjoyed 58 years together, prior to her passing on October 2, 2015. He was a farmer for 40 years and then started a new career going back to college at 50 to become a Respiratory Therapist working with ventilator patients at Rockcastle Hospi-

tal. He was a man of many talents including woodworking, oil painting, and fishing and took many trips to Canada with Barb and family. At age 60, he gave his life to the Lord and was a faithful member of Copper Creek Missionary Baptist church.

He is survived by: one daughter, Debby Adams Bowles and Ricky of Mt Vernon; and sons, Bobby Lance (Debra) Adams of Quail, Rodger Adams of Mt Vernon, and Michael Seth (Natashia) Adams of Mt Vernon. He is also survived by: grandsons, Joshua (Jennifer) Bowles, Jeremy (Kelsey) Adams, and Jonas Adams; granddaughters, Karah Bowles (Adam) Short and Talia Loudermilk; and 10 great grandchildren, Jaydon, Grayson, Isabella, and Archer Bowles, Vivie Ann and Grant Short, Kaitlyn Adams, and Emma J. Loudermilk, Imogen Adams and Daxton Adams. Wayne has also enjoyed a very special loving relationship with his niece, Lavada Adams.

He is also survived by: two brothers, Kenneth Adams of Brodhead, and Bill (Phyllis) Adams of Mt Vernon; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, friends, and neighbors.

He was preceded in death by: his wife Barbara; one daughter, Michelle Adams; and parents.

Services were conducted Sunday, August 18, 2019 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro Kenneth Thompson and Bro. Randal Adams officiating. Burial was in Saylor Cemetery on Brindle Ridge.

Contributions and donations can be made in memory of Wayne to the Alzheimer's Association; www.act.alz.org or 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601.

> Condolences can be made to the family at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Sherman Adam Hill

Sherman Adam Hill, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, August 18, 2019 at his home. He was born May 15, 1939 in Weymouth, Nova Scotia, Canada, to the late Murray



Lawson Hill and Lucy Thurser Brittain. He married Mary Powell Hill on July 12, 1969. He was a Baptist Minister for 20 years, and taught at North Point Training Center for 27 years, was a member of Grace Baptist Church, enjoyed cameras, guns, running, and his grandkids and was a member of the NRA and the Kentucky Teacher's Association.

He is survived by: his wife of 50 years, Mary Hill; a daughter, Charon Ketron Katherine Hill (Shannon) Burton of Mt. Vernon; three grandchildren, Shanlee (Josh) Childress of Mt. Vernon, Andrew Lawson Burton of Mt. Vernon, and Lauren (Luke) VonLinger of Stanford; two great grandchildren, Alex Childress, and Lily Childress; four sisters, Gladys Amero, Dixie Amero, Rosalita (Keith) Amero, and Lorene Comeau, all of Nova Scotia, Canada; as well as many nieces, nephews, friends, and neighbors.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by brothers, Charles, Eldon, Kenneth, Glenn, Hector, and "Chink" Hill and two infant brothers.

Services were conducted Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Raymond Offutt officiating.

Casketbears were: Shannon Burton, Andrew Burton, Luke VonLinger, Josh Childress, Bill Fowler, Paul Burton, Josh McNew, and Billy Fowler.

Condolences may be sent to www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com

Wilma Dean Cummins

Wilma Dean Cummins, 89, of Berea, died Monday, August 12, 2019 at Hospice Compassionate Care Center in



Richmond. She was born in Somerset to the late Dan and Virgie VanHooser Daulton. She retired from Parker Seal after 34 years of service. In addition to her parents,

she was also preceded in death by: two children, Terry Walls and Beverly Walls Pittman; and one brother, Lillard Daulton.

She is survived by: eight children, Larry (Pricilla) Walls, Jerry (Barb) Walls,

Gaines (Lucy) Cummins, Debbie (Dale) Moore, Gordon Cummins, Iris Cope, Jackie (Clayton) Craig and Scottie Cummins; five siblings, Faye (Jim) McIntosh, Gene (Judy) Daulton, Joyce Craig, Louie (Katie) Daulton and Freda (Bob) Cundiff; 18 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; and four great great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 12 p.m. Friday, August 16, 2019 at Lakes Funeral Home in Berea with Rev. Allen Livingood officiating. The burial will follow in Madison County Memorial Gardens in Richmond. Visitation will be Thursday evening from 6-9 p.m. at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be: Kyle Gadd, Billy Bowman, Randy Gabbard, Clayton Bond, Luther Akers Jr., and Gaylon

Honorary bearers will be: Monroe Brock, Sr., Darrin Johnson, Jimmy Settles, Luther Akers Sr., and David Conroy.

Jennifer Houk

Jennifer Houk, 46, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, August 18, 2019 at Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. She was born May 5, 1973 in Louisville, the daughter of the

late Georgie Renner. She worked at the Rockcastle County Board of Education, enjoyed going to baseball games, spending time with her children, and was a member of the Church on the

Survivors are: her husband, Mark Houk; and three sons, Jacob, Justin, and Anthony Houk.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, August 21, 2019 at the Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Mark Sarver officiating. Burial were in Maretburg Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Jacob Houk, Justin Houk, Anthony Houk, Hunter Rigsby, Brent Lovell, Terry Renner and Dennis Rigsby.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at: www.coxfuneralhomeky.com

Card of Thanks

Floyd Gabbard

The family of Floyd Gabbard would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who ministered to us during our dad's illness and passing.

We want to thank the Doctors of Rockcastle Family Wellness, the Rockcastle Regional Hospital and ER for the excellent care and compassion extended to dad and our

We also appreciate our family, neighbors and friends for the calls, cards, visits, prayers, food and flowers.

A special thanks to Brodhead Baptist Church, Caroline Graves, Bill Adkisson, Julie Mullins, Julie McQueen, Gail Gabbard, Bro. Ralph Baker, Bro. Shane Gabbard, Bro. Mark Gabbard and Marvin E. Owens and staff for making dad's funeral special and comforting.

We will forever be thankful and grateful. The Gabbard Family

Tracy, Tammy, Deana, David . Teddy, Ashley, and Matt

"Memories" (Cont. from A2)

Bee and Daddy had been operating the Ideal Café on Main Street in Mt. Vernon.

They sold the Café shortly thereafter. In 1942, Bee and Daddy decided to move to Lockland, Ohio to work in sister, Ruth, and her hus-

munition factories to help with the war effort. Bee's band. Charles Brown owned a home in Lockland. Therefore, it was arranged for my parents to rent rooms from them. Al said he remembered that Pop cried as they pulled out of his driveway in Mt. Vernon to begin the trek.

My parents had never lived anywhere outside of Rockcastle County, and Lockland was a huge city in their minds. Daddy found that he was ill-equipped to deal with the big city or with the factory work. After only two weeks, he determined to return his family back home to Mt. Vernon.

Shortly after their return, Daddy held several jobs and eventually began a local taxi service. At one time, he

owned three cabs. By 1945, my parents decided to enlarge their small home by adding two more rooms, one of which would accommodate their new one-year-old boy, me. These additions cost \$650. That same year they also added a smokehouse, a chicken house, and a concrete cellar and patio. They also had a wonderful deep well dug just outside the kitchen door.

At the age of three, I can remember our family using the outbuildings. Daddy kept country hams hanging in the smokehouse, and we had many chickens roosting in the chicken house. I remember Bee collecting the eggs on a daily basis. She also wrung a chicken's neck fairly often in order to prepare fried chicken for our family. I also remember Al performing his chore of lowering a long-roped bucket into the well on a daily basis to fill the two water buckets located in the kitchen. We also used water from that well to bathe. In those days, we only had an outhouse and had no running water inside the home.

By 1951, Bee and Daddy had survived a divorce, and I had reached the age of six. Within a few months, Bee added a bathroom and indoor plumbing to our home. I thought that was the greatest thing she ever did for our family. Boy, I hated walking that path every day!

Bee and I continued to live in that house for several years when I was a teenager. Eventually, we moved into her parents' home, which was more modern and also gave us more room. Pop built an additional room onto his house to give Bee her own bedroom. In 1962, I left for the University of Kentucky, never returning to live in Mt. Vernon again. But it is still my hometown.

My remembrances of life in the Pine Grove section of Rockcastle County are wonderful and full of almost daily details. It was there that I learned to hunt, fish, drive a car, and many other useful life experiences taught to me by my mother and by my grandparents. They shaped my life, and in this way, there is always a little of Rockcastle County within me.

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

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Bittersweet Cabin Village to reopen in September

By: Mike French Editor

It's not often that a business opens its doors with no plans to make a profit. However, this is what will happen in Mount Vernon on Wednesday, September 4.

"We aren't doing it to make money," said Emily Bullock, Director of the Rockcastle County Tourist Commission. "We are doing it because we want to help our local craftspeople and provide the service for people to enjoy."

The Bittersweet Cabin Village in Renfro Valley has been in a state of disrepair for some time but members of the local tourist commission recently decided that it needed to be reopened to provide an outlet for local crafts people as well as provide yet another reason for tourists to visit Mount Vernon and Rockcastle

"City"

(Continued from front)

do at Renfro Valley. They

may be in the design phase

tire community to the

groundbreaking ceremony

for the new basin at the

Mount Vernon Water Plant.

The new basin is part of

the plan to eliminate the bad

taste and odor from the lo-

cal water system and is

mostly funded through

Harold Rogers and repre-

sentatives of the Depart-

ment of Local Government

and the U.S. Army Corps of

Engineers will be present at

also discussed raising the

water and sewer rates dur-

ing the past fiscal year. "I

don't think that rate increase

caused any hardship on our

citizens," said Mayor

Bryant, "It was a minuscule

amount for our customers

but a huge asset to our com-

munity." Councilmember

Jamie Bryant agreed, "I

didn't even notice a differ-

ence in my bill," she said.

Members of the council

Congressman

omoon Friday, August 23 at 1:30

Bray also invited the en-

right now."

grants.

the ceremony.

"We have some very talented crafts people here and they deserve the opportunity to share their talent with others," said Bullock.

The village used to include a museum as well as a gift shop and organizers plan to have the same type of operation, but not just

"We have a lot of cleaning up and repairs and improvements to make before we can open the museum portion of the village, but that is coming next year,"

In fact, the plan is to open the gift shop portion of the village in September and then open the museum in April. "We are working hard to get things ready and we are certain that people will enjoy our gift shop and later our museum," said the Director.

Starting next month, the

Councilmember Clifford

Mullins said he, too, could

not tell a difference in his

monthly water bill,

gift shop will be open on Thursdays from noon to 6 p.m. and on Friday and Saturday from noon to 7 p.m.

There are still a couple of spaces left in the gift shop and anyone interested in renting the space should call the Tourism Office at 256-

Though the shop is not

affiliated with Renfro Valley, the show schedules and times have been considered when setting the hours for the shop so that larger crowds will visit the local craftspeople. "We want as many people as possible to see what our craftspeople have to offer. And then

when the museum is open,

could be used for small tangy

dried raisins. (Actually not as

tart as actual cranberries, which

are grown on a dwarfish plant.)

"Meth"

Yards to Paradise

we hope to have as many visitors as we can," said Bullock.

Bullock says the goal here is not to make money from local craftspeople or from tourists but simply to provide a service to the community and display the talent that is rampant in the

"We encourage everyone to come and visit our gift shop and see what our local crafts people are capable of and then to visit our museum in April," said Bullock. "We are certain everyone will enjoy what they see and it will help support local crafts and the entire community."

By Max Phelps

Gardening With Viburnum

"A garden without viburnum is akin to life without music and art" says Michael Dirr in his Manual of Woody Landscape Plants. We could question that, of course. And, some may not like art or music.

However, viburnum can make a yard more interesting, so let us look into the subject a little more.

Most viburnums prefer slightly moist but well drained soil, with a slight acidity. Lots of insects and diseases attack viburnums, but it's not all that bad, for generally they survive for years in the landscape even if you don't believe in spraying. Wet feet in clay soil has probably killed more of them than insects or diseases. Viburnums may need some snipping and pruning to stay shapely, but constant attention is not needed, unless you're growing them as a sheared hedge.

This lovely plant grows in most of North America, and much of the rest of the temperate world. Maple leaf viburnum, cranberry bush viburnum, blackhaw viburnum, arrowwood viburnum, hobblebush viburnum, and nannyberry viburnum are all native plants the the United States and Canada.

Viburnum nudum and viburnum cassinoides are shiny leaved additions to that list.

The evergreen viburnums are from Asia or Europe, or are hybrids where species have been crossed.

Viburnum tinus is a nice well-behaved evergreen with small leaves from southern Europe that will do well in zones 7 and 8 in the U.S. Prague viburnum is a shiny leaved evergreen from eastern Europe that is truly evergreen in zone 6. Many are what you would term "simi-evergreen" and this includes the Allegheny viburnum, Eskimo viburnum, conov viburnum, and others. The simi-evergreen ones hold leaves well into winter, but are

leafless come spring. Korean spice viburnum (viburnum carlesii) has probably the most outstanding fragrance. This Korean native is rather hard to propagate, and an uneven grower, and no fall color, but the smell is worth planting one or two of this spe-

A few years ago I saw a catalog of a nurseryman in Manchester, Tennessee who had fifty-five different viburnums listed in his nursery catalog to landscapers and garden centers. Obviously, the number of potential cultivated varieties of viburnum exceeds that considerably, but most garden centers only carry perhaps three to five kinds of this great landscape plant. With so many to choose from, there has to be one that will fit well with your

As mentioned; some smell good, some are evergreen. Other traits are berries to eat or for the wildlife, some cultivars have great fall color, and the arrowwood viburnum was used to make wooden arrows by the American Indians. Cranberry viburnum makes great jelly, or

(Continued from front) cense had been suspended. Then the deputy was granted permission to search Griffith, according to the report, where he found a plastic baggie with a crys-

to be meth in Griffith's pocket. Police then found that the vehicle was not in good operating condition and added several charges since the vehicle was over 50 cc

and qualified as a motor-

tal substance that appeared

cycle. Griffith was arrested and taken to the Rockcastle County Detention Center where he was later charged with operating on a suspended license, possession of a controlled substance

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(meth), no registration plates, no registration receipt, no insurance card, motorcycle regulation violations, failure to comply with helmet laws, no brake lights, improper equipment, unapproved eye protection, no insurance, no horn and no rearview mirror.

