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## Masked robber sought in Pike heist

Police are searching for clues to an armed robbery which happened early yesterday morning in the Pike County community of Meta.

According to Kentucky State Police, a masked gunman entered the Meta Mart at 5:05 a.m. armed with a shotgun.

The man demanded money from the cashier, as well as two customers who were inside the store at the time. He then fled the store with an undetermined amount of money, escaping with an accomplice in a red Chevy Cavalier.

The robber is being described as a white male in his early 20s, approximately 5-8 to 5-10 in height with a slender build and blue eyes. At the time of the robbery, he was wearing black pants, white shoes, a black or dark blue sweatshirt with the hood pulled over his head, brown gloves and a camouflage ski mask.

Anyone with information about the robbery is asked to contact Kentucky State Police at 1-800-222-5555 or 606/433-7711.

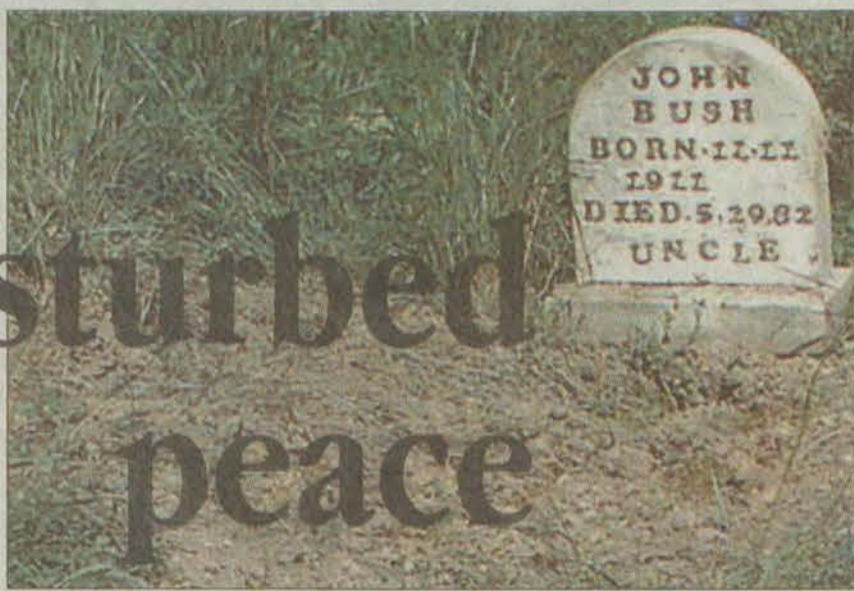
The investigation into the robbery is being conducted by KSP Det. Stewart Howard and troopers Henry Banks and Darrin Vanhorn.

### Two Day Forecast...

Today	Tomorrow
Cloudy to partly sunny	Clouds and sunshine
High: 66 Low: 40	High: 62 Low: 42

For up to the minute forecasts, see [www.floydcountytimes.com/weather.htm](http://www.floydcountytimes.com/weather.htm)

## A disturbed peace



Graffiti has been scrawled in a window looking over the grave of John Bush.

## Michigan teens charged in attempt to rob grave

by RANDELL RENO  
STAFF WRITER

Eighteen years after being shot to death by his wife on the front porch of their Toler home, John Bush was victimized once again, this time as three Michigan teenagers allegedly attempted to rob his grave to take his head.

Floyd County Deputy Herman Morris arrested Marcus Henry Samland, 18, of Westland, Mich., and Matthew Joseph Brown, 18, of Flat Rock, Mich., and charged them with first-degree violating a grave and first-degree trespassing.

A third person, an unidentified juvenile, is also being charged in the incident, but his court records are confidential because of his age.

The teens had apparently dug about two-and-a-half feet deep into Bush's grave, located in the side yard of his abandoned Meade Branch home. Family members had honored Bush's wish to be buried in his yard when he was killed in 1982.

While digging into the grave, a mattock allegedly used by the teens broke. After leaving the scene to get another one, the

(See DESECRATION, page two)



The former home of John Bush now sits vacant, making it a target for vandalism and graffiti in recent years. After three Michigan teens were arrested for allegedly attempting to rob Bush's grave, which is located next to the house, new graffiti with an occult theme was discovered.

## Martin sewer system faces threat of receivership

by RANDELL RENO  
STAFF WRITER

Final approval of the city of Martin's amended budget put in place a balanced spending that officials hope will see the city in the black for the 2000-2001 fiscal year.

But staying within the confines of that budget may prove harder than ever for the city as its sewer system draws closer and closer to entering receivership.

Martin has remained unable to pay the sewer bonds because problems with its sewer system have been a constant drain on the city's finances.

Ronnie Brooks of the USDA office of

Rural Development met with city leaders, reminding them that the bond payments were already in default. Brooks said that although the city was not close to being placed in receivership, it could happen if the city did not get back into compliance.

Mayor Thomasine Robinson told Brooks the problem would be addressed at a later date.

The thorn in the city's side has been that the city's utilities have consistently operated in the red. In an effort to bring the utilities into a balanced year, the city has recruited the help of Jacquie Slone, CPA.

(See MARTIN, page two)

## Up to 40 to lose jobs at Winn Dixie

Store to shut doors May 27

by WILLIE ELLIOTT  
STAFF WRITER

As many as 40 local workers will be affected by Jacksonville-based Winn Dixie Stores Inc.'s decision to close 22 stores in Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio and Indiana between May 27 and June 24.

The Prestonsburg Winn Dixie will be closing on May 27 along with stores located in Lexington, Danville, Corbin, Louisville and Clarksville, Tenn.

The move is part of a downsizing by Winn Dixie that will result in the nationwide closing of 114 stores in 14 states, resulting in the loss of about 11,000 jobs.

Chuck Gilmer, southeast editor of the Shelby Report trade publication, said Winn Dixie has been struggling nationwide to compete with Wal-Mart and larger chains such as Kroger, headquartered in Cincinnati.

(See WINN DIXIE, page two)



The Winn Dixie supermarket in the Prestonsburg Village shopping center is one of 22 stores in Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and Tennessee slated to be closed in May and June.

## Sex offender to get 10 years

by RANDELL RENO  
STAFF WRITER

On the day he was scheduled to be tried, Roger Henderson, 51, of Hi Hat entered a guilty plea to two counts of first-degree sexual abuse.

Henderson had been charged with one count of first-degree sexual abuse and one count of sodomy for acts against a girl under 12 years old from January to December in 1996.

Prosecutors offered Henderson a five-year sentence on both counts to run consecutively. Henderson will not be released from his 10-year term or offered parole until he completes an in-house sexual offender treatment program, said Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Jeff Damron.

Henderson has another sexual abuse case pending against him for alleged acts against the same victim in Pike County.



Martin senior citizens, from left, sitting, Mable Hensley, Emma Pack, Beulah Slone, Virginia Artrip, Virginia Hall, Frank Prater (standing), Edna Blackburn (director), Dema Prater, Mary Stanfield, Ruth Daniels (board member) and Mark Parsons from Tackett furniture test the new chairs and tables that were part of the new furniture the Martin Senior Citizens received from a grant to furnish the new addition of the center.

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## Muscular dystrophy association seeks volunteer summer camp counselors

The Muscular Dystrophy Association is currently seeking applications from people who would like to volunteer to spend a week as counselors at the MDA summer camp in Hardinsburg.

Volunteers will act as companions to campers (ages 6-21) with neuromuscular diseases during the camp session to be held May 27-June 3. Counselors must be at least 16 years old and able to lift a child. They will be called upon to push wheelchairs and assist with grooming, dressing, and feeding, plus help kids participate in the fun activities that come with summer camp, including swimming, horseback riding, arts and crafts, and canoe-

ing. "Camp is the highlight of the summer for the campers and volunteers. It's one week of the year when youngsters with muscle-wasting disorders are able to fully participate in a wide range of group outdoor activities that are tailored for their limited mobility," says Denise Durel, MDA regional director. "MDA summer camp has a relaxed atmosphere which allows campers to develop self-confidence and form lifelong friendships."

More than 4,000 campers are expected to attend MDA camps this year. With the help of one-on-one volunteers, campers will enjoy a wide range of sports, recreation and

nature activities.

MDA is a national voluntary health agency dedicated to finding treatments and cures for neuromuscular diseases affecting more than a million Americans. The Association receives no government grants, nor does it seek fees from the families it serves.

For details, or to volunteer, call the local MDA offices in Louisville at (502) 585-4924; Lexington at (606) 299-6760; or Evansville, Indiana at (812) 479-6550; or MDA national headquarters at 800-572-1717. Information about MDA programs and research advances is also available on-line at [www.mdausa.org](http://www.mdausa.org).

### Desecration

three were discovered by Morris and placed into custody.

In addition to the desecrated grave, Bush's former home was also defaced, although authorities have not filed charges against the teens in relationship to the vandalism. The long-dormant house bears the marks of graffiti from years past.

The most recent graffiti, however, includes what appears to be an encircled pentagram on the front of

the house. In a side window facing Bush's grave, someone has written "Die John" and "666," and has scrawled pictures of what appear to be a skull laughing over a stick figure surrounded in flame in one pane and another ghoulish face in another. Several windows and walls also bear bullet holes.

Morris turned the men over to Detective Stewart Howard Jr. of Kentucky State Police to investigate the incident.

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The two told officers they had planned to dig up the body and take the skull back to Michigan with them to make a movie.

Both Samland and Brown pleaded not guilty during their arraignment in Floyd District Thursday. Their bond was set at \$2,000 cash.

A court trial for the teens will be held June 15.

Times Managing Editor Ralph B. Davis contributed to this story.

### Martin

Slone was asked to analyze the city budget and the city's sewer supplies and contractor bills.

In other action before the council:

■ Council member Joe Howard asked the city to purchase an extra sewer pump for emergencies. At a cost of \$2,000, the motion carried unanimously and will be paid using

coal severance tax funds.

■ Elden Cox of Mann, Sutton and McGee presented a proposal for liability insurance. The city's current insurance is due to expire on May 25. The subject was tabled until a date closer to the policy's expiration.

■ A motion was passed to donate \$500 to the Martin Pee Wee

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League and to donate \$250 each to the three Martin Little League Teams.

■ The city decided to seek legal proceeding for the removal of the Collins building.

■ Bids were opened for the oil change services by local service stations. Jacob's Citgo was awarded the bid at a price of \$22.95.

### Winn Dixie

Tony Robinson, manager of the Prestonsburg Winn Dixie, confirmed that the Prestonsburg store would close on May 27 and said workers learned of the closing on Monday. He said the employees were taking the move fairly well under the circumstances.

Robinson said some of the work-

ers would receive severance pay and some may be offered work at other Winn Dixie stores. Robinson said he felt bad for the workers because "they are good employees."

### Correction

In Wednesday's edition, Ernest E. "Bucky" Collins' age was mistakenly printed as 46. He is actually 55.



# TAKING CARE OF THE SENIORS

All of us work hard to raise a family, accumulate some material goods and look forward to a few retirement years to enjoy the company of our family and friends.

During our retirement, one of the best and most enjoyable aspects of our social life is our senior citizen centers. The camaraderie and friendship of our friends, the social gatherings, Bingo, card games and just socializing with our neighbors makes life a little more enjoyable.

Floyd County is very fortunate. We have five (5) senior citizen centers that offer a wide range of services to our seniors, including daily meals at the centers and "meals on wheels" to our sick and frail elderly. There's a reason for this.

First, the dedicated staff at the centers work diligently to provide a clean and safe atmosphere for our seniors. Secondly, our State Senator, Benny Ray Bailey, has secured monies for our senior citizen centers to make them unequalled in the Commonwealth. Last year alone, more than \$1 million was appropriated by the legislature for improvements to our senior citizen centers. In the early 1990's, Senator Bailey secured state funds for the construction, renovation and purchase of the senior citizen centers at Wayland, Mud Creek, McDowell, and Betsy Layne. If you haven't visited these centers lately, you owe it to yourself to visit and see the very best facilities and programs available to seniors, anywhere.

"Our parents and grandparents worked very hard to build the greatest nation on earth. They need and deserve the services and facilities we are able to provide to them," stated Senator Bailey. "We must provide needed services to our seniors and our frail elderly, and I work hard to assist them." The results are evident. Senator Benny Ray Bailey—working hard for us. **That's why it's important that we re-elect Senator Bailey.**



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# Protecting yourself from predators

by Jennifer Reed  
Radford University

Do you often find yourself walking alone at night? Do you know what you would do if confronted by an assailant? Many situations can be frightening if you have not thought about how to protect yourself from predators.

Radford University physical and health education professor Jerry Beasley, an expert in violence prevention and martial arts, says two questions are important in factoring whether you are a possible victim: "Are you vulnerable?" and "Are you accessible?"

A good example of becoming vulnerable is going out to a bar and getting drunk. Being intoxicated means losing control and making yourself more vulnerable to an attack.

However, you may still be safe if you buddy up with a friend—you'll be less accessible. On the other hand, a seven foot-tall body builder walking alone is accessible, but because of his size he is unlikely to be seen as vulnerable.

Human predators can be just like those found in the wild, says Beasley. They search for the weak.

"You do not want to look like you are a victim," says Beasley. To

prevent yourself from becoming a target, he recommends always walking in groups at night. "If you must walk alone, let someone know when to expect you."

Carrying a flashlight can be a good preventative measure. According to Beasley, criminals usually stay away from lighted areas at night.

Being alert and prepared is your best protection, says Beasley. If you have to walk alone at night, do not daydream or keep your head down. Predators can wait all evening for what they think is the right victim.

Be aware of those around you and use common sense. Try to stay in lighted areas where there are several people around you.

Another important tip is to communicate when confronted by a threatening situation. Make sure you let the person know that you are upset. Beasley recommends yelling, "Stop!" or "No!" This gets attention and is a clear message to the assailant.

Weapons should be a last resort, says Beasley. "First we want to negotiate or defuse a situation."

I recommend that people try to deescalate a situation by speaking calmly, appearing to be confident and not giving in to aggressive behavior that would cause the situa-

tion to become more volatile. As a last resort, weapons can be an equalizer."

A weapon can be useful against an attack only if you know the right way to use it, he says. If you cannot use it properly, you are giving the predator a chance to use it against you.

The objective of a weapon, he says, is to get the assailant's mind off you and on the pain you are causing long enough for you to get away.

Here are some of Beasley's tips on what he refers to as potential weapons:

- Darts: They don't appear to be a weapon but can cause a lot of pain if thrown in the attacker's direction or used to rake or penetrate the attacker as he grabs you.

- Rocks and Dirt: If you feel threatened by someone, gather some rocks and dirt off the ground and hold them in the palm of your hand. If the person accosts you these can be thrown in his face. Hopefully, this will distract him enough so that you can get away.

- Sand and Pepper: This is a homemade recipe for pepper spray. Place the sand and pepper in a tissue or something that can easily be opened and thrown into an attacker's face. This will cause his eyes to

burn and close, giving you a chance to escape.

- Mace or Pepper Spray: Both of these items will irritate an assailant's eyes. Beasley recommends pepper spray over mace because it will burn more and actually cause the attacker to close his eyes.

- Rock in a Sock: You can swing the sock, and upon impact the rock will cause pain.

- Knife: Only use a knife if you are forced to. If you hurt someone with a knife you will probably be placed in jail first and asked questions later. Also, using a knife requires a lot of practice; otherwise it may be taken away by the assailant and used against him.

- Gun: A weapon of this magnitude should only be used in extreme circumstances. If you shoot a person with a gun, you will probably be placed in jail and forced to prove your innocence from there.

Furthermore, you must have regular practice with a gun for it to be useful. Beasley does not recommend using a gun unless you are properly trained.

You can decrease your potential of being targeted by a predator by not being vulnerable or accessible. If you do take risks, make sure you remain alert and use common sense.

## Changes announced for Medicaid managed care

Kentucky's managed care system for the Medicaid program will be seeing some changes, Health Services Secretary Jimmy Helton announced.

Under the new plan, managed care organizations will be able to provide health coverage to Medicaid recipients, who will have more choices than before.

There will be no further development of the Medicaid managed care partnerships in the state. The Cabinet for Health Services is working with the federal Health Care Financing Administration to continue the two existing regional partnerships based in Louisville and Lexington.

Helton told lawmakers on December 15 that he had conducted an extensive review of the partnership program, which began in 1997 with a goal of having eight regional partnerships providing

care to Medicaid recipients. Helton cited several problems, including start up difficulties and complaints about rates.

The new managed care plan will continue striving toward providing quality care and better health status for recipients, while at the same time providing some flexibility for the state, Helton said.

"We remain committed to managed care because we believe it can help contain costs and contribute to the improving health status and quality of care," Helton said.

Under the federal Balanced Budget Act of 1997, states can use managed care plans for Medicaid recipients as long as they allow for a choice of providers. This act was approved after Kentucky launched the partnership effort. Certain populations would be excluded from

managed care such as children with special needs. These changes can be carried out by changing the state Medicaid plan.

The changes mean that health maintenance organizations may seek a contract through competitive bidding to cover Medicaid recipients in a single county or across the state. Another option, known as a Primary Care Case Manager, will also be offered to recipients. The Primary Care Case Manager could be a physician or other provider who contracts with the state to provide coverage to Medicaid recipients. This care could be handled through an existing Medicaid program—the Kentucky Patient Access and Care System (KenPAC).

"This strategy gives us the flexibility to work with whatever the health care marketplace has to offer," Helton said. He noted it

also allows for differences in rural and urban areas.

Helton said the cabinet issued Requests for Information on December 16 to get ideas from managed care organizers, primary care case managers and pharmacy management services. Bid proposals may follow, Helton also said that the cabinet will make sure that local health departments are given an opportunity to provide certain services within the managed care organizations.

Medicaid recipients will not see any changes immediately. The goal is to have managed care organizations begin enrolling recipients by the end of the year 2000.

Kentucky's \$2.9 billion Medicaid program provides health care coverage to approximately 516,000 people including nursing home care, preventive services, doctor's office visits and hospitalization.

## Water shortage warnings and watches lifted for all but 23 counties

The Kentucky Division of Water is lifting its water shortage warnings for all counties and its water shortage watches in all but 23 counties. Those counties are: Bath, Breathitt, Bourbon, Clay, Fleming, Harlan, Harrisburg, Jackson, Knott, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Owsley, Perry, Powell, Robertson, Rowan and Wolfe. A Water Shortage Warning indicates that shortages are occurring. A Water Shortage Watch indicates that conditions are more favorable than usual for water shortages to

occur.

The first Water Shortage Watch of the 1999-2000 drought was announced at the end of June for the Bluegrass and Eastern Kentucky regions of the state, and was followed by more watches and warnings as conditions worsened throughout the summer and fall.

Rainfall has improved conditions across the state during the last few weeks. However, the eastern area of the state, where the Water Shortage Watch is still in effect, is the farthest behind in stream flows. All systems in this area should

watch their supplies carefully as drier summer weather approaches.

Except for the Salt River basin, most major river basins have at least some streams above the long-term average for this date. Five of six streams in the Salt River basin are below 50 percent of the average. The Palmer Drought Severity Index indicates that the West and Central regions of the state are in moderate drought and the Bluegrass and Eastern regions are in a mild drought. Above average rainfall is still needed to bring the state back to normal water levels.

## School personnel actions told

The Floyd County School System has had the following personnel changes since March.

Certified hirings: Sharon Younce, classroom teacher at South Floyd Middle School, effective March 21.

Certified transfers: Greg Johnson, .5 physical education teacher at McDowell Elementary to .5 practical arts teacher at SFMS.

Certified leaves of absence: Gina Crisp, family medical leave, February 29-June 9; Rachel Crider, family medical leave, February 29-May 1.

Substitute teachers hired (all emergency): Tracie Jamerson, March 20; Laura Bowers, March 23; Tiffany Scott, March 23; Charles Rowe, April 7; Dillie Michelle Kidd, April 10.

Classified hirings/substitute

teacher aide: Leslie Ward, March 21;

Crystal Nelson, March 22; Dora Osborn, April 3; Sheary Ord, April 10;

Connie Layne, April 11; Nancy Howell, April 12; Barbara Scarberry, April 12.

Classified hirings/substitute bus driver: Dewey Younce, April 4.

Classified hirings/substitute custodian: Greg Horne, April 11.

Classified transfers: Anita Robinson and Michelle Romans, both food service department to finance department, March 30.

Classified resignations: Debbie Hamilton, instructional assistant, Betsy Layne Elementary, January 14; Angela Johnson, Head Start aide, McDowell Elementary, March 20; Lois Long, school bus driver, March 29; Recilla Shepherd, family

resource center aide, Duff Elementary, March 20; Connie Poe, handicap aide, Clark Elementary, April 3; Sally McCown, Title One teacher aide, McDowell Elementary, April 10.

Classified leaves of absence: Judy McGuire, family medical leave, April 10-24.



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# HIGHLANDS REGIONAL

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**Brain:** For the past 10 years, research has explored questions surrounding the consequences of menopause and cognitive functioning, memory, and Alzheimer's disease.

**Heart:** Since the 1950s, large-scale clinical trials have researched cardiovascular disease in postmenopausal women, looking at cholesterol, heart attacks, and death.

**Colon:** Ongoing research continues to explore the risk of colon cancer among postmenopausal women.

**Eyes:** Ongoing research continues to investigate cataracts in postmenopausal women, as well as age-related macular degeneration, the leading cause of blindness in the aging population.

**Teeth:** Research continues to explore the association between tooth loss and menopause.

**Uncomfortable Symptoms:** For over 50 years, it's been known that estrogen loss associated with menopause causes the hot flashes and night sweats that often influence mood and sleep.

**Sexuality:** Half a century of study has confirmed that estrogen loss causes vaginal thinning and dryness and increases the frequency of vaginal infections, which can be uncomfortable and interfere with intimacy.

**Bone:** Decades of research have proven that estrogen loss decreases bone mineral density and increases the risk of fractures from osteoporosis.

## Women's Health Program

### MENOPAUSE AND THE CONSEQUENCES OF ESTROGEN LOSS

**Sunday, May 7**  
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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# Viewpoint

## QUOTE OF THE DAY...

Beauty is a mystery. You can neither eat it nor make flannel out of it.

D.H. Lawrence—

Friday, April 28, 2000 A4

## Editorial

### Rule by law

Saturday's pre-dawn raid by armed federal agents to seize Elián González is already being cited by right-wing extremists to bolster their paranoid view that the U.S. government employs brutal, police-state tactics to trample the rights of innocent citizens.

Unfortunately, Louisville's Rep. Anne Northup, who usually chooses her words carefully, and Kentucky Sen. Jim Bunning, who often does not, aided that ignoble argument by chiming in that the federal operation reminded them of Nazi tactics.

That is utter nonsense. The Miami raid led to no injuries, gunfire or arrests. It was over in about three minutes. Its purpose was to reunite a 6-year-old boy with his father, whose fitness to raise his son has not been seriously challenged. Preparations had been made to offer immediate comfort and reassurance to Elián.

Furthermore, the Justice Department, which had a warrant, was acting legally under American law and in accordance with international norms on child custody. Attorney General Janet Reno, who clearly had hoped to avoid using force, ordered the raid only after months of defiant refusal by Elián's Miami relatives to obey lawful directives to surrender custody of the boy.

None of these factors were hallmarks of "Gestapo-type actions," the Northup-Bunning claims notwithstanding.

Two points are especially important. One is that the raid ends the Miami standoff, in which the exploitation of Elián by some Miami Cubans was rapidly escalating and which posed a growing threat of community violence. The other is that whatever one thinks of the decision to use force, the blame lies with Elián's Miami relatives and supporters. Inflamed by Cuban political passions, these groups apparently felt free to follow the rule of law only when convenient.

That said, Ms. Reno's decision to use force was a risky gamble. Law-enforcement raids, like military operations, do not go precisely according to plan. In Saturday's case, the unpleasant surprise for the federal agents was a photographer in the house, and not a gunman. But the danger of a bloody shootout was inherent in the situation.

In the weeks ahead, Ms. Reno will be pressed to elaborate on why she felt courting that peril was preferable to ratcheting up the legal pressure on Elián's relatives to surrender the boy. That is appropriate — part of the vital process of holding public officials accountable for their decisions.

It is also, as Kentucky's congressional delegation should note, a democratic safeguard that was not visited upon the Gestapo.

— Louisville Courier-Journal

When you are in Rome live in the Roman style; when you are elsewhere live as they live elsewhere.

—St. Ambrose, advice to St. Augustine

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## Letters to the Editor

### Still seeking answers

Editor:

Mr. Randell Reno's front page story, "E-911 nearly complete, judge says," in the April 16 Floyd County Times, was not complete, even if the county judge says the E-911 system is. Very conspicuous by its absence was the number of telephone lines (subscribers) in Floyd County who paid the tax in the past and who will pay the 99-cent tax in the future. Johnson, Knott, Pike and Letcher counties reported the number of subscribers in their counties who pay the tax, but not Floyd County!

Listing the number of subscribers would of course indicate how much money was collected in the past and how much will be collected in the future.

I tried to obtain this number for Floyd County over a two-to-three year period. Each time, I was told I had to get a court order. I also tried to obtain the number of subscribers and/or the total amount of taxes collected by the Harold Telephone Company and BellSouth (Louisville). Each company refused and told me I had to get a court order. Both companies quoted an agreement with Floyd County officials not to release the number of subscribers or their own company figures of the taxes they collected and sent to the fiscal court.

You can imagine my chances of obtaining a court order in Floyd County — then or now. And especially a court order to obtain records pertaining to the E-911 bank account. It was a kind of classical

Catch-22 situation.

Why can't we learn of the true number of subscribers or telephone lines covered by Floyd County's E-911 system? Why can't the telephone companies tell us exactly how much tax money their records show that they collected and returned to Floyd County's fiscal court? Is there some connection here to the national defense or national security that I don't understand? No, folks; beyond a doubt there was some security involved here, but it sure wasn't national security. It was the security of some homegrown good-ol'-boys.

If the E-911 system is "nearly complete" and they want to start collecting the tax again, let them do it the right way this time. The fiscal court did not legally pass the E-911 resolution until April 1995, and they backdated it (made it retroactive) in an attempt to cover the period from 1990 to 1995 when the telephone tax was collected illegally. This was probably illegal anywhere else in the state or nation, but was perfectly legal here in Floyd County. Indeed, there seems to be a symbiotic relationship between our fiscal court and the individuals and courts responsible for our state laws and our constitution. But that is another story for another day.

Do it right this time. Pass the resolution legally this time, tell us how many telephone lines will be taxed, and put the money in a designated account.

Lloyd "Blue" Goble  
Prestonsburg

### Volunteers help make Special Olympics special

Editor:

In today's fast-paced society, time is so precious. Finding time for ourselves is hard enough, but when someone takes time out of their life for someone else, that person should truly be recognized for their generosity and precious gift.

April is Volunteer Recognition Month, a time in which the thousands of volunteers who help Special Olympics Kentucky's athletes in their communities should be recognized and applauded. Volunteers are the backbone of the Special Olympics movement. Without the generosity of time and commitment from volunteer coaches, committee members, fundraisers and the many others who give of themselves for the mission of Special Olympics, athletes with mental retardation would not have the opportunities that are given to them today.

Volunteers of Special Olympics Kentucky inspire greatness in the athletes they serve. They inspire these athletes to do their personal best and they help each athlete strive to make their dreams come true. But volunteering for Special Olympics Kentucky also inspires greatness in everyone it touches. Whether it's one hour, one day, one week or one year, Special Olympics offers volunteer opportunities that truly celebrate the human spirit.