I mentioned wildlife. Not

only the blossoms attract bees,

but the insects attract birds. And

also, you seldom see a vibur-

His bond for possession of meth and operating on a suspended license was set at \$7,500 cash/property.

"Crash"

(Continued from front)

policy as well as Kentucky State law concerning driving while using a cell phone. Officials say such regulations are more strict for those who have a commerviburnum bush to your place. The author is a landscaper. Email: rockcastles@gmail.com Web: www.rockcastles.net

Wood and the control of the control of

num bush without it's having a

birds nest in it. So, the critters

will love you for adding a

cense which Watts does

"Fake"

(Continued from front)

incident, police discovered Childress had previously filled two such fake prescriptions obtaining 210 pills between 6-26-19 and 7-19-19.

Childress was arrested and taken to the Rockcastle County Detention Center where she was charged with obtaining controlled substances without a practice, fraudulent attempt to obtain a prescription, criminal possession of a prescription, forgery of a prescription, theft of identity and trafficking a controlled substance.

Her bond was set at

discussed the sale of alco-Bray also told the counhol since Mount Vernon is cil that he has high hopes currently about a new upgraded pump station at the

now a "wet" city. "We still don't have enough information to know how well the water plant. "It isn't comcity will do from the sale of plete yet, but it looks like alcohol but it is looking very FEMA is going to give the positive. Stores are selling City of Mount Vernon an out and work is about to 80/20 grant for the pump start on one of the liquor station. This would be a stores," said Mayor Bryant. huge plus for our commu-Bray agreed. "They have nity," he said. "Everyone six months to show progress keep your fingers crossed."

on the liquor store or we can Two members of the revoke that license," said council were absent as was Bray. "But I think the liquor Fire Chief David Bales who store at exit 59 is about to was working an accident on begin work and I'm not sure I-75 during the meeting. yet what they are going to

But Police Chief Brian Carter told the council his department had 421 calls for service in July. As with the past several months, the total calls for service are down from the same period last year. "I'm not certain why our calls are down every month but that is a good thing," said Carter

Of those calls there were 30 total arrests and 23 warrants served. Though one D.U.I. was issued, Carter said it was not alcohol-re-

Mayor Bryant read the report from Wayne Bullock, Coordinator of the All-American Club. The report showed the club picked up 35 bags of trash since their last report. Over 20 bags of trash were removed from the Lake Linville Road and Rose Hill Road areas.

The report also says the Rockcastle County fiscal court plans to donate \$700 to the club in September.

The next scheduled meeting will be Thursday, September 19 at 6 p.m. at City Hall.

cial vehicle operator's li-\$7,500 cash.



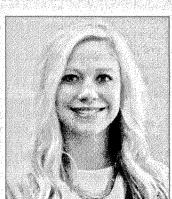
Brodhead Fairgrounds and will be held October 3, 4 and 5, 2019

This year, we are featuring "Allis Chalmers Tractors." All garden tractors, antique trucks and equipment are welcome. Open to all vendors and admission is **FREE!**

Campsite are first come basis. Motels are nearby in Mt. Vernon. Show location: Approximately eight miles NW on Hwy. 150 out of Mt. Vernon. See you there!!

Introducing

Megan Taylor Pittman, APRN



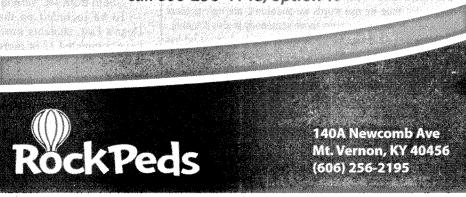
Rockcastle Pediatrics and Adolescents is pleased to welcome Megan Taylor Pittman, APRN to their staff.

A native of Brodhead, Megan earned her bachelor of science degree in nursing from Eastern Kentucky University and her master's degree in family nurse practitioner studies from Frontier Nursing University. She says

that she has a passion for caring for children that is rooted in her personal experience when she was diagnosed with lymphoma as a child." I experienced first-hand, how the providers at my oncology clinic changed the lives of not only my family and me, but all the other sick children there. This put a desire in my heart to serve kids."

When managing her patients' care, Megan focuses on building a solid and trusting relationship with her patient and their parents or care givers. She finds great joy when she is able to witness kids' barriers come down when they begin to trust her and know she is there to help them feel better.

> To schedule an appointment, call 606-256-4148, option 1.



Honeybee Facts

"Crystallization of Honey"

Some people do not understand the term "crystallized honey". Some still call it honey turning to sugar, that does not happen. Honey is mostly fruc-

sugar). But mostly fructose. Real raw honey crystallizes and that's a good thing. That's nature's

tose (fruit sugar) and glucose (grape

way of preserving it. So the overabundance of sugar

makes honey unstable. Thus it is natural for honey to crystallize since it is over-saturated sugar solution. The why behind the crystallization of honey is simple-

chemistry. Usually, honey contains at least 70% sugar and less than 20% water, this is more sugar than can naturally remain dissolved and over time, crystals are fine and smooth while others are large and gritty.

It may seem intuitive to assume that crystallized honey is spoiled or poor quality, but this isn't the case at all.

Crystallization happens naturally over time to pure, raw honey and actually helps preserve the nutrients and quality. Additionally, you may find that crystallized honey is easier to spread and richer in flavor.

You can easily de-crystallize honey on a stovetop using the following steps: 1) make sure your honey is in a glass jar (not plastic), fill a pot with water that comes to 1/2 to 2/ 3 up the sides of the jar; 2) place honey jar in pot and bring to hot but not boiling temperature; 3) gently stir honey every few minutes to help break up crystals. Be care not to splash any hot water into honey jar.; 4) remove jars from heat when honey is once again smooth and runny; 5) tightly seal jars and store in cool, dry place at 50 to 70 degrees. Refrigerated storage will quickly crystallize honey and should be avaoided.

I will be at the Farmers' Market Saturday with honey for sale. You can put your name down for the honey I take from the fall honey flow. I don't think there will be much available.

-- Doug Brock Sr.

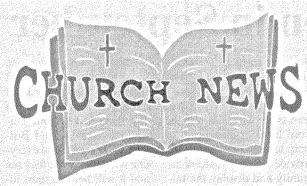
Lost Cat

Blue and white cat with white streak down her

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Let the Bible Speak

Tune in to "Let the Bible Speak," with Brett Hickey, on Sunday mornings at 6:30 a.m. on LEX18.

Rockcastle County **Recovery Meetings**

Monday-Celebrate Recovery-Brodhead: Community Outreach Center, every 6 to 8 p.m. Leader: Nathan DeLeon 859-230-9590/ Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099. Tuesday-Celebrate Recovery-Mt. Vernon. Northside Baptist Church, 606-256-5577, Tuesday, 6-8 p.m. **Please call by 4 p.m. if you need a ride on the church van. Wednesday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies. Northside Baptist, Mt. Vernon at 7 p.m. 606-256-5577. Men and women, small

Thursday-Celebrate Recovery-Step Studies Women Only. Community Outreach Center, Brodhead. every 6:30 p.m. Leader: Kathryn Pope 606-308-3099.

Friday-Celebrate Recovery-Livingston Livingston School cafeteria. 6 to 8 p.m. Leader: J.R. Cornelius, 859-314-7828.

Revival Services

Revival Services begin at Sunrise Baptist Church September 8th and will continue through Wednesday, September 11th.

Sunday morning service at 11 a.m., following Sunday School at 10 a.m. Week night services will be at 7 o'clock.

Speakers include: Bro. David Gambrel, Sunday morning; Bro. Wesley Russell, Sunday night; Bro. Bill Meece, Monday night; Bro. William Brown, Tuesday night and Bro. Randy McPheron, Wednesday

Pastor Johnny Adamson and congregation extend an invitation to all.

at the same time? The answer is no.

to pray for happiness or success.

doubtful.

Sweet or Bitter

and cursing. My brethren, these things ought not so to be. Doth a

fountain send forth at the same place sweet water and bitter? The

writer here in the book of James makes a statement, and also asks

a question, can a fountain send forth bitter water and sweet water

I wonder sometimes do we really realize the impact of our

speech has on the ears of others. People are influenced by our

speech, the words we say, not only in good times but when things

are not so good. We may be the only Bible people ever read, so we

blessing means to render kindness, favor, goodness of God. 1 Pe-

ter 3:9 A gift or present. Genesis 33:11 to pronounce holy, or happy,

power to send some injury upon one cursed, and sometimes as a

statement of what would happen, uttered without ill feeling, Gen-

esis 9:25, Joshua 6:26 profanity or blasphemy. Webster renders

cursing as to invoke or wish evil upon, to consign to perdition, to

vex or torment, to swear evil or harm, any great evil, hateful or

In a quick summary of the two. Blessings, in other words, are

sound speech that is used for uplifting to encourage others to make

stronger, to make well. This would be sound speech that cannot

be condemned. Titus 2:8 Cursing we find would be just the oppo-

site, it would be for the tearing down, destroying, discouraging,

unspiritual chatter that the Bible refers to foolish talking which

isn't to be named among God's people. The Bible says, Ephesians

5:29 These corrupt communications are not to proceed out of

Matthew 6:24 For either he will hate the one and love the other or

else he will hold to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and Mammon. There is no middle ground when it comes to serving God. You either are serving God, or you are serving the

devil. Would it not shatter the picture we have of our Lord Jesus Christ, if guile had been found in his mouth, through cursing or

As a young boy at the age of 12 he was about his Father;s busi-

ness Luke 12:49 and that business was to please his Father which

he finished in his death on the cross. John 19:30. My friends we

need to be about our Father's business, in word and also in deed

is in heaven from whence also we look for the Savior, the Lord

Jesus Christ. Phillipians 3:20. Our whole life should magnify the

life of Christ, and if we are living the way we should it will, remem-

ber the next time we use words we shouldn't, not only is there

somebody watching your every move somebody is also listening.

kept you safe through another week and you have many blessings

to count and to be thankful for. (Nothing lies outside the reach of

prayer, except that which lies outside of God's will). We would

love you come and worship with us at the Chestnut Ridge Church

Thank you as always for reading this article, I pray God has

Our bodies are the temple of the Holy Ghost, we are to glorify God, they belong to God. I Corinthians 6:20. For our conversation

The difference in blessing and cursing, is as fresh water to saltwater, light to dark, God to Satan, holy to unholy. Jesus said.

your mouth if you are the people of God.

swearing or blaspheming? We know it would.

What is the difference between blessings and cursing? The word

Cruden's Concordance renders cursing as to call on divine

must be careful that we don't project the wrong message.

James 3:10-11 Out of the same mouth proceedeth blessings

Philadelphia Baptist Church

The church will hold their monthly singing Sunday, August 25th, beginning at 6 p.m. Guest singers will be Mt. View Bluegrass.

Pastor Gordon Mink and congregation welcome everyone.

Homecoming

Homecoming will be held at Roundstone Baptist Church Sunday, August 25th, beginning at 10:45 a.m. Preaching will be by Bro. Rick Reynolds with a potluck meal following the ser-

Bro. Jami Hamilton and congregation invite everyone to come out and enjoy the day with us.

Fall Homecoming

Fall is just around the corner and, at First Christian Church, that means Fall Homecoming! FCC would like to announce our 2019 Fall Homecoming, September 8-11.

Our speaker is Chip Deneif from Union City Christian Church, Richmond. We will begin Sunday morning, September 8th at 11 o'clock and will meet again that evening at 6 o'clock and then meet each evening, Monday through Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

The church is located at 160 West Main St. in Mt.

For information, or a ride, call 606-256-2876.

Tailgate Sunday

First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon will host a Tailgate Sunday on September 8th. The event will honor the fall student athletes at Rockcastle County High

School And Normal Everyone is welcome to attend the service which begins at 10:45 a.m. and will be followed by some classic tailgate food and games.

90th Birthday

- Surprise celebration party

Hallie Powell Alexander, of Little Clear Creek, will turn 90 on August 28th. Her family is giving her a birthday party on Sunday, August 25th from 1:00 to 5:00 at the Berea City Park on West Jefferson Street in Berea.

Family and friends, please come help her celebrate 90 years. No gifts, but she loves birthday



CUCUMBERS WITH

DRESSING

1 cup mayonnaise or

1/4 cup white vinegar

4 C peeled sliced cucumbers

In a large bowl, combine

mayonnaise, sugar, vinegar,

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bers; toss to coat. Cover;

refrigerate for 2 hours.

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1/4 teaspoon salt

1/4 cup sugar

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

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1 package (3 ounce) ramen noodles (discard flavor packet)

1 cup chopped pecans 1/4 cup unsalted butter 1 bunch broccoli, coarsely chopped

1 head romaine lettuce, in bite-sized pieces

4 green onions, thinly sliced

Blend sugar, oil, vinegar, soy sauce, salt, and pepper with a wire whisk in a medium bowl. Set aside. Break ramen noodles into small pieces. Brown noodles and pecans in butter in a skillet. Drain on paper towels and let stand till cool. Combine noodles, pecans, and broccoli, lettuce, and green onions in salad bowl and mix gently. Add salad dressing to coat.

MARINATED CUCUMBERS, ONIONS, AND TOMATOES

3 medium cucumbers, peeled and sliced 1/4 inch thick

1 medium onion, sliced and separated into rings 3 medium tomatoes, cut into wedges

1/2 cup vinegar

1 cup water

2 teaspoons salt

1 teaspoon fresh coarse ground black pepper 1/4 cup oil

Combine ingredients in a large bowl and mix well. Refrigerate at least 2 hours before serving.

SQUASH SALAD 1/2 cup apple cider vinegar 1/4 cup vegetable oil 1 teaspoon brown sugar

Dash of salt 3 cups thinly sliced zuc-

3 cups thinly sliced yellow

squash

3 tablespoons chopped red

onion

1/4 cup chopped fresh basil or parsley, optional In a large bowl, whisk together vinegar, oil, brown sugar, and salt. Add zucchini, squash, and red onions; gently toss to coat all vegetables. Cover and refrigerate at least 2 hours, but no more than 6 hours. Just before serving toss with basil or parsley if de-

UK Spring Dean's List

The University of Kentucky College of Arts and Sciences is pleased to announce that over 1,550 undergraduates qualified for the Spring 2019 College of Arts and Sciences Dean's

Local students are: Hannah Hillard - Biology and Shelby Ponder - History, both from Mt. Vernon.

To be included on the Dean's List, students must have completed 12 or more credits during a semester for letter grades with at least a 3.60 GPA.

Congratulations to the high-achieving students who put in the time and effort to meet the academic requirements to make the Dean's List.

• Reunions •

Mullins Reunion

The Mullins Reunion at Mullins Station will be held Saturday, August 31st at the Fairview Cemetery.

Please come and bring a covered dish and renew old times and acquaintances.

Will be looking forward to seeing everyone.

Cash Reunion

The Cash Family Reunion will be held Saturday, August 31st, beginning at noon at Quail Community Park.

Bring a covered dish. All invited.

Marler, McClure and Stevens Reunion

The Marler, McClure and Stevens Reunion will be held Saturday, August 31st at Sand Springs Baptist Church's picnic shelter, beginning around noon.

Come, bring a covered dish, and enjoy the day with us.

Family and friends are welcome. We'll be looking for you.

McGuire Reunion

Descendants of Manley and Sylvia McGuire will hold a reunion Sat., August 31st, beginning at noon, in Singleton Valley. Everyone welcome. Bring a covered dish.

Davidson Reunion

The 65th Davidson Reunion will be held at "the old homeplace" in Morris Valley on Sunday, September 1st.

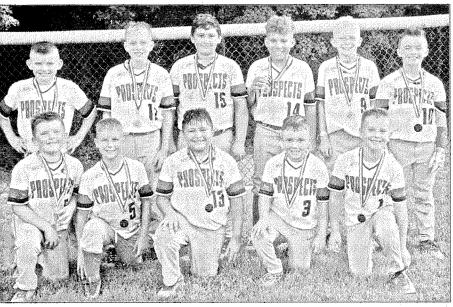
Please bring a covered dish and enjoy a day of fellowship, music, singing, storytelling and family history.

Hamm Reunion

The Hamm Reunion will be held Sunday, September 1st at Quail Community Park on Hwy. 70. Lunch will be served at noon. Bring food and enjoy the day.

Graves/Hayes/ **Owens Reunion**

The Graves/Hayes/ Owens Reunion will be held this year at the Woodstock Community Center on Saturday, September 7th with dinner at noon. Bring a covered dish. Everyone welcome.



Mid-America Prospects 8u went 4-0 and finished tournament champions in the 2019 Back 2 School Brawl in Columbia, Pictured, are front from left: Bo Bishop, Robby Carosello, Josiah Rodriguez, Carson Neeley and Wrett Craig. Back row from left: Brycen Dollins, Wyatt Craig, Gage Childress, Zayden Riddle, Zaydon Scalf, and Parker Cash. All of the players and parents appreciate the following for their support throughout the season: Emery's Towing, Citizens Bank, Mt Vernon Signal, Central Body Service, Rock Peds, Deb's Variety Shop, McKeehan Construction, Brodhead Farm Equipment, Brodhead Pharmacy, Collins Respi-Care, Owens Funeral Home, Cumberland Excavation and South Central Pools, Jeremy B Rowe Law Office, The Barn Athletic Training

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Church Directory

Believers House of Prayer 156 Scenic View Lane U.S. 25 N, left at 18 mile marker Renfro Valley, Ky. Sabbath School Sat. 10-11 a.m. Morning Worship II 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. **Bible Baptist Church**

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Blue Springs **Church of Christ** 7 miles south of Mt. Vernon on Hwy. 1249 (Sand Springs Rd) Services:

Music Director: Dan Dull

Sundays 10 a.m. & 6 p.m. Preaching Brethren Marcus Reppert Contact Info: Marcus Reppert 606-308-2794 199 E. Fork Skaggs Rd. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

marcusreppert24@hotmail.com **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.

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Tracy Valentine, Preacher 606-758-8662 Cell 606-305-8980 **Brodhead Church of God**

Hwy. 3245 • Brodhead 758-8216 Sunday School 10 a 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 6 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.

Bill Hall, Pastor Bill Mink, Asst. Pastor **Calloway Baptist Church** 76 Calloway Branch Rd. (Off US 25) • Calloway Sunday Worship 11 a.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 Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Morning 11 a.m. Bus Sunday School 5 p.m. Sunday Evening 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. 'Central Time" Radio Broadcast WRVK: M-F 11:15 a.m. WOPW: M-F 9:15 a.m.

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Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

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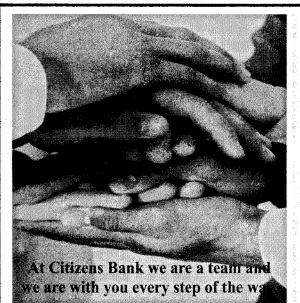
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211 Industrial Park Rd. Mt. Vernon, KY Sunday 2 p.m. Thursday Evening 7 p.m. Pastor: Matt Griggs 859-582-2553

Crossroads **Assembly of God** Hwy. 150 · Brodhead Bro. Ralph Reynolds, Pastor Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night 7 p.m. **Cupps Chapel Holiness** Copper Creek Rd., Brodhead Sunday 10 a.m.

Sunday Evening 6 p.m. Thursday Evening 7 p.m. Pastor: Dewayne Carpenter **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.

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Mission Friends 6 p.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 Dennis Wilder, Pastor

Jesse Wright, Assoc. Pastor/Youth website: www.fbcmvkyorg email:fbcmtyernon@newwave.net Sunday School: 9:40 a.m., Synday Worship. 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesdays: AWANA and Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

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Brodhead, Ky. 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.

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Sunday 6 p.m.

Wednesday 7 p.m.

Livingston Baptist Worship Service 11 a.m. Children's Church II 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

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Mt. Vernon, KY 40456 Wayne Harding, Pastor Phone: 256-8844 Sunday School 10 a.m.

Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sun. Discipleship Training/ Sunday Youth Missions 6 p.m.

Sunday Worship 7 p.m. Wednesday Evening 7 p.m. www.maretburgbaptist.org maretburgchurch@yahoo.com McNew Chapel

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Wednesday Night 7 p.m.

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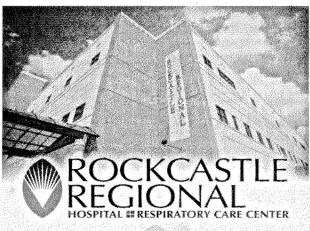
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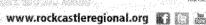
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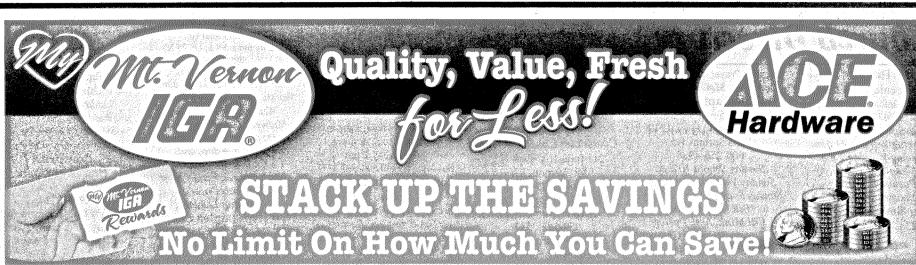














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Events/workshops set by Arts Association

Rockcastle Arts Association has a number of art events and workshops lined up this fall.

Workshops include Hand Lettering (August 24 & 29), Jewelry Making (September 7), Kids Photography (September 27 & 28), Songwriting (October 26), and Planner Design (November 9),

To ensure that their activities are low cost and available to everyone, "all workshops are only \$10," says Board Member Jennifer Durham. The group is committed to local talent, and all workshops are led by a local artists.

"This year we're excited to partner with some local and state organizations for a couple of our workshops," says Durham. The Kids Photography workshop will include instruction on basic lighting, angles, and composition by an education consultant from KET, as well as from local photographer Selena Thompson.

The Songwriting workshop, which will be led by local singer-songwriter Donovan Howard, will include a "talent scout" from the Kentucky Music Hall of Fame, who will be present during the after-class showcase. Workshop participants will be considered for a spot in opening one of the great shows the Hall of Fame puts on in Renfro Valley. Avery Bradshaw, from the Hall of Fame says "the songwriting workshop was right up our alley so to speak, and it was something we were interested in being a part of."

In addition to workshops, the group is repeating popular events from last year. The

#bittersweetphotos community art and photo project will be back this year, with its large black and white photos of local people posted downtown in time for the annual Bittersweet Festival in early October. This year, photos were taken at the Saltpetre Cave Open House, Blast in the Valley, and the Brodhead Little World's Fair. The exhibit will be free and open to the public.

Another repeat event will be this year's Noel Night Market, which will again be held on the same night as the annual Tree Lighting Ceremony in downtown Mount Vernon. Many vendors are expected

to participate, as well as local businesses. "The main comments from people about the Market were how wonderful it was to see people downtown, and what a sense of community it brought out," said Durham. Vendor information for this year's Market will be available soon.

Arts Association activities scheduled for this fall are funded through private donations from community members and businesses, a grant from WalMart Community Foundation, and are sponsored by the City of Mount Vernon. For more information about any of these events, or to find out how you can donate, check out the group's Facebook email page, rockcastlearts@gmail.com, or call 606-308-4092.

ROCKCASTLE ARTS ASSOCIATION

Upcoming Events

6:00p	Open Art Studio
2:00p	Xandlettering RULL
7:00p	Handlettering
1:00p	Jewelry Making RULL
6:00p	Open Mic Night
19	Kids Photography Camp
	Exhibit Open 9/28 @ 4:00
9	Bittersweet Festival
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6:00p	Open Art Studio
	2:00p 7:00p 1:00p 6:00p 19

The Rockcastle Arts Association has a number of art events and workshops lined up this fall.

2:00p Songwriting Workshop



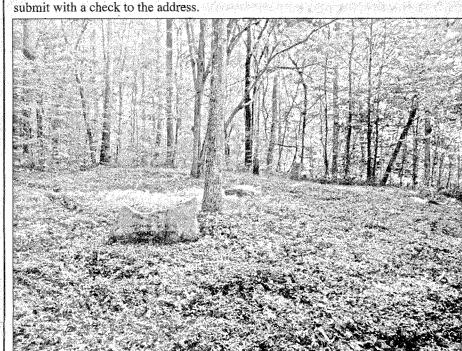
Friends of the Great Saltpetre Preserve hold first Work Day

On Saturday, August 10th, the executive committee of the FoGSP held the first ever work day. Beginning at 9 a.m., Bob Dobbs, Elizabeth Copelin, Jeff Brickley and Beth Brickley gathered at the shelter to plan the projects for the day.

They included: Cleaning off The Champ Mullins Cemetery, some barbed wire and cable were removed from a tree and to finish things off, a fence slat was replaced at the north end of the cave. Finishing up in the cave was a great way to cool down after a morning in the humidity.

Over lunch the group decided to host the first FoGSP picnic on September 7th, where group members will have access to the preserve, be treated to a picnic and have the opportunity to camp for a small fee. There is still time to get in on this as they only ask that you have an interest in helping out around the cave in whatever way you can. Visit their Facebook page for more info: www.facebook.com/groups/friendsofgsp

If you are interested in becoming a member, please complete the form below and



Busy Labor Day weekend at Renfro

10.26.19

By: Kathee Brown Staton,

Alumni Coordinator and 3 **Show Emcee**

What an exciting Labor Day weekend in the Valley is planned for Friday night, August 30th and continuing with three big shows on Saturday, August 31st.

You should make plans now to attend these entertainment-filled events.

Reserve one of the beautiful campsites or simply enjoy the drive from wherever you are to attend these events to celebrate the holiday with family and friends.

The first scheduled event will be the Jamboree at 8 o'clock on Friday night, August 30th, with the outstanding band, Blind Ricky. Band will return as the

Members of this group are from Southern and Eastern Danny Barnes, Robin Barrett, Greg Combs, Kelly Caldwell, Randall Conn and Kristinn Kirkpatrick. Blind Ricky offers a mix of country and Bluegrass. Tickets are

\$27.50 for the show. For a wide variety of entertainment, you won't want to miss the annual Renfro Valley Barndance Alumni Show on Saturday, August 31st at noon. The Alumni Show will have quite a variety of entertainers this year, with four bands and multiple singers.

Butch Jones and the Standard Country Time

house band with a female singer from Ohio, Jessica Kentucky and include Haddix (from the Haddix Family Band). Then, Livingston's own alumni

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Livingston **School** Reunion

The Livingston School Reunion will be held on Saturday, October 5, 2019 in Livingston.

Registration will be open beginning at 4 p.m. in the Trail Town Visitor's Center and the Preston Parrett Gym. The evening program will begin at 6 p.m. in the Gym.

In lieu of a registration fee,individuals may make a voluntary donation to the Livingston School Revitalization Fund.

All former students, teachers, family and friends of the Livingston School are invited to attend.

If you have questions call Rose Mullins Brown at 606 308-1643 or Gary Mink at 606 308-3801.

President Trump signs **Legion Act**

House agree to expand definition of war eras to include all who served since Dec. 7, 1941. The LEGION Act offers American Legion membership eligibility to any U.S. military veteran who served at least one day of active military duty since Dec. 7, 1941, and was honorably discharged or is serving now. The "David M. Smith" American Legion Post #71 invites all Veterans who are now eligible to join our ranks. If you would like further information about the American Legion contact Rick Bobo at (606) 308-

OCC kick-off event at First Baptist is Saturday

An Operation Christmas Child Event in exactly what Luis did. Rockcastle County is set for Saturday, Au-

There will be refreshments, fun and informative displays, games, prizes and Luis opened it, amidst Wells-Gonzalez, a recipient of an Operation the candies and Christmas Child Shoebox, will be present action figures to share how receiving a shoebox gift im- were school suppacted his life!

Luis grew up in Panama and was raised ately needed. That in the ghetto by a hard working, single day, Luis and his mother in a small house with dirt floors. All mother realized Luis ever wanted to do was to go to school that God is real and that He can answer needed to pray for school supplies, so that's ing his testimony.

The next day, on a friend's invitation, Luis gust 24th, beginning at 7 p.m. (doors open attended a nearby church where he received at 6 p.m.) at First Baptist Church in Mt. an Operation Christmas Child shoebox gift. It was the first gift he had ever received.