We believe a Special Olympics Kentucky volunteer described it best when they said, "You give an inch of love and devotion to the athletes and they give you a mile back."

Special Olympics has made remarkable strides, growing in many ways. Today, over 1.2 million ath-

letes in over 160 countries around the world benefit from Special Olympics. That number continues to grow, which means we will need more support from volunteers to maintain quality athletic training and competition for our athletes.

To the thousands of volunteers, who have changed the lives of our athletes, we salute you for your time, effort and dedication to the movement of Special Olympics. You truly have inspired greatness in us all.

We encourage everyone to celebrate the volunteer efforts of individuals in their community. It's their precious gift of time and devotion that changes the lives of those they help.

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The plastic or metal tip of a shoelace is called an aglet.

### Letters to the Editor

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## Soap Box

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer



### Political dissident

He was unwanted by his siblings but the man lived his life working constantly for his father. Ever busy in his labor, he never married nor did he take time to entertain the thought of the graceful company of a woman.

His watching eye looked out for his family and never strayed. At middle age he must have seemed so much older, bearing the trials of being the eldest.

His stepfather was already a man of age when he was born and had died in his youth. When his siblings had grown, they left home, leaving him, the first-born, with his mother's care.

Should he have been born today he may have been paid millions as a performer and could have been a television star. And he would have qualified for government assistance as a troubled youth.

He had moved so often as a child his friends and playmates were consistently temporary. And after he was grown his very own brothers and sister spread rumors through the community that he was insane.

Rumors that he was a bastard followed him everywhere. Inasmuch, he never used his surname.

Despite his seemingly disparaging situation he carried on his work. Though considered an outcast, the strong and sinewy man built the family business until now it dominates the world. Like most who love their work, he gave his heart to every effort.

His disposition left him with few friends and maybe just one he was really close to. But he was a man of faith.

Financial woes didn't get to him and despite his family's rejection he plodded on. Like many first born of olden days, he shouldered the responsibility of being the family pioneer and leader.

His mother cared deeply for him but could not show favoritism. Silently she watched his tragedies and triumphs. Like any good mother she stood beside him. She wanted the world to know how good he truly was but her small town would have nothing to do with it.

Everyone knew the rumors had to be true about him and a crazy bastard son was certainly not worth the neighborhood praise, although he was a scholarly student, the city's finest and always turned a kind hand to everyone.

As he grew older the rumors grew worse. He began to visit the known "scum" in the area. He would hang out with the "sluts" and had been seen more than once with prostitutes. And surely if you are with them you must be paying for the service.

To make the situation worse, he became very close to one and shared a friendship with her. It seemed to all he was justifying what she did.

Residents found him over and over in the company of the city's worst criminals. His country had been taken by war and the occupational forces cared little for the people. But he was often found in the soldiers' company. Surely, he had established favors to keep him from harm's way with them.

And then he began to lead others astray, breaking the trust and traditions of his countrymen. Even if the ruling party had treated their cities with harshness in the past, they had lived together in relative peace.

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Soap Box

A fear began to grow. What if he could start a faction? What if they enflame this hostile enemy ruling over them? As the rumors of his future attack on the enemy grew, the old city leaders grew itchy. They feared the chief officer but grew more afraid the youth and nation as a whole would grow to love the man.

He was not agreeable with the traditional ways of the country and would usher in changes if he succeeded. More than that, he could cost lives of the many if the throng of supporters he had gained continued to grow.

All the while he worked tirelessly, gaining an indisputable following that undeniably threatened the status quo. As tensions mounted and his accusers began to plot his demise, he stayed unerring on the task. This perturbed the local authorities so much they decided to contract out a killer.

Under the ruse of political dissidence they had him arrested and in their jubilation he suffered mightily. He was brought to the city leaders who beat him senseless, not knowing what he had actually done. They only knew if he continued to stir the waters, the nation would suffer further.

He was taken to the occupational forces presented as a dissident. Considering him far less than a national threat, he was sent to the provincial authorities for a hearing.

Being the same mind as the city government, the provincial govern-

nor attempted to beat a confession out of him. Through the swollen eyes and his battered body, he bowed his head speechless and mourned the framing of his life.

He was bruised beyond recognition, and the city officials appealed the occupational leader's decision and returned him to the court begging for justice.

Despite their public outcries for his punishment, the judge found nothing beyond circumstantial evidence to prove he had done anything wrong.

Under pressure by his president and in dire need of keeping the occupied territory in peace, the provincial leadership bent to the ever increasing throng of natives. Through a prisoner exchange, the judge released a known dissident for one who must have been much worse.

Remanded to the custody of the military police, the poor man suffered through yet another battering and was then marched out for all to see.

A bloodthirsty crowd screamed for his public execution. So, the soldiers forced him to parade through the city for all to see. Onward they pushed him until they reached a place for his execution. It was a place where all could see.

Desperately following him was a confused and bewildered mother who was dying inside to help her son. She was permitted to come to the front of the crowd, to see the execution up close. And there she stayed, within eyesight of her son.

There she watched him as they brutally murdered him for a reason she never knew. And then the officers made fun of her firstborn child. Oh, the pain and despair she must have felt.

She probably stayed there in agony until her family dragged her away, staring at her son's blood staining the ground, pouring from his lifeless body, fearful of touching it or burying it because the army may turn on her.

The man had suffered through life right up until the day he died defamed of character and stripped of his name.

But his story did not end there. This dissident became a national hero. Because of his sacrifice, he eventually became known all over the world. Sadly, like many recognized heroes or martyrs his name is now often synonymous with cursing and profanity.

Unfortunately this man's country was never released from its oppression. It exists today in fragments around the world.

In truth, his life and death brought about a new faction. A group that has steadily made its way through the course of time. And still many of its leaders are alive and well.

Thursday, May 4, is the National Day of Prayer. It is a time when we can get together and send our thanks on high for blessings, for courage, and for heroes. It is a day when we can give thanks for such men as this, this man we know as Christ.

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A View from the Hill

by Kenneth Hobart Kinder

A couple of weeks ago, I had an accident that nearly severed a part of my finger. My wife took me to the emergency room at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Although I would much rather visit the hospital under different circumstances, the personnel there made my stay as pleasant as possible. Barry Bradley, chief of security, checked to see how bad I was injured. He sensed that my wife and I were both a bit shaky and he walked with us to the appropriate registration desk and introduced us to the nurse in charge. He left us in good hands and assured us that our car would be taken care of.

After a short wait, I was taken to Dr. Hamm, who was on call. He

introduced me to Todd McCoun, Pikeville College School of Osteopathic Medicine (PCSOM) student, who would be assisting him. Dr. Hamm assured me that Dr. McCoun was very knowledgeable and that I was in good hands. I asked the student doctor if he were a medical student at Pikeville College and he remarked, "Sure, I am a student from the first class." I knew that meant he started his training when the school opened in 1997.

While lying on the cot to wait for results from the x-ray department, I listened as Dr. Hamm and student doctor Todd McCoun discussed my case. As a former teacher, I could tell Dr. Hamm was an excellent teacher. He never said what they were going to do but always asked the student doctor, "What do you think should be done?" Todd always gave the correct response; he immediately knew what was needed. This indicated to me that the PCSOM faculty are really preparing their students for life as doctors.

Occasionally, Dr. Hamm would add something but I could tell that Dr. McCoun knew what he was doing. When my x-ray was viewed, it showed no broken bones. I was ready to be sutured. Todd did the actual procedure because Dr. Hamm had another emergency arrive at that time. The senior doctor consistently checked on my progress and seemed well pleased with the student doctor's handling of the situation.

Through this experience, I was



Kenneth Hobart Kinder, a retired math teacher, is a 1968 graduate of Pikeville College.

very impressed with the Pikeville Methodist Hospital emergency room department. The personnel all seemed to care about me as a person and did everything possible to make me comfortable. I was equally impressed with the School of Osteopathic Medicine at Pikeville College. I am convinced the school is going to produce some really good doctors. While Dr. McCoun and I were talking, I learned that he had worked in all the departments at the hospital. He was a very knowledgeable and caring young man. I have no doubt that he is going to be an excellent doctor. The Methodist Hospital is to be commended for its cooperation with Pikeville College School of Osteopathic Medicine. The hospital has doctors who are also excellent teachers. Together PCSOM and the Methodist Hospital are preparing a group of doctors who are going to make a difference in health care for eastern Kentucky.

Community Chorus in concert Sunday

Prestonsburg Community College's Community Chorus will have its spring concert on Sunday, April 30.

The event is set for 3:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg.

The choral group will perform musical selections from Gilbert and

Sullivan's "HMS Pinafore."

The performance is free and open to the public.

Answer to Super Crossword

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I would like to introduce myself to the voters of District 29. My name is Johnny Ray Turner. I am a 1967 graduate of McDowell High School, and a graduate of Morehead State University, receiving a B.S. in 1972, and a Masters Degree in 1981. I have been a teacher and coach for 28 years, and I know what our schools and young people need.

My parents are Ray Turner and the late Amy Lee Hall Turner. My stepmother is Berta Childers Turner. My dad and Berta live at Drift, Kentucky.

My wife of 28 years is Linda Hogsed Turner and we are the proud parents of two daughters, Margalee and Melissa Turner.

Linda is the daughter of the late Clyde Hogsed and Margie Little Hogsed of Martin. Clyde's parents were James and Kathleen Johnson Hogsed. Margie's parents were John E. and Bessie Johnson Little.

I have one brother, Michael Hall Turner of Drift. My maternal grandparents were "Long" Johnny Hall and Nancy Gibson Hall, who was a 60-year member of the Old Regular Baptist Church of McDowell. My paternal grandparents were Ernest and Mae Burns Turner of Drift.

My maternal great grandparents were Henry "Hen" Hall and Amy Johnson Hall of Bevinville, and Ben Gibson and Agajane Jones Gibson of Knott County. My paternal great grandparents were W.J. "Big Bill" Turner and Cicely Robinette. Cicely's parents were Elbert and Betty Robinette.

I urge you to go the the polls on May 23, 2000, and cast your vote for the best candidate for State Senator in District 29 for the New Millennium, Johnny Ray Turner.

**THE RIGHT WAY IS JOHNNY RAY NUMBER 2 ON THE BALLOT. REMEMBER JOHNNY RAY TURNER FOR STATE SENATOR - DISTRICT 29**  
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# OBITUARIES

# REGIONAL OBITUARIES

## Gary Randal Miller

Gary Randal Miller, 51, of Hi Hat, died Wednesday, April 26, 2000, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born on February 5, 1949, in Ligon, he was the son of the late Otis and Betty Caudill Miller. He was a disabled U.S. Army Vietnam veteran and coal miner.

He is survived his wife, Marie Tackett Miller.

Other survivors include one son, Larry Miller of Martin; one daughter, Carrie Miller of Prestonsburg; three brothers, Curt Miller of Detroit, Michigan, Roy Miller of Miamisburg, Ohio, Larry Miller of Ligon; three sisters, Janice Flannery of Ligon, Brenda Hall of Clay City, Doll Wolfe of Logan, Ohio, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 29, at 11 a.m., at the Little Nancy Old Regular Baptist Church, at Hi Hat, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Burton Cemetery, at Ligon, under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Ivory Howard

Ivory Howard, 73, of Gunlock, died Wednesday, April 26, 2000, at his residence, following an extended illness.

Born on January 31, 1927, in Magoffin County, he was the son of the late Sam and Sally Shepherd Howard. He was a disabled logging and Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company employee.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Sadie Howard.

Survivors include four step-sons, Carl D. Wireman of Hueysville, Lloyd Howard of Tutor Key, Adam Wireman and Jodie Shepherd, both of Gunlock; four step-daughters, Hazel Shepherd of Gunlock, Mable Clay of Dwale, Clara Bailey of Swamptom, Mazie May of Kentucky; two sisters, Martha Handshoe and Ida Wireman, both of Gunlock, 31 step-grandchildren and 32 step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 29, at 1 p.m., at the Rock Fork Old Regular Baptist Church, at Garrett, with Jerry Manns and Earl Slone officiating.

Burial will be in the Bill Shepherd Cemetery, Magoffin County, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Elmer Hall

Elmer Hall, 77, of Minnie, died Wednesday, April 26, 2000, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, following a short illness.

He was born on October 27, 1922, in Orkney, the son of the late Elisha Hall and Millie Gayheart Hall. He was a farmer and a member of the Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Hetty Howell Hall.

Survivors include one daughter, Donna Hall of Paintsville; two brothers, Melvin Hall of Prestonsburg, Haskel Hall of Orkney; two sisters, Ruth Howell of McDowell, Edith Lawson of Prestonsburg; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 29, at noon, at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, at Martin, with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Howell Cemetery, at Orkney, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Esther M. Ward

Esther M. Ward, 85, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, April 26, 2000, at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg.

She was born on May 8, 1914, in Greenup, the daughter of the late Alex and Pearl Hopson Webb. She was the owner of Esther's Beauty Shop and was a member of the Community United Methodist Church at Prestonsburg.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Norman Ward.

She is survived by one grandson and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, April 29, at 11 a.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, Prestonsburg.

Burial will be in the Richmond Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

## Kendall R. Layne

Kendall R. Layne, 38, of Left Fork of Abbott, near Prestonsburg, died Monday, April 24, 2000, at his residence, following an extended illness.

He was born on August 17, 1961, in Martin, the son of Emily Keeton of Fallsburg, Ohio; and the late Nathaniel "Buck" Layne. He was a former truck driver.

He is survived by his wife, Gwen Calhoun Layne.

Other survivors include three daughters, Allison Rae Layne and Nicole Betty Layne, both at home; and Lisa Layne of Prestonsburg; one brother, Terry Lee Layne of Nancy, and one sister, Elizabeth Morrison of Douglasville, Georgia.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 28, at 2 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Buddy Jones officiating.

Burial will be in the Richmond Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

## Clifton pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Henry "Blue" Clifton were David Carroll, Randy Carroll, Richard Green, John Collins, Ronald Adams, Billy King and Ricky Carroll.

Honorary pallbearers were Harold Green, Melvin Hall, Bill Carroll, James Stephens and David King.

## David Ralph Mollett

David Ralph Mollett, 81, of Feds Creek, Pike County, died Tuesday, April 25, 2000, at his residence.

Born on December 19, 1918, in Martin, he was the son of the late James Lincoln Mollett and Merry Salmans Mollett. He was a retired coal miner, an Army WW II veteran, and member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife, Della Mae Skeens Mollett.

Other survivors include four sons, David Ralph Mollett Jr., James Lewis Mollett, James David Mollett, John Foster Mollett, all of Feds Creek; five daughters, Nora and Bill Buchanan of Steele, Virginia Hodge of Rosedale, Virginia, Nellie Slone and Wanda Harrison, both of Louisa, and Billie Sue of Feds Creek; five brothers, Joe Mollett and Oscar Mollett, both of Tomahawk, Ed Mollett of Louisa, Arthur Mollett and William Grandville Mollett, both of Springfield, Ohio; three sisters, Alta Mills of Columbus, Ohio, Alberta Hensley of Blaine, Laura Bartholemew of Florida; 22 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, April 28, at 1 p.m., at the Phillip Cove Freewill Baptist Church, Martin County, with Douglas Hess, Phillip Cirk, James Maynard and Hobert McCoy officiating.

Burial will be in the Mollett Cemetery, in Martin County, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services.

## Lawrence County

Glen M. Smith Jr., 72, of Nimitz, West Virginia, formerly of Ashland, died Wednesday, April 19, at Sumner County Hospital, Hinton, West Virginia, after an extended illness. A Masonic service was conducted Friday, April 21 at Steen Funeral Home Cannonsburg Chapel. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 22, under the direction of Steen Funeral Home.

Leonard Garland Webb, 80, of Louisa, died Sunday, April 23, at Three Rivers Medical Center, Louisa. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, April 25, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Herbert Lemaster Jr., 68, of Fairborn, died Sunday, April 23, at his residence. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn Wilson Lemaster. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, April 27, under the direction of Belton Funeral Home.

Karl Willis Lambert, 71, of Chesapeake, Virginia, died Monday, April 24. He is survived by his wife, Shirley Ann Lambert. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 29, under the direction of Oman Funeral Home.

## Martin County

William David May Sr., 89, of Breeden, West Virginia, died Friday, April 21, at Logan (West Virginia) General Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, April 23, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Billie J. Pinkerton, 27, of Columbus, Ohio, died Thursday, April 20, in Cabell-Huntington (West Virginia) Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 24, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Mida Thompson, 85, of Erwin, Tennessee, formerly of Monclo, West Virginia, died Tuesday, April 11, in Unicoi County Memorial Hospital, Erwin. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 15, under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

## Perry County

Polly Collett, 66, of Zoe, formerly of Perry County, died Wednesday, April 19, at Central Baptist Hospital at Lexington. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 22, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Roscoe Cress, 56, of Hazard, died Tuesday, April 18, at Lexington. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, April 20, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Jordan "Boogie" Hall, 53, of Christopher, died Tuesday, April 18. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 22, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Michael Hardin, 41, of Chavies, died Sunday, April 16. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, April 20, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Roxie N. Nix, 85, of Hardburly, died Monday, April 24, at Hazard Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Beecher Nix Sr. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, April 27, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

## Knott County

Molly Corrinne Caudill, 75, of Louisville, formerly of Knott County, died Saturday, April 15, at the Caritas Medical Center at Louisville. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, April 18, under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

Clara Gibson Gorham, 60, of Dayton, Ohio, died Friday, March 31, at the home of her brother, Carol Gibson, Cambridge City, Indiana. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 5, under the direction of Waskom Capital Hill Chapel.

Robert G. (Fly) Mullins, 50, of Litt Carr, died Monday, April 17, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Mullins. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 21, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

J.D. Sparkman, 56, of Pippa Passes, died Thursday, April 20, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Nancy Carol Triplett Sparkman. Funeral services were

conducted Sunday, April 23, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

David Lee Slone, 65, of Pippa Passes, died Saturday, April 15, at the U.K. Medical Center at Lexington. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 19, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Service.

Eugene R. Slone, 75, of Hindman, died Monday, April 17, at his home. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 19, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

## Pike County

Rick Lucas, 37, of Pikeville, died Saturday, April 22, in Winchester, the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He was president of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home and chairman of the board of Christ Central School. He is survived by his wife, Connie Ratliff Lucas. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 26, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

David Ralph Mollett, 81, of Feds Creek, died Tuesday, April 25, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Della Mae Skeens Mollett. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 28, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services.

Joe Adkins, 57, of Shelby Township, Michigan, died Monday, April 24, in Warren, Michigan. He is survived by his wife, Joan Deaton Adkins. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 28, under the direction of William Sullivan & Son Funeral Home.

Danny D. Ratliff, 73, of Hamilton, Ohio, died Monday, April 24, at Fort Hamilton Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Kay Kilby Ratliff. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 28, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Shelby Gene Trogden, 62, of Virgie, died Saturday, April 22. He is survived by his wife, Lola Mae Holbrook Trogden. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, April 25, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Anita Bartley, 74, of Pikeville, died Monday, April 24. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 26, under the direction of Thacker Memorial Funeral Home.

Don Wes "Duck" Ratliff, 63, of Grundy, Virginia, died Saturday, April 22, in Clark County, the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Hagerman Ratliff. Funeral services were conducted

Thursday, April 27, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Mildred Irene Bartley Harmon, 69, of Elkhorn City, died Saturday, April 22, at Parkview Manor Nursing Home, Robinson Creek. She is survived by her husband, James Harmon. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, April 25, under the direction of Thacker Memorial Funeral Home.

## Johnson County

Janice Sue Dorton, six weeks old daughter of Rick and Crystal Cantrell Dorton, died Tuesday, April 18. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 21, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Jeannie Setser, 61, Johnson County native, died Wednesday, April 19, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, April 23, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Thomas Hurt Jr., 80, of Louisville, formerly of Johnson County, died Wednesday, April 19, at Leeland Army Community Hospital, Fort Knox. He is survived by his wife, Mary Lou Hall Hurt. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, April 23, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

David Nellipowitz, 46, of Hager Hill, died Friday, April 21, at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Shelia Nellipowitz. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, April 26, under the direction of Paintsville Funeral Home.

Margie Holbrook Vanhose, 65, died Wednesday, April 19, at St. Ann's Hospital, Westerville, Ohio. She is survived by her husband, Clyde Vanhose. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, April 22, under the direction of Ferguson Funeral Home, Plain City, Ohio.

Nettie Bush Banks, 76, of Stambaugh, died Friday, April 21, at her residence. She is survived by her husband, Earl Banks. Funeral services were conducted Monday, April 24, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Rose Mary Mollette Germany, 71, Johnson County native, died Tuesday, April 18. Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 21, under the direction of Avance Funeral Home.

Dollie Margaret Webb, 62, of Grove City, Ohio, formerly of Flat Gap, died Saturday, April 22. She is survived by her husband, Paul Webb. Graveside services were conducted Tuesday, April 25, under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

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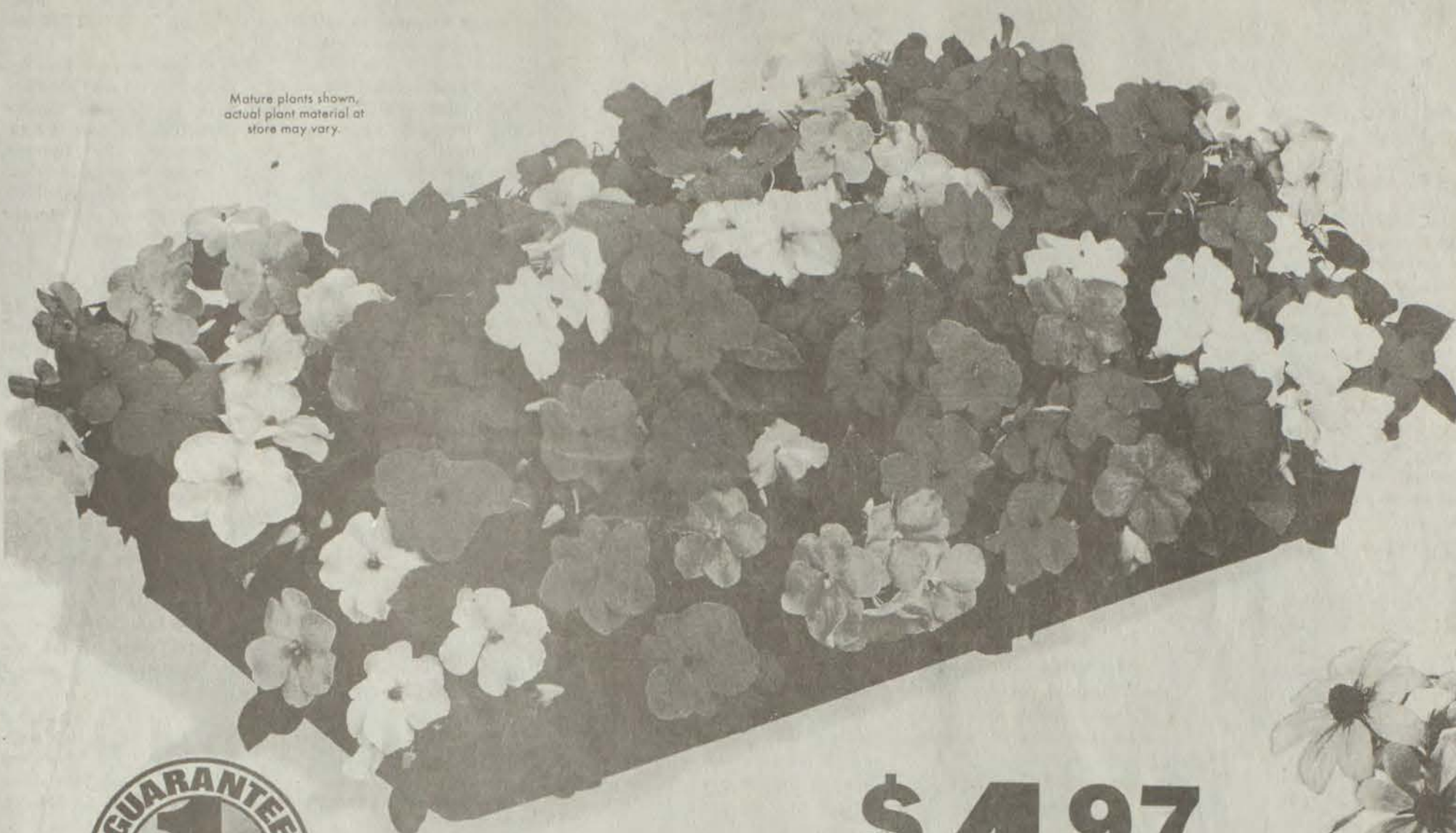
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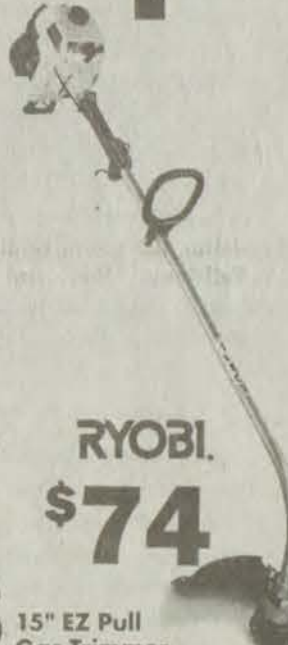
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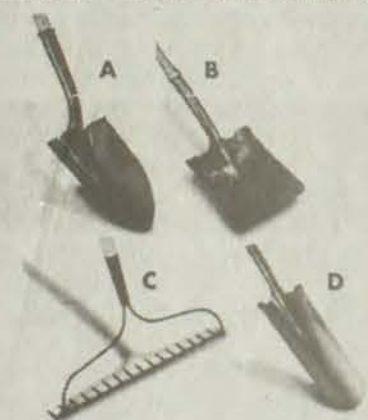


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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## Calendar items will be printed as space permits

Editor's note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, The Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will post meeting and public service announcements. Articles for the Community Calendar must be submitted in writing to The Times no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication, 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication, or 5 p.m. Thursday for Sunday's publication. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

### Groundbreaking rescheduled

The groundbreaking ceremony for the new Prestonsburg Senior Citizens Center has been rescheduled for Thursday, May 11, at noon, at the Lancer location. The event is open to the public.

### Allen parent rep to be elected

An election will be held on Monday, May 15, at 6 p.m., in the school library to select parent representatives on the SBDM Council at Allen Elementary School.

Nominations must be submitted in writing to the school office by 3 p.m., on Monday, May 5. Parents may nominate themselves or another parent.

A parent council member must be a parent or legal guardian of a student to be enrolled in the school during the parent's term of service. The parent cannot be an AES employee, a relative of a school employee, a local school board member or spouse of a local board member.

Any parent of a child enrolled at Allen Elementary or a parent of an incoming student may vote in the election.

### Banquet planned

The Senior Advantage Program at Highlands Regional Medical Center will host a spring banquet on Tuesday, May 9, at 6:30 p.m., for all Senior Advantage members. The banquet will be in the Food Court of the Medical Office Building at HRMC, and members may bring one guest. Seating is limited. Call 886-7468 for reservations.

### Benefit for church

A rummage sale, along with a hot dog and bake sale, is set for Monday, May 1, and Tuesday, May 2, at the New Salem Association building at Minnie, beginning at 8 a.m. Proceeds go to the Little Rosa of New Salem Association church building. Call Bonnie Osborne at 606/377-6887.

### Armory to host circus

"Incredible Magic Circus" is coming to the National Guard Armory in Prestonsburg, on Thursday, May 4, at 7 p.m., for one show.

Acrobats, jugglers, trained animals, amazing stunts, clown alley capers and mystifying illusions make for great all-round family entertainment.

Children 14 and under are admitted free. Tickets for students 15 to 18 are \$4, and for adults, \$7.

### P'burg Elementary council to meet

The Prestonsburg Elementary School SBDM regular council meeting is scheduled for Monday, May 1, at 6 p.m., in the auditorium.

### Auction to fund trip

The Knott County Therapeutic Rehabilitation program is conducting an auction on Friday, May 5, at 6 p.m. Items will include donations from local businesses in Knott, Perry, and Letcher counties. Proceeds will be utilized to finance a field trip in the fall. The Knott County TR, along with Kentucky River Community Care, is a non-profit organization.

### Mental health is conference topic

Kentucky River Community Care will host the fourth annual Mental Health Consumer Conference on June 15, at Knott County Central High School in Hindman. Speakers will include representatives from

Mental Health Advocacy Groups and Sen. Benny Ray Bailey. For more information and registration form, call 606/785-0961 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. (Monday-Friday). Pre-register by June 5.

### PES council seeks parent members

Prestonsburg Elementary School is accepting nominations for two parent members of its school council through May 8, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the school office. The term will expire June 30, 2001.

Nominations need to be submitted in writing to Gwen Harmon, principal.

The parent election will be Tuesday, May 9, at 7 p.m. in the auditorium. This will also be the regular monthly meeting for PTA.

### Support group forming

Persons interested in starting a Scleroderma support group may call Phyllis Centers at 606/285-3437.

### AARP to conduct

#### 55-Alive Driving Class

Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) will conduct the 55-Alive Driving Course on Monday and Tuesday, May 1 and 2. The class will be held at the Extension Service office on South Lake Drive, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m., each day. For reservations, call Sarah Laven, 886-0939, or Margaret Ackerman, 886-2551. Cost of the class is \$8.

### Alice Lloyd College offers one stop program

The Kentucky Department for Employment Services and Alice Lloyd College have joined in helping both citizens of Kentucky and students of ALC find jobs, write resumes, and provide information on labor markets, career options, education and training programs, and much more. There are currently about 20 One Stop Program Offices statewide. The assistance received is free of charge and more information may be obtained through the Alice Lloyd College Career Development Office. Both the One Stop Program Office and the Career Development Office are located on the second floor of the Student Center on the campus of ALC. Call the ALC Career Development Office at 606/368-6136, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Martin High alumni

Mark your calendar now for Martin Purple Flash Bash, 2000 on Memorial Day weekend, 2000. This will be perhaps the last Martin Purple Flash Homecoming. The event will begin on Friday evening and end Saturday night with the alumni dance.

### SF Youth Service Center

Walking track is open to the general public, 7 a.m. until 5 p.m. (walking track is closed during special event). The Center is sponsoring several guest presentations. Contact the center for time and subjects. The center has a One-stop Career Station satellite. This is available to the community as well as to the students. Feel free to stop in Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Anyone interested in Adult Education contact the center.

The South Floyd Youth Services Center is located on South Floyd's campus in room 232. For more information, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable Hall 606/452-9600, ext. 242 or ext. 243.

### Groups to meet

The Big Sandy Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, and John Graham Chapter DAR will meet Saturday, April 29, at 11:30 a.m. at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, for the annual luncheon-business meeting.

### Pikeville Methodist Hospital

May 8—"A Celebration of Hope," Breast Cancer Survivor's Day, hosted by First Lady, Judi Patton, will be celebrated at the Governor's Mansion in Frankfort begins at 1 p.m.

May 13—A free skin cancer screening will be conducted at the Leonard Lawson Cancer Care Center from

7:30 a.m.-noon. You may schedule an appointment with Pauline Loony during the week of May 8 from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Call 437-3500, ext. 3280 for an appointment.

### Super Pantry offered

A Super Pantry for low-income persons is being held at the Auxier Lifetime Learning Center on Thursdays through May 18, 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Participants will take part in cooking demonstrations and will then be given food to replicate the meal at home. Participation is by referral. Call 606/886-0709.

### Women's rally scheduled

The Women for Christ 2000 Rally is planned for Saturday, April 29, at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg.

The program runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Guest speakers will be Dottie Williamson and Eva Self.

The \$5 fee includes lunch. For information, call 606/432-2660.

### Conference scheduled

The 13th annual East Kentucky Leadership Conference is set for April 28-29, at Benham in Harlan County.

It will be hosted by the Kentucky Coal Mining Museum, Benham School House Inn, and Southeast Community College.

Registration is \$30 and includes meals. For information, call 606/573-4156.

### Earn while you learn

The Big Sandy Area Community Action Agency is taking applications for the senior training program. You must be 55 years old, or older to apply. For further information, call 606/886-2929. Ask for Tammy Jervis.

The program's primary goal is to create employment for those 55 and over. SCSEP helps prepare older workers to compete for jobs by providing minimal training and placing eligible applicants into permanent employment. Training sites are expected to develop the participant's skill and hire or release them.

### Couples retreat at Camp Nathanael

Camp Nathanael will host its annual retreat for married couples on April 28-29. This relaxing weekend begins with registration from 5-6 p.m. on Friday evening, and ends Saturday evening after a candlelight dinner and concert. Rick Franklin, from Camp Nathanael, will speak on "Fanning the Flames of Marriage." Housing is available on a first come basis, and commuters are also welcome. The cost of the retreat is \$55 per couple. Reservations are required, so call 606/251-3231 to register.

### Social Security rep on Mud Creek

A Social Security representative will be at the Mud Creek Clinic, on KY 979 at Grethel, every Tuesday, April through June to assist people in filing claims for Social Security retirement, disability Social Security and survivors benefits.

People can also apply for Supplemental Security Income, Black Lung and a Social Security number. The representative will also assist in filing appeals and answering questions.

### Clark Family Resource Center

We are now scheduling appointments for physicals for children entering kindergarten in the next school year. Also, we have appointments available for 5th grade students entering 6th grade. Call the center at 886-0815 for more information.

GED Classes: Fridays, 8 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

### Pikeville High School announces 85th reunion

The Pikeville High School Alumni Board has announced "Celebration 2000," the 85th Reunion for PHS Alumni and Friends. The 85th Reunion will be held on July 28-30, at Pikeville High School. The centerpiece of Celebration 2000 will be a musical depiction of the changes over the decades at PHS. If you are interest-

ed in working in this musical production, contact Modena Sallee, Pikeville High School, 120 Championship Dr., Pikeville, KY 41501 or call 606/432-0185 and ask for Sandra Branham. Assistance in developing sets/costumes/music and acting parts is needed.

### Computer classes offered

The Adams Middle School Youth Services Center and Clark Family Resource Center are offering free computer classes for any parent or community member who would be interested in attending. Call 886-9812 for more information.

### Advisory council to meet

The Adams Middle School Youth Services Center Advisory Council will hold its next regular meeting on May 8, beginning at 7:30 p.m., in the center. The public is invited to attend.

### 4-H judging teams to hold orientation

Orientation sessions are scheduled for Thursday, May 22, for the 4-H Horticulture Judging Team and for the Poultry Judging Team. Both sessions are at 6 p.m. at the Floyd County Cooperative Extension Office on South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg. All participants are to bring a parent or guardian. For more information, call 606/886-2668.

### Exams for census extended

Opportunities for persons interested in working with the 2000 Census to take the required exam are much broader than originally announced. The exams will be administered at sites throughout Floyd County through April. For information on times and locations, call 1-888-325-7733. Jobs are available as census takers and crew leaders and pay between \$6.50 and \$13 an hour. If you call the toll-free number, indicate that you live in the Ashland, Kentucky, region.

## The Gospel According to Me

Sometimes we're blind to the causes of our woes

I've never met Kathleen Parker and likely never will. Still, I think of her as a buddy.

Parker writes a syndicated newspaper column that originates from Florida. She's one of the few pundits I read regularly, because she's one of the few anymore who seem to possess a lick of common sense.

To me, many of America's current opinion leaders — politicians, social scientists, celebrities, educators and journalists — collectively have lost their ever-loving minds.

Then I'll pick up a newspaper and there's Parker and, oh, my faith in humanity is restored. It's so gratifying to find someone who has a brain and isn't scared to use it.

For example, one of Parker's columns begins like this:

"By today's zero-tolerance standards of child's play, my brother and I should have been sent to the electric chair years ago. In fact, every child in our neighborhood and at school would qualify at least as a juvenile delinquent, potentially as a homicidal maniac.

"We played war; we dug trenches and foxholes; we screamed and cried, raided and rioted, bombed each other with rotten grapefruit, torpedoes with oranges, fake-killed and fake-died, fell from trees, crashed bikes and wiped out on gravelly roads.

"We pillaged and plundered until the sun set and a dozen fathers whistled time for supper.

"We didn't die from these activities, nor did we kill anyone else. ..."

Parker then contrasts her childhood play with the plight of four kindergartners at a New Jersey elementary school, who recently were suspended for pointing fingers and shouting "bang" at playmates in a schoolyard game of cops and robbers.

"The lunatics don't have to take over the asylum anymore," Parker writes, "because apparently everyone else has lost their minds."

Of course, there is a difference between her childhood games in the 1950s and the travails of

## Rosenberg is PCC graduation speaker

John Rosenberg, director of the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky, will be the featured speaker at Prestonsburg Community College's 35th commencement ceremony on Friday, May 5.

The event will begin at 7 p.m. at the Mountain Arts Center.

More than 130 students are expected to be graduated with Associate in Arts, Associate in Science or Associate in Applied Science degrees.

Gregory Crum of Martin County will be the student graduation speaker. He completed requirements for the Associate in Arts degree at PCC in December and is pursuing a degree in early childhood education at Morehead State University.

He is a 1993 graduate of Sheldon Clark High School and a 1997 graduate of Rhema Bible Training Center in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He is the son of Clyde and Patricia Crum.

In addition to his long-time leadership of Appalred, a legal services program serving low-income clients in 37 counties, Rosenberg



John Rosenberg

has been a trial attorney and trial section chief with the Civil Rights Division of the United States Department of Justice.

In the community, he has served on the boards of the East Kentucky Center for Science, Mathematics and Technology, East Kentucky Corporation, Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Friends of the May House, Morehead State University, and others.

## Parents' survival skills is conference topic

The Education Pay\$ Career Development Center at Prestonsburg Community College (formerly Single Parent and Homemaker Program) will hold its 10th annual Survival Skills Conference on Monday, May 8.

"Career Choices for the New Millennium: Survival Skills for Parents" is the theme of the conference at the Stumbo-Wilkinson Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

The conference will help prepare parents for life's emergencies and introduces them to the skills trades.

Workshops will focus on auto mechanics, plumbing, electricity, home repair, welding, first aid, surveying and mapping, forestry, and heating and cooling.

Conference participants may choose one topic for 9 a.m., and another for 11 a.m.

They may also choose from two afternoon sessions: career choices or stress management.

Registration is limited to allow participants to have hands-on experience. For information or to register, call Jean Rosenberg or Patti Piasecki at 606/886-3863, extension 296 or 239.

Some participants may be eligible for transportation and child care assistance.

Co-sponsors of the conference are PCC, Mayo Technical College, Carl D. Perkins Job Corps Center, and the University of Kentucky Wood Utilization Center and Cooperative Extension Service.

today's kids, Parker acknowledges: Today a few "children bring real guns to school; children kill and wound other children in what used to be a safe environment."

For that, the majority are stifled by paranoid administrators and even parents.

But it's not playing cops and robbers that has led to real-life massacres, Parker argues. It's not even the availability of guns; many Baby Boomers such as she grew up in homes stocked with small arsenals.

"What's different," she continues, "is that our parents and teachers worked together without undue interference from bureaucrats, social workers and lawyers. A kid who misbehaved in school was dealt with promptly, first by the teacher and then by the dads who whistled at dinner time. A bad kid wasn't bad for long."

You go, girl. Understand, my readers, that I'm not a gun nut. I don't hunt. I don't belong to the NRA.

Yet I, like Parker, am dumbfounded by the common assumption that kids are blowing each other away because they play aggressively or because real guns are easily available.

Bloody. When I was growing up in small-town Kentucky most kids, boys particularly, played cowboys and Indians daily. And most guys had within easy reach enough real guns to hold off the Russian army.

Yet we never murdered anybody.

Why? For one thing schoolteachers back then could (and would) smack a knot on your head if you carried a firearm to school.

A more important reason was that nearly every boy lived under the same roof as his dad. And those fathers kept an eye on their kids' business.

I knew a rowdy fellow who didn't blink an eye at an approaching cop, but would burst into tears if the officer said, "I'll just call your dad."

There's something special about boys and their dads — that is, when the dads assume an active role in their sons' lives.

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Today, as Parker aptly concludes, "we've emasculated teachers and evicted fathers. ... Our confusion might be lessened if we put real discipline back in the schools and fathers back in the homes. Only then might we relax and let the good boys play."

God bless you, Ms. Parker.

Paul Prather is a minister and author. His latest book is "Back Porch Faith: Weekly Meditations." You can e-mail him at paulprather@kih.net.

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Veterans need to call at least three days in advance of their appointment time.

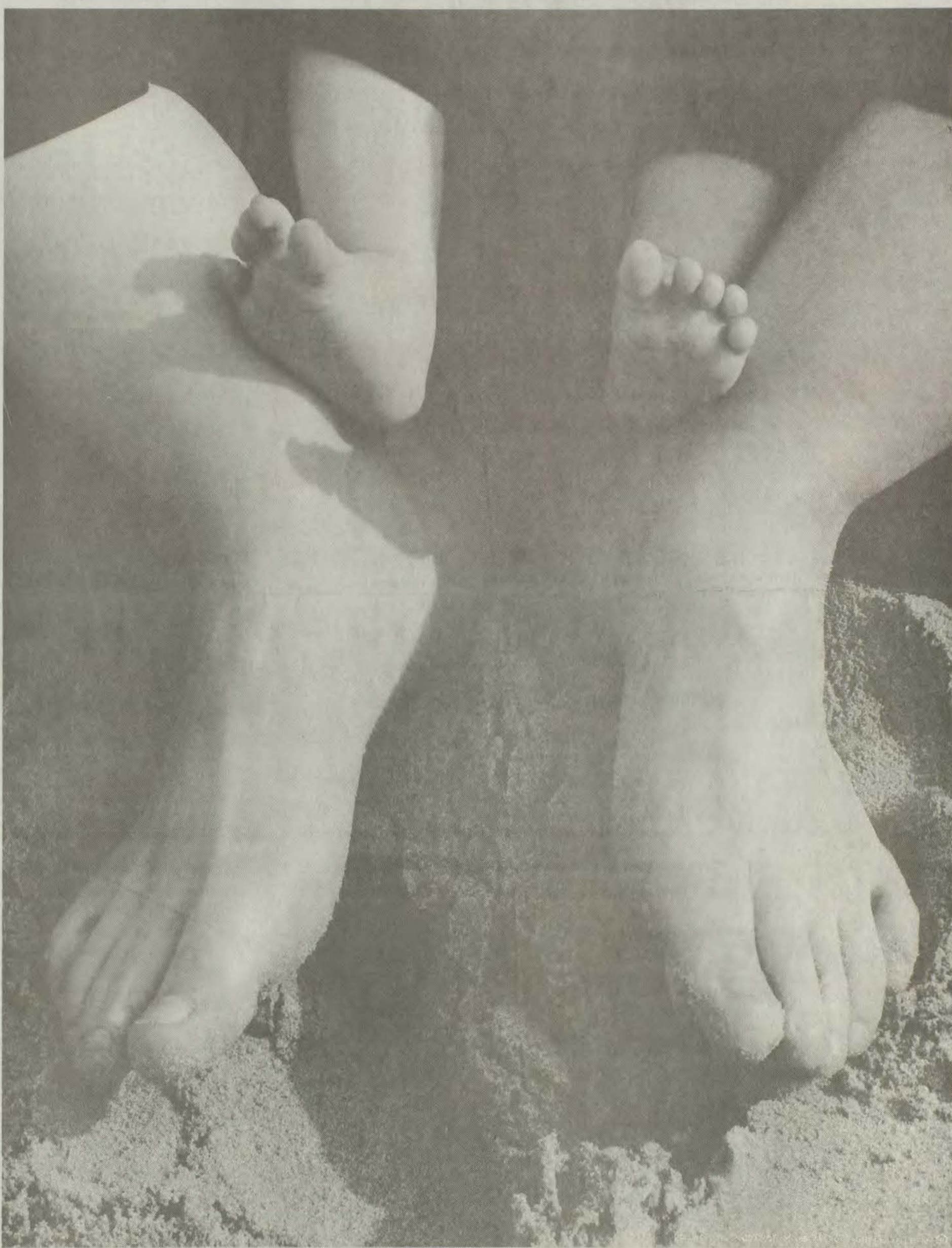
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## A Look at Sports...Sports of all sorts



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISH....**  
 To Allen Central's Jeremy Hayes who turns 17 years old today. Jeremy is a member of the Rebels basketball and baseball teams. If you see Jeremy, wish him a happy birthday. Happy birthday, Jeremy!  
 ■ A contract was let on the new softball facility at Betsy Layne High School. The move was brought about in order to get the facility finished. Other needed work has prevented the board from getting the field ready.  
 Once completed, it will be a fine

softball field for the Ladycats.  
 ■ I came back from vacation to find that Prestonsburg Coach Bridget Clay had been placed in the hospital and missed her team's own invitational tournament.  
 Report is that she will be off two weeks before returning to her teaching position at Prestonsburg Elementary. In a conversation with her mother, she told me the coach is getting better and on the way back to being just Bridget.  
 We wish her the best and hope she gets well real soon!

■ Erik Daniels, 6-7, signed with the University of Kentucky Tuesday, making four recruits inked by the Wildcats this recruiting season.  
 I like the fact that Tubby Smith got tired of waiting for Darius Rice and went elsewhere. Of the four recruits the Cats grabbed, only Gerald Fitch is a highly-touted catch. The other three are just good roleplayers. Fitch, who was coveted by the University of Georgia, is a solid three-point threat and suited for the two-guard, something the Cats need.

I am sure that UK is pursuing still another JUCO player. So another signing could be in the making.  
 ■ Woes continue for the Kentucky women's basketball program. Two more players departed the campus recently, making four who have left the team.  
 Coach Bernadette Mattox will have just four returning players from last year during the 2000-01 season. However, she will have two outstanding recruits coming next year and is

(See **SPORTS**, page three)

■ Kids Day in the Park

### Join hundreds of kids at Archer Park on Saturday

by ED TAYLOR  
 SPORTS EDITOR

Experience the Exploration Station, ride the Little Pumper, pet the exotic animals and ride the ponies.  
 All this and much, much more will be part of Kids Day in the Park that will get underway at 11 a.m. tomorrow (Saturday) at Prestonsburg's Archer Park.

All the fun and excitement will be for all kids 9 and under as the seventh annual Food City- and WMDJ-sponsored event gets set to welcome hundreds of kids from around the area.

The first-, second- and third-place winners in each of the seven events will receive a trophy. But the best part is the free goodie bags, free snacks, free drink stops, and free Mayfield ice cream. In fact, the whole day is free. Free pony rides (up to noon), free petting zoo, free balloons, and much more. It is going to be one exciting day for all the kids. But parents and grandparents enjoy the day as well.

A concession stand will be in place and operated by the Allen Central Junior ROTC. Also, the ROTC will escort the kids from one event to another, no concern about where to go.

Around the park, kids will be able to get a view while riding the Prestonsburg Fire Department's Little Pumper. A museum will be in place as well as some cars from the past and the present. Enjoy the University of Kentucky Medical Helicopter.

The seven events will include hot shot basketball, sack race, kick ball, hole-in-one golf, football toss, 50-yard dash, and the popular Big Wheel race.

— Ladycats edge Prestonsburg 5-3 —

# Betsy Layne stays perfect

by ED TAYLOR  
 SPORTS EDITOR



PRESTONSBURG'S MEGAN HYDEN (15) was out at first base in the second inning against Betsy Layne. Betsy Layne posted a 5-3 win over the Lady Blackcats to go 4-0 in the Floyd County Conference. (photo by Ed Taylor)

The Betsy Layne Ladycats softball team took one more step toward a conference championship this past Wednesday afternoon with a 5-3 win over defending champion Prestonsburg.

The Lady Blackcats are still without veteran Coach Bridget Clay who is out with sickness but is expected to return soon.

The win gave Betsy Layne a perfect 3-0 conference record and 11-7 overall. Prestonsburg fell to 1-3 in the conference race and 8-5 overall.

Kim Tackett went the seven innings in securing the win for the Ladycats. She allowed three runs on eight hits. She struck out four batters.

Stacy Goble, who pitched well enough to win, was the victim of the loss. Goble allowed five runs on seven Betsy Layne hits.

Brittany Bentley collected two hits for Betsy Layne. Angela Howell and Margaret Damron had two hits apiece for Prestonsburg.

Betsy Layne took a 1-0 lead on a lead-off walk to Heather Hamilton and Devon Reynolds' RBI double. Reynolds was tagged out at third base. Denise Jones doubled after Reynolds was tagged out but she too was left stranded.

Prestonsburg came back with two runs in their half of the first and took a 2-1 lead. Howell started the rally with a single and scored on Brook Coleman's one-out base hit.

(See **PRESTONSBURG**, page two)

## Improved South Floyd stings Sheldon Clark

### Hall collects 4 hits in 10-3 win

by ED TAYLOR  
 SPORTS EDITOR

If the South Floyd Raiders baseball team keeps showing improvement each game out, then they could be a factor in next month's 58th District tournament.

Coach Barry Hall's ballclub posted a 10-3 win over a good Sheldon Clark team this past Wednesday night for its third consecutive win.

"We see improvement in our team," said the South Floyd mentor, "but we still have a ways to

go."  
 Nick Moore was outstanding on the mound in picking up the win to even his personal record at 1-1. Battery mate Byron Hall provided the power at the plate with four of the 13 hits South Floyd collected. Hall had a single and three doubles in the contest and finished with four runs batted in. But there were others. Shortstop Joe Skeans and third baseman Kyle Tackett picked up three hits each. Moore had two safeties himself.

Moore fanned eight batters in going the full seven innings. He walked just four batters while scattering seven Sheldon Clark hits.

Howell took the loss for Sheldon Clark, working six innings and allowing 10 runs on 13 hits. He struck out seven Raider batters.

(See **SOUTH FLOYD**, page three)

WEDNESDAY WAS A FISHERMAN'S delight as the sun came out and the temperatures warmed up. Several anglers took the day off and made their way to the lake area for a good day of fishing. (photo by Ed Taylor)



■ Thunder Ridge

## Late models get green flag at Thunder Ridge

### Race season officially opens Saturday

by ED TAYLOR  
 SPORTS EDITOR

Although one race night has been held at the Thunder Ridge Speedway, the race season officially opens tomorrow night at The Ridge when the Late Models roll out of the trailers for their first night of racing locally.

Brad Martin said a good number of Late Model drivers will be on hand for the show.

"We are expecting a big turnout on Late Models," said Martin. "I talked with several and several have called. We are expecting at least 20 Late Model drivers."

Drivers such as Eddie Carrier Jr., Paul Harris, Chuckie May, Brandon Kinzer, Shannon Thornsberry, last year's points leader, Jackie Boggs, who always finishes well at The Ridge, and Bill Bocook are just some of the big name stars in Late Model stock car racing who will be on hand for race night. Out-of-state drivers will also be part of the field.

Why not! The purse will be a tempting \$1,500 winner-take-all for the Late Model feature.

"We will pay back all the way," said Martin. "Each driver gets \$100 to start."

The biggest purse for the night will not be the Late Models but the modified feature. The driver who crosses the finish line first will receive the \$2,000 winner-take-all purse.

(See **THUNDER RIDGE**, page two)

## THE SCOREBOARD

■ Softball

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Games on tap

■ Softball

Fri., April 28  
 Paintsville at Betsy Layne  
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■ Baseball

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**Prestonsburg**

Coleman came home with run two when Damron singled her home. Betsy Layne loaded the bases against Goble in the second inning on three walks, but Goble pitched out of the jam. Goble led off the Prestonsburg second but was left stranded at second base.

In the Betsy Layne third, the Ladycats tied the game at 2 on a lead-off walk to Jones and Bentley's RBI single. Betsy Layne took a 3-2 lead with a single run in the fourth, Tabitha Mitchell singled to start the inning, stole second and scored on an error. The run was unearned.

Betsy Layne added two assurance runs in the top of the fifth to lead 6-2. Reynolds and Jones drew back-to-back walks and Bentley singled home both runners. Prestonsburg added their final run in the bottom of the inning. Megan Hyden singled to start the frame and scored on a passed ball.

Prestonsburg put runners on in both the sixth and seventh innings but could not score. Betsy Layne will host Paintsville Friday evening at the Allen Park. Prestonsburg will meet Allen Central in another top district game this Saturday afternoon.

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STACY GOBLE TOOK THE MOUND for the Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats Wednesday evening in a battle of two conference contenders. Betsy Layne posted a 5-3 win over Prestonsburg (photo by Ed Taylor)

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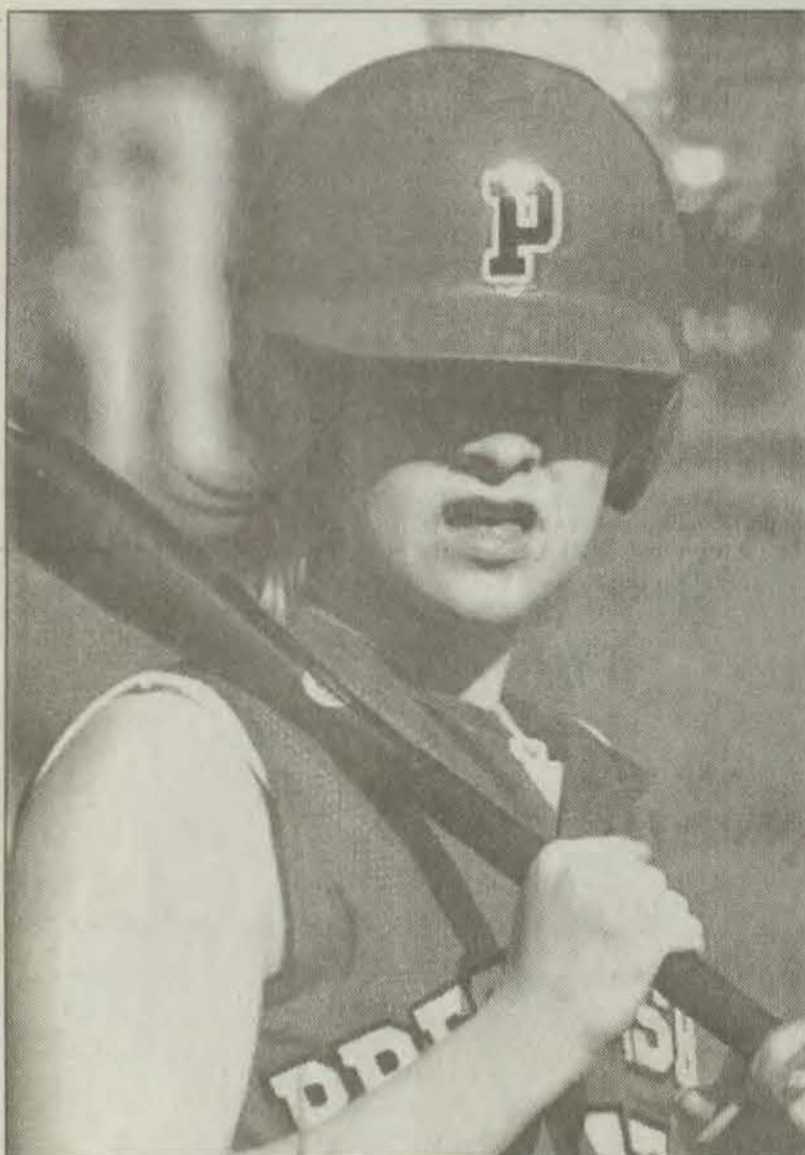


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MEGAN HYDEN was looking for some instructions just before she batted against Betsy Layne Wednesday evening. Hyden had one hit in the game but Betsy Layne won 5-3 (photo by Ed Taylor)

**Thunder Ridge**

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"We are looking for a big, big crowd Saturday night," said the Thunder Ridge Track promoter. "The track is in great shape."