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but could not because they were unable to prayers. To hear more details on how the afford school supplies. His mother told him Lord answered his prayer through a shoebox, that if he really wanted to go to school, he please join us for a special time of Luis shar-

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Robinson receives DAR Classroom Grant

Mrs. Holly Robinson, social studies teacher at Rockcastle Co. High School is a recipient of the 2019 DAR sponsored Helen Pouch Memorial Fund Classroom Grant. Fifty-one \$500 grants are awarded each year to classroom teachers impacting more than 10,000 students nation-

Since 2018, two \$500 grants are available for each state and the District of Columbia. Applicants must be a classroom teacher for grades kindergarten through 12thgrade, must be endorsed by a local DAR



Holly Robinson

chapter, and complete the grant award application.

Proposed projects must directly benefit students in the classroom. Funds may be used for supplies and educational resources, but applicant must show how these items help to further the educational goals of the

Mrs. Robinson received her grant on the basis of her projectof incorporating reading texts on Appalachian and Native American history into her curriculum to promote reading skills and to use the texts to educate students about portions of America's history and culture that they can't gain from a textbook. These two groups of Americans are often left out of the historical narrative.

This grant is a one-time award and recipients are not eligible to re-apply in future years. Application forms for 2020 will be available February 15 through April1. Any classroom teacher wishing to apply please contact Rockcastle Chapter DAR at email address rockcastledar@gmail.com.

Congress and the White

News from the Rockcastle Courthouse



Marriage Licenses

Vicki Ann Whitis, 66, Somerset, disabled and Danny Lowel DeBorde, 63, Brodhead, disabled. 8/12/

Laci Lee Stanley, 35, Berea, disabled and Scottie Lynn McGuire, 45, Richmond, concrete. 8/12/19

Kaitlyn Brooke Delph, 24, Mt. Vernon, registered nurse and Bryan Lovell Clontz, 28, Mt. Vernon, insurance agent. 8/15/19

Circuit Civil Suits

v. Kathryn Anne Dunn, pe- Cromer Robinson, property tition for dissolution of mar-

W.D. Shayne Broaddus v. Natasha Rosalyn Broaddus, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Commonwealth of Ken- Kelly Lynn Ponder. No tax

lar business hours.

open to the public.

tucky v. Tyler G. Pharis, complaint for child support and medical support.

Brenda Kay Howard v. Raymond Charles Howard, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Sharon Marie Pendery v. Richard Lee Pendery, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Donald Edwin Singleton v. Darlene Singleton, verified petition for dissolution of marriage.

Brea Jill Proctor v. J. Kevin Proctor, petition for dissolution of marriage. CI-

Deeds Recorded

William Charles Walker Christopher and Althea on Rose Hill Church Road. to Benjamin Travis and Kelly Lynn Ponder. No tax

Harlin Farthing, property on Rose Hill Church Road, to Benjamin Travis and

Notice

Rockcastle County Ambulance Service, Inc.,

(a non-profit/NON-TAXING entity)

will per KRS 65A have available the most recent

financial disclosure statements and budget.

These may be viewed at the business office during

normal business office hours Mon-Fri 8am-4pm at

285 Richmond Street

Mt. Vernon, KY

Legal Notice

In accordance with Chapter 65A.080 and 424 of the

Kentucky Revised Statutes, the financial records of

the Rockcastle County Public Library for the period

of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 may be in-

spected at the Rockcastle County Public Library, 60

Ford Drive, Mount Vernon, KY 40456 during its regu-

The Rockcastle County Public Library holds its regu-

lar monthly board meeting on the second Monday

of each month at 4 p.m. at the library. Meetings are

Clarence Gilford and Melanie Johnson Hines, Trustees, property in Rockcastle County, to Ashley Minor Sizemore. No tax

Larry Christopher and Lauren Newcomb, property on Bowling Ridge Road, to Blaine and Tawana M. Collins. Tax \$1

David and Carolyn Lindsey, property in Rockcastle County, to Bamihno Investments LLC. Tax \$55

Randy Wayne Reynolds, property on KY 328, to Vicki Lynn Lay, No tax

Beverly McClure and Carlos Caldwell, property in Brodhead, to Tiffany King. Tax \$78

Jerry Warren Carter and Larry Dale Carter, Trustees, Sam L. and Judy M. Ford and Danny R. and Sue Ford, property in Rockcastle County, to City of Mt. Vernon. No tax

Jerry Ikerd Family Limited Partnership and Jerry S. and Brenda Ikerd Trust LTD, property on Price Branch Road, to CCL Marketing Corp. Tax \$888

Sylvia T. Barnes, property in Rockcastle County, to Brian Brooks. Tax \$15

Diane Masters, Cynthia Plummer and Kermit Bowling, property in Brodhead, to MPC LLC. Tax \$10

District Civil Suits

Capital One Bank v. Adam C. Hunter, \$2,809 plus claimed due.

Eagle Financial Services, Inc. v. Marvin Hensley, complaint. C-00302

District Court

August 12-14, 2019 Hon. Jeffrey S. Lawless Tonya Hammons: public intoxication, \$100 fine plus costs.

Charles Sambo Almgren: speeding, no/ expired registration plates - receipt, license suspended for failure to appear (fta). 生品产品等

Phillip Brandon Barnett: operating on suspended/revoked operators license, bench warrant (bw) issued for fta.

Scott Wayne Canada: flagrant non-support, bw issued for fta.

Speeding: Courtney M. Catron, \$50 fine plus costs; Reginald Louis Gamble, license suspended for fta.

Tesla Pearson: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Larry Benjamin VanWinkle: speeding and reckless driving, order en-

Daniel Blackburn: theft of services, 10 days in jail/ costs waived.

David S. Blackburn: theft of services, 10 days in jail/costs waived.

William Cromer: no/expired registration plates receipt, failure to produce insurance card, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, license to be in possession, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, improper registration plates, drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, failure to wear seat belts, bw issued for fta.

Temmy Est. Denny: receiving stolen property, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, bw issued for fta.

Timothy Glen Elam: fines/fees due (\$1043), contempt, 21 days in jail or payment in full.

William Brian Ellis: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcoholdrugs, sentencing order entered.

Sean Elwood: no/expired registration plates receipt, failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/ security, no operators/ moped license, faiure to wear seat belts, bw issued

for fta. Kenneth A. Holt: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/ drugs, sentencing order entered.

Andrea Fave Lamb Baker: public intoxication and criminal trespassing, bw issued for fta.

Elizabeth Ann Newman: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs and wanton endangerment, sentencing orders entered.

Roy Lynn Peek: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/ drugs, sentencing orders entered.

Billy Jack Rayburn: criminal trespassing, bw issued for fta.

Heather Read Roll: fines/fees due (\$203), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

James Robert Whittamore: public intoxication, theft of services, criminal trespassing, disorderly conduct, bw issued for fta.

Alicia Wilson: drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

Mark A. Cullen: failure to wear seat belts, license suspended for fta.

Tony W. Damrel: failure of owner to maintain req. insurance/security, 20 days in jail/costs waived.

David Arthur: public intoxication, \$100 fine plus

Anthony R. Barron: no operators license in possession, possession controlled substance, sentencing orders entered.

Kenneth Franklin Brinegar: attempt public intoxication, possession of marijuana, bw issued for fta.

Deanna M. Cartmill: drug paraphernalia-buy/ possess, \$100 fine plus

Deana Nicole Childress: fines/fees due (\$248), bw issued for fta/5 days in jail or payment in full.

Stephen Michael Clark: theft by unlawful taking, bw issued for fta.

Michael Wayne Cope: flagrant non-support, bw issued for fta. Phillip Falin: drug para-

phernalia-buy/possess, \$100 fine plus costs.

Steven D. Frederick: failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, bw issued for fta.

Leslie Ann Higgins: complicity violations of EPO/DVO, \$100 fine plus costs.

Amanda M Christina Jardinez: assault, bw issued for fta.

Addie M. Long: failure to or improper signal (two counts), operating on suspended/revoked operators license, license to be in possession, bw issued for fta.

Timothy C. Miller: possession controlled substance and drug paraphernalia-buy/possess, bw issued for fta.

Timothy Cecil Miller: fta.

no/expired registration plates-receipt, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security. failure to produce insurance card, bw issued for

Mason Lee Phillips: contempt, theft by unlawful taking, no/expired Kentucky registration receipt - plates, improper display of registration plates, failure to produce insurance card, failure of non-owner operator to maintain req. insurance, operating on suspended/ revoked operators license, no operators/moped license, bw issued for fta.

Scottie Dale Renner: public intoxication and drug paraphernalia-buy/ possess, sentencing orders entered.

Zachary Curtis Smith: operating motor vehicle under influence of alcohol/drugs, reckless driving, possess open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle, bw issued for

Jagjit Singh Dhindsa: speeding, Pt 393, Federal Safety Regs, Parts Needed for Safe operation, Viol. Part 392, Fed Safety Reg. Driving of Motor Vehicle, Part 395/Fed Safety Regs-Hours of Service for Drivers, license suspended for

Commonwealth of Kentucky 28th Judicial Circuit Rockcastle Circuit Court • Division I Civil Action No. 18-CI-00104

U.S. Bank National Association Plaintiff

Christopher Kirby, Heather Kirby

a/k/a Heather Deann Kirby **Defendants NOTICE OF SALE**

Pursuant to the judgment and order of sale entered in this action on July 24, 2019 for satisfying the judgment against the defendants in the amount of TWELVE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED TWENTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND 17/100 (\$12,627.17) 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, August 23, 2019 Beginning at the Hour of 11:00 a.m.

Said property being more particularly described as follows:

PVA Map #086-00-006

Spruce Lane, Orlando, KY 40460

Being the same property conveyed to Bobbie Jean Cromer. Trustee or its successors in trust, under The Bobbie Jean Cromer Revocable Living Trust dated November 16, 2007, from Bobbie Jean Cromer and Bernes Cromer, a married couple and Shelia Gilford, a single person, by deed dated November 16, 2007 and recorded December 5, 2007 in Deed Book 219, Page 361, of the records of the Rockcastle County Clerk's office.

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

1. The real property shall be sold for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days with the purchaser(s) required to pay a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price in cash on the date of sale and to secure the balance with a bond approved by the Master Commissioner.

2. The bond shall bear interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum until paid in full. The bond shall have the force and effect of a judgment and shall be and remain a lien upon the property sold as additional surety for the payment of the purchase price.

3. The purchaser shall pay the 2019 local, county and state property taxes.

4. Unpaid delinquent State, County and/or City ad valorem real estate taxes owed to those government entities, and not sold pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 134 to any private purchaser during the pendency of this action shall be paid from the sale proceeds.

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 the plaintiff is the successful bidder and the sale price does not exceed the amount

of the plaintiff's judgment, no deposit or bond shall be required. 8. The sale shall be made subject to all easements, set back lines, restrictions or covenants of record or otherwise and shall be sold "as is".

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

NOTICE OF **HEARING**

The Rockcastle County Board of Education will hold a public hearing at 250 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, KY

40456 on August 29, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. The General Fund tax levied in fiscal year 2019 was 42 cents on real property and 42 cents on personal property and produced revenue of \$1,813,124.61

Recommendation to set 2020 tax rates at 42.2 cents per hundred and the personal property tax rate at 42.2 cents per hundred, motor vehicle tax rate at 48.3 cents per hundred and utility tax rate at 3% and schedule public hearing for August 29, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

Basketball Volleyball Dodgeball **Kickball** Archery And more!

Livingston **Gymnasium**

Birthday parties Family reunions Music Concerts Banquets Weddings/ Receptions And more!



"Renfro"

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member, Phillip Doan and his band will also perform -- they received outstanding reviews at last year's show and Renfro is fortunate to have these alumni members return to provide another great performance.

A new band, from Northern Kentucky, will make a guest appearance on the show, Mike Gabbard and the Thunder Bay Band. This band receives wonderful reviews throughout the Northern Kentucky and Ohio areas with their beautiful country-rock style of music_{el Ober Med} Control of

Returning to the show, after a few years absence, will be alumni member Mark Poe and The All American Bluegrass Band from Connersville, Indiana. This band has won many awards and is recognized as one of the best Bluegrass bands around.

In addition to the four bands, there are many individual performers: Avery

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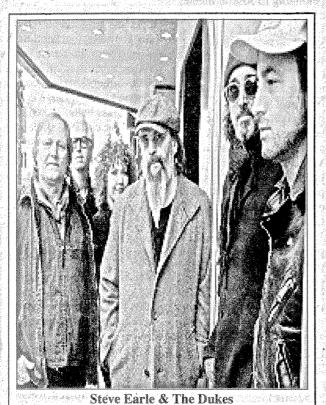
Bradshaw, Charlie Napier, Gwen Flannery, Kathee Staton, Swany Cornett, Leighanne Cooper, special guest Doug Morgan, Pete Stamper, Betty Lou York and Jenny Robbins.

This year's Barndance Alumni Show at Renfro Valley is one of the highlights of the Labor Day weekend activities that you should plan to attend.

Admission is only \$10 with open seating.

Saturday night's Barn Dance, at 6:30, will feature Wes Mills and his band Smokehouse. Tickets for the Barndance are \$27.50 each.

At 8 p.m., the famous Steve Earle and The Dukes will perform in the New Barn. Steve has traveled world-wide since he began performing in the 1980s. He is originally from Virginia and is not only a performer but also a songwriter, playwright, actor, novelist and even a political activist. He has recorded with Miranda Lambert and performed on stage with some of the greatest country/rock artists.



gricultural News By: Warden Alexander, FSA Director

Nearly 17,000 Dairy (702). Dairy Margin Coverage Program ***

Dairy Producers Must Sign up before Sept. 20 for 2019 Coverage ...

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently announced that producers of nearly 17,000 dairy operations have signed up for the Dairy Margin Coverage (DMC) program since signup opened June 17. Producers interested in 2019 coverage must sign up before Sept. 20, 2019.

DMC offers protection to dairy producers when the difference between the all-milk price and the average feed cost (the margin) falls below a certain dollar amount selected by the producer.

"We're encouraged by the number of dairy producers who have signed up for this new program, but we are hopeful that we will get more folks in the door," said Bill Northey, USDA's Under Secretary for Farm Production and Conservation."At this point in the signup process, we are well ahead of the number of producers covered at this time last year under the previous safety net program, with more producers enrolling every day. As we move into the homestretch, we expect more producers across the country to get coverage through DMC and our team at FSA is really going above and beyond to make sure we get the word out there, the returns this year todate should speak for themselves."

In June, when the DMC signup was announced, Secretary Perdue said, "For many smaller dairies, the choice is probably a no-brainer as the retroactive coverage through January has already assured them that the 2019 payments will exceed the required premiums."

To date, more than 60 percent of dairies with established production histories have enrolled in the program. Wisconsin has seen the most participants with more than 4,832 dairy operations, followed by Minnesota (1,865), New York (1,779), Pennsylvania (1,511) and Michigan

USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) began issuing program payments to producers on July 11. DMC provides coverage retroactive to Jan. 1, 2019. The producers who have signed up to date will receive more than \$219.7 million in payments for January through June, when the income over feed cost margin was \$8.63 per hundredweight (cwt.), triggering the sixth payment for eligible dairy producers who purchased the \$9 and \$9.50 levels of coverage under DMC.

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To view weekly enrollment, production and payment reports (posted each Monday at 2 p.m. Eastern), visit FSA's DMC webpage.

Next FSA County Committee Meeting Date: September 4, 2019 8:00 A.M. at the Mt. Vernon USDA Service

Center. Persons with disabilities who require accommodations to attend or participate in the COC meeting should contact. Warden Alexander at (606) 256-2525 or Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339 three days prior to the meet-

Important program dates and Interest Rates

Farm Operating Loans-Direct = 2.875%

Farm Ownership Loans-Direct= 3.625%

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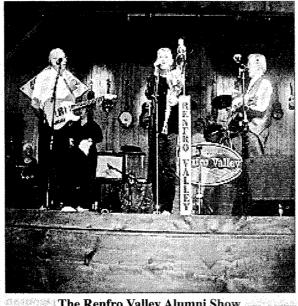
Farm Ownership Loans-Direct Down Payment=

1.500% Emergency

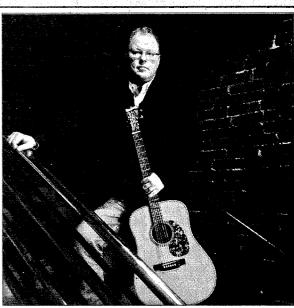
Loans=3.750% Farm Storage Loans= 3 yr. = 1.750%, 5 yr. = 1.750%, 7 yr. =1.875%, 10 yr. =2.000%,

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The Renfro Valley Alumni Show



Mark Poe (The All American Bluegrass Band)

ORDINANCE NO. 2019 - 16

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING ONE OR MORE LEASES FOR THE FINANCING OF VARIOUS PROJECTS AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTS RELATED TO SUCH LEASES

WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of Mount Vernon, Kentucky (the "Lessee") has the power, pursuant to Section 65.940 et seq. of the Kentucky Revised Statutes to enter into lease agreements with or without the option to purchase in order to provide for the use of property for public purposes;

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Lessee (the "Governing Body") has previously determined, and hereby further determines, that the Lessee is in need of the Projects, as defined in the Lease hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body has determined and hereby determines that it is in the best interests of the Lessee that the Lessee, the Kentucky Council of Area Development Districts and the Kentucky Association of Counties Finance Corporation (the "Lessor") enter into one or more Lease Agreements (the "Lease") for the leasing by the Lessee from the Lessor of the itiši pitoje, gjimitaš kiš i postrajeni iše aspektarski i obliki trikitik kit. Projects; A RIGG JOSEPA RESEARCH THE RESEARCH

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals and Authorization. The Lessee hereby approves the Lease Agreement (the "Lease") substantially the form presented to this Governing Body. The recitals in the Ordinance are incorporated herein as if set forth in this Section in their entirety and are hereby found and determined to be true and correct. It is further found and determined that the Project identified in the Lease is public property to be used for public purposes. It is further determined that it is necessary and desirable and in the best interests of the Lessee to enter into the Lease for the purposes therein specified, and the execution and delivery of the Lease and all representations, certifications and other matters contained in the Closing Memorandum with respect to the Lease, or as may be required by the Lessor prior to delivery of the Lease, are hereby approved, ratified and confirmed. The Mayor and City Clerk of the Lessee are hereby authorized to execute the Lease, together with such other agreements or certifications which may be necessary to accomplish the transaction contemplated by the Lease.

General Obligation Pledge. Pursuant to the Constitution of the Commonwealth and Chapter 66 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, as amended (the "General Obligation Statutes"), the obligation of the Lessee created by the Lease shall be a full general obligation of the Lessee and, for the prompt payment of the Lease Payments, the full faith, credit and revenue of the Lessee are hereby pledged. During the period the Lease is outstanding, there shall be and there hereby is levied on all the taxable property in the Lessee, in addition to all other taxes, without limitation as to rate, a direct tax annually in an amount sufficient to pay the Lease Payments on the Lease when and as due, it being hereby found and determined that current tax rates are within all applicable limitations. Said tax shall be and is hereby ordered computed, certified, levied and extended upon the tax duplicate and collected by the same officers in the same manner and at the same time that taxes for general purposes for each of said years are certified, extended and collected. Said tax shall be placed before and in preference to all other items and for the full amount thereof; provided, however, that in each year to the extent that the other taxes of the Lessee are available for the payment of the Lease Payments and are

There is hereby established, or it is acknowledged that there has heretofore been established, with the Lessee a sinking fund (the "Sinking Fund"). The funds derived from said tax levy hereby required or other available taxes shall be placed in the Sinking Fund and, together with interest collected on the same, are irrevocably pledged for the payment of all obligations issued under the General Obligation Statutes and all Tax Supported Leases, as defined in the General Obligation Statutes, including the Lease herein authorized, when and as the same fall due. Amounts shall be transferred from the Sinking Fund to the Lessor at the times and in the amounts required by the Lease.

appropriated for such purpose, the amount of such direct tax upon all of the taxable property in

the Lessee shall be reduced by the amount of such other taxes so available and appropriated.

Section 3. Administration of the Lease. The Kentucky Association of Counties Leasing Trust is hereby acknowledged to be the program administrator under the Lease.

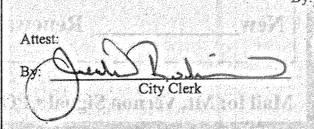
Section 4. Severability. If any section, paragraph or provision of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.

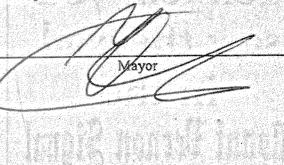
Section 5. Open Meetings Law. This Governing Body hereby finds and determines that all formal actions relative to the adoption of this Ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Governing Body, and that all deliberations of this Governing Body and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with applicable legal requirements.

Section 6. Conflicts. All resolutions, ordinances, orders or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed and the provisions of this Resolution shall prevail and be given effect.

Section 7. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, as provided by law.

INTRODUCED, SECONDED AND ADOPTED, at a duly convened meeting of the Governing Body, held on July 25, 2019, signed by the Mayor of the Lessee, attested by the City Clerk, filed and indexed as provided by law.





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Notice is hereby given that Sylvia H. Waddle, 440 Millwater Falls, Shepherdsville, Ky. 40165 has been appointed Executrix of the estate of Money Ed Cummins on the 12th day of August, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said Sylvia H. Waddle or to Hon. John D. Ford, P.O. Box 247, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before February 12, 2019 at

Notice is given that Teresa Miller has filed a Final Settlement of her accounts as Administratrix of the Estate of Randall Hasty. A hearing on said settlement will be held September 16, 2019 at 11 a.m. Any exceptions to said settlement must be filed before that date.

Red's Auto & Tire, 9333 Dysart Way, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 (Deborah Coulton) 606-758-0033 is seeking to obtain a clear title to a 2009 Ford Escape, VIN # 1FMCUD37X9KDO6663. Owner: Tina Breeding, 1405 E. Hwy. 92, Williamsburg, Ky. 40769.Lein Holder: General Electric, 10485 Reeding Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45241. You have 14 days from the last publication of this legal notice to notify me in writing. 29x3

Red's Auto & Tire, 9333 Dysart Way, Crab Orchard, Ky. 40419 (Deborah Coulton) 606-758-0033, is seeking to obtain a clear title to a 2003 Nissan Altima Vin #1N4AL11D13C208769. Owner: Truc Dang, 111 Woodland Drive, Somerset, Ky. 42503. You have 14 days from the last publication of this legal notice to notify me in writing. 29x3

Notice is hereby given that Patricia Allen, 74 Halcomb East Rd., Orlando, Ky. 40460 and Carol Robbins Sparks, 1431 Cove Branch Road, Orlando, Ky. 40460 have been appointed Co-Executrixes of the State of Shirley Ann Robbins on the 29th day of July, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them according to law, to the said Patricia Allen and Carol Robbins Sparks or to Jeremy B. Rowe, P.O. Box 1250, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 on or before January 29, 2020.

Notice is hereby given that James Donnie Saylor, 2432 Old State Road, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Executor of the Estate of Kimberly McClure Saylor on the 24th day of July, 2019. Any person having claims against said estate shall present them, according to law, to the said James Donnie Saylor or to Hon. Tracy Blevins, Blevins, Blevins Law, 400 Richmond Rd. N, Suite C, Berea, Ky. 40403 on or before January 27, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. 28x3

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Notice: On Saturday, August 31, 2019 at the hour of 9:00 a.m. I, Perry Mink, will sell a 2004 Audi, VIN: WAUJ68EX4A125597, belonging to Tyrone C. Sherman, Jr., at Perry's Autobody and Used Cars, LLC, 110 Old Somerset

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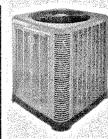
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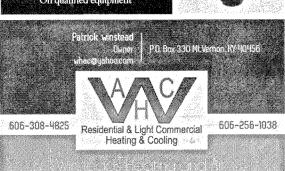
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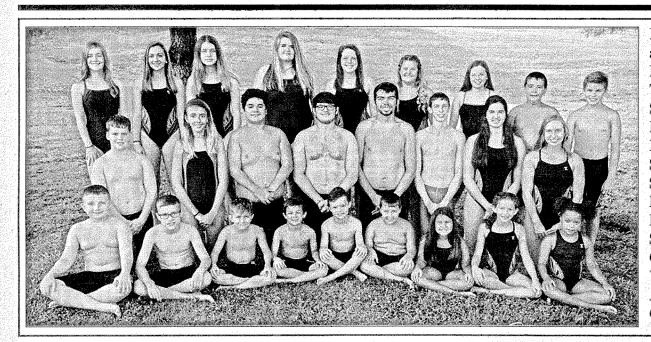
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Members of the 2019 Cedar Rapids Dolphins are shown at left, front row from left: Logan Bullock, Wyatt Rigsby, Kayden McKnight, Trapper Bray, Avery Deaton, Xavier Stallsworth, Arden Carrera, Lila Rigsby, Ava Phillips. Second row from left: Michael Camel, Kimhari Stallsworth, Marcos Benge, Reese Sherrow, Dawson Nicely, Silas Durham, Jayna Singleton and Laurel Yates. Back row from left: Luree Gabbard, Madalyn White, Avery Bullock, Reagan Rumsey, Riley Sherrow, Katie Smithern, Addy White, Jackson Stallsworth and Conner Winstead. Not shown: Tristan Winstead, Autumn King, Vashaun Alexander, Amy Cornelius, Emma Phillips, Jacob Camel, Cooper Brown.



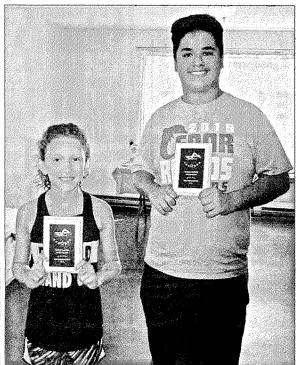
Cedar Rapids Dolphins held their end of the season swim banquet last Sunday. Receiving awards for high point winners for the season in their age groups are shown above, front row from left: Cooper Brown and Trapper Bray. Middle row from left: Jacob Camel and Logan Bullock. Back row from left: Douglas Nicely,



Lila Rigsby and Marcos Benge received the Most Improved swimmers award.



Cedar Rapids Dolphins' Laurel Yates, Silas Durham and Emma Phillips were the high point winners in their age groups during the Lake Cumberland Swim Association Swim Conference held in July.



The team is coached by Shannon and Charon Burton, Shanlee Childress and

Lauren VonLinger.

this past summer.

Cedar Rapids

Dolphins hold

banquet Cedar Rapids Dolphins swim team held their end of the year banquet Sunday recognizing their swimmers on a successful sea-

Swimmers Laurel Yates, Dawson Nicely, Jayna Singleton, Silas Durham, Emma Phillips and Conner Winstead all broke records

Yates, Durham and Phillips were all high point winners in their age groups during the annual conference held at Russell

Minds in the Middle

School is off to a great start at RCMS. We loved hosting all of the parents and students who attended our open house before school began. We had a great turnout!

and Addy White,

Any student interested in joining the RCMS Choir should see Mrs. Burdette for an information sheet and permission form. No audition is required to join.

RCMS is proud of Paige Cash who place first and Anna Chaliff who placed third in the 4-H Land Judging Competition at the state fair.

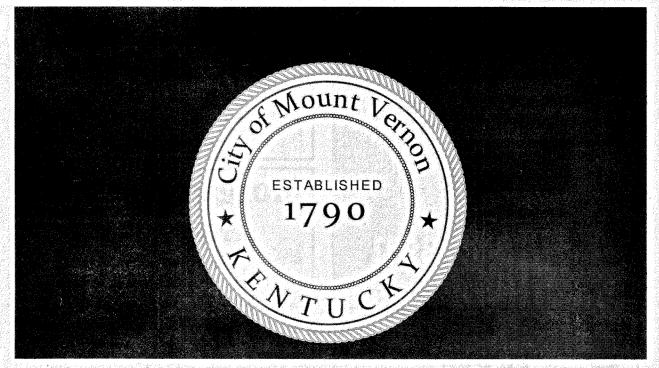
Thank you to our Kind Kids of the Week: Michael Sparks, Jordan Makaylee Bailey, McNally, Tiney Weaver, Connor Vanwinkle, Emily Forman, Chase Woods, Ashton Long, Ella Vance, Rex Parkey, Landon Reppert, Carter Powell, and Walker Craig.