The new clay surface at Thunder Ridge has all the drivers raving over the improvement.

"It is really nice, slick and shining," said Martin. "We are going to run the full six classes and we hope to get started early."

Gates to the pit area will open at 3 p.m. with hot laps scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. and racing at 6 p.m.

The four-cylinder racers will take to the clay surface first followed by the bombers, sportsman, modifieds, Late Models and road hogs.

The four-cylinders have caught on after only one race.

"We enjoy the four-cylinders," said Martin. "The fans love it to see them bang and roll over. We expect a good field of four-cylinders."

Martin said the Late Models and modifieds would run their normal qualifying laps but the rest of the grid will be drawn for starting positions.

"That will save a lot of time in getting the racing going and getting the fans home early," said Martin.

Admission to the grandstand area is \$10.

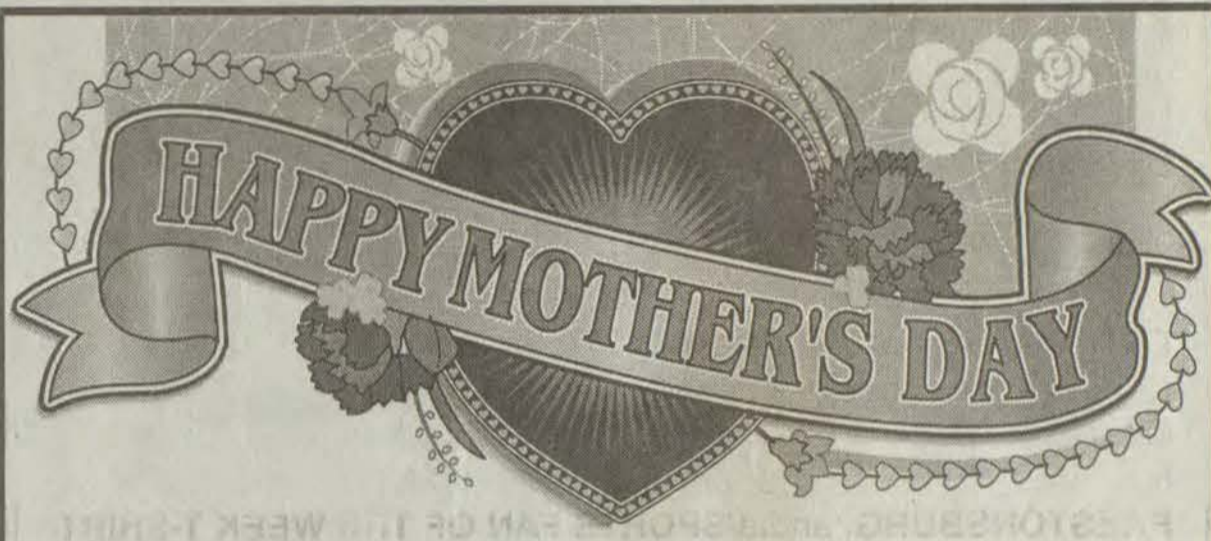
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South Floyd

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It wasn't until the fifth inning before South Floyd could break the game open. Both teams scored a single run in the first inning for a 1-1 game. The Raiders went in front 2-1 with a second run in the third inning.

Joe Skeans singled with two out in the first inning and scored on Hall's RBI double.

Ryan Shannon led off the third with a double and came around to score on Hall's second hit, a run producing single that gave the Raiders a 2-1 lead.

In the fifth, South Floyd sent nine batters to the plate in scoring four times to assume a 6-1 margin. Hall doubled in two runs, his third hit of the game. Michael Hall walked, Skeans singled and both scored on Hall's hit. Hall came home with run three on Moore's RBI single and he scored when Tyler Hall doubled to right center. Kyle Tackett had a hit in the inning but was left stranded along with Tyler Hall.

The Cardinals picked up two runs in their half of the sixth. Moore gave

up a walk and two singles in allowing the Cards to make it a 6-3 game.

South Floyd got those two runs back and more with a four-run sixth. Hall picked up his second double of the game after Skeans collected his third hit of the game. Moore had an RBI single and Kyle Tackett doubled home a run, his third hit of the game. Kevin McKinney had one hit in the contest.

South Floyd will host Whitesburg this evening at 5 p.m. at the Drift Park.



MATTHEW CASTLE SHOWED his form when he received his first degree belt in the Shaolin Marial Arts on April 6. Castle is an eighth grade student at Adams Middle School and the son of Anthony and Maria Castle of Martin.

Sports

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expected to sign two to four more yet this spring.

\* Ken Griffey: four at bats, two strikeouts, two walks versus New York Tuesday night.

■ A final reminder of Kids Day in the Park tomorrow (Saturday) at Archer Park. Events get underway at 11 a.m. There will be plenty of excitement at the local park and here is hop-

ing the rains stay away.

The event will be rescheduled for Saturday, May 6 in case of rain.

■ The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife will be releasing 1,600 trout in the tailwaters of Fishtrap Lake. The release will take place on Thursday, May 4 at around 4:15 p.m.

■ Rain has played havoc on the

baseball and softball schedules. Several games were cancelled, and we need to know when those games will be rescheduled, if they are, so we can put them on our schedule.

If everything holds true to form, consistent nice weather will not arrive until the third week in May when it is close to district tournament time. It has been that way the past 12 seasons.



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Pikeville College tennis Bears capture second straight KIAC crown  
Kitchen named Coach of the Year

by ED TAYLOR  
SPORTS EDITOR

The Pikeville College Bears tennis team was outstanding in capturing its second consecutive KIAC Conference championship last weekend.

The Bears enter Region XI play after sweeping through the final KIAC tournament.

Pikeville entered the conference tournament as the top seed of the field of five teams. The Bears, a first round bye, knocked off Ashbury in the semifinals, 5-0, to advance to the championship round. In the finals, Pikeville won 5-0 over Lindsey Wilson to take the tournament championship.

In a switch, the KIAC tournament was played using the team format. Teams played head-to-head in a best of nine format. Once a team reached the required five wins the match ended.

"We're really excited about the way our season has gone," said Coach John Kitchen, who was named KIAC Coach of the Year for the second straight season. He is in only his third year as head coach at

Pikeville. "A lot of people will say the league is down some overall, but we had a goal of winning it again this season, and I think we were focused enough on doing that so that we never noticed the opposition."

Regular season matches were played in the best-of-nine format as well. During the entire season, Pikeville did not lose a point to any conference opponent, winning all KIAC matches 9-0.

Along with Coach Kitchen being named Coach of the Year, six Bears were named to the All-Conference team. Named were Rodrigo Puebla, Leo Lopez and Todd Kitchen, the top three singles seeds of the tournament. The trio, along with Hunter Doerr, Jesse Rudd and Chad Sellers, were also honored for doubles play.

Coach Kitchen lauded last year's championship team but said this year's team talent level may have been better.

"We were thrilled with our team last year, the way it won the conference and went on to the national tournament," said Coach Kitchen. "But this team is an amazing collec-

tion of talent. With all respect to that team and the 1975 team (which also won the KIAC title), this was clearly the best team we've ever had at Pikeville College."

Unlike last season, Pikeville will now advance to the Region XI tournament in an attempt to qualify for a repeat appearance in the national tournament. Pikeville will take a 15-5 worksheet into Friday's match, played at Johnson City, Tennessee. Pikeville will face Kings College in the first round. Virginia Intermont, the tournament's top seed, will play Lindsey Wilson in the other semifinal match.

The championship round will be played Saturday.

Against Lindsey Wilson in the conference finals, Lopez defeated Todd Huston 8-2 while Rodrigo Puebla won over Kevin Stuart 8-3. Kitchen took a 8-2 decision over Grian Mendoza with Clay Boone winning over Daryl Piper 8-1.

In the doubles match, Puebla and Kitchen defeated Huston and Stuart 8-6; Lopez and Doerr defeated Mendoza and McNutt 8-0. The final match, Rudd and Sellers won over Bennett and Tsuchida.

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CONNOTATION!



THE TAKING OFF OF A SHOE IN BIBLICAL TIMES WAS THE SIGN A MAN USED TO SHOW THAT HE WAS NOT WILLING TO MAKE A DEAD BROTHER'S WIDOW HIS WIFE - THIS WAS A LEVIRATE DUTY WHICH ENABLED THE DEAD MAN'S NAME TO BE KEPT ALIVE IN ISRAEL, FOR THE FIRST SON OF THIS UNION WOULD BE COUNTED AS THE DEAD MAN'S SON AND WOULD RECEIVE HIS INHERITANCE. BOAZ, A NEAR-KINGMAN OF THE WIDOW RUTH (RUTH 4:1-18) WISHED TO MARRY HER BUT THERE WAS A NEARER KINSMAN TO WHOM THE PRIVILEGE BELONGED. HOWEVER, THIS MAN WAS UNWILLING AND, IN THE PRESENCE OF TEN ELDERS AS WITNESSES, HE TOOK OFF HIS SHOE AND GAVE IT TO BOAZ, SHOWING HE DIDN'T WISH TO STAND IN THE SHOES OF THE DEAD MAN. THIS BOAZ WAS FREE TO MARRY RUTH AS NEXT OF KIN, WHICH RESOLVED THE MATTER HAPPILY - HOWEVER -

...IT DIDN'T ALWAYS WORK OUT AS EASILY AS THAT! THE LAW, AS STATED IN DEUT. 25:5-10, HELD THAT A BROTHER OR NEAREST OF KIN WAS DUTY-BOUND TO TAKE HIS BROTHER'S WIDOW TO WIFE IF THE BROTHER DIED CHILDLESS (IF THE WIDOW HAD CHILDREN, THEY HAD TO CARE FOR HER IN HER OLD AGE). NOW, IF A MAN REFUSE TO TAKE HIS BROTHER'S CHILDLESS WIDOW AS A WIFE, THEN, BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY OF THE TRIBE, SHE WOULD "LOOSE HIS SHOE FROM OFF HIS FOOT, AND SPIT IN HIS FACE", BECAUSE THE CULPRIT WOULDN'T DO HIS DUTY TO HIS DEAD BROTHER BY GIVING HIM A LIVING SON! HIS NAME WOULD THEN BE KNOWN THROUGHOUT ISRAEL AS "THE HOUSE OF HIM THAT HATH HIS SHOE LOOSED", SO TO REFUSE THIS DUTY WAS A MARK OF SHAME TO THESE ANCIENT PEOPLE - BEFORE A MAN DID THAT, HE'D BE BETTER TO - IN THE JARGON OF TODAY'S YOUNG PEOPLE - "COOL IT WITH THAT SHOE, MAN!"

NEXT WEEK: "LET'S GO HUNTING!"

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Victory Christian Ministries, 1428 E.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sherrn Williams, Minister.  
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Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy J. Spears, Minister.  
Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Benny Blankenship, Minister.  
Harold Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James H. Harmon, Minister.  
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Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gary Mitchell, Minister.  
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Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.  
Little Paint First Church of God, 671 Little Paint Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; A. Wayne Burch, Minister.  
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Community United Methodist, 141 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neeley St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ernie Carmichael, Minister.  
Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.  
Emma United Methodist, Emma; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Minister.  
First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Wayne Sayre, Minister.  
Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Road, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Garfield Pater, Minister.  
Martin Methodist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.  
Maytown United Methodist, Langley; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.  
Sallyburg United Methodist, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby G. Lawson, Minister.  
Wayland United Methodist, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Brad Tackett, Minister.  
Wheelwright United Methodist, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.  
Drift Pentecostal, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ted Shannon, Minister.  
Free Pentecostal Church of God, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; Buster Hayton, Minister.  
Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksbury; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; John "Jay" Patton, Minister.  
Free Pentecostal Deliverance, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campion; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.; Patricia Cider, Minister.  
Free Pentecostal Holiness, Rt. 122, Upper Burn; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Louis Sanlan, Minister; David Pike, Associate Minister.  
Goodloe Pentecostal, Rt. 850, David; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Malcolm Stone, Minister.  
Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal, Floyd and Magoffin County Line; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mike D. Caldwell, Minister.  
Trinity Chapel Pentecostal Holiness, Main St., Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; 2nd Saturday, 7 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Minister.  
**PRESBYTERIAN**  
Drift Presbyterian, Route 1101, Drift; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Mary Alice Murray, Minister.  
First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; George C. Love, Minister.  
**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Gary Shepherd, Minister.  
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The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Prethoods/Primary, 9:30 a.m.; Sacrament Mtg., 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.  
**OTHER**  
Drift Independent, Drift; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.  
Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 6 p.m.; Woodrow Crum, Minister.  
Faith Bible, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.  
Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Don Shepherd, Minister.  
Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Randy Hagans, Minister.  
Faith Worship Center, US 460, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6 p.m.; Buddy and Maude Frye, Minister.  
Full Gospel Community, (formerly of Martin) moved to Old Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Lavonne Lafferty, Minister.  
Lighthouse Temple, Main St. and Hall St.; Worship Service, 12 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Friday, 7 p.m.; Roy Cosby, Minister.  
Martin House of Worship, Old Post Office St.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Saturday/Sunday  
Old Time Holiness, 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Martin; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; John W. Patton, Minister.  
Sparklock Bible, Sparklock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Dan Heintzelman, Minister.  
The Father House, Big Branch, Abbot Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; J.J. Wright, Minister.  
Youth Fellowship Center, Wheelwright; Monday/Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.  
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# Regional Briefs

## The Numbers Game

<b>Wednesday's Results</b>	<b>April 26, 2000</b>
<b>LOTTO KENTUCKY</b> 04-14-21-22-24-27 Next Estimated Jackpot \$14.8 million	<b>POWERBALL</b> 05-10-17-24-37 (15) Next Estimated Jackpot \$12 million

### Burglary of local stores still under investigation

A recent burglary involving three local businesses remains under investigation by local law enforcement officials.

According to police reports, a person or persons unknown gained illegal entrance into the businesses around midnight Sunday and made off with a large amount of cash and other items.

Salyersville City Police Commissioner Greg Patrick said that the investigation was on going and that police were looking for more than one suspect.

Patrick said that the persons involved gained entrance into a structure located on Highway 114 in Salyersville by breaking through a back wall.

The building houses three different businesses, including a laundry service, video store and a fast-food restaurant.—*The Salyersville Independent*

### Hal Rogers pays visit to Salyersville

Hal Rogers was the toast of the town, but a local tourism project might be the biggest winner, when the popular political figure visited Salyersville this week.

Rogers, a U.S. representative who has played a pivotal

part in making many local projects realities, was scheduled to make his Salyersville visit, Wednesday, April 26.

The City of Salyersville presented Rogers with a key to the city, and a reception hosted by the Magoffin County Historical Society will be held in his honor.

"He has been so good to help us, and has done so much for the area that we just wanted to acknowledge him," a spokesperson for the city said.—*The Salyersville Independent*



Magoffin County

### Relay for Life getting final touches as event draws close

With a month remaining before the actual event gets underway, local organizers are currently busy putting the final touches on this year edition's of Magoffin County's Relay for Life.

And according to event co-organizer Lula Reed, the American Cancer Society fund-raiser has followed a smooth course toward what should be another successful experience here.

"Everything seems to be going very well," Reed who is chairing this year's event with Ruth Howard, said. "There has been a lot of interest shown in it, so hopefully we can come together and turn it into a huge success."—*The Salyersville Independent*

### \$34 million E. Ky. drug ring nets 16 indictments

While authorities could not say yesterday whether an investigation by the FBI and Kentucky State Police into a four-year drug operation that reached into eastern Kentucky included suspects in Pike County, they did not exclude that possibility.

The investigation led to the federal indictment, Wednesday of 16 men involved in the trafficking and sale of more than 20,000 pounds of marijuana from Texas to eastern Kentucky since 1996, said Scott Baker, a special agent in the FBI's Pikeville office, which conducted the investigation.

"They all face a life sentence," Jerry Provenza, a Lexington-based lieutenant with the KSP's Drug Enforcement/Special Investigations unit, said yesterday in U.S. District Court in Pikeville.

Barker said the street-level value for the Mexican marijuana sold in the case was about \$1,700 per pound, or more than \$34 million over the four-year period.—*Appalachian News-Express*

### e-business promoted in East Ky.

Many believe the future of business lies in the Internet and

e-commerce. Todd Duff, a Pikeville resident, is one of those.

Duff, who works full-time for a state program out of Prestonsburg, said he is also a member of a growing group of people investing their time in an e-business called Km.Net.

"What we're offering is a service to the public to shop, save and make money," Duff said last Friday evening during a meeting at the Landmark Inn in Pikeville to discuss launching the Internet business in the region.

"Everything you buy on your mall generates points, and points that you generate turn into dollars."—*Appalachian News-Express*

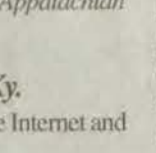
### Fatality touches Pike

Kentucky State Police said they are still unsure what caused a Jackson man traveling westbound on the Mountain Parkway, Saturday night in Clark County, to travel across the median into the eastbound lanes and collide with head-on with an oncoming vehicle, killing six of the vehicles' nine occupants, including a Pikeville man.

Police said the absence of skid marks at the scene, about 10 miles east of Winchester, indicates neither that driver Emanuel Miller, 21, of Jackson, who was driving a 1985 GMC van, nor Rick Lucas, 37, of Pikeville who was traveling eastbound in a Chevrolet Suburban, tried to brake or swerve to avoid the collision, which occurred about 9 p.m.—*Appalachian News-Express*



Pike County



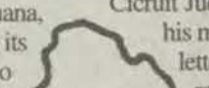
Johnson County

### Feds smoke out local pot ring

While many were still sleeping early on the morning of April 26, agents from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Kentucky State Police swooped in quietly, arresting eight local men on federal charges of trafficking in marijuana.

Authorities estimated nearly 10 tons of marijuana, with an estimated street value of \$34 million, made its way from Mexico, across the border into San Antonio Texas, finding its way into the Martin/Johnson/Lawrence county area during the last two years. Some of the marijuana was distributed from eastern Kentucky to Scioto County, Ohio, and Wheeling West Virginia.

Inez City Councilman David Evans was arrested, along with his brother, Jerry Evans. Other arrested were James "Slim" Wellman, William C. "Bill" Chapman, Mark Anthony Wilson, Ermil Hinkle, Rondal Lee Endicott and James Arthur Horn.—*Mountain Citizen*



Martin County

### Ball cleared in alleged high school vandalism

It's official. Kentucky State Police closed its investigation into allegations by Martin Schools Superintendent Bill Stone that a 1999 Sheldon Clark High School graduate vandalized the bathrooms at the high school last month.

The investigation clears Rachel Ball, 18, and her mother Gerri, both of Lovely, of any criminal activity. Stone accused both of "trespassing" and committing "criminal mischief" in a local newspaper March 29.—*Mountain Citizen*

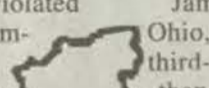
### State audits note county's related-party transactions

Separate state audits of the Lawrence County Fiscal Court show that relatives of two county officials received contracts or performed services for the county during the 1998 and 1999 fiscal years.

But State Auditor Ed Hatchett's report, issued last week, do not suggest the fiscal court violated state law by awarding contracts to family members; they do, however, recommend that such matters be disclosed to the county's ethics board.

In his audit for the fiscal year that ended June 30, 1998, Hatchett noted that John LeMaster — brother-in-law of then Judge-Executive Roger Jordan, who is now magistrate for District Three — was awarded road contracts totaling \$258,040.

The 1998 audit also showed that two relatives of county treasurer Sue Maynard received contracts or performed services — Maynard's brother, local contractor Jim Cyrus, received contracts totaling \$64,900 and her son-in-law, Allen Bradshaw, per-



Lawrence

### Defendants plead guilty to sex crimes

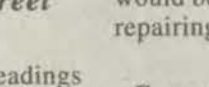
Two local sex-crimes cases recently resulted in guilty pleas in Lawrence County Court.

James Christopher Britton, 33, of Columbus, Ohio, pleaded guilty April 13, to three counts of third-degree rape for having sex with a girl less than 16 years old in Lawrence County two years ago.

In a separate case, a Louisville man was arraigned April 13 and pleaded guilty to first-degree sexual abuse.

Michael W. Burkhead, 31, was indicted for subjecting a minor less than 12 year old to sexual contact on October 10, 1999.

A three-years sentence (with each count to run concurrently) was recommended for Britton while a three-year prison term was recommended by Assistant Commonwealth Attorney Ron Burchett.—*The Big Sandy News*



Morgan

### City Council okays purchase of street sweeper on 4-1 vote

Three ordinances were given second readings and adopted at the April 24 City Council meeting — one extending the city's 3 percent restaurant tax to businesses and vendors located outside West Liberty that cater or deliver to customers within the city, and the other two amending an older ordinance pertaining to business occupational and unloading licenses to exclude local businesses from having to pay the \$199 unloading fee.

A bid — the only one received — from the Tennant Company to sell the City a street sweeping machine for \$45,768.94 was opened and generated considerable discussion after Councilman Sonny Rose questioned the wisdom of expending that amount of money for what he said he felt was an "extravagance."

Advised that the money to pay for the street sweeper would come from the city's general fund, Rose said he is "not against trying to keep our streets clean, but said he felt general fund money

would be better spent building curbs and gutters and repairing city streets."—*The Licking Valley Courier*

### County-wide E-911 system goes on line; City hosts open house

A large crowd of citizens, local officials and emergency personnel and their families attended the open house for the county's new E-911 system at City Hall last Friday evening.

More than 125 people braved the wet, blustery weather to enjoy fried fish, hamburgers, hot dogs, soft drinks and all the trimmings, provided by Interact Inc., and to visit the West Liberty Police Department's communications center to see first hand the new E-911 equipment.

Interact, headquartered in Asheville, North Carolina, provided technical assistance for the mapping of addresses and is the supplier of the state-of-the-art computer software system that is the heart of the new Enhanced (E-911) emergency dispatching system that is now on line countywide.—*The Licking Valley Courier*



Knott

### Local crafters to appear on national TV

Members of the Hindman/Knott County Community Development (CDI) Initiative Steering Committee met at Beaver Creek Elementary School last Thursday to share their latest information on the project with residents of that area.

The group was welcomed by Judge-Executive Donnie Newsome and magistrate James Huff. While the project doesn't directly involve District 4, they agreed it was a good starting point for progress throughout the county. Judge Newsome thanked the group for traveling to Beaver Creek.

A camera crew from CNN visited Hindman Wednesday, CDI chairman Bill Weingberg reported, and interviewed some members of the Arts and Craft Advisory Council. CNN included the Hindman project along with towns in Ohio and North Carolina in a feature on communities creating jobs through entrepreneurship. Wineberg said the program should air sometime in the next three weeks.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Grant Funding explained in Knott Fiscal Court

Official business went by quickly and smoothly in the

regular meeting of the Knott County Fiscal Court last Wednesday, but the public comment portion of the session was taken up with complaints from District 2 Magistrate Ronnie Adams.

Jason Watkins, a representative of Energy Management & Services, asked the court for permission to cross one county road while installing a gas pipeline.

Magistrate Adams interjected that the road is in his district, and "I already have a problem with Columbia Gas, taking up blacktop and not putting it back down. There's no tomorrow for them; they won't do what they say."

Judge Newsome told Watkins the court would need to put in writing that the company would repair the road and leave it in its original condition.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### AML money to help with water on Rock Fork

State Senator Benny Ray Bailey announced Monday, April 24, that he has been assured by Steve Hohmann, executive director of the Abandoned Mine Lands Program, that funding for the water lines in Rock Fork will be approved. The money will come from the Abandoned Mine Lands Program.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Judge delays decision on widening suit

Circuit Judge Daniel Sparks withheld a decision on April 20 on a request by the Kentucky County Court Clerks' Association to allow that organization to join civil action relating to the county's recently enacted fee-pooling ordinance.

The state clerks' association has asked the court to allow it to participate as a defendant in the case, which involves a request from the fiscal court for a declaration of rights on its fee-pooling ordinance, adopted in January and effective in February.

That ordinance requires County Clerk Betty Jo Conley and Sheriff Bill Witten to transfer excess fees accumulated by the offices on a monthly, rather than annual basis. It also require Conley and Witten to utilize a purchase order system to track their office expenses.

While Witten has complied with the provisions of the ordinance, Conley has not, and will not, according to her attorney, Ned Pillersdorf. The clerk has argued that no statutory authority exists to force her to comply with the fee-pooling program.—*The Paintsville Herald*

### Jailer issue heads back to square one

Johnson County Jailer B. Joe Hill renewed his quest Monday to nullify a county ordinance which cuts his salary, staff and duties, asking Circuit Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier to dismiss the county's request for a declaration of rights on the ordinance.

Responding to County Attorney Scott Preston's request for a summary judgment in the case, Hill's attorney, Ned Pillersdorf renewed a motion to dismiss the case, claiming among other things that the ordinance was not published after final adoption by the fiscal court.—*The Paintsville Herald*

### Tax suit moving toward default

Paintsville businessman Henry Lyon is one motion away from a default judgment in a civil suit seeking more than \$36,000 he allegedly owes in delinquent property taxes.