Receiving awards for high point winners for the season in their age groups are

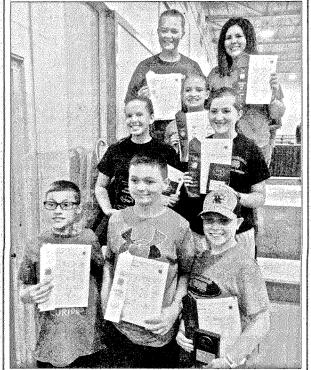
Dolphin swimmers shown above, front row from left: Ava Phillips and Lila Rigsby.

Back row from left: Laurel Yates, Emma Phillips, Jayna Singleton, Katie Smithern

Friday, August 30thwill be Hats Off to Abby Day in support of the Abby Langford Memorial Community Scholarship Fund. Students can donate \$1 to wear a hat that day.



You are invited to a Groundbreaking Ceremony at the City of Mount Vernon Water Plant Friday, August 23 at 1:30 pm



2019 State Land Judging Participants

In the Junior Division, Wyatt Rigsby and Lucas Saylor received white ribbons. Anna Chaliff placed third, Ben Chaliff placed second, and Paige Cash was the high individual.

In the Senior Division, Erica Pigg received a white ribbon, Emily Reynolds received a red ribbon, and Emma Ballinger received a red ribbon.

Thanks to Rockcastle Extension Intern David Gabbard for helping coach the team.

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Fall Sports Preview 2019

Rockets excited for new district

By: Mike French Editor

The Rockcastle County Rockets will start the season in a new district and a new class since they have been moved from Class 4A, District 6 to Class 3A, District 5. This means a new schedule and new rivalries that will have the chance to develop.

RCHS head coach Scott Parkey says he and his team are excited about the new opportunities and plan to be a force in the new district and class, just as they were in their previous company.

"Every four years, the KHSAA classifies schools for football based on the average number of boys in the school. All football schools are then divided into six classes based on the enrollment numbers. Class A is

smallest 32 schools, Class 6A is largest 32 schools.

Every class is divided up accordingly with 32 schools," said Parkey.

He said he did not have a say in the new rankings. "We have been near the bottom of Class 4A enrollment for over 12 years. This round saw lots of movement around the state. We just happened to drop to Class 3A being one of the larger schools in that class."

Parkey says the changes will make a difference in the way he approaches the season and he can't wait to get started. "With the alignment of classes brings new alignments for districts across the state. I have no say. Our new district, for at least the next four seasons will be Bell Co, Estill Co, Garrard Co, Jackson Co, McCreary Central, and us. This

is exciting for us, simply because it is a change. We renew rivalries with Bell, Estill, and McCreary and we have the opportunity to play neighboring Jackson Co each year."

Parkey comes into the new season off a losing record of 5-6 in the prior season but he says that record doesn't tell the whole

story about how strong the Rockets were last year. "Last season was disappointing when looking at the win-loss record but, when all the variables are laid on the table and you see what the team was able to overcome to get those five wins, it becomes very clear to see how successful the season really was. I thought the team and

the coaching staff did a tremendous job last season."

For the upcoming season, Parkey says the Rockets have several strengths that he believes his coaching staff can take advantage of. "Versatility, athleticism, and energy. We have

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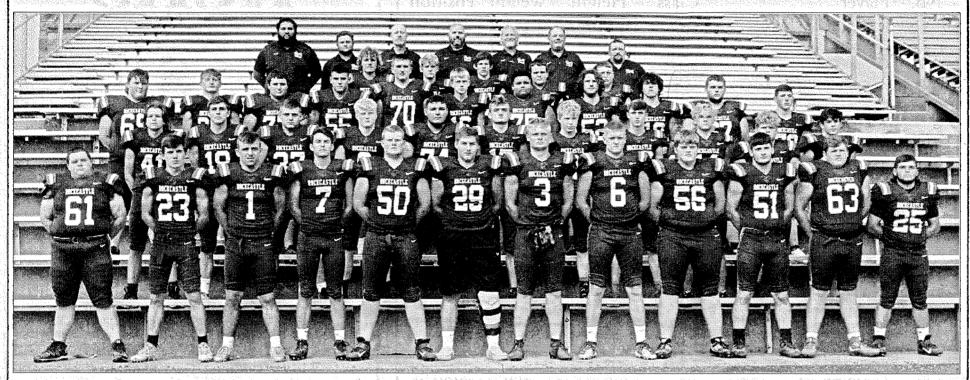
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Members of the 2019 Rockcastle Rockets football squad are shown above, bottom row from left: Daniel Mason, Noah Reams, Josh Thacker, Jacob Loudermilk, Blaine Rumsey, Sam Philbeck, Trevor Todd, Chase Roberts, Austin Tillery, Dougie Collins, Dakota Slavey and Zach Taylor. Second row from left: Jeremiah Mills, Landen Broaddus, Keaton McClure, Tyler Osborne, Matthew Pendery, Braydon Owens, Mitchell Buckner, Landon Dillingham, Noah Parkey, Caleb Williams and Ethan Medley. Third row from left: Dakota Barnett, Matthew Chasteen, Garrett Hamilton, Rylee DeLeon, Jarred Bugg, Kaden Kidwell, Jayvon Bowden, Isaiah Didelot, Drew Mink, Chris Whitehead and Dylan Coffey. Fourth row from left: Isaiah DeHart, Cameron Wright, Ethan Tyree, Walker Goosey and Jamison Mink. Back row from left: Tyler Holman, Chayse McClure, Adam Coleman, Josh Martin, head coach Scott Parkey, Mike Hamilton and Dennis Miller. Not pictured: John Howard.

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2019 Rockcastle County Rockets

No.	Player	Class	Height	Weight	Position
1	Josh Thacker	12	5'10"	184	RB/DB
2	Mitchell Buckner	11	5'9"	137	K
3	Trevor Todd	12	6'2"	208	TE/LB
5	Cameron Wright	. 9	5'8"	138	Ath/DB
. 6	Chase Roberts	12	6'1"	203	WR/DB
7	Jacob Loudermilk	12	5'10"	154	WR/DB
8	Tyler Osborne	10	5'9"	157	TE/DB
10	Drew Mink	11	6'0"	161	WR/DB
11	Ethan Tyree	9	5'8"	120	WR/DB
12	Kaden Kidwell	9	6'1"	134	QB/DB
14	Noah Parkey	11	5'9"	169	QB/DB
15	Connor Gibson	10	5'6"	141	RB/DB
17	Braydon Owens	9	6'0"	145	WR/LB
18	Landen Broaddus	10	5'11"	165	Ath/DB
20	Landon Dillingham	10	5'10"	139	WR/DB
21	John Howard	12	5'11"	142	WR/DB
23	Noah Reams	12	5'9"	145	Ath/DB
24	Ethan Medley	9	5'8"	150	RB/LB
25	Zach Taylor	12	5'5"	176	RB/LB
27	Logan Brown	11	5'7"	160	Ath/DB
29	Sam Philbeck	12	<i>6</i> '0"	220	TE/DL
33	Matthew Chasteen	10	5'11"	158	RB/LB
37	Keaton McClure	9	5'11"	182	RB/LB
41	Jeremiah Mills	9	5'9"	144	RB/DB
50	Blaine Rumsey	12	6'0"	219	OL/DL
51	Dougie Collins	12	5'10"	189	OL/DL
52	Isaiah Didelot	11	5'11"	157	TE/LB
53	Caleb Williams	11	5'6"	225	RB/DL
55	Rylee DeLeon		6'1"	206	TE/DL
56	Austin Tillery	12	5'11"	282	OL/DL
60	Dallas Bussell	11	5'11"	205	OL/DL
61	Daniel Mason	12	5'4"	246	OL/DL
63	Dakota Slavey	12	5'10"	251	OL/DL
64	Isaiah Dehart	10	5'8"	180	OL/DL
65	Walker Goosey	9	5'6"	226	OL/DL
67	Chris Whitehead	11	5'10"	228	OL/DL
69	Dakota Barnett	9	5'10"	302	OL/DL
70	Jarred Bugg	10	6'6"	226	OL/DL
73	Jamison Mink	9	5'6"	224	OL/DL
74	Matthew Pendery	11	5'11"	235	OL/DL
75	Ethan Kirby	9	5'8"	260	OL/DL
76	Jayvon Bowden	10	5'11"	295	OL/DL
77	Garrett Hamilton	10	5'11"	258	OL/DL
78	Dylan Coffey	9	5'7"	152	OL/DL
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RGHS VarSity Football Schedule

Aug. 23	Somerset	Away
Aug. 30	Casey County	Home
(R	enfro Valley Jamboree B	Sowl)
Sept. 6	Wayne County	Home
Sept. 13	OPEN	
Sept. 20	Adair County	Away
Sept. 27	Estill County*	Home
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Oct. 4	Bell County*	Away
Oct. 11	Jackson County*	Home
(Operation UNITE Bowl)	
	(Youth League Night)	
Oct. 18	McCreary Central*	Away
Oct. 25	Garrard County*	Away
Nov. 1	Lincoln County	Home
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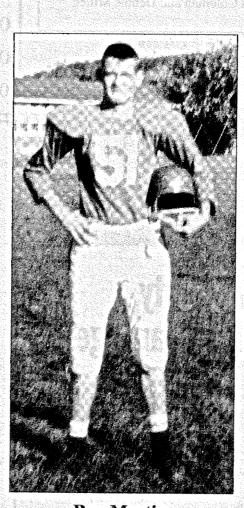
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Members of the 2019 football coaching staff are shown above, front row from left:

Tyler Holman, head coach Scott Parkey and Michael Hamilton.

Back row from left: Josh Martin, Chayse McClure, Adam Coleman and Dennis Miller.

Not pictured: Matt Brown.

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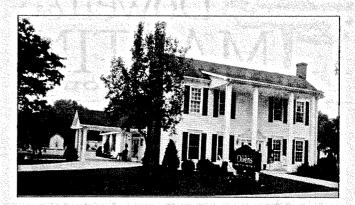
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Aug. 26	North Laurel	Home
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Sept. 5	North Laurel	Away
Sept. 9	Pulaski County	Away
Sept. 12	Clay County	Away
Sept. 19	South Laurel	Away
Sept. 26	Wayne County	Home
Oct. 3	Bell County	Home
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Oct. 10	Clay County	Home
Oct. 14	Wayne County	Away
Oct. 17	Whitley County	Home
Oct. 21	Pulaski County	Home

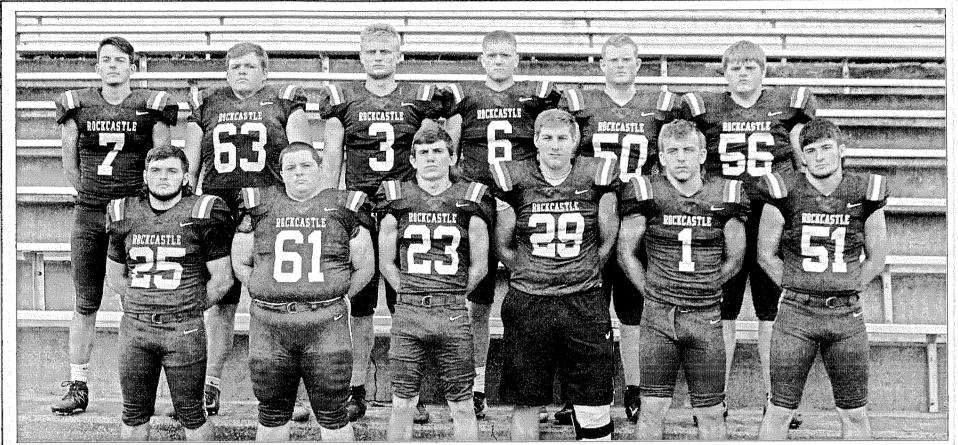
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2019 Rocket Football Seniors

Senior members of the 2019 Rocket football squad are shown above, front row from left: Zach Taylor, Daniel Mason, Noah Reams, Sam Philbeck, Josh Thacker and Dougie Collins. Back row from left: Jacob Loudermilk, Dakota Slavey, Trevor Todd, Chase Roberts, Blaine Rumsey and Austin Tillery. Not pictured: John Howard.

Good Luck to all Rockcastle teams!

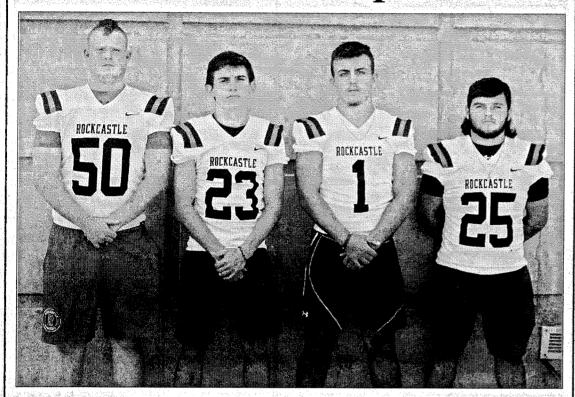
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2019 Rocket Captains



The 2019 captains for the Rockcastle Rockets are shown above, from left:

Blaine Rumsey, Noah Reams, Josh Thacker and Zach Taylor





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"Rockets"

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several skill position guys who can do a lot of things really well. We have long wide receivers who can run, block, and catch. Our running backs are good runners and receivers. The tight end group is smart enough and versatile enough with their skills that you will see them all over the field doing everything imaginable."

If this year's squad has a weakness, Parkey says it is one that he believes the strengths can overcome. "Depth is our biggest weakness. We have a lot of guys who can play on Friday nights, but we still would like to see a couple more linemen step up to provide that much-needed depth later on in the season," he said.

As for the lead spot, the Rockets' quarterback has several strengths and that too can overcome holes that may develop making the Rockets a well balanced team, according to Parkey. "Noah Parkey returns at quarterback this year. His body has matured, getting much stronger and faster through work in the weight room. So, he has also gained accuracy and arm strength in his passing skills. He will continue to be the kind of player who will look to run, but he has been very impressive in the passing work this summer."

When asked if this year's team has many college prospects, Parkey explained that this team's focus is much more local while the season is underway. "College prospects does not equal high school stars. Our guys play for their teammates, their school, their family, and this county. If college sports become an option for them, that is a bonus. We want our team to be viewed as just that, a team. We have some guys who will be really good high school football players this fall."

It is difficult for Parkey to pick a player that he believes will stand out as a "star" on the team because the central focus of his coaching style is teamwork.