Lyon, a former grocer and newspaper publisher in Paintsville, was one of three people sued in March for back taxes by special prosecutor Drewie Muncy, who represents the county's taxing district and the state Revenue Cabinet in place of County Attorney Scott Preston. Preston cited conflicts as his reason for farming out the legal actions against Lyon, former Sheriff Gay Cyrus, and Flat Gap residents James A. Reed. Together, Muncy claims those property owners owe \$89,843 in back taxes.—*The Paintsville Herald*

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97 HONDA ACCORD EX	\$16,700	\$13,980	\$2,720
97 NISSAN MAXIMA GLE Leather	\$17,725	\$13,980	\$3,745
97 HONDA ACCORD 15,000 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	\$14,980	SAVE
COMPACTS			
97 FORD ESCORT LX	\$7,475	\$5,980	\$1,495
96 GEO PRIZM	\$7,600	\$5,980	\$1,620
96 CHEVY BERETTA	\$7,425	\$5,980	\$1,445
97 FORD ESCORT LX 24,000 miles	\$8,175	\$6,980	\$1,195
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99 OLDS CUTLASS	\$15,025	\$12,980	\$2,045
99 OLDS INTRIGUE	\$16,900	\$12,980	\$3,920
99 OLDS CUTLASS	\$15,550	\$13,980	\$1,570
99 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	\$17,825	\$14,980	\$2,845
99 BUICK REGAL LS	\$17,500	\$15,980	\$1,520
LUXURIES			
94 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS	\$8,525	\$6,980	\$1,545
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96 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	\$16,775	\$12,980	\$3,795
97 CADILLAC CATERA Alloy wheels, moonroof	\$20,500	\$13,980	\$6,520
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98 FORD TAURUS SE	\$13,225	\$8,980	\$4,245
97 OLDS 86 LS	\$14,200	\$8,980	\$5,220
96 CHRYSLER CONCORDE 48,000 miles	\$12,300	\$8,980	\$3,320
97 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	\$13,850	\$8,980	\$4,870
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96 FORD RANGER XLT	\$8,075	\$5,980	\$2,095
95 CHEVY S-10 PICKUP 37,000 miles	\$7,550	\$5,980	\$1,570
97 FORD RANGER Flairside	SAVE \$\$\$	\$7,980	SAVE
99 MAZDA B2500	\$10,175	\$8,980	\$1,195
99 TOYOTA TACOMA	SAVE \$\$\$	\$9,980	SAVE
97 CHEVY S10 FLAIRSIDE 19,000 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	\$9,980	SAVE
96 NISSAN HARDBODY XE 4x4 X-CAB	\$12,800	\$9,980	\$2,820
96 TOYOTA TACOMA Automatic	SAVE \$\$\$	\$9,980	SAVE
98 GMC S-15 Automatic	\$11,275	\$9,980	\$1,295
98 FORD F-150 XLT	\$16,900	\$12,980	\$3,920
99 NISSAN FRONTIER X-CAB	SAVE \$\$\$	\$12,980	SAVE
97 FORD F-150 XLT X-CAB 3rd door	\$17,500	\$12,980	\$4,520
98 FORD F-150 XLT X-CAB 3rd door	\$19,500	\$14,980	\$4,520
97 TOYOTA TACOMA LX 4x4 X-Cab	\$16,200	\$14,980	\$1,220
98 FORD F150 XLT 20,000 miles	\$17,100	\$14,980	\$2,120
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Immediately following the scheduled closing time for reception of bids, all proposals which have been submitted in accordance with the Contract documents will be publicly opened and read aloud.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The Project consists of the renovation of locker and shower rooms of the Allen Central High School, including removal of existing concrete masonry partitions and replacement with new concrete masonry partitions in new locations, new accessible shower, toilet and locker facilities, new toilet fixtures and accessories, reworking of existing ceilings, patching of existing tile finishes, new concrete work to provide ramped surfaces, new hollow metal doors and frames and hardware, new toilet and shower partitions.

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Associated General Contractors, 2331 Fortune Dr., Lexington, KY  
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Johnston-Romanowitz Architects, 300 E. Main St., Lexington, KY  
Bidding Documents

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Submission of a bid shall be construed as confirmation that the bidder has visited the site and satisfied himself as to the extent of work required. No changes to the contract will be considered based on misunderstandings of the scope of the work if such misunderstandings could have been addressed by a site visit.

Any bid received later than the time specified for receipt of bids or any bid which is not submitted in the proper form, shall not be considered.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any formalities in the bidding. Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids will be returned unopened to the bidders. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 30 days subsequent to the opening of bids without consent of the Owner.

officers: Gary K. Coleman, 305 Cedar Drive, Pikeville, KY 41501, as president; Terrell E. Coleman, Apt B6 Bowles Park, Pikeville, KY as vice-president, hereby declares its intentions to apply for a license as a retail package dealer, under the state law.

**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy Inc., 251 Tollage Creek Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a Phase I bond release on permit number 836-0231, which was last issued on June 6, 1999. The application covers an area of approximately 434.73 acres located 1.5 miles south of Dana in Floyd County. The permit is approximately 0.8 miles north from Route 1426's junction with Route 2030 and located 0.3 miles south of Prater Creek. The latitude is 37°32'31", the longitude is 82°40'10".

The bond now in effect for permit number 836-0231 is a surety bond in the amount of one million four hundred eighteen thousand seven hundred dollars (\$1,418,700.00). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount is included in this application for

release. Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding, and mulching completed in May of 1998. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by June 12, 2000.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for June 13, 2000, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 3140 South Lake Drive Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by June 12, 2000.

nominate themselves or another parent

\*A parent council member shall be a parent or legal guardian of a student to be enrolled in the school during the parent's term of council service. A parent council member shall not be an employee at Allen Central High School or the District Central Office, the relative of an employee at Allen Central High School or the District Central Office, a local Board member or spouse of a local Board member. Relative shall mean father, mother, brother, sister, husband, wife, son, daughter, aunt, uncle, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law.

\* Any parent of a child enrolled at Allen Central High School or a parent of an incoming student, may vote to elect the parent council members.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The J.D. Adams Middle School PTA will hold the election for the parent members of the J.D. Adams Middle School SBDM School Council on May 1, 2000, at J.D. Adams Middle School Media Center at 7:00 p.m. Nomination forms are available in the school office. Nominations will close Monday, April 24, 2000, at 4:00 p.m.

**ALLEN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ELECTION OF PARENT MEMBERS TO THE SBDM COUNCIL**

will be held on Monday, May 15, 2000, at 6:00 p.m., in the school library. Nominations must be submitted in writing to the school office by 3:10 p.m., on Monday, May 8, 2000-Parents may

**ORDINANCE NO. 00-02**  
An ordinance adopting the City of Marting Amended Annual Budget for Fiscal Year July 1, 1999, through June 30, 2000

Estimating revenues and resources and appropriating funds for the operation of city government;

Whereas, an annual budget proposal and message has been prepared and delivered to the City Council;

Whereas, the City Council has reviewed such budget proposal and made necessary modifications;

Now therefore, be it ordained by the City of Martin:

The Annual Budget for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000, is hereby adopted as attached:

This ordinance shall be of effect on May 1, 2000.

1st Reading 3/27/00  
2nd Reading 4/24/00

Thomasine Robinson, Mayor  
City of Martin

Pamela S. Justice  
City Clerk

**AMENDED**

Annual Budget - City of Martin, Kentucky  
July 1, 1999, through June 30, 2000

Resources Available	General Fund	GenFund Amended
Fund Balance Forward	22000	22000
Estimated Revenues		
Alcohol Beverage License	1600	1600
Alcohol Beverage Tax	30000	30000
Bank Franchise Tax	25000	23000
Business License	5000	3500
Insurance Tax	150000	171000
Occupational Tax	125000	131500
Police Department	30000	60000
Property Tax	27000	27000
Red, White & Blue	5000	5000
Intergovernmental Revenues	12000	11300
Other	10000	10000
<b>TOTAL Estimated Revenue</b>	<b>442600</b>	<b>495900</b>
<b>APPROPRIATIONS</b>		
General Government - Utilities	23000	20000
General Government - Supplies	27000	16000
General Government - Repairs	9000	8000
General Government - Donations	3000	3000
General Government - Health Insurance	46000	44000
General Government - WC Insurance	6500	7600
General Government - Bus. Insurance	24000	20000
General Government - Salaries	60600	83000
General Government - Bank Loan		6300
Police Salaries	128000	145000
Police - Utilities	2500	2000
Police - Supplies	14000	11000
Police - Repairs	5000	7000
Police - Fuel	15000	15000
Police - Other	2000	2000
Fire Department	18000	5000
Enterprises - Water & Sewer Streets	10000	88000
Parks & Recreation	14000	5000
Red, White & Blue	15000	8000
Certificate of Deposit	20000	0
<b>TOTAL Appropriations</b>	<b>442600</b>	<b>495900</b>
Estimated Fund Balance end of Fiscal Year		0

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Sunday's Paper: Line/Display: Thursday at 5 p.m.

\*The Floyd County Times Reserves the right to change or modify these rates and/or deadlines without prior notice, at their discretion.

**TOMORROW**

The Floyd County Times



# Comic Page...

## MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT

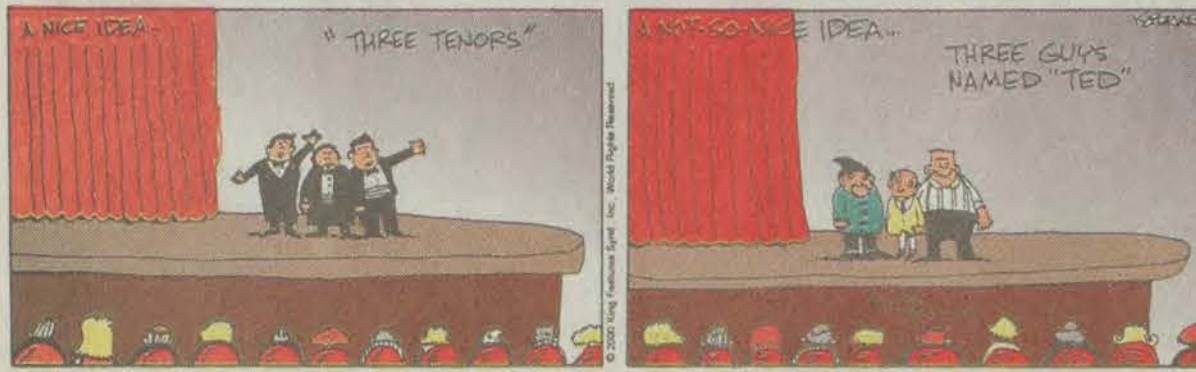


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## THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



## OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



## BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL



## R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND



## MAGIC MAZE THINGS WE THROW

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 NLWJOEHFEEDABZS  
 XVSTRUQENSPBOMK  
 IHEFEDQOAAARTBZY  
 WVTQRQTUDBOONLK  
 IHIFISDCEAZOHXW  
 VDUMURTNATSFRQO

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- A party
- Baseball
- Bouquet
- Dice
- Football
- Frisbee
- Grenade
- Horseshoe
- Javelin
- Knives
- Pillows
- Rice
- Snowball
- Stones
- Tantrum

## HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

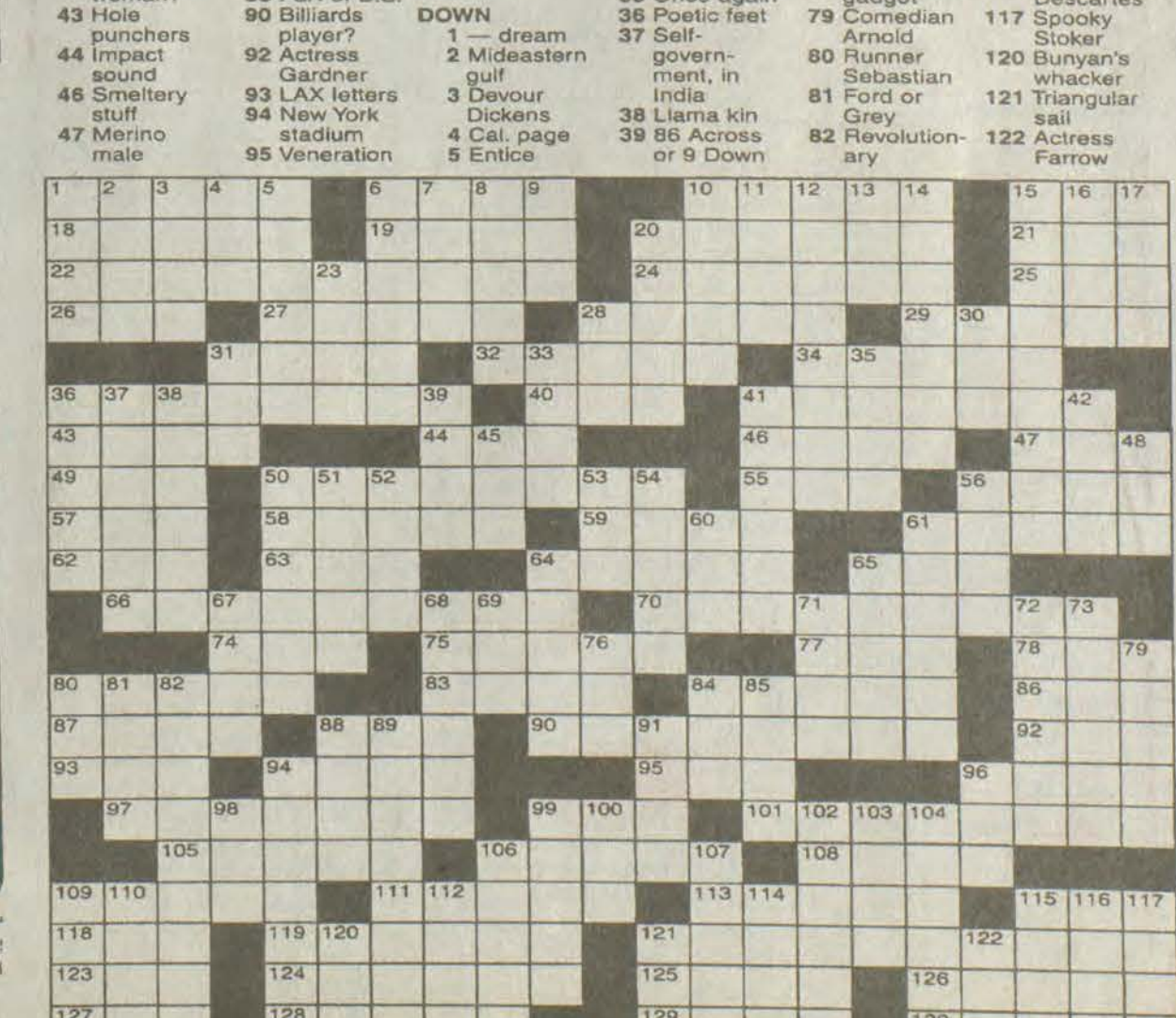


Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page A5



## Super Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Ohio city
  - 6 "Serpico" author
  - 10 Long Island resort
  - 15 Ararat's grp.
  - 18 Perfect
  - 19 Perry's creator
  - 20 Ancient Greek region
  - 21 CSA soldier
  - 22 Pungent person?
  - 24 Hit man?
  - 25 Compass pt.
  - 26 Goal
  - 27 Horrid
  - 28 Swedish port
  - 29 Fresh
  - 31 Length X Width
  - 32 Sheik site
  - 34 Coin-toss call
  - 36 Actress
  - 40 Sly — fox
  - 41 Annoying woman?
  - 43 Hole punchers
  - 44 Impact sound
  - 46 Smeltery stuff
  - 47 Merino male
  - 49 Cartographer's creation
  - 50 Sharp guy?
  - 55 Author
  - 56 He's abominable
  - 57 Bikini part
  - 58 Harden
  - 59 Puppy bites
  - 61 Horse show
  - 62 Cul-de- —
  - 63 Solidify
  - 64 — a customer
  - 65 Beer barrel
  - 66 Avid hiker?
  - 70 Good-looking girl?
  - 74 Sneeze and wheeze
  - 75 Declaim
  - 77 "Le — Soleil"
  - 84 Toy toter
  - 86 Geog. term
  - 87 Sty cry
  - 88 Part of B.S.
  - 90 Billiards player?
  - 92 Actress
  - 93 LAX letters
  - 94 New York stadium
  - 95 Veneration
  - 96 Pres. protector
  - 97 Industrious fellow?
  - 99 Flour-de- —
  - 101 Ravenous
  - 105 Pack
  - 106 Austin or Smith
  - 108 Rainbow goddess
  - 109 "Paganini" composer
  - 111 Flourishes
  - 113 Sluggo's sweetie
  - 115 Scepter's sidekick
  - 118 Clay, today
  - 119 Happy guy?
  - 121 Tool man?
  - 123 Bell and Barker
  - 124 Glorifies
  - 125 Memo words
  - 126 Rigg or Ross
  - 127 Tiny colonist
  - 128 Hold up
  - 129 Pilsner
  - 130 Seraglio
- DOWN**
- 1 — dream
  - 2 Mideastern gulf
  - 3 Devour
  - 4 Dickens
  - 5 Cal. page
  - 6 Entice
  - 6 Servile
  - 7 "La Rondine" rendition
  - 8 Maui greeting
  - 9 DC figure
  - 10 Pasta
  - 11 Eye
  - 12 Tourniquet, e.g.
  - 13 Hosp. area
  - 14 Garden flowers
  - 15 Egged on
  - 16 Beam
  - 17 Toe the line
  - 20 Oranjestad's locale
  - 23 Baseball's Hershey
  - 28 "Viva — Vegas" ('64 film)
  - 30 Clerical garb
  - 31 Pecs' partners
  - 33 Inclined plane
  - 35 Once again
  - 36 Poetic feet
  - 37 Self-government, in India
  - 38 Lama kin
  - 39 86 Across or 9 Down
  - 41 "Swanee" singer
  - 42 Corral feature
  - 45 Assent at sea
  - 48 "O Sole —"
  - 50 VIP
  - 51 Hoopster
  - 52 Zodiac animal
  - 53 Hostelry
  - 54 Sib's kid
  - 56 Bear or Berra
  - 60 School grp.
  - 61 Phone button
  - 64 Shy primate
  - 65 Former Japanese capital
  - 67 Pull sharply
  - 68 Alaskan bear
  - 69 Epoch
  - 71 Bond foe
  - 72 Deli meat
  - 73 TV's "Highway to —"
  - 76 Gaffer's gadget
  - 79 Comedian
  - 80 Runner
  - 81 Ford or Grey
  - 82 Revolution-ary
  - 84 Create a cattan
  - 85 Imitates
  - 88 Worm-out
  - 89 Cognitive
  - 91 Publisher Conde
  - 94 Behaved like bees
  - 96 Watching machines?
  - 98 — Ja-ia
  - 99 Living-room accessories
  - 100 "— Too Late" ('71 hit)
  - 102 Fiddle (with)
  - 103 Roman structure
  - 104 Saudi city
  - 106 Sullen
  - 107 Absurd
  - 109 Tibetan monk
  - 110 Dash
  - 112 Tulsa's st.
  - 114 Farm measure
  - 115 Actor Epps
  - 116 Magritte or Descartes
  - 117 Spooky
  - 120 Bunyan's whacker
  - 121 Triangular sail
  - 122 Actress Farrow





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April 29 thru May 5, 2000

Rebecca Lynn Howard



Another Big Sandy star

## Opry alum to sign album at Paintsville store

Times Staff Report

The Big Sandy Valley's latest contribution to Nashville will be back in the region next Wednesday to hawk her debut album.

Magoffin County's Rebecca Lynn Howard, a former Kentucky Opry member, is scheduled to appear at the Wal-Mart store in Paintsville on May 3.

She will sign copies of her album from 3 to 5 p.m. and then perform in concert at 6 p.m. in the store parking lot. Bobby Cyrus will open the show at 5 p.m.

"I've really tried to create my own sound," Howard says of her first album. "This record is really diverse. There are songs stretching from modern day contemporary all the way back to real traditional country.

"There are a lot of different sides to me, and when people hear my music, I think they'll come to know me."

In her music and in her life, Howard's confi-










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SATURDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON		TVData												APRIL 29, 2000					
CH	TV	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30		
24	2	TBS	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	*** "A League of Their Own" (1992, Comedy) Geena Davis, Tom Hanks.						*** "The War of the Roses" (1989, Comedy-Drama) Michael Douglas.				*** "The Game" (1997) Michael Douglas.					
3	3	NBC	Saved-Bell	Hang Time	City Guys	Inside Stuff	City Guys	Inside Stuff	NBA Show	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conf. First Round - Heat at Pistons				NBA Basketball Playoffs: Spurs at Suns					
4	5	PBS	Barney	Sally's	Creatures	Zoom	Sewing	Needlearts	Main Street	Sounds	Pole to Pole (Part 2 of 8)		Around the World		Adventurers		GED	GED	
8	8	ABC	Doug	Recess	Weekenders	Sabrina	Mickey	Pepper Ann	Baywatch Hawaii	** "The Mighty Ducks" (1992, Comedy) Emilio Estevez.				Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal					
23	9	WGN	Video Computer Store	Slimdown	Sheets	Ronco	Fishing	Soul Train (In Stereo)	Xena: Warrior Princess	Major League Baseball: Arizona Diamondbacks at Chicago Cubs. (Live)									
6	10	CBS	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Wild Am.	MobileHm	Walters Auto Report	DMI	Athlete	Gospel Music's Youth	Talk Amer	Talk Amer	Southeast Marine Fishing		PGA Golf (Live)				
11	11	FOX	Digimon	NASCAR	Beast	Digimon	Dungeons	Flint	More-Game	Long Abs	*** "Ferris Bueller's Day Off" (1986, Comedy)				Party of Five "I Give Up"		Star Trek: Voyager "Meld"		
13	13	CBS	(8:00) Saturday Early Show	Studio Plus	Rescue	Flying Rhino	Magazine	TBA	Paid Prog.	Guthy	Paid Prog.	TBA	TBA	TBA	Paid Prog.	PGA Golf (Live)			
14	46	ESPN	Sportsman's	Outdoors	Fly Fishing	Sportscenter			Strongman	Strongman	Triple Crown		Auto Racing		Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National - Auto Club 300.				
33	30	DSC	SciSquad	Movie Magic	Hunter-Croc	Real Kids	Dinosaurs	Dinosaurs	News	Discover	Secrets of the Great Wall		Into the Unknown		Narrow Escapes		Shoot Not to Kill		
16	31	TNT	Wild, Wild West	Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.			Tour of Duty			** "Don Quixote" (2000, Adventure) John Lithgow. (In Stereo)				*** 1/2 "Coal Miner's Daughter" (1980, Biography) Sissy Spacek.					
31	32	A&E	Guide to Historic Homes	America's Castles			House Beautiful			New Explorers			Big Dogs/Little Dogs			Investigative Reports		American Justice	
27	33	TNN	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	Outdoors	Turkey Call	Saltwater	Bill Dance	In-Fish	Bassmastr.	Outdoor	Trucks!	Car	Mechanic	Horsepower	ClassicCar	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)			
19	34	NICK	Rugrats	Rugrats	Spongebob	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rocket	Beavers	Beavers	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	Eddie	
17	35	USA	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WWF Live Wire (In Stereo)			Core Culture USA			Crush	Friends	*** "School Ties" (1992, Drama) Brendan Fraser.		** 1/2 "Dead Man's Curve" (1998) Matthew Lillard.				
28	38	FAM	Pretenders	Pretenders	Pretenders	Pretenders	S Club 7 Back to the '50s			Westlife	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	* 1/2 "Michael Jordan: An American Hero" (1999)		Higher Ground "Exposed"			
43	LIFE	Guthy	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Next Door	Next Door	** "A Deadly Silence" (1989, Drama) Charles Hall.		** "Sex & Mrs. X" (2000)				
45	ESPN2	Sportscenter			Bikes, Blades and Boards			XBS	Cycling	Motorcycle Racing: AMA Supercross Series.			Cycling	Paved New	Dog Show	LPGA Golf: Chick-fil-A Charly			
29	49	AMC	(8:00) Three Stooges	Cinema	Abbott & Cos-Foreign Legion			Hollywood	** "Elephant Walk" (1954, Drama) Elizabeth Taylor.			*** "The Undefeated" (1969, Western) John Wayne.			Springfield				
50	HGTV	Fix	Fix It Up!	Dream	Designers	Landscape	Garden-Yard	Old House	Old House	Fix	Fix It Up!	Carol Duvall	Carol Duvall	Inside Dirt	GrtIndoors	Journal	Gardeners		
10	51	SCIFI	Mystery Science Theater 3000				Space: Above and Beyond		First Wave "Lost Souls"	Good vs. Evil "Relic of Evil"		Farscape (In Stereo)		** 1/2 "Legend" (1985, Fantasy) Tom Cruise, Mia Sara.					
32	52	HIST	Remembering World War II		World at War		Military Blunders		Nazi America: A Secret History			FBI's Ten Most Wanted		Police Technology		Police Car			
55	TOC	Hunting	Outdoor	Raceline	Gold Fever	Fishing Mag.		Classic Car	Outdoor	Outside	Paid Prog.	Tree Lounge	Fishing	ATV	Paid Prog.	Fishful	Like Father		
20	14	HBO	Jungle Book	*** "Clueless" (1995) Alicia Silverstone.			** 1/2 "Conquest" (1998) Lothaire Bluteau. 'NR'			Gladiator	** "Can't Hardly Wait" (1998) 'PG-13'		America	** "The Experts" (1989) John Travolta.					
15	HBO2	** The Karate Kid Part III			*** 1/2 "Cousins" (1989) Ted Danson. (In Stereo) 'PG-13'			* 1/2 "Hope Floats" (1998) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'			** "Stella" (1990, Drama) Bette Midler. 'PG-13'			Real Sports					
16	HBO3	(8:30) *** 1/2 "Gilda" (1946, Drama)			**** "A Tree Grows in Brooklyn" (1945) Dorothy McGuire. 'PG'			*** "It Started in Naples" (1960)			** 1/2 "The Late Shift" (1996) Kathy Bates. 'R'			Cancer					
21	17	MAX	(8:00) "Running on Empty"			*** 1/2 "Claudia" (1943) Dorothy McGuire.			Revenge of the Nerds II			* "It's Pat" (1994) Julia Sweeney. 'PG-13'		*** "A Shock to the System" (1990) 'R'		** 1/2 "Wolf" (1994) 'R'			
18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	PB & J Otter	Swan Princess: Escape Castle Mountain			** "Smart House" (1999) Ryan Merriman.		MusicVids	Z Games	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice			
22	SHOW	* 1/2 "In God's Hands" (1998, Action)			** "The Man in the Iron Mask" (1998, Adventure) Leonardo DiCaprio.			Lindo-Burnett		"Finding Buck McHenry" (2000, Drama)			*** "Tomorrow Never Dies" (1997)						
25	TMC	* 1/2 "Hard Rain" (1997) Morgan Freeman.			* 1/2 "Desperate Measures" (1997) Michael Keaton.			**** "The Godfather" (1972, Drama) Marlon Brando, Al Pacino. (In Stereo)			**** "The Godfather, Part II" (1974)								

# Salome's STARS

## ARIES

(March 21 to April 19)

That anxious feeling disappears with a reassuring gesture from a loved one. The weekend holds some pleasant surprises for the ever-adventurous Ram.

## TAURUS

(April 20 to May 20)

A planetary lineup creates unsteadiness both on the job and in your private life. Stay the course, and you'll soon ride out the worst of the unsettling effects.

## GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20)

Leave nothing to chance. You need to get more involved in working out problems at home and on the job. A Sagittarian

offers romantic possibilities.

## CANCER

(June 21 to July 22)

A new relationship suddenly presents unexpected problems. Clear up all misunderstandings now to avoid more serious situations later.

## LEO

(July 23 to August 22)

This is a good time to act on long-delayed projects, both personal and professional. A new job prospect opens up some exciting possibilities. Check it out.

## VIRGO

(August 23 to September 22)

Those on-the-job changes continue to bring new challenges. In your personal life, be

more flexible in dealing with a loved one who needs your help.

## LIBRA

(September 23 to October 22)

A personal problem creates some concern at first, but your prompt attention helps get things sorted out. Family and friends provide much-needed support.

## SCORPIO

(October 23 to November 21)

A strong positive attitude helps disperse that cloud of negativity around you. A friend reaches out to offer loving support when you need it most.

## SAGITTARIUS

(November 22 to December 21)

A setback in an important relationship results from a misunderstanding. Forget the finger-

pointing and take the first step to set things straight.

## CAPRICORN

(December 22 to January 19)

Keep an open mind about changes in your personal life. What seems unacceptable at first might prove to be otherwise when more facts begin to emerge.

## AQUARIUS

(January 20 to February 18)

It's a good time to start the healing process for bruised or broken relationships. There may be some resistance to a reconciliation, but don't give up.

## PISCES

(February 19 to March 20)

During this period of change, the wise Pisces should avoid

swimming in rough waters. Take time for things to settle before making a serious commitment.

## YOU WERE BORN

### THIS WEEK:

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SATURDAY EVENING		APRIL 29, 2000																		
TV	CH	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30			
24	2	TBS	(3:20) "The Game" (1997)	WCW Saturday Night				** "The TimeShifters" (1999) Casper Van Dien.				Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at San Diego Padres. (Live)								
3	3	NBC	Basketball	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Jazz at SuperSonics				Pretender "Meltdown"		The Others "Till Then"		Profiler "Pianissimo"		News		Saturday Night Live (In Stereo)				
4	5	PBS	Decisions	Religion		Lawrence Welk		Red Green		Robot Wars		Kentucky		Ky Life		Keeping Up Duck Patrol				
8	8	ABC	(3:00) Stanley Cup Playoffs	News		ABC News		Entertainment Tonight		** "The Peacemaker" (1997, Suspense) George Clooney. (In Stereo)				News		Relic Hunter (In Stereo) NYPD Blue				
23	9	WGN	Tenth Inning	Coach		Earth: Final Conflict		Fresh Prince III. Luckiest		*** "Ferris Bueller's Day Off" (1986, Comedy)				News (In Stereo)		Bzzz! *** "Edward Scissorhands" (1990)				
6	10	CBS	(4:00) PGA Golf (Live)	News		DMI		KASP		Hospital		Early Edition (In Stereo)		Martial Law "In the Dark"		Walker, Texas Ranger				
11	11	FOX	Star Trek: Deep Space 9	X-Files "Paperclip"		Friends		Friends		Cops		Cops		America's Most Wanted		News				
13	13	CBS	(4:00) PGA Golf (Live)	News		CBS News		Your Big Break (In Stereo)		Early Edition (In Stereo)		Martial Law "In the Dark"		Walker, Texas Ranger		News				
14	46	ESPN	Auto Racing	Senior PGA Golf: Bruno's Classic				Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter		Baseball Tonight (N)				
33	30	DSC	Science Mysteries	21st Century Airliner				Storm Warning!		Wild Discovery		Prehistoric Sharks		Justice Files		New Detectives				
16	31	TNT	*** "Urban Cowboy" (1980, Drama) John Travolta, Debra Winger.				Pregame		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conf. First Round -- Pacers at Bucks				Insid NBA		*** "Forget Paris" (1995) Billy Crystal.					
31	32	A&E	City Confidential		Investigative Reports		Love Chronicles		Biography: Alice Faye		** "Inspector Morse: The Wolvercote Tongue" (1987)				Top 10		Biography: Alice Faye			
27	33	TNN	18 Wheels of Justice		** 1/2 "Coward of the County" (1981) Kenny Rogers.		Opry		Grand Opry		Gaither Gospel Hour		Oak Ridge Boys		Opry		Grand Opry			
19	34	NICK	Eddie	Eddie		Cartoons		Hey Arnold!		Skeeter		Rugrats		Rugrats		Amanda		Eddie		
17	35	USA	*** "To Die For" (1995, Satire) Nicole Kidman.				** "The Craft" (1996, Horror) Robin Tunney.				** 1/2 "Indecent Proposal" (1993, Drama) Robert Redford. (In Stereo)				** "The Craft" (1996) Robin Tunney.					
28	38	FAM	"N Sync 'n Concert (In Stereo)				Paranoia (In Stereo Live)				** 1/2 "Radio Flyer" (1992, Drama) Elijah Wood. (In Stereo)				** "The Haunting of Sarah Hardy" (1989) Sela Ward.		Boss?			
43	39	LIFE	(4:00) ** "Sex & Mrs. X"				** 1/2 "A Matter of Justice" (1993, Drama) Martin Sheen, Patty Duke.				Beyond Chance		Any Day Now		"Different" (1999)					
45	40	ESPN2	LPGA Golf		Ult. Heavy		Sportscenter		Auto Racing		Major League Soccer: Columbus Crew at Dallas Burn.				Auto Racing		RPM 2Night			
29	41	AMC	(4:30) "Springfield Rifle"				*** "Sorry, Wrong Number" (1948) Barbara Stanwyck.				*** "Love at First Bite" (1979) George Hamilton.				Endless Harmony: The Beach Boys Story					
60	42	HGTV	Old Homes Restored		Appraisal		Appraise It!		At-Auction		Collect		You're Home		Decorating		Room		Room	
10	43	SCIFI	*** "Starman" (1984, Science Fiction) Jeff Bridges. (In Stereo)				** 1/2 "Ladyhawke" (1985, Fantasy) Matthew Broderick.				*** "Starman" (1984, Science Fiction) Jeff Bridges, Karen Allen.				Ladyhawke					
32	44	HIST	Prisons		Forensic Science				Casino Technology		History Undercover		Wrath of God: Disasters		Suicide Missions		True Action Adventures		History Undercover	
65	45	TOC	Fishin'		Paid Prog.		Outdoor		Bluegrass		Hunter		Show Me		Call of Wild		Fishing		Country	
20	46	HBO	The Experts		** "Overnight Delivery" (1996) 'PG-13'				*** "Clueless" (1995) Alicia Silverstone. 'PG-13'				"The 4th Floor" (1999) Juliette Lewis. 'R'		The Corner		** 1/2 "The Siege" (1998, Suspense) 'R'			
45	47	HBO2	*** "Good Morning, Vietnam" (1987) Robin Williams.				Reverb (In Stereo)		** 1/2 "Hope Floats" (1998) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'				** 1/2 "Phoenix" (1998, Drama) Ray Liotta. 'R'		Robert Schimmel					
46	48	HBO3	(4:30) Cancer: Evolution to Revolution (In Stereo)				"Eat Your Heart Out" (1997, Drama) John Craig. 'R'				*** "Les Miserables" (1998) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'				*** "An Officer and a Gentleman" (1982, Drama) 'R'					
21	49	MAX	(4:00) ** 1/2 "Wolf" (1994)				** "Harlem Nights" (1989) Eddie Murphy. 'R'				** "Lethal Weapon 4" (1998, Action) Mel Gibson. 'R'				** "The Adventures of Ford Fairlane" (1990) 'R'		Passion			
18	50	DISN	Smart Guy		Smart Guy		Jett Jackson		Jersey		So Weird		M2M & BBMak in Concert		** "Smart House" (1999) Ryan Merriman.		M2M & BBMak in Concert		Bug Juice	
22	51	SHOW	Tomorrow				** "Deep Impact" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. (In Stereo)				** "Urban Legend" (1998, Horror) Jared Leto.				* "Bikini Hoe Down" (1997) Griffin Drew.		Hot Springs		Hot Springs	
25	52	TMC	(3:30) **** "The Godfather, Part II" (1974) Al Pacino.				*** "What's Love Got to Do With It" (1993, Biography)				* 1/2 "Ringmaster" (1998) Jerry Springer.				* 1/2 "Six Ways to Sunday" (1999, Drama)		"A Brother's Kiss" (1997)			

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dence shines through. The 20-year-old eastern Kentuckian has plenty to be confident about. She's not only a gutsy, powerhouse singer, but several gold and platinum stars, such as Reba McEntire, John Michael Montgomery, Patty Loveless and Lila McCann, have already recorded her songs.

"I didn't just come out of high school and land a record deal," Howard says. "I've been working in this business since I was 10 years old. I've really worked hard over the past decade."

Howard started singing as a toddler. By the time she was in grade school, she had taught herself piano and was beginning to write her own songs. Throughout the years, she sang in school and church, and even directed the church choir.

"I was really wrapped up in music all the time," she admits.

For three years, she toured with the Kentucky Opry. As a solo artist, she opened shows for Martina McBride, John Michael Montgomery, Ricky Van Shelton and Sammy Kershaw.

During that time, she made frequent trips to Nashville, developing her songwriting skills and making contacts.

"I've always known this is what I wanted to do," she says. "I finally talked my mom into bringing me to Nashville when I was 10."

She recorded a demo that eventually helped secure a recording contract with Rising Tide Records. She recorded "Softly and Tenderly" for "The Apostle" soundtrack, which won a Grammy. She was snapped up by MCA Nashville when Rising Tide closed its doors in 1998.

"I've been through a lot in the past couple of years," Howard says. "But I've got a lot of discipline. My manager and I used to run eight, 10, and as much

as 12 miles a day for about six to eight months. That kind of physical challenge helped me develop the proper mental endurance to handle the hardships that arise in this business."

Those hardships are finally paying off and Howard is excited about her new record. "Musically, the songs I write are so different. I don't think you can peg my music to any other artist. I'd say it's kind of rock 'n roll meets bluegrass meets R&B meets country."

"Growing up I listened to Reba, Patty Loveless, Michael Bolton, Celine Dion, Whitney Houston and Mariah Carey — all the big power singers," she says. "I think you can hear a lot of their influence in my music."

In the debut album, Howard and producer Mark Wright have forged an intriguing sound, combining the heart of country music with the soul of contemporary pop. She wrote much of the album with some of her favorite co-writers.

Howard wrote the single "Out Here in the Water" with Robin and Trey Bruce.

"When we met for a songwriting session, none of us had any ideas. So we started playing this funky, greasy melody, and all of a sudden Trey says, 'You hold the pole and I'll try to net him.'"

"I totally freaked out and the song snowballed from there. It was one of those times when we didn't let the right side of the brain overtake the left side," she says.

"I Don't Paint Myself into Corners" is another stand-out track that seems to be getting a lot of attention. Howard received a standing ovation after singing this ballad at Fan Fair '99, even though the crowd was not yet familiar with the

new artist.

She remembers, "I was so surprised when everyone stood up in their seats. They were whistling and clapping... I couldn't stop smiling."

Howard wrote "Believe It Or Not" with Marty Dotson and Ron Hardin. "You can definitely hear the influence of Michael Bolton and Celine," she says. "The verses are tender and the choruses just blast your head off. The strings and piano arrangements are really cool."

She wrote "Was It Hard To Be Together" with Carl Jackson. "It's a very powerful song, and it's really, really country," she says. "Everyone who hears this song will know they just listened to

a country song. And, anyone who has ever been in a relationship will relate to it. I really love it."

Howard isn't worried about making it in the world of music. "The most important thing is that I keep my priorities in order and remain true to myself," she says. "The rest will take care of itself."

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24	2	TBS	(8:30) *** "My Cousin Vinny" (1992) Joe Pesci.	*** 1/2 "Back to the Future" (1985, Fantasy) Michael J. Fox.			*** "City Slickers" (1991, Comedy) Billy Crystal, Daniel Stern.						** "The Great Outdoors"					
3	3	NBC	Dan Mark	Van Impe	Kenneth C.	Rod Parsley	Decision 2000		NBA Show	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conf. First Rd. -- Knicks at Raptors				NBA Basketball Playoffs: Trail Blazers at Timberwolves				
4	5	PBS	Barney	Teletubbies	Dragon	Wishbone	Zoboomafoo	Arthur	Bottom Line	Comment	New York (In Stereo) (Part 1 of 5)			Tony Brown	To Contrary	MotorWeek	Kentucky	
8	8	ABC	Henry M.	Paid Prog.	In Touch Ministries		Space Bag	This Week (N)	Tae-Bo	Motorcycle Racing		Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup -- NAPA Auto Parts 500. (Live)						
23	9	WGN	Charles	Charles	Malibu, CA	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fresh Prince	Lost World (In Stereo)	Cleopatra 25	Jack	Major League Baseball: Arizona Diamondbacks at Chicago Cubs. (Live)						
6	10	CBS	Time of Praise		Church	Century 21	Gateway Gospel		Talk Amer	Homeowner	Entertainers (In Stereo)		Outdoors	Talk Amer	PGA Golf: Houston Open -- Final Round. (Live)			
11	11	FOX	Fox News Sunday (N)		Wall St	Travel	Wings III	Trades	** 1/2 "Sodbusters" (1994, Comedy) Fred Willard.			*** 1/2 "Ragtime" (1981, Drama) Howard E. Rollins.		*** 1/2 "Easy Rider" (1969)				
13	13	CBS	Sunday Morning		Face Nation	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Guthy	TBA	TBA	Paid Prog.	PGA Golf: Houston Open -- Final Round. (Live)				
14	46	ESPN	Sportscenter	Sportwky	Reporters	Lines	Sportscenter		Auto Racing: CART FedEx Champ. Series -- Rio 200			Auto Racing	Bikes, Blades and Boards		Track and Field			
33	30	DSC	Zooventure	Boneheads	A.R.K.	Hunter-Croc	Dinosaurs	Dinosaurs	Survive V		Nature's Wrath II		Get Out Alive		Nature's Wrath		Survive II	
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night			In the Heat of the Night		In the Heat of the Night			*** "City Slickers II: The Legend of Curly's Gold" (1994, Comedy)		*** "Forget Paris" (1995) Billy Crystal.			
31	32	A&E	Breakfast With the Arts		Open Book		House Beautiful		Ancient Mysteries		Unexplained		*** 1/2 "The Shining" (1980, Horror) Jack Nicholson, Shelley Duvall.					
27	33	TNN	Trucks!	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)		Raceday (In Stereo)		NASCAR	Trucks!	Car	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Motor Madness (In Stereo)	Trucks!	Drag Racing	
19	34	NICK	Rugrats	Rugrats	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rocket	Beavers	Walk	Doug	Catdog	Rugrats	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Rugrats	Amanda
17	35	USA	USA High	USA High	WWF Superstars		"Rage and Honor II: Hostile Takeover"			** "No Escape" (1994, Science Fiction) Ray Liotta. (In Stereo)		** "Death Warrant" (1990) Jean-Claude Van Damme.						
28	38	FAM	Flint	Flint	Digimon	Digimon	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Two-Kind	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	** "Bushwhacked" (1995, Comedy) Daniel Stern.		Higher Ground "Exposed"			
	43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	** "Sex & Mrs. X" (2000, Drama) Linda Hamilton.		** "With Hostile Intent" (1993, Drama) Mei Harris.		"Her Last Chance" (1996)					
	45	ESPN2	Sportsman's	Adventures	Auto Racing		Auto Racing		Baseball 2Day (N)		RPM 2Day	NASCAR	Equestrian: World Cup.		LPGA Golf: Chick-fil-A Charity			
29	49	AMC	(8:00) Three Stooges	*** "Roustabout" (1964, Musical) Elvis Presley.			**** "Stagecoach" (1939, Western) John Wayne.			Unknown Peter Sellers		"Fatal Inheritance" (1993, Suspense)		Royal				
	50	HGTV	Fix	Fix It Up!	Dream	Designer's	Landscape	Garden-Yard	Old House	Old House	Homewise	You're Home	Room	Small Space	Decorating	Furniture (N)	Journal	Gardens
10	51	SCIFI	Battlestar Galactica		Earth 2 "First Contact"		Star Trek (In Stereo)		Dark Skies (In Stereo)		1/2 "Howling II... Your Sister Is a Werewolf" (1985)		1/2 "Howling V: The Rebirth" (1989) Philip Davis.					
32	52	HIST	Wolper Pres.	Automobiles		History		Black Sheep Squadron		*** 1/2 "To Hell and Back" (1955, Biography) Audie Murphy.			True Action		100 Years of Terror		100 Years-Terr	
	55	TOC	Fishing	Hunting	Outdoors	Pillsbury	Porthole TV	Runnin' Wild	Prospectng	Roadfaring	Fishing Mag.	Paid Prog.	Fishing	Paid Prog.	Gone Huntin	Outdoors	Action	Paid Prog.
20	14	HBO	Doctor Do	** 1/2 "The Beniker Gang" (1985) 'G'		Happily Ever		Bill Russell	** 1/2 "The Deep End of the Ocean" (1999) 'PG-13'			1/2 "Feds" (1988) Rebecca De Mornay.		** "Nothing but Trouble"				
	15	HBO2	Lost	**** "The Untouchables" (1987) Kevin Costner. 'R'			*** 1/2 "Nobody's Fool" (1994) Paul Newman. 'R'		*** 1/2 "American Flyers" (1985) Kevin Costner. 'PG-13'		** "Message in a Bottle" (1999) 'PG-13'							
	16	HBO3	Drowning	** 1/2 "A New Life" (1988) Alan Alda. 'PG-13'			Tracey	*** 1/2 "Forces of Nature" (1999) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'		** "The Legend of Billie Jean" (1985)		** 1/2 "Protocol" (1984) Goldie Hawn. 'PG'						
21	17	MAX	(8:00) "The Natural" (1984)	** 1/2 "A Simple Twist of Fate" (1994) Steve Martin.			*** "Fright Night" (1985, Horror) Chris Sarandon. 'R'		*** "Frantic" (1988, Suspense) Harrison Ford. 'R'		** "Love Affair" (1994)							
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	PB & J Otter	"We're Back! A Dinosaur's Story" (1993)		"Rip Girls" (2000) Camilla Belle.		MusicVids	Z Games	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice		
	22	SHOW	*** "The Conversation" (1974) Gene Hackman.			** "Rocket Gibraltar" (1988, Drama) Burt Lancaster.		*** "The Spanish Prisoner" (1998) Campbell Scott.		*** "The Mask of Zorro" (1998) Antonio Banderas.								
	25	TMC	(8:25) ** "The Proposition" (1998)	"Love Songs" (1999) Robert Townsend.			** "Plan B" (1998, Comedy) Jon Cryer. (In Stereo)		1/2 "The Odd Couple II" (1998, Comedy)		*** "The Opposite of Sex" (1998)							



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But last week, as I was standing in line at a local eating establishment, I discovered just how ingrained the program has become in our everyday lives when I overheard two women discussing the previous night's show as they started to place their order.

"What will you have?" the server asked one of the ladies.

"Oh, I think I'll have a salad and a soft drink," she quickly replied. "No, make that a chicken salad and a soft drink."

"Is that your final answer?" the server asked.

"Oh, I don't know. What are you having?" she asked her companion.

"Maybe a cheeseburger, maybe a chicken sandwich," the companion answered.

"You've just used your 50/50," the server stated. "You still have two life lines left."

Beads of perspiration began to trickle down the woman's brow. I had never seen such an agonized look on a person's face as

they ordered fast food.

"I'm going to use another life line," the woman hesitantly told the server. "I'd like to poll the customers waiting behind me."

"Go right ahead," the server bellowed. "Should she order a salad or a chicken sandwich?"

After much deliberation among the patrons, the consensus leaned toward a grilled chicken salad with lettuce and mayonnaise.

"How sure are you all?" the woman asked.

"Oh, I'm about 85 percent sure," I stated.

"I'm about 80 percent OK with that order," her companion answered.

From back in the rear of the line a man yelled, "I'm 100 percent sure! Just order and get this line moving."

The woman started wringing her hands and shaking her head. "I just don't know what to do!"

"Well, you've got one more life line left, lady. Who do you want to call?"

"Oh, how much difference is there in the prices?" the woman mumbled.

"They range from three twenty-nine to four dollars and thirteen cents," the server informed her.

"I really hate to use my last life line."

"If you can't decide, you'll still come out with fewer calories if you choose the salad," the server stressed.

"I've thought about that," she said, shaking her head. "Sometimes, it's just hard to remember what's best for you—the price or the taste. Oh, I'll go ahead and use the life line."

"OK. Who would you like to call?" the server asked.

"I'm going to phone my sister."

The server pulled a cell phone out from under the counter and quickly dialed the number she was given.

"Clara! ... Yes, this is Donna from McDonald's... Fine, how are you? ... Good. Well, we have Linda here in line trying to



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24	2	TBS	The Great Outdoors (1988)	** "Captain Ron" (1992, Comedy) Kurt Russell.				*** "My Cousin Vinny" (1992, Comedy) Joe Pesci, Ralph Macchio.				** 1/2 "Overboard" (1987, Comedy) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell.						
3	3	NBC	Basketball	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Western Conf. First Round - Lakers at Kings			Dateline (N) (In Stereo) [S]			"The '70s" (2000, Drama) Brad Rowe, Vinessa Shaw. [S]			News	Profiler "Ties That Bind" [S]	ER [S]			
4	5	PBS	Old House	Workshop	Garden	Cucina	Lawrence Welk	Nature "Great White Bear"			Masterpiece Theatre "Seeing Red" (N) (In Stereo) [S]			This Is America (Off Air)				
8	8	ABC	(2:00) Auto Racing (Live) [S]	News	ABC News	Be a Millionaire	"Arabian Nights" (2000, Fantasy) Miff Avital. [S]			Practice (N) (In Stereo) [S]			News	NYPD Blue "Lost Israel" [S]	Pensacola			
23	9	WGN	Tenth Inning	Coach [S]	Beastmaster (In Stereo) [S]	"See Jane Run" (1995, Drama) Joanna Kerns.			Total Recall 2070 [S]			News [S]	Replay	Bzzz!	Beastmaster (In Stereo) [S]	Xena		
6	10	CBS	(3:00) PGA Golf (Live) [S]	News	Hospital	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [S]	Touched by an Angel [S]			"Take Me Home: The John Denver Story" (2000) [S]			News	Madison	Access Hollywood [S]			
11	11	FOX	(4:00) "Easy Rider" (1969)	3rd Rock	Drew Carey	Futurama [S]	King of Hill	Simpsons [S]	Malcolm	X-Files "Hollywood A.D." [S]	News			X-Files "Emily" [S]	Simpsons [S]	Simpsons [S]		
13	13	CBS	(3:00) PGA Golf (Live) [S]	News	CBS News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [S]	Touched by an Angel [S]			"Take Me Home: The John Denver Story" (2000) [S]			News	Coach [S]	Coach [S]	Hollywood		
14	46	ESPN	Strongman	Senior PGA Golf: Bruno's Classic			Sportscenter	Baseball			Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at San Diego Padres. (Live) [S]			Sportscenter [S]	Baseball	Big League		
33	20	DSC	Survive!	Survive IV			Watch Your Pockets	Twins: Uncommon Bonds			Children's Hospital	Restoring Faces-Plastic			FBI Files	Twins: Uncommon Bonds		
16	31	TNT	Forget Paris	*** "Running Scared" (1986, Comedy) Gregory Hines, Billy Crystal.			** 1/2 "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duvall.			** 1/2 "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duvall.								
31	62	A&E	**** "Bonnie and Clyde" (1967) Warren Beatty.			Top 10 "Supermodels" [S]			Beyond Death (N) [S]			Beyond Death [S]			Beyond Death [S]			
27	33	TNN	Drag Racing: NHRA Virginia Nationals.	Shooter	Fishin'	Fishing	Outdoor	Grigsby	PRCA Rodeo (In Stereo) [S]			Shooter	NASCAR	Car	Auto Racing (In Stereo) [S]			
19	34	NICK	Eddie	All That	You Afraid?	Animorphs	Strange	Alex Mack	Caitlin	Nick News	Instant Gratification (In Stereo)			Brady			Wonder Yrs.	
17	35	USA	"The Expendables" (2000, Action) Robin Givens. [S]			WWF Sunday Night Heat			Cover Me: FBI Family			Pacific Blue (In Stereo) [S]			La Femme Nikita [S]	Law & Order		
28	38	FAM	** "Dutch" (1991, Comedy) Ed O'Neill. (In Stereo)			Paranoia (In Stereo Live)			KGB Paranormal Files (In Stereo)			** 1/2 "Columbo: Sex and the Married Detective" (1989)			Church	Children		
43	LIFE	(4:00) "Her Last Chance"			"All She Ever Wanted" (1996, Drama) Marcia Cross. [S]			** 1/2 "When No One Would Listen" (1992) Michele Lee.			Any Day Now (In Stereo) [S]			Beyond Chance [S]	"A Killer Among Friends"			
45	ESPN2	LPGA Golf	Lines	At the Races	Car Show	RPM 2Night	Stanley Cup	Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)			Japanese Sumo Wrestling	NHL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Boxing				
29	49	AMC	Elegance	** 1/2 "Return to Peyton Place" (1961) Carol Lynley.			Screen	*** 1/2 "Sleuth" (1973, Mystery) Laurence Olivier, Michael Caine.			*** 1/2 "The War of the Worlds" (1953)			Screen	Young Phi			
10	51	SCIFI	* 1/2 "The Howling VI: The Freaks" (1991, Horror) [S]			Farscape "Premiere" [S]			Farscape "The Flax" [S]			Farscape (In Stereo) [S]			Exposure (In Stereo) [S]	Outer Limits "Valerie 23" [S]		
32	52	HIST	100 Years of Terror			100 Years of Terror			Secrets of World War II			Tales of the Gun (N) [S]			Military Blunders			
55	TOC	In Pursuit	Outdoors	Hunters	Outdoors	Outdoor	Traditions	Fishing	Hunting	Cooking	Wildlife	Fly-Fishing	NW Hunter	Gold Fever	Fishing	Goblin		
20	14	HBO	Nothing but	** "Doctor Dolittle" (1998) 'PG-13' [S]			*** "Bye Bye, Love" (1995) Matthew Modine. 'PG-13'			Sex and-City	Sex and-City	The Corner [S]			** 1/2 "The Deep End of the Ocean" (1999) 'PG-13' [S]			
15	HBO2	Message	*** "True Crime" (1999, Suspense) Clint Eastwood. (In Stereo) 'R' [S]			*** 1/2 "Nobody's Fool" (1994) Paul Newman. 'R' [S]			Panic (In Stereo) [S]			Dennis M.	Gladiator	"The Untouchables" 'R' [S]				
16	HBO3	Protocol [S]	*** "Hilary and Jackie" (1998) Emily Watson. 'R' [S]			Letting Go: A Hospice Journey [S]			*** "A Lesson Before Dying" (1999) [S]			** "Another Day in Paradise" (1999) James Woods. 'R' [S]			Class Action			
21	17	MAX	(4:00) "Love Affair" (1994)	** 1/2 "Young Guns II" (1990) Emilio Estevez. 'PG'			* 1/2 "Warlock" (1989) Julian Sands. 'R'			* 1/2 "Warlock III: The End of Innocence" (1999) 'R' [S]			*** "Die Hard 2" (1990) Bruce Willis. 'R'					
18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Baby-Sitters	So Weird [S]	Bug Juice	Jett Jackson	Jett Jackson	** 1/2 "The Happiest Millionaire" (1967, Musical) Fred MacMurray. 'G'			Wooly West	Zorro [S]	SpinMarty			
22	SHOW	Mask Zro	** "At First Sight" (1999, Drama) Val Kilmer. (In Stereo) [S]			* 1/2 "Snake Eyes" (1998) Nicolas Cage. [S]			QuickFlick	** "The Big Hit" (1998) Mark Wahlberg.			Red Shoe	"Just the Ticket" (1999) [S]				
25	TMC	Opposite	** 1/2 "RoboCop 2" (1990, Science Fiction) Peter Weller.			* 1/2 "Johnny Mnemonic" (1995) [S]			*** "Starship Troopers" (1997) Casper Van Dien. [S]			* 1/2 "Jack Frost" (1997, Horror) (In Stereo) [S]			Naked Lies			

# NEWS OF THE WEIRD

by Chuck Shepherd

In March, Milwaukee lawyer Robin Shellow agreed to settle the slander lawsuit filed by former client James Hermann, stemming from a statement she made on his behalf at his 1996 sentencing for armed robbery. To help explain his behavior to the judge, Shellow said Hermann was a heroin user, but Hermann said he was merely a cocaine addict and that to hear himself described as a heroin user gave him post-traumatic stress disorder resulting in lessened "self-confidence, self-esteem and self-image."