The coach says he is looking at several players who are all "stars." He lists some of them: Josh Thacker, a senior who is returning from ACL surgery that kept him off the field last season; Zach Taylor, a senior linebacker and running back who was a leader on and off the field last season; Matthew Chasteen, a sophomore who started at linebacker last year and led the team in tackles; Rylee DeLeon, a junior, moved from tight end to offensive line this year. He is also a dominant force on defense. Rylee has a special knack for leading his peers, said Coach Parkey; Drew Mink, junior, will be looking to be a threat on offense and defense in his second year starting on both sides; Noah Reams, senior, defensive back. really has developed his skills as a player in the secondary; Blaine Rumsey, senior, returning to the offensive line for his second year as a starter.

There are also some players to watch this year. Parkey says he has high expectations for some of the players who may not have fully developed as of yet. "Seniors Trevor Todd, Jacob Loudermilk, Austin Tillery, Dougie Collins, juniors Caleb Williams and Isaiah Didelot, Jr and transfer students Dakota Slavey and Mitchell Buckner, Jr. are all players to watch this year." he said.

Sam Philbeck, one of the team's biggest threats, will miss the season after having a second ACL surgery. "The second injury was a fluke accident at home. He will not be able to play this season. It is a devastating blow for him, his family and for the team. Sam is a leader on and off the field, a great student, and a great teammate," Parkey said.

Many fans are concerned with details about the team and coaches and the process. But some are mostly concerned with the number one question, "How good will we be this season?" Parkey has an answer to that question. "We have potential to

be pretty good. Like every year, there are so many variables that come into play, and we are doing our best to control as many of those variables as possible to have things go our way."

If you are a Rocket fan, this may be one of the most exciting years in recent history watching the Rockets play in the new class and district and Parkey says he is just as excited as those who support the team. ""This will be a fun team to watch. We aren't going to be the biggest or the fastest, but our guys will be playing the hardest. We would love to see the community come out and rally behind these guys!"

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Preview of the Rock schedule

By: Mike French Reporter

The Rockcastle County Rockets will have a tough row to hoe this year in their new class and new district. The Rockets are now a Class 3A, District 5 team for the first time.

Placement in districts and classes are based on several factors, including population and student body count, as well as other issues.

However, Head Coach Scott Parkey says that despite the changes, his team is ready to meet the challenge.

The Rockets had three consecutive winning seasons until last year's losing record of 5-6 with a first round loss in the playoffs to Shelby County.

This year's schedule is as follows:

Somerset Briarjumpers August 23rd

The opening game for the Rockets this year may be the toughest of the season, against the Somerset Briarjumpers.

The massive and quick team won their Class 2A, District 7 division last year and advanced all the way to the semifinals of the state championship only to lose to the eventual state champion Lexington Christian Academy.

The Briarjumpers are picked by several sports enthusiasts as the preseason favorite since they are returning most of their starting stars, including quarterback, Kaiya Sheron. Last season, Sheron threw for over 1,800 yards and scored 13 touchdowns.

Sheron is also picked by several to end the 2020 season as the Player of the Year.

As if this weren't enough to face for the Rockets, the game will be held in Somerset.

It will take a miracle to pull this one out, but the Rockets have created miracles before.

Casey County Rebels August 30th

The second game of the year will be on Rocket turf and will be against a smaller team than their first match up.

Still, the Rebels bring an 8-3 season to the table against the Rockets' 5-6 record.

Casey also brings five returning starters on offense and five on defense but they are not without holes in their program.

Coach Steve Stonebraker must find a way to replace his star quarterback Austin Campbell, who played a huge part in leading the team to their winning season last year.

Casey also loses a star running back in Preston Tucker. Those two positions alone brought the team 31 touchdowns last year and without them, the team may have to change strategies throughout the season and make mid-season adjustments.

The Rockets may be able to take home field advantage and those two weaknesses and capitalize on them.

Wayne County Cardinals September 6th

The Rockets will remain at home for the match-up with Wayne County who will bring an 8-4 2018 record to Rockcastle County.

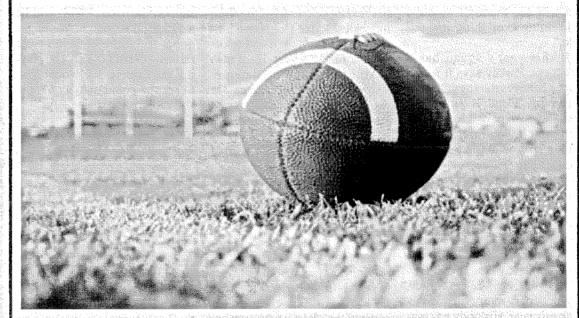
The Cardinals had a strong season last year but couldn't get over the hump in the playoffs. However, this year, eight starters returned to the Cardinal roster.

The biggest threat, according to football watchers around the state, may be Brody Weaver, the junior quarterback. He is 6'1" and weighs 170 pounds and is reported to have an arm like a slingshot.

But, the Rockets have a lot of speed this year that may keep Weaver from dominating the game. It is difficult to find a receiver when the Rock will be running alongside each of them.

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Adair County Indians September 20th

The Rockets will travel to Adair County to take on the struggling team. In the past two seasons, Adair has a total of two wins. and hasn't been to a playoff game in three years.

The Rock will face a 1-9 team from the 2018 season, with a lot of weaknesses waiting to be exploited.

Highschool football reporters say the team is not expected to be any better this year than the previous two and the Rockets will be in good shape physically for the fourth game of the year.

If you enjoy watching the Rockets shine, this is the game to bring your sunglasses.

Estill County Engineers September 27th

The first district game of the year for the Rockets will be Friday night, September 27th at home.

The Estill County Engineers are hopeful this season but are in the midst of a reboot.

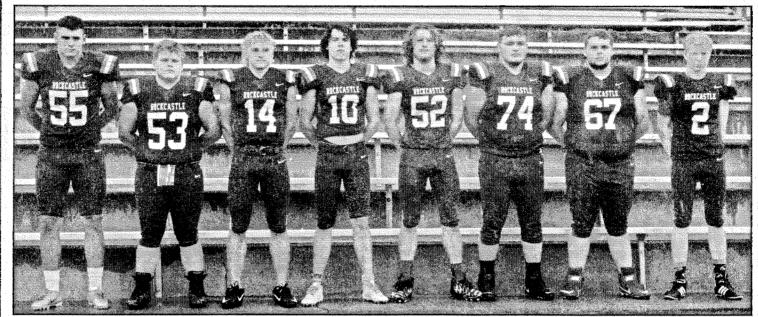
A brand new Head Coach, Jordan Marcum, will lead the team this year and try to rebuild from their 4-7 record last year.

Marcum will start his new job with the advantage of having nine starters returning for the 2019 season,

According to sportswriters across the state, the Rockets are expected to control this game and start their district play with a big win.

Bell County Bobcats October 5th

The second district game



Junior members of the Rocket football squad are shown above, from left: Rylee DeLeon, Caleb Williams, Noah Parkey, Drew Mink, Isaiah Didelot, Matthew Pendery, Chris Whitehead and Mitchell Buckner.

for the Rockets will most likely be the toughest district game of the season.

The Bell County Bobcats are preseason favorites after leaving the Class 3A playoffs last year three rounds in.

The Bobcats bring an 11-2 1018 season to their own home field to host the Rock.

Bell has eight returning starters on offense and nine on defense and one of those starters, senior quarterback London Stephney, had over 1,000 rushing yards, over 800 passing yards, and 15 of his own touchdowns amid those rushes and, Stephney also had 55 tackles of his own.

Staying away from Stephney, when the Rock has the ball, and keeping Stephney from running when the Bobcats have the ball, will determine the numbers on the scoreboard at this game.

Jackson County Generals October 11th

Again the Rockets will face a new head coach when Jackson County travels to the Rock on October 11th.

Jackson County had a dif-

ficult season in 2018-19 with a 1-9 record and brand new Head Coach Travis McDaniel will try to give the team a rare taste of victory.

with home field advantage, and the Rocket's returning starters and expected speed, Jackson County will be extremely lucky to come out of this match with a taste of victory.

McCreary Central Raiders October 18th

If there is a game that will be easier for Rockcastle than the Jackson County game, it will be the match-up between the Rockets and the Raiders.

The McCreary Central Raiders had a 1-10 record last season. The team did reach the playoffs last year for the first time in 10 years but lost in the first round.

Though the game will be held in McCreary County, the Rockets will take their power to a rebuilding and hopeful squad. Coach Parkey should, by all means, bring a victory back to Rockcastle County from this road trip.

Garrard County Golden Lions October 25

The last district game of the season for the Rockets will be in Garrard County against the Golden Lions.

There are some strong points to look at when looking at the Garrard County team, according to most sportswriters and there are also some weak spots in their plans for a playoff bid.

The Golden Lions come off of a 2-9 2018 record but many say they will be a much-improved team this year with four of their key players returning in 2019.

Jacob Hacker, Cortez Ison, Bryce Sulla and Owen Stinnett were the biggest reasons for their two wins last year and now they bring that experience back for this season. In fact, Cats' Pause magazine picks Hacker to be a player to watch out of the entire district.

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played in Garrard County, the Rock may have their hands handles the full but Coach Parkey says his team has a "sense of urgency game goes."

based on some unfinished business."

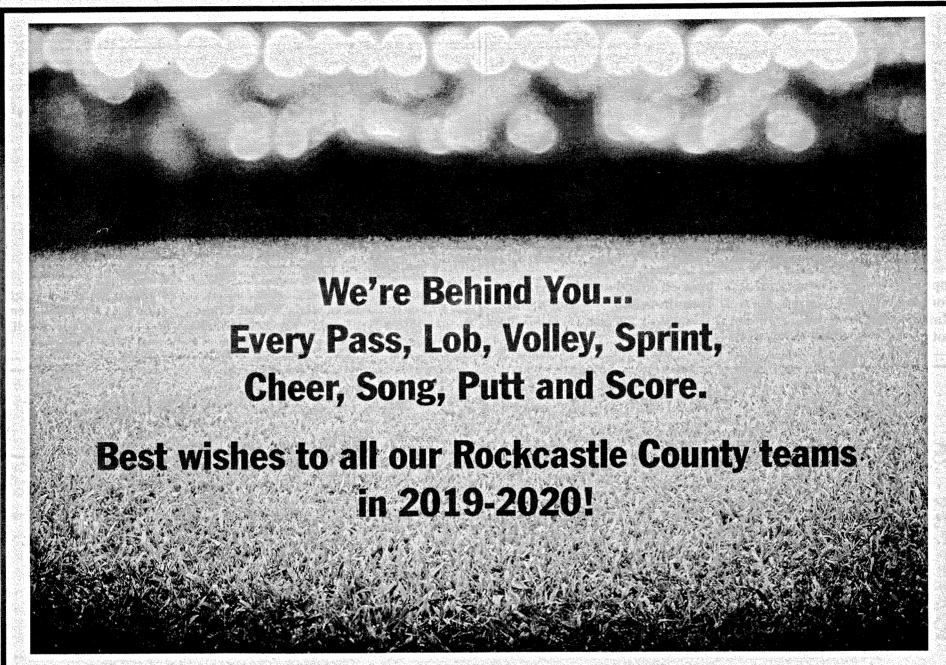
Lincoln County Patriots November 1

The final game of the regular season for the Rockets will be at home facing the Lincoln County Patriots. The Patriots bring a winning 2018 7-5 record to the Rock's home field and many high school sports fans pick this as the game to watch out of the entire regular season. Who will get the win is anyone's guess.

Lincoln moved down one class (to 4A) just as Rockcastle did and they will also have faced a tough schedule. But, by the end of the season, both teams are expected to be working like a well-oiled machine as long as injuries stay away during the season.

Lincoln is in a class now with Corbin and Knox Central and by the end of the year they will either be tired and worn down, or a fine-tuned squad.

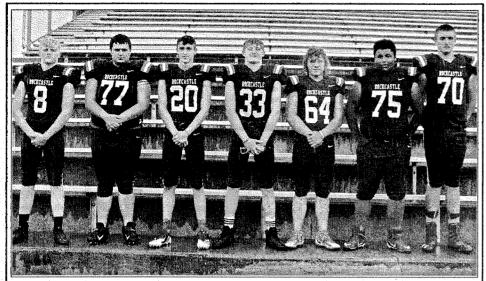
How their coaching staff handles the season will most likely determine how this game goes.



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Sophomore members of the Rocket football squad are shown above, from left: Tyler Osborne, Garrett Hamilton, Landon Dillingham, Matthew Chasteen, Isaiah Didelot, Jayvon Bowden and Jarred Bugg. Not pictured: Landen Broaddus.



Freshmen members of the Rocket football squad are shown above, front row from left: Jamison Mink, Walker Goosey, Keaton McClure, Cameron Wright, Ethan Tyree and Dylan Coffey. Back row from left: Kaden Kidwell, Dakota Barnett, Braydon Owens, Jeremiah Mills and Ethan Medley.

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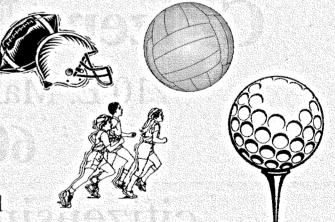
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2019 RCHS Varsity Volleyball



Members of the 2019 RCHS varsity volleyball squad are shown above, front row from left:

Amy Cornelius, Faith Harris, McKenzi Lunsford, Sarah Barron, Emilee Thomas, Kylee Fain and Callie Lewis.

Back row from left: Jaylon Ponder, Jordan Eaton, Valerie Franklin, Autumn King, Hallie Brown, Keelee King and Emily Ponder.

2019 RCHS Volleyball Seniors

Senior members of the RCHS volleyball squad are shown at right,, front row from left:

Levley Bonder, Emiles Themes, Kyles Fein

Jaylon Ponder, Emilee Thomas, Kylee Fain and Callie Lewis.

Back row from left: Valerie Franklin, Autumn King and Emily Ponder.





2019 Junior Varsity Volleyball

Members of the RCHS junior varsity volleyball squad are shown above, front row from left:
Faith Harris, Chelsea Roberts, McKenzi Lunsford, Alexis Elam and Kaylie Owens.
Back row from left: Megan Ellis, Kylee Burns, Hallie Brown, Karalinn Loudermilk, Keelee King and Leann Doan.