In April, the Orange County (California) Register revealed that human tissue banks, which are widely believed by the donating public to be either government- or non-profit-operated, are highly profitable commercial concerns, with annual revenues of \$500 million and rising. Today, a cadaver "donated to science" actually brings up to

\$200,000 for tissue banks and their contractors. The companies argue that if they paid for cadavers, the costs would rise to tissue recipients (who range from blind people receiving corneas to makeup models who want fuller lips).

### Who Cares?

The I Am Hurt Corp. lawyer-referral company filed a lawsuit in Edmonton, Alberta, in March against a competing lawyer who advertises his phone number, 428-HURT. And in November, a New York grand jury indicted three principals in a Maryland distributing company for fraudulently substituting common fish eggs for caviar. And in March, the Securities and Exchange Commission filed a complaint against four Georgetown University law students, accusing them of recommending an obscure stock on an Internet bulletin board and then exploiting people who bought that

stock, even though the buyers put their money down apparently knowing nothing about the stock except that these anonymous strangers recommended it.

### The Entrepreneurial Spirit

Exciting New Products: the Vast-ity Belt, which contains a microchip that flashes and beeps when the wearer has eaten too much at a meal (from Piero De Giacomo of Bari, Italy); The Gooser, a computer program that automatically inflates lawyers' billed hours (according to a November federal indictment against the developer, a Wayne, Pennsylvania, consultant); and sliced peanut butter, packaged like single slices of cheese, from researchers at Oklahoma State University.

Latest from the Restaurant Industry: A Nazi-themed restaurant called The Third Reich (with Gestapo-clad waiters) has been open for about a year in downtown Seoul, to

little criticism, perhaps because of South Korea's minuscule Jewish population. However, an unaffiliated eatery called Jail (with a prison motif) in Taipei, Taiwan, was forced to apologize in January for including Holocaust prison scenes on its walls. Yet another Taipei theme restaurant opened in January, built on a smokestack at the city's biggest garbage incinerator, with picturesque views of trucks bringing in the trash.

In London, England, in December, a completely automated tavern, Cynthia's Cyberbar, opened, featuring a robot that mixes drinks perfectly and carries on recorded conversations to simulate a friendly bartender.

New York City psychotherapist Marilyn Graman recently offered a \$9,600-per-person set of classes that she describes as "a step-by-step intensive program designed to

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WEEKDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON		© TVData																
TM	CV	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	
24	2	TBS	Little House on the Prairie	Little House	Varied	Mama	Mama	Matlock		Hunter		Movie				Cosby Show	Cosby Show	
3	3	NBC	Later Today	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Leeza			News	Extra	Days of Our Lives		Passions		Rosie O'Donnell		Oprah Winfrey		
4	5	PBS	Varied Programs	Body Elec.	Varied Programs		Theodore	Teletubbies	Barney	Varied Programs				Barney	Mr Rogers	Sesame Street		
8	8	ABC	Brown	Brown	Mauri		The View	News	Port Charles	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Sally		
23	9	WGN	Wayans	Cosby Show	Knight Rider		Matlock	Hawaii Five-0		News		MacGyver		Caroline	Caroline	Bzz!	Fam. Mat.	
6	10	CBS	Enquirer	Paid Prog.	Donny & Marie		Price Is Right	News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Oprah Winfrey		
11	11	FOX	Forgive or Forget	Judge Lane	Judge Lane	People's Court		Ricki Lake		Jenny Jones		In the House	Parent	Magic Bus	Rangers	Beast Wars	Digimon	
13	13	CBS	Donny & Marie	Montel Williams		Price Is Right		News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Nanny	Home Imp.	
14	43	ESPN	Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter			Varied Programs								
33	30	DSC	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Design		Christopher Lowell	Home Matters		Design		Christopher Lowell		Great Chefs	Great Chefs	
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night		Movie			Movie				Kung Fu: Legend		L.A. Heat		
31	32	A&E	Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote		Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law		Law & Order		Northern Exposure		Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote		
27	33	TNN	Dukes	Varied	Matt Houston		Cagney & Lacey		Aleene's Creative Living	Waltons		Bloopers-Jokes		McCoys	Alice	McCoys	Alice	
19	34	NICK	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Kipper	Franklin	Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Kipper	Doug	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Garfield	Rocko's Life	Rugrats
17	35	USA	Hearts Afire	Almost	Ned-Stagey	Fired Up	Wings	Wings	Working	Naked Truth	Foxworthy	Something	Movie				Pacific Blue	
28	33	FAM	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club		Boss?	Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Storytime	Bobby	Bad Dog	Monster	Camp Candy	Kids	Angela	Alien	Big Wolf
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Chicago Hope		Unsolved Mysteries		Lifetime Live		Movie			Movie				
	45	ESPN2	Bodyshape	Training	Flex Appeal	Bodyshape	NHL 2Night	Varied Programs		RPM 2Night	Varied Programs							
29	43	AMC	Movie		Varied	Movie			Movie		Varied	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied	
	50	HGTV	Carol Duvall	Quilts	Decorating	Room	Typical Mary	Solutions	Appraise It!	At-Auction	Cooking	GoodTaste	Carol Duvall	Quilts	At Home	You're Home	Decorating	Varied
10	51	SCIFI	Incredible Hulk		Sightings		DarkShad	DarkShad	Highlander: The Series	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Star Trek		Quantum Leap		Sentinel		
32	52	HIST	Real West		In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes	Weapons at War	Varied Programs		20th Century		In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes	
	55	TOC	Varied Programs								Paid Prog.	Varied Programs		Paid Prog.	Varied Programs			
20	14	HBO	Movie Cont'd	Varied	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs								
	15	HBO2	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs										Movie	
	16	HBO3	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs										Movie	Varied Programs			
21	17	MAX	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs				Movie	Varied Programs			Movie				Movie	Varied	
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Bear	Winnie-Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Madeline	Mermaid	Mickey	Ducktales	Timon	Aladdin	Brotherly	Ready-Not
	22	SHOW	Movie		Varied	Movie		Varied Programs				Movie	Varied Programs				Movie	
	25	TMC	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs					Movie		Varied	Movie			

# SOAP UPDATES

## ALL MY CHILDREN:

Derek confirmed Paolo was dead. Leo told Vanessa he knew of her affair with Paolo. David told Erica he lifted the "black-mail" tape from Paolo earlier. Vanessa panicked when she saw Erica showing Opal the jewel Erica had taken from Paolo. Scott and Becca found evidence that Stuart may still be alive. Meanwhile, Stuart fretted about his loss of memory. Wait to See: Alex comes close to learning uncovering her past. Esther sees Adam.

## AS THE WORLD TURNS:

Lily made a surprising Internet connection. Denise was torn between obligations and love. Molly continued to show improvement. Camille and John shared their feelings of loss with one another. Jack and Julie tried for a new beginning. Wait to See: Molly and Jake form an alliance.

## THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL:

Amber thanked Stephanie for helping Becky enjoy the last birthday party she'll share with her child. Roberta praised Macy for helping her get through the first 60 days in the Alcoholics Anonymous program. Later, Macy was shaken when Brooke answered Thorne's cellphone.

Morgan told Stephanie she planned to have Ridge be a part of her child's life. Amber was unable to tell C.J. that Becky is dying. Wait to See: Macy confronts her desire for a drink.

## DAYS OF OUR LIVES:

Sami felt things would start looking up when Nicole agreed to join forces with her. Kate and Victor celebrated the departure of everyone who had been crashing at the Kiriakis mansion, especially Sami. Larry panicked when he confronted Abe, and fell out of his wheelchair. Stefano was furious with Rolf for mugging Lexie in his attempt to steal Hope's amnio fluid. Later, Stefano ordered Rolf to find a "trustworthy pregnant woman" who will deliver the same time as Hope. Wait to See: Craig is rocked by Nancy's revelation.

## GENERAL HOSPITAL:

Sonny told Carly about his stepfather's abuse. Rae didn't identify her daughter's father. Chloe recognized the music from her dreams. Nikolas confronted Helena about Lucky's strange behavior, while Lucky and Liz suddenly came face to face. Hannah felt drawn to Taggart. The van transferring Roy to another prison crashed. Wait to See: Mac's admission about Felicia stuns Laura. Chloe

has an unsettling encounter with Helena.

## GUIDING LIGHT:

A furious reaction by the people of San Cristobel jeopardized Cassie and Richard's relationship and Edmund's future. Ruth held Reva at gunpoint as Danny rushed to find the witness that will free Michelle. Vanessa disappeared. Carmen "welcomes" a houseguest. Wait to See: Josh and Olivia take another step in their relationship.

## ONE LIFE TO LIVE:

Asa retrieved the tape of his confession about setting up Will from Cristian and Jessica. Bo implied Asa may have influenced the sentence Judge Simmons gave Will. Renee demanded Max reveal what he knows about the true Buchanan heir. The train carrying Will to prison crashed, pinning Nora in the wreckage. It exploded before Bo could get to her. Wait to See: Rae and Sykes meet. Asa learns Max is faking his brain damage.

## PASSIONS:

Sheridan balked at returning to Harmony with Luis. Later, Roger tried to poison Sheridan. TC downloaded the photos of Eve and Julian that Ivy had e-mailed to him. After seeing the photos, Eve pulled a gun on Ivy, just as Sam and Grace arrived at

the Crane Mansion. Tabitha fretted on how she might tell Timmy the facts of life. Wait to See: Ivy has a "proposition" for Eve.

## PORT CHARLES:

Jamal was arrested after he reported finding Frank bleeding from a gunshot. Lucy's suspicions that Eve was Rae's long lost daughter proved untrue. A tipsy Rachel referred to Julie as "Livvie." Lucy won the hospital board seat, but was later shaken when Julie admitted to being Christina's birth mother. Matt made a deal with the FBI and left General Hospital. Sonny confronted Karen on her drug use. Wait to See: A mysterious new doctor arrives.

## THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS:

Gary told Victoria about a treehouse he would escape to as a child. Diana was ecstatic to learn she was pregnant (thanks to Victor's sperm sample) but felt uneasy about Victor's renewed friendship with Ashley. Paul wondered why Gary didn't mention two women who might have bailed Ross out. Jill warned Jack she'll take action if he doesn't get a response on the Jabot loan. Wait to See: Victoria is alone with Gary.

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# SOAP SCRAPS

by Sally Stone

This is the week Michael Nader returns to "All My Children" as Dimitri Marick. As fans know, Dimitri's presumed widow, Alexandra (Alex) Devane, Marick (Finola Hughes) finally made love to Dimitri's brother, Edmund (John Callahan) who is also presumably widowed. (The body of his wife, Maria, played by Callahan's real-life spouse, Eva LaRue Callahan, remains missing.) What will happen when Dimitri learns about the tryst? Will he be a big man and say all is forgiven?

We'll see. We'll also see that besides the dynamics inherent in Dimitri's return, other mysteries will unfold: Why does Alexandra Devane look so much like Anna Devane Scorpio of "General Hospital" who is also presumed dead? Why did Alex slip and call a young girl Robin, which is the name of Anna and Robert Scorpio's (Tristan Rogers) daughter. Also, why did Alex name Edmund's horse Scorpio? And who is the little girl haunting Alex's dreams? And will the truth save her for either Dimitri or Edmund, or will she search for answers elsewhere, like Rae (Linda Dano), who made a pilgrimage to every ABC soap in search of her long-lost daughter? And what about Alex's friend Sean? Is there a link to the Sean Donely Anna knew?

The plot not only thickens, but

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MONDAY EVENING		MAY 1, 2000																
TV	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
(24)	(2)	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Pregame	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)					
(3)	(3)	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dateline (N)	"The '70s"	News	Tonight Show	Late Night					
(4)	(5)	PBS	Reading	Arthur	LearnRead	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Kentucky Tonight	Thunder Over Louisville	American Experience	World News	Computer	(Off Air)					
(8)	(8)	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Be a Millionaire	"Arabian Nights"	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer				
(23)	(9)	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	*** "Crocodile Dundee" (1986, Comedy) Paul Hogan.			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver	"The Gun"	In the Heat of the Night			
(6)	(10)	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	East Kentucky Leadership	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law	News	Late Show	Amazon			
(11)	(11)	FOX	Jerry Springer (N)	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	'70s Show	Titus (N)	Ally McBeal (In Stereo)	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer				
(13)	(13)	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law	News	Late Show	Late Late		
(14)	(16)	ESPN	Inside Stuff	Up Close (N)	Sportscenter	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 3 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live)			Baseball Tonight (N)	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight (N)							
(33)	(30)	DSC	Gimme Shelter	Your New House	Wild Discovery: Dragons	On the Inside	Cosmetic Surg.	Vital Signs "Gut Feeling"	On the Inside	Cosmetic Surg.								
(16)	(31)	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night	ER "Days Like This"	WCW Monday Nitro (In Stereo Live)	** "Assault on Devil's Island" (1997) Hulk Hogan.				WCW Monday Nitro							
(31)	(32)	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order "Indifference"	Biography: Ted Danson	Investigative Reports	City Confidential	Law & Order "Skin Deep"	Biography: Ted Danson								
(27)	(33)	TNN	Cagney & Lacey "Lottery"	Waltons "The Statue"	Waltons (In Stereo)	"Dead Man's Island" (1996, Drama) Barbara Eden.	Life-Lorrie Morgan	Cagney & Lacey "Lottery"	Bill Dance	In-Fish								
(19)	(34)	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
(17)	(35)	USA	Baywatch "Surf City"	Crush	Friends	JAG "We the People"	Walker, Texas Ranger	WWF Raw	WWF War Zone	Farmclub.com (In Stereo)	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)							
(28)	(38)	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** 1/2 "Star Trek: The Motion Picture" (1979, Science Fiction) William Shatner.			700 Club	Boss?	Partridge				
(43)	(39)	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Beyond Chance	** "Sleep, Baby, Sleep" (1995, Drama) Tracey Gold.			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Mysteries			
(45)	(40)	ESPN2	ESPNews	Athletes	Legends	Auto Racing	RPM 2Night	NFL 2Night	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 3 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				Wrecked	NHL 2Night	NFL 2Night	RPM 2Night		
(29)	(49)	AMC	(4:00) "The White Tower"	*** "Johnny Guitar" (1954, Western) Joan Crawford.			Hollywood	*** "Torn Curtain" (1966, Drama) Paul Newman.			**** "The President's Analyst" (1967) James Coburn.			Hollywood				
(60)	(50)	HGTV	Grow It!	Designer's	Fix It Up!	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Auction	Collect	You're Home	Country	If Walls	House	Auction	Collect	You're Home	Country
(10)	(51)	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrmys.	Sliders "The King is Back"	Outer Limits "The Refuge"	Outer Limits	Outer Limits	Outer Limits	Outer Limits "Resurrection"	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series							
(32)	(52)	HIST	Weapons at War	High Points in History	20th Century	Nazi Ghost Train (N)	True Story of the Bridge on the River Kwai	History's Lost & Found	Nazi Ghost Train									
(55)	(53)	TOC	ATV	Paid Prog.	Call of Wild	Fishing	NE Outdoors	Outdoor	Adventure	Go Fishing	Fishing	Outdoors	Fishing	Joe Bucher	Fishing	Outdoors	Outdoor	Outdoors
(20)	(14)	HBO	Tootsie "PG"	** "Beaches" (1988, Drama) Bette Midler. "PG-13"			Gladiator	** "U.S. Marshals" (1998) Tommy Lee Jones. "PG-13"			I Dreamed	* 1/2 "Gloria" (1999, Drama) Sharon Stone. "R"			"Justice"			
(15)	(15)	HBO2	(4:30) ** "Club Paradise"	*** "Class Action" (1991, Drama) Gene Hackman. "R"			** 1/2 "Shadow of Doubt" (1998) Melanie Griffith. "R"			Sex and-City	Sex and-City	Oz "Strange Bedfellows"	The Corner					
(16)	(16)	HBO3	(4:45) ** 1/2 "You've Got Mail" (1998) "PG"	*** 1/2 "Dead Poets Society" (1989, Drama) Robin Williams. "PG"			** 1/2 "Polish Wedding" (1998) Lena Olin. "PG-13"			*** 1/2 "A Soldier's Daughter Never Cries" (1998) "R"								
(21)	(17)	MAX	(4:15) "Practical Magic"	** "The Confession" (1999, Suspense) Alec Baldwin. "R"			*** 1/2 "Arthur" (1981) Dudley Moore. "R"			Mutual Love	"Extramartial" (1998) Traci Lords. "R"	"Power Play" (1999) Shannon Tweed. "R"						
(13)	(18)	DISN	Home	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	M2M & BBMax in Concert	"Angels in the Attic" (1997, Drama) "NR"	** 1/2 "Kids of the Round Table" (1995) Johnny Morina.			Smart Guy	Zorro	Mickey				
(22)	(19)	SHOW	(4:45) "Enchanted" (1999) Sydney Penny.	*** 1/2 "The Naked Gun" (1988, Comedy)			"Out of Control" (1997) Sean Young.			** "Men" (1997, Drama) Sean Young.			** "Deceiver" (1998, Mystery) Chris Penn. (In Stereo)					
(25)	(20)	TMC	(4:15) "If Lucy Fell" (1996)	*** "Smooth Talk" (1985, Drama)			** "Senseless" (1998) Marlon Wayans.			** "The Cowboy Way" (1994) Woody Harrelson.			** "Hourglass" (1996, Suspense)			If Lucy Fell		

## John Deere Pavilion-A Popular Tourist Site

(NAPSA)-The world's most comprehensive agricultural exhibit is growing in popularity. The John Deere Pavilion has attracted more than 540,000 guests since it opened in August of 1997. The guests come from across the country and all over the world.

Located along the shores of the Mississippi River near the company's original Moline, Illinois plow factory, the 14,000 square-foot structure and 12,000 square-foot exterior patio feature a wide variety of exhibits cele-

brating agribusiness, the legacy of the company and the heritage of the heartland.

Visitors can use the latest interactive display technology to follow timelines such as Deere & Company's rise from making horse-drawn plows to its current status as the world's leading producer of agricultural equipment. Another exhibit takes guests on a virtual tour through the company's combine factory, the Harvester Works.

Located adjacent to the Pavilion,

the John Deere Store offers visitors authentic licensed John Deere merchandise, including clothing, collectibles toys and other gear bearing the famous "leaping deer" logo. The store also houses the largest collection of the ERTL toyline and proudly displays Chad Little's actual 1996 Deere-sponsored stock car.

The John Deere Pavilion offers free admission, and is open to the public year-round. For more information call 309-765-1000, or log onto [www.johndeerepavilion.com](http://www.johndeerepavilion.com).

## Customized Vacations For The Price Of A Package

(NAPSA)-Shopping for vacations is not always a vacation. There have never been more ways to research and plan a trip. Resources ranging from the Internet, guidebooks and magazines to travel agents, clubs and deals can be both enlightening and confusing.

Fortunately, there are ways to streamline the planning, eliminate the confusion and get exactly what you want in a vacation with one or two quick phone calls. This is because travel packages have come of age. Some travel wholesalers have begun to package vacations to a consumer's individual requirements. That means travelers can get the exact flight, seat assignments, frequent flyer credit, the specific type of hotel room category, private airport transfers, the model of the rental car, and pre-arranged activities, all while saving time and money.

One of these travel professionals, Classic Custom Vacations, specializes in customizing vacations for travelers, who in the past, booked direct to get what they wanted. Customizing can include hard-to-get theater tickets, preferred golf tee times, helicopter and horseback tours, museum passes and more. With vacations to Hawaii, Mexico, the Caribbean, Europe and the U.S. and Canada, the company also offers hundreds of specials that may not be available through the hotel directly such as room upgrades, free nights and dining credits.

Experts at Classic give these five reasons to use a travel agent on your next vacation.

1. There's more to value than price-While you might find a great rate on a Hawaii hotel on the Internet, how do you know it's a great hotel?
2. Inside Information-There are more specials available in the travel industry than meets the consumer's eye.
3. Time is Money-It's fun to research your vacation on the Internet, but less fun to book it. Travel agents do the legwork for you saving time and money.
4. Details, Details-Travel agents look after the little things that can set the tone for a remarkable vacation.
5. An Imperfect World-No matter how much planning you do, it's nice to have a travel agent as your advocate if something happens that's beyond your control.

# COUNTRY MUSIC

**BITS AND PIECES:** Jemifer Day's album, "The Fun of Your Love," has been going to the movies (or as my grandmother would say, the "fillums") these days. The single, also called "The Fun of Your Love," was in Kevin Costner's film, "For Love of the Game." Two other songs from the album were used on the FOX series, "Get Real." A third was used in the soundtrack to Ashley Judd's new movie, "Where the Heart Is."

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Speaking of films, Marty Stuart added a new leaf to his musical laurels with his work on soundtracks for directors Martin Scorsese and Billy Bob Thornton.

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Yankee Grey, the country combo that's been on everyone's award list in the past year, almost missed its national TV debut on "Jenny Jones" last winter. The act's big, country-size bus couldn't fit under Chicago's "El" (elevated railroad). They tried to find another route to their hotel, but, no luck. Then a city street cleaner truck showed up and the driver escorted band members the wrong way down a one way street. Finally, Yankee Grey got to the hotel in time to meet the limo from the studio and the show went on without a hitch.

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Steve Earle's ninth studio album, "Transcendental Blues," will be released May 23 on the E-Squared/Artemis label. His longtime "twangtrust" production partner, Ray Kennedy, also worked on this project. Among the album's many artists is his sister, singer Stacey Earle, whose second album, "Dancing With Them That Brung Me," also has a May 23 release date.

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From the Mail Pouch: Doreen from California says country music is anti-Christian because it glorifies adultery, alcoholism, violence and sundry other sins. And as for those "so-called Christian (singers)," she adds, "As soon as they get famous ... they get as dirty as the rest of them."

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Reminder!: Dolly Parton hosts the star-studded 35th Annual Academy of Country Music Awards on CBS May 3.

E-mail questions, comments and tidbits to Timothy Montgomery at [letters.kfws@hearstsc.com](mailto:letters.kfws@hearstsc.com), or if you prefer doing things the old-fashioned way, you can write to him in care of King Features Weekly Service, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL, 32803.



# KET Briefs

## Derby 'thunders' on KET with a variety of programs

With May just around the corner, KET and KET2 offer a wealth of Derby Festival coverage during Kentucky's favorite time of the year.

Thunder Over Louisville, airing Monday, May 1 at 9 p.m. on KET and Thursday, May 4 at 9 p.m. on KET2, offers viewers a prime seat for Louisville's annual Derby kickoff — one of the largest fireworks displays in the country.

Mixed Media "Derby Special," airing on KET2 Tuesday, May 2 at 8 p.m. and Thursday, May 4 at 10:30 p.m., takes a look at the writer and performer of the new Kentucky Derby song, the artist who created the Derby poster and the Kentucky Derby Student Arts Fair.

Derby Festival Spelling Bee, airing Tuesday, May 2 at 8 p.m. on KET and Thursday, May 4 at 8 p.m. on KET2, spotlights the annual event which draws students from around the state. The winner will go on to represent Kentucky in the Scripps-Howard National Spelling Bee.

Churchill Downs: From Start to Photo Finish, airing Friday, May 5 at 8 p.m. on KET2, is a unique overview of the Kentucky Derby. Encompassing more than a century of history, tradition and racing excitement, this one-hour program, hosted by Nick Clooney, also features a literary account of the Derby told through such diverse writers as William Faulkner and Hunter S. Thompson.

Tales of the Kentucky Derby: You Ain't Seen Nothin', airing Friday, May 5 at 10 p.m. on KET2, takes a look at the Derby as a social event and cultural barometer — from Millionaires' Row to the infield.

Academic Challenge, airing Thursday, May 4 at 10 p.m. on KET2 and Sunday, May 7 at 10:30 p.m. on KET, covers the highlights of the LG&E Energy Kentucky Derby Festival Foundation Academic Challenge — the second-largest quick recall tournament in the nation. Highlights include Kentucky's brightest students displaying their abilities in math, science, social studies, language arts and humanities.

Thunder Over Louisville is produced by official Thunder station WHAS 11. Mixed Media, Derby Festival Spelling Bee, Churchill Downs: From Start to Photo Finish, and Academic Challenge are KET productions, produced by Aaron Hutchings.

Tales of the Kentucky Derby: You Ain't Seen Nothin' is produced by Louis Guida and Tim Callahan with support from the KET Fund for Independent Production.

## Emmylou Harris, Dave Matthews highlight two nights of music

From funky blues to intimate acoustic performances, KET has some electrifying musical offerings during the first week of May.

Airing Thursday, May 4 at 10 p.m. on KET, Jubilee spotlights regional act Blues 4-U. This extremely talented, four-piece combo offers up a lively performance of traditional blues, highlighted by some serious saxophone mastery.

The next night at 10 p.m. on KET, Austin City Limits turns the volume down and the heat up when a "Songwriters Special," hosted by Emmylou Harris, brings a stellar lineup to the stage.

Country music sweetheart, Harris is joined by Dave Matthews, Patty Griffin and Buddy and Julie Miller for an hour-long "song swap" of acoustic performances.

Jubilee, a KET production in its fifth season, is produced and directed by H. Russell Farmer. Austin City Limits is produced by KLRU/Austin and Capital of Texas Public Telecommunications Council. The shows are closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## Chautauqua looking for 'characters'

Kentucky Chautauqua is seeking presenters to develop living history programs using characters from Kentucky history. Several new Kentucky Chautauqua characters will be chosen in July 2000. Dramatic experience is desirable but not required.

Proposed Chautauqua characters do not have to be famous, but their lives should illuminate some part of Kentucky's history, and their stories should be compelling enough to appeal to audiences in every part of the state.

Chautauqua characters range from the unknown—former slave Dinnie Thompson and rural physician J. J. Polk—to the very familiar—Henry Clay and Simon Kenton. The common thread is that they all have great stories to tell.

A Kentucky Chautauqua portrayal should last about 45 minutes, followed by a question-and-answer ses-

sion of up to 30 minutes. Applicants chosen as Chautauqua characters will receive an honorarium of \$1,000 for script development, and the Kentucky Humanities Council will pay for drama, costume, and scholarly consultants to ensure the historical accuracy of the characterization.

Presenters agree to provide their own costumes, props, and transportation, and must be available to travel statewide for at least 30 performances between August 1, 2001, and July 31, 2003. Presenters will receive \$300 per performance.

If you have a character you want to portray for Kentucky Chautauqua, you have until June 2 to submit an application.

After a review of completed applications, selected applicants will audition for a panel of judges chosen by the Kentucky Humanities Council.

Auditions and final selection of

characters will take place, July 27, in Lexington. A Kentucky Chautauqua application must include all of the following:

- A separate sheet stating name, mailing address, home and work phone numbers, and the name of the character you want to portray.