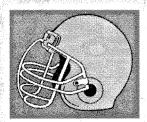
2019 Freshmen Volleyball

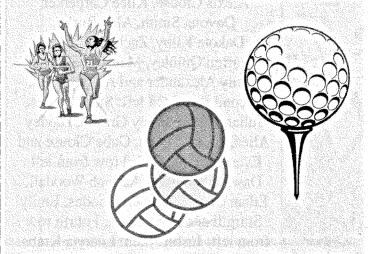
Members of the RCHS freshmen volleyball squad are shown above, front row from left:
Riley Sherrow, Paige Cash, Sarah Barron, Maddie Ellis and Karlee Smith.
Back row from left: Allison McCoy, Kylee Burns, Hallie Brown, Keelee King and Madi Lewis.

RCHS Rockets' Volleyball Schedule

Aug.20	Danville	Away
22	Garrard County	Away
26	Boyle County	Away
27	Lincoln County	Home
29	Casey County	Away
30-31	Bluegrass Invitational	Lex.
Sept.5	Pulaski County	Away
6-7	Rockcastle Invitational	Home
10	North Laurel	Ноте
12	Somerset	Away
16	SW Pulaski	Ноте
<i>1</i> 7	South Laurel	- Away
19	Casey County	Home
23	Garrard County	Home
24	Lincoln County	Away
26	Pulaski County	Home
Oct. 1	Somerset (2) Call	Home
3	Wayne County	Away
8	North Laurel	Away
10	Corbin	Home
14	Whitley County	Home
15	South Laurel	Home
17	Mercer County (Sr. Night)	Home
21-24	47th District Tourney	Somerset
28-31	12th Region Tourney	TBD

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Shown at left is the 2019 edition of the RCHS Marching Rockets: Alexis Clouse, Kilee Carpenter, Devona Smith, Alex Burke, Dakota Kilby, Zach Robinson, Darren Ouinley, Madison Smith. Emily Alexander and Amber Horn. Second row from left: Sierra Payne, Julian Isaacs, Haley Graves, Hayley Allen, Lizzie Dixon, Gabe Clouse and Evan Whipple. Third row from left: Dawson Gibbons, Aaliyah Woodall, Ethan Cromer, Robert Rhodus, Emily Sturgill and Allie Dunn. Fourth row from left: Justin Allen, Loareta Krebs, Brooklyn Carter, Kaylee Deatherage and J.J. Clouse. Fifth row from left:

Wyatt Martin, Daniel Krebs,
Shelbie Baker and Thomas Ligon.
Sixth row from left: Zaydan Barnett,
Colorguard Instructor Allison Renner,
Drum Major Tarrylton Dunn,
Band Director Greg Daugherty,
Percussion Instructor Cassandra Smith
and Marcos Benge.

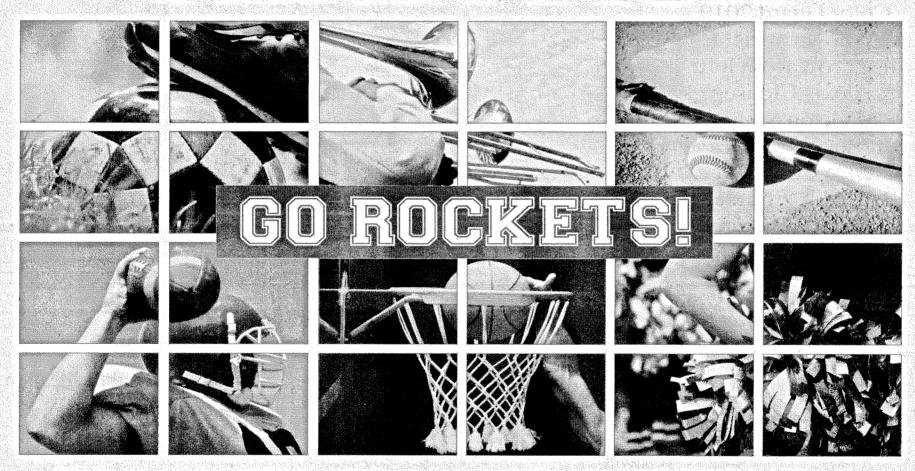


RCHS Marching Rockets Staff

Members of the RCHS Marching Rockets staff are shown at left, from left:
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Emily Alexander and
Kilee Carpenter.
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Amber Horn and
Devona Smith.



2019 RCHS Band Leadership Team

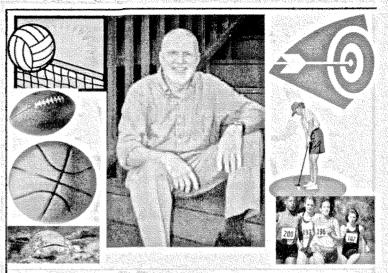


The RCHS Band Leadership
Team is shown at left,
kneeling: Darren Quinley.
Second row from left:
Tarrylton Dunn, Shelbie Baker,
Madison Smith,
Emily Alexander and
Lizzie Dixon.
Back row from left:
Hayley Graves, J.J. Clouse,
Thomas Ligon,
Kaylee Deatherage and
Allie Dunn.



2019 Senior Marching Rockets

Senior members of the 2019 Marching Rockets are shown above, front row from left: Lizzie Dixon, Tarrylton Dunn and Shelbie Baker. Back row from left: Madison Smith, J.J. Clouse, Hayley Graves, Zach Robinson, Dakota Kilby and Emily Alexander.



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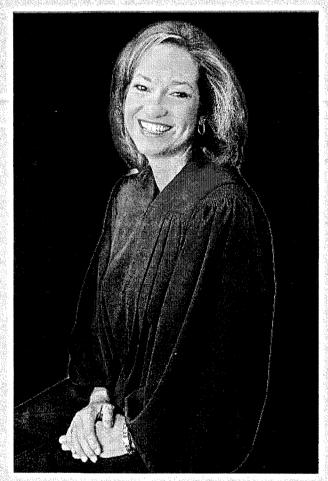
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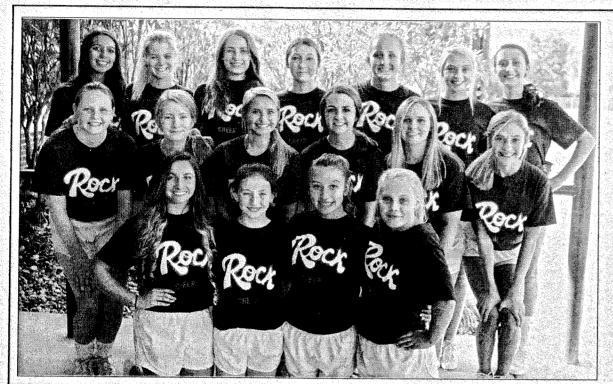
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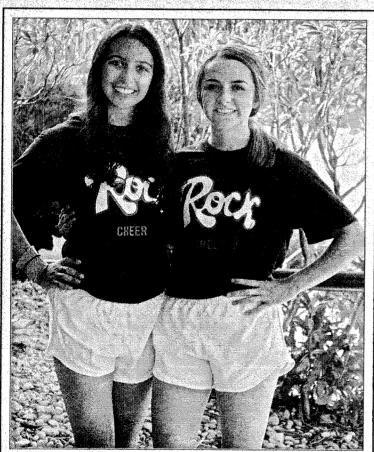


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2019 RCHS Cheerleading Squad

Members of the Rockcastle County High School
Cheerleading Squad are shown at left,
front row, left to right:
Lebrana Sparks, Victoria Dykes, Paige Lovell,
and Elisabeth Owens. Second row from left:
Jenna Eaton, Lindsey Robinson, Kendra Gibson,
Kerrigan Medley, Ashley Garrett, and Halli Bales.
Back row from left: Riley Betsworth,
Kameryn Medley, Kaylee Brock, Haven Williams,
Taryn Powell, Jaelyn Pennington, and Taylor Hall.



2019 Cheer Captains

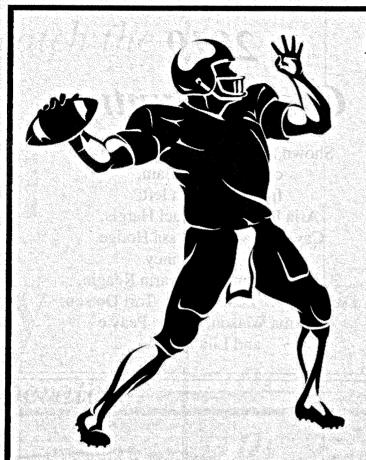
Captains for this year's cheer squad are: Riley Betsworth and Kerrigan Medley.



2019 Senior Cheerleaders

Shown above are seniors for the 2019 cheerleading squad from left:

Riley Betsworth, Lebrana Sparks, Ashley Garrett, and Kaylee Brock.



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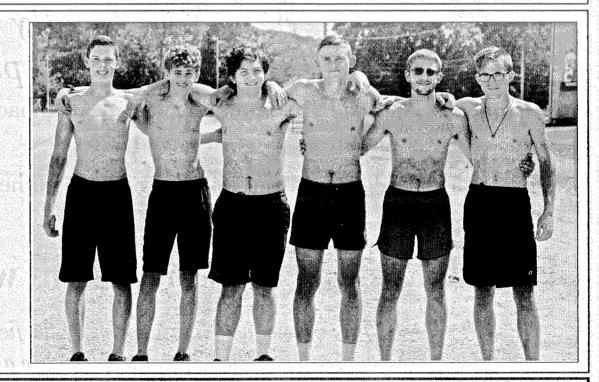


2019 Cross Country

Shown at left are members of the cross country team, front row from left:
Aria French, Michael Hargis, Cayla Marcum, Alyssa Hodge, Maliyah Swinney.
Back row from left: Learin Reagin, Darla Delph, Lexi Dotson, Tori Dotson, Emma Watson, Gracie Peavie and Lila Holt.

2019 Cross Country

Shown at right are members of the cross country team, from left:
Silas Durham, Aaron Asher,
David Peavey, Dylan Bullen,
Logan Bullock and Aaron Clark.



2019 Rockcastle Cross-Country Schedule

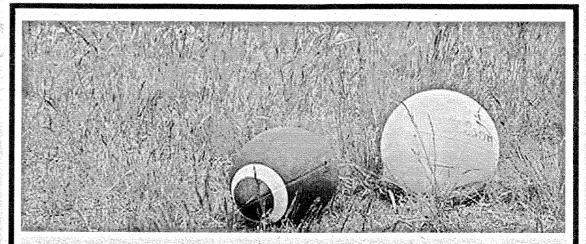
August 24 Pulaski Co. Invitational	Northern Middle School - Somerset	September 28	Berea Invitational Berea College
August 31 Catbird Classic (boys only)	North Laurel High School	October 5	Greater Louisville Classic E.P. Tom Sawyer Park - Louisville
September 7 Southern Harrier Classic	Somerset Christian School	October 8	Southwestern All-Comers Somerset Christian School
September 14 Franklin County Invitational	Kentucky Horse Park - Lexington	October 19	KTCCCA Meet of Champions/Middle
September 17 Lincoln Co. All-Comers	Lincoln Co. High School		School/Elementary State Masterson Station Park - Lexington
September 19 Boyle County Invitational	Millennium Park - Danville 🍵	October 26	Regional Cross-Country Championship TBD
September 24 CKC Championships	Woodford Co. Park - Versailles	November 2	Class 2A State Championships Ky. Horse Park - Lexington

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2019 RCHS Boys' Golf Team



The 2019 RCHS boys'
golf team is shown at left,
from left:
coach Nick Williams,
Jake Cromer, Sean Cash,
Aidan Cain,
Logan Bowman,
Xander Fletcher,
Vashaun Alexander,
Will Isaacs and
Samuel Burdine.

RCHS Boys' Golf Schedule

Remaining Matches

August 24 -- Central Ky Shootout @ Old Bridge

August 27 - Mercer Co. @ Cedar Rapids

August 29 - Boyle County @ Danville CC

September 3 -- Lincoln Co. @ Cedar Rapids

September 5 -- Garrard Co. @ Peninsula Golf

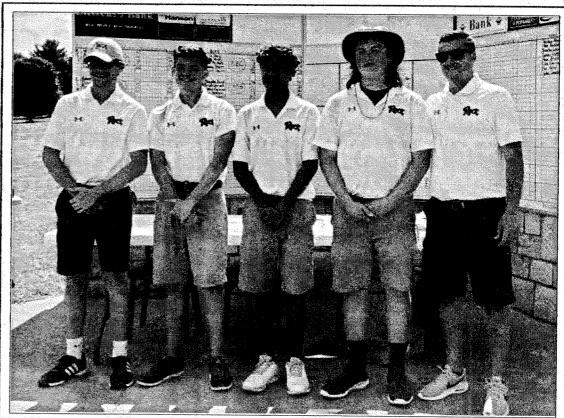
September 17 -- West Jessamine @ Connemara

September 21 -- CKBC Conference Tournament

@ Moss Hill Golf Course

September 30 -- 10th Region Tournament

@ Eagles Nest CC



RCHS Boys' Golf Team Seniors

Senior members of the RCHS boys' golf team are shown above, from left:
Aidan Cain, Will Isaacs, Vashaun Alexander and Logan Bowman.
They are shown with coach Nick Williams.



2019 RCHS Girls' Golf Team

The 2019 RCHS girls' golf team
is shown above, from left:
Reina Lykins, Riley Clark, Alexa Bussell,
Autumn King, Gracelyn Owens, Haven King
and Ella Bussell.

2019 RCHS Girls Golf

Remaining Matches

August

24 - KIT - Lakewood CC

September

- 7 WBGIT Tournament @ Bowling Green CC
- 10 SW Pulaski @ General Burnside Island
- 16 SW Pulaski @ General Burnside Island
- 21 All-State Tournament Big Blue & Wildcat
- 30 10th Region Tournament @ Burnside

October 7th - 9th • KHSAA Girls State Championship



Autumn King is this year's lone senior on the golf team.

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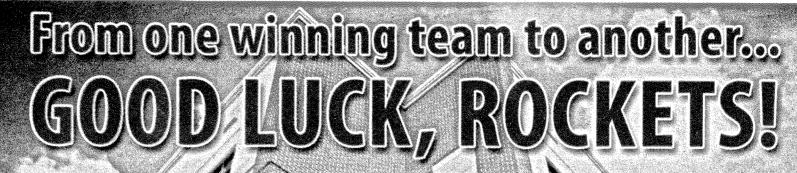
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