- Your current resume, including any acting and research experience.

- Names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references, including their relation to you.

- A 2-3 page description of your proposed character, including why his or her story is of interest and importance to Kentuckians.

- A brief bibliography of your source of information about your character.

Send the application to Kentucky Chautauqua, Kentucky Humanities Council Inc., 206 East Maxwell Street, Lexington, KY 40508-2613; 859/257-5932.

## UK Museum focuses on China

Continuing its overview of the art of China, the University of Kentucky Art Museum presents a gallery talk designed to introduce key ideas that influenced Chinese art and artists, on May 3.

Deborah Borrowdale-Cox, curator of education, will discuss these concepts as exemplified by the art objects in the museum's current exhibition, "Chinese Art: Selections from the Collection."

The lecture will focus on the artifacts in the exhibition, which are primarily from the Ming (1368-1644) and Qung (1644-1911) dynasties. Porcelain figures, stoneware teapots, and an eight-panel lacquered screen will be used to illustrate Borrowdale-Cox's talk on important aspects of Chinese art and history.

Understanding the concepts that inspired Chinese artists brings the works into clearer focus and helps build appreciation for this extraordinary art and culture.

This talk serves as an accompaniment to the major exhibition opening at the Kentucky Horse Park on May 1, "Imperial China: The Art of the Horse in Chinese History." The lecture will be at 12:30 p.m. in the museum.

The University of Kentucky Art Museum is open, noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday, and noon to 8 p.m., on Fridays; closed Mondays and university holidays. For more information, contact Jane Boswell at 606/257-5716. Visit the website at [www.uky.edu/artmuseum](http://www.uky.edu/artmuseum).

## Concert set for MSU

The Morehead State University Women's Chorus, Men's Chorus, University Chorus and Chamber Singers will present a spring concert on Monday, May 1, at 8 p.m., in Duncan Recital Hall on the campus.

"Hear My Prayer" by Felix Mendelssohn, presented by the University Chorus, will be the featured work of the evening. Dr. Roma Prindle, associate professor of music, will sing the soprano solo.

Dr. Greg Detweiler, assistant professor of music, will direct the groups. "This work is a short dramatic cantata reminiscent of Mendelssohn's writing in his famous oratorio, 'Elijah,'" he said.

The University Chorus also will perform the comedy "Soldier, Won't You Marry Me" by Paul Halley and "Tsen Brider" arranged by Joshua Jacobson and written by Martin Rosenberg during the Nazi Holocaust.

A professional conductor before the war, Rosenberg was arrested in 1939, and sent to the Sachsenhausen concentration camp. While there, he organized and conducted a clandestine chorus of Jewish prisoners who performed secretly in the less guarded barracks of political prisoners.

The song survived because of Alexander Kulisiewicz, a Polish musician who was detained as a non-Jewish political prisoner, devoted his life

to making the songs of the concentration camps known around the world.

The Women's Chorus will present "Love Learns by Laughing," a madrigal by Thomas Morley. Other songs to be performed include "Agnus Dei" by Imant Raminsh, "He's Gone Away" arranged by Ron Nelson and "Hello Girls" arranged by Lloyd Pfausch. Doris Bolt, a sophomore music education major from Louisa, will sing a soprano solo.

The performance by the Men's Chorus will feature "Wie will ich mich freuen," a duet from Johann Sebastian Bach's "Cantata 146." They also will sing the Renaissance motet "Call to Remembrance, O Lord" by Richard Farrant, the Harlan County folk song "Down in the Valley" arranged by George Mead and the African-American spiritual "Little Innocent Lamb" arranged by Marshall Bartholomew.

The Chamber Singers will round out the program with three works: the madrigal "O Stay Sweet Love" by John Farmer, and jazz selections "London by Night" arranged by Gene Puerling and the Kings Singers' playful arrangement of Randy Newman's "Short People."

The program is free and open to the public. Additional information is available from Detweiler at 606/783-2480.



# TOP OF THE CHARTS

## Top 10 Pop Singles

1. Santana "Maria, Maria" (Def Soul) Last Week: No. 1
2. Destiny's Child "Say My Name" (Columbia) No. 2
3. Faith Hill "Breathe" (Warner Bros. - Nashville) No. 3
4. 'N Sync "Bye Bye Bye" (Jive) No. 5
5. Lonestar "Amazed" (BNA) No. 4
6. Sisqo "Thong Song" (Dragon/Def Soul) No. 6
7. Pink "There You Go" (LaFace) No. 7
8. Macy Gray "I Try" (Epic) No. 12
9. Backstreet Boys "Show Me the Meaning of Being Lonely" (Jive) No. 8
10. Montell Jordan "Get It On Tonight" (Def Soul) No. 9

## Top 10 R&B/Dance Singles

1. Santana "Maria, Maria" (Def Soul) No. 1
2. Joe "I Wanna Know" (Jive) No. 4
3. Sisqo "Thong Song" (Dragon/Def Soul) No. 3
4. Destiny's Child "Say My Name" (Columbia) No. 2
5. Carl Thomas "I Wish" (Bad Boy) No. 8
6. Aaliyah "Try Again" (Blackground) No. 7
7. Aaliyah "I Don't Wanna" (Blackground) No. 5
8. DMX "Party Up (Up in Here)" (Ruff Ryders/Def Jam) No. 10
9. 504 Boyz "Wobble Wobble" (No Limit) No. 59
10. Black Rob "Whoa!" (Bad Boy) No. 9

## Top 10 Country & Western Singles

1. Toby Keith "How Do You Like Me Now?!" (DreamWorks) No. 1
2. George Strait "The Best Day" (MCA Nashville) No. 2
3. Tracy Lawrence "Lessons Learned" (Atlantic) No. 3
4. Martina McBride "Love's the Only House" (RCA) No. 4
5. Clint Black with Steve Wariner "Been There" (RCA) No. 5
6. Phil Vassar "Carlene" (Arista Nashville) No. 6
7. Kenny Rogers with Alison Krauss and Billy Dean "Buy Me a Rose" (Dreamcatcher) No. 9
8. Faith Hill "The Way You Love Me" (Warner Bros.) No. 10

9. Andy Griggs "She's More" (RCA) No. 11
10. Tim McGraw "My Best Friend" (Curb) No. 7

## Top 10 Video Rentals

1. Double Jeopardy Ashley Judd (Paramount Home Video) No. 2
2. Stigmata Patricia Arquette (MGM Home Entertainment) No. 1
3. American Pie Mena Suvari (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 3
4. Random Hearts Harrison Ford (Columbia TriStar Home Video) No. 5
5. The Story of Us Bruce Willis (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 9
6. Runaway Bride Julia Roberts (Paramount Home Video) No. 11
7. Bowfinger Eddie Murphy (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 4
8. Stir of Echoes Kevin Bacon (Artisan Home Entertainment) No. 8
9. Eyes Wide Shut Tom Cruise (Warner Home Video) No. 13
10. The 13th Warrior Antonio Banderas (Touchstone Home Video) No. 12

## Top 10 DVD Sales

1. The Sixth Sense (Hollywood Pictures Home Video) New Entry
2. The Bone Collector (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 2
3. The Matrix (Warner Home Video) No. 3
4. Double Jeopardy (Paramount Home Video) No. 7
5. The Abyss, Special Edition (FoxVideo) No. 4
6. Pokémon: The First Movie (Warner Home Video) No. 1
7. Stigmata (MGM Home Entertainment) No. 6
8. The Omega Code (GoodTimes Home Video) New Entry
9. Eyes Wide Shut (Warner Home Video) No. 5
10. Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat (Universal Studios Home Video) New Entry

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## Glen Campbell in concert at Renfro Valley

Glen Campbell's enormous musical talent has delighted audiences all over the world, from performances in Scotland to New Zealand, Japan to Ireland and a command performance for the Queen of England.

The veteran of four decades commands respect from many areas of the entertainment industry. His talents range from one of the best guitarists and song writers of this generation to his acting skills, all over and above his phenomenal

success as a singer.

Campbell made history by winning a Grammy in both the country and pop categories in 1967. "Gentle on My Mind" took the country honors while "By the Time I Get To Phoenix" won in pop.

He has been honored as Male Vocalist of the Year by both the CMA and the ACM and is a former Entertainer of the Year from the Country Music Association.

During his 40 years in show business,

Campbell has sold more than 40 million records and can count 12 gold albums to his credit. In the 1990s he released a series of gospel albums which opened new vistas for the star and garnered a prestigious Dove award.

Campbell will be in concert at the Renfro Valley New Barn Theater on Saturday evening, May 6. Show times are 7 and 9:15 p.m. Cost is \$19 and \$21. Call 800-765-7464 or 606/256-2638 for reservations.

## Crafts fair set for Boyd

The Tri-State Craft Marketplace is planned for Saturday, May 6, at Boyd County Middle School at Ashland.

The event goes from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and features crafts for the lawn, garden and porch, as well as for the home.

Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for students. Proceeds go the Boyd County Middle School Choir.

The school is located next to Lowe's on US 60, west of Ashland.

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## Bluesman back in Ashland

Taj Mahal and the Phantom Blues Band will be in concert at the Paramount Arts Center in Ashland on May 4.

The performance, part of the Troubadour Concert Series, is set for 8 p.m.

For ticket information, call the box office at 606/324-3175.

The historic Paramount is located at 1300 Winchester Ave.

## ENTERTAINMENT EXTRA!!!

By Evelyn

Q. I'm a big fan of the sci-fi series, "Farscape," and would love to know more about Ben Browder who plays the American astronaut who wound up on an alien space ship. I know much of the cast is Australian, but I understand that Browder is an American. Has he done American TV before? Also, is he married? Thank you for whatever you can tell me. Nicki M.

A. Ben Browder is an American. He studied at the Central School of Speech and Drama in London, and once thought his career would be spent largely on stage working mostly in the classics. He says he's surprised that his TV career, which he thought would be largely fill-in time between plays, took off as quickly and as well as it did. His credits have included recurring roles on "Party of Five" and guest shots on now-defunct, yet popular, shows like "Melrose Place," "Grace Under Fire" and "Murder, She Wrote."

His movie credits include "Paper Mansions: The Dottie West Story," with Michele Lee; "Secrets" with Josie Bisset; "Innocent Victims" with Rick Schroder; and "A Wing and a Prayer" with Patty Duke. He's also done several feature films including "Memphis Belle."

When not on location in Australia as John Crichton on "Farscape," Browder and his wife, actress Francesca Buller (who guested on "Farscape"), live in Los Angeles.

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Q. What's happening with Victoria Principal? I never see her doing any new movies or shows on TV. I see her mostly doing infomercials. Is she still active as an actress? Dan McD.

A. Principal and her old boss from her "Dallas" days, Aaron Spelling, will team up once again for in the upcoming series, "Titans," which debuts on NBC in the fall. So, the answer to your question is: Yes, she's still active as an actress.

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Q. What I like about your column, Evelyn, is that you answer weird questions. So, I have one for you and I hope you answer it. I was told that the reason Yoko Ono never remarried after John Lennon died was that he arranged in his will that she'd be cut off from his estate if she did (marry again). Is this true? Katherine C.

A. I may surprise you by saying this, but it's not a weird question. There's lots of precedence for this sort of provision in peoples' wills. However, the courts usually find them too restrictive and against the public interest. (I'd appreciate hearing from my lawyer readers who often provide either support or contradiction for many of my "legal" statements.)

So as far as John and Yoko are concerned, there is no such restriction in Lennon's will. For whatever reason, Ono has chosen not to remarry, although her friends say her decision is not carved in stone.

Have any "weird," or even not-so-weird, questions for Evelyn? If so, e-mail her at [letters.kfws@hearstse.com](mailto:letters.kfws@hearstse.com) or write to her in care of King Features Weekly Service, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.



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24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				Inside NBA	** "Above the Rim" (1994, Drama) Duane Martin, Leon.				
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	3rd Rock	Will & Grace	Will & Grace	Just Shoot	Dateline (N) (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur	GED	Business	Newshour With Jfm Lehrer	Spelling Bee		Nova "Venus Unveiled"		Frontline "Jefferson's Blood" (In Stereo)		World News (Off Air)				
8	3	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Be a Millionaire		Dharma	Talk to Me	NYPD Blue "Lucky Luciano"	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer	
23	3	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	* 1/2 "Benefit of the Doubt" (1993) Donald Sutherland.			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver (In Stereo)		In the Heat of the Night			
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Hollywood	Hollywood	JAG (N) (In Stereo)	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)		Judging Amy (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Outer Limits			
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer (N)		3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	70s Show	Malcolm	Greed: The Series		News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer		
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	JAG (N) (In Stereo)	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)		Judging Amy (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late			
14	45	ESPN	NBA Today	Up Close (N)	Sportscenter		Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 3 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)				Baseball Tonight (N)	Sportscenter		Baseball Tonight (N)				
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter		Your New House		Wild Discovery		On the Inside "Casino!"		New Detectives	FBI Files "Cop Killer" (N)		On the Inside "Casino!"		New Detectives		
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice "Anniversary"		In the Heat of the Night		ER "Hell and High Water"		NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)		Insid NBA	Family Values: The Mob and the Movies						
31	32	A&E	Magnum, P.I.		L.A. Law "Happy Trails"		Law & Order "Blood Libel"		Biography: Mick Foley		Investigative Reports		Inside Story		Law & Order		Biography: Mick Foley	
27	33	TNN	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)		Waltons "The Song"		Waltons (In Stereo)		** 1/2 "The Pride of Jesse Hallam" (1981) Johnny Cash.		Championship Rodeo		Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)		Outdoor	Outdoor		
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rocket	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	35	USA	Baywatch "Nightmare Bay"		Crush	Friends	JAG "Secrets" (In Stereo)		Walker, Texas Ranger	* 1/2 "Meet Wally Sparks" (1997) Rodney Dangerfield.		Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger		Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)			
28	38	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	"Free Fall" (1998, Drama) Jaclyn Smith. (In Stereo)			Dangerous Animals		700 Club		Boss?	Partridge	
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait		Chicago Hope "Heartbreak"			** "Final Appeal" (1993, Suspense) Brian Dennehy.		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing	
45		ESPN2	Sportsman's	Surfing	Legends	Motoworld	RPM 2Night	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 3 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live)		Wrecked		X-Games	NHL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Wakebrd			
29	49	AMC	(4:15) "The Sad Sack"		*** "The Far Horizons" (1955) Charlton Heston.			Investigating Tarzan		** 1/2 "Tarzan Finds a Son!" (1939)		*** 1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen.						
50		HGTV	Rebecca	Ground	Fix It Up!	21st Century	Old House	Workshop	Ground	Gardener	Room	Decorating	Homes	Modern	Ground	Gardener	Room	Decorating
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrnys.		Sliders "Luck of the Draw"		Xena: Warrior Princess		Hercules-Jrnys.		Xena: Warrior Princess		Hercules-Jrnys.		Poltergeist: The Legacy		Friday the 13th: The Series	
32	2	HIST	Weapons at War "Artillery"		Cassidy-Sund.		Sworn to Secrecy		Prject Underwid		World War II in Color		Battlefield Medicine		Haunted History		Prject Underwid	
3		TOC	NE Outdoors	Outdoors	Gold Fever		Southern	Adventure	Outdoors	Outdoors	Hunting	Outdoors	Hunting	Outdoor	Outdoor	Action	Fishing	Outdoors
20	3	HBO	Lifestories	** "Loverboy" (1989) Patrick Dempsey.		* "Sphere" (1998, Science Fiction) Dustin Hoffman. 'PG-13'		"The 4th Floor" (1999) Juliette Lewis. 'R'		The Corner		Dennis M.		Escape				
3		HBO2	** 1/2 "The Pick-Up Artist" (1987) 'PG-13'		*** "Waking Ned Devine" (1998) 'PG'		** "Doctor Dolittle" (1998) 'PG-13'		*** "Coming to America" (1988) Eddie Murphy. 'R'		** 1/2 "Beverly Hills Cop III" (1994) 'R'							
3		HBO3	*** "Outrageous Fortune" (1987) Bette Midler. 'R'		** "Great Expectations" (1998) Ethan Hawke. 'R'		** 1/2 "Everybody's All-American" (1988) Dennis Quaid.		Out at Work (In Stereo)		*** "Citizen Cohn" (1992)							
21	7	MAX	* Tarzan and the Lost City		** 1/2 "Blow Out" (1981, Suspense) John Travolta. 'R'		*** 1/2 "The Shining" (1980, Horror) Jack Nicholson. 'R'		"Dead by Dawn" (1998) Shannon Tweed.		** "The Thin Red Line" (1992)							
3		DISN	Home	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	**** "Mary Poppins" (1964, Fantasy) Julie Andrews. (In Stereo) 'G'		"Rip Girls" (2000) Camilla Belle.		MusicVids		Smart Guy	Zorro	Mickey			
9		SHOW	* Reaper		** 1/2 "Quigley Down Under" (1990, Western) Tom Selleck.		** "Men at Work" (1990, Comedy) Emilio Estevez.		** "Night Eyes II" (1991, Suspense)		"The Souler Opposite" (1997, Comedy)							
9		TMC	Tale-Todd		** 1/2 "Old Gringo" (1989, Drama) Gregory Peck.		** 1/2 "I'm Gonna Git You Sucka" (1988)		** "Phantoms" (1998) Peter O'Toole.		* "Species II" (1998) Michael Madsen.		* "Milo" (1998) (In Stereo)					

# CRITTERS CORNER

by Carol Combs-Morris, DVM

I'm still dipping into that list of cat questions that Rita Scott sent me last week. She asked whether there was any way to predict a cat's temperament based on its breed, color, coat length or markings. Actually these things can have some bearing on the personality, although there will always be great individual variations.

The most predictable personality traits are probably associated with breed. Trouble is, except for Siamese and Persians, we don't see a lot of purebred cats in this area.

There are some, though; in fact, Bonnie Faulkner of Van Lear is currently showing her Grand Premier Somali nearly every weekend. He regularly wins Best in Show, and is in contention for first place in points in the southeastern region of the U.S.

In addition, she and her husband John also have an American Shorthair and a Burmese. I also know the whereabouts of a Maine Coon Cat and a couple of Himalayans.

Cats are basically divided into



two extreme body types. The "cobby" type, which is compact and heavily boned is seen in breeds such as Persians and Himalayans. The "Oriental" type is just the opposite—fine bone structure and long tubular bodies. Think of the show-type Siamese.

In between the two extremes are the cats with moderate body type—Abyssinians, Korats, Birmanians, and many of the common "alley cats," or more properly, Domestic Shorthairs.

Although this is a very generalized statement, the cobby-bodied breeds tend to be somewhat more sedate and laid-back, while the Oriental types are more likely to be the "live wires." Unless you are buying a purebred kitten, this isn't much help. Often the parentage of a litter of kittens is unknown, and it can be hard to judge potential body type of a young kitten.

In most cases, the body type of the mother is one of those middle-

of-the-road kinds anyway. If you are interested in purebred, talking to several breeders or contacting a breed club will give you much more specific answers.

Color by itself is not much of an indicator of a cat's personality, except that a couple of the colors are sex-linked and that may play a role. I think I may save a discussion of cat color for a separate article.

For right now, I'll just provide you with the tidbit of trivia that almost all Calico and Tortoiseshell cats are female, and that red cats are somewhat more likely to be male.

It's probably more useful to know the mother cat's background, her personality, and how the kittens were raised, in making a guess about what sort of temperament they are likely to have.

If the mother is very used to people and very gentle, and the kittens have been exposed to handling since they were very young, the kittens are much more

likely to be gentle themselves. Kittens who were born more or less wild, or feral, are unlikely to ever become comfortable with people; they have a very narrow window of time to become used to humans, and once that window closes, they really can't be gentled.

Of course, I know one cat who totally refuses this statement. Our friend Shawn, who seems to be some sort of Svengali for cats, rescued a kitten who was so wild he named her Lucifer (spelled Lucy-fur).

She is now a fat, content house cat whose wildest escapades these days are stealing Shawn's possessions like his keys and pocketknife, and burying them in her litter box. Lucy-fur the terrorist is now just plain Lucy the kleptomaniac.

If you can't make it through the wild-and-crazy stage all kittens seem to experience, most will eventually calm down and stop dangling from the curtains.

And don't forget, cats can be trained. They require a lot of patience, but the basic game plan is similar to puppies. Interrupt

whatever they are doing that you don't like, offer an acceptable alternative, and reward them for this.

Example: Tiger is attacking your feet as you watch television. You distract him—with a noise like a loud handclap, or a spritz of water from a spray bottle.

You then immediately give him a toy that he can attack. (Be fair; this needs to be something interesting—no kitten will choose a stuffed mouse that just lies there over a pair of live, moving feet).

When he turns his energy on the toy, praise him or even offer a small bite of something he really likes. Obviously, you have to be prepared with cat treats, spray bottle, or anything else you need.

I suppose the bottom line is that you have to look at kittens, like babies, as a sort of surprise package. You can make some educated guesses about their adult temperaments, and you can shape their personalities to some extent, through training and guidance.

In the end, though, you just have to appreciate them for the individuals they are.





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24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dateline (N)	West Wing	Law & Order	News	News	Tonight Show	Late Night	Late Night	Late Night	
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur	Math Basics	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Championship Skating	Hemingway Adventure	Hemingway Adventure	Hemingway Adventure	World News	Trails	Trails	Trails	Trails	Trails	
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Be a Millionaire	Drew Carey	Spin City	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer	Enquirer	
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	** "The Couch Trip"	** "The Couch Trip"	** "The Couch Trip"	News	News	MacGyver	MacGyver	MacGyver	MacGyver	
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Country Showdown	Country Showdown	Academy of Country Music Awards	Academy of Country Music Awards	Academy of Country Music Awards	News	News	Late Show	Late Show	Late Show	Late Show	
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Party of Five	Party of Five	Party of Five	News	News	Divorce	Divorce	Divorce	Divorce	
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Academy of Country Music Awards	Academy of Country Music Awards	Academy of Country Music Awards	News	News	Late Show	Late Show	Late Show	Late Show	
14	46	ESPN	Kentucky Derby Draw	Kentucky Derby Draw	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	Major League Baseball	
33	30	DSC	Give Me Shelter	Give Me Shelter	Your New House	Your New House	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	On the Inside	On the Inside	On the Inside	Survive!	Survive!	On the Inside	On the Inside	On the Inside	On the Inside	
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	ER	ER	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	NBA Basketball Playoffs	
31	32	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	L.A. Law	Law & Order	Law & Order	Biography	Biography	Biography	American Justice	American Justice	Law & Order	Law & Order	Biography	Biography	
27	33	TNN	Cagney & Lacey	Cagney & Lacey	Waltons	Waltons	Waltons	Waltons	Dead Man's Gun	Dead Man's Gun	Dead Man's Gun	18 Wheels of Justice	18 Wheels of Justice	Magnificent Seven	Magnificent Seven	Cagney & Lacey	Cagney & Lacey	
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Hey Arnold!	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	
17	35	USA	Baywatch	Nightmare Bay	Crush	Friends	JAG	Heroes	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	** 1/2 "Tremors II: Aftershocks"	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings	Silk Stalkings	
28	36	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	"The Face on the Milk Carton"	"The Face on the Milk Carton"	"The Face on the Milk Carton"	Higher Ground	Higher Ground	700 Club	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge	
48	48	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope	Chicago Hope	Chicago Hope	Chicago Hope	Chicago Hope	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing	
45	45	ESPN2	Spanish Fly	Wakebrd	Legends	Drag Race	RPM 2Night	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	Stanley Cup Playoffs	
29	49	AMC	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	*** "In Harm's Way"	
50	50	HGTV	Grow It!	Designer's	Fix It Up!	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Treasure	Design	Best of Mexican Design	Appraise It!	Appraisal	Treasure	Design	
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrnys.	Hercules-Jrnys.	Sliders	Into the Mystic	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Crypt Tales	Exposure	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series	Friday the 13th: The Series	
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War	Weapons at War	Guns-Tamed the West	Guns-Tamed the West	20th Century	20th Century	U.S. Invaded!	U.S. Invaded!	U.S. Invaded!	World War II in Color	Machine Guns	Great Ships	The Cruisers	U.S. Invaded!	U.S. Invaded!	
55	55	TOC	Outdoor	Paid Prog.	NW Hunter	Fly Fishing	Outdoors	Roadfaring	Rodeo Roundup	Rodeo Roundup	Bird Dog	Outdoors	Outdoor	Gun Dogs	Outdoors	Fishing	Buzzardite Classics	
20	14	HBO	Deep End-Ocn	Deep End-Ocn	Artists' Specials	Artists' Specials	*** "Race"	*** "Race"	The Corner	The Corner	Oz	Animal Farm	Gladiator	*** "The Matrix"	*** "The Matrix"	*** "The Matrix"	*** "The Matrix"	
15	15	HBO2	(4:45) ** "The Helst"	(4:45) ** "The Helst"	** "Shadrach"	** "Shadrach"	** "Fair Game"	** "Fair Game"	Tracey	Tracey	Sanders	Sanders	** "Can't Hardly Wait"	** "Can't Hardly Wait"	** "Can't Hardly Wait"	** "Can't Hardly Wait"	Shattered	
16	16	HBO3	Fish-Wanda	*** 1/2 "Love and Death on Long Island"	*** 1/2 "Love and Death on Long Island"	*** 1/2 "Love and Death on Long Island"	*** 1/2 "Love and Death on Long Island"	*** 1/2 "Love and Death on Long Island"	** "Black and White"	** "Black and White"	** "Black and White"	** "Black and White"	1/2 "The Grave"	1/2 "The Grave"	1/2 "The Grave"	1/2 "The Grave"	"The Butcher Boy"	
21	17	MAX	(4:00) ** "Dance With Me"	(4:00) ** "Dance With Me"	** 1/2 "A Cool, Dry Place"	** 1/2 "A Cool, Dry Place"	*** "Analyze This"	*** "Analyze This"	** 1/2 "It's the Rage"	** 1/2 "It's the Rage"	** 1/2 "It's the Rage"	** 1/2 "It's the Rage"	Passion	Passion	Passion	Passion	"Twice Upon a Yesterday"	
18	18	DISN	M2M & BBMak in Concert	M2M & BBMak in Concert	GrowPains	Smart Guy	"Can of Worms"	"Can of Worms"	** "Teen Witch"	** "Teen Witch"	** "Teen Witch"	MusicVids	"A Kid in Aladdin's Palace"	"A Kid in Aladdin's Palace"	Zorro	Mickey	Mickey	
22	22	SHOW	(4:30) 1/2 "Stir"	(4:30) 1/2 "Stir"	** 1/2 "The Lords of Flatbush"	** 1/2 "The Lords of Flatbush"	1/2 "Foolish"	1/2 "Foolish"	** 1/2 "Who's the Man?"	** 1/2 "Who's the Man?"	** 1/2 "Who's the Man?"	** 1/2 "Who's the Man?"	*** 1/2 "Atlantic City"	*** 1/2 "Atlantic City"	*** 1/2 "Atlantic City"	*** 1/2 "Atlantic City"	*** 1/2 "Atlantic City"	
25	25	TMC	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	** 1/2 "The Tiger Woods Story"	"Halloween H2O: Twenty Years Later"	"Halloween H2O: Twenty Years Later"	"Halloween H2O: Twenty Years Later"	1/2 "Dogboys"	1/2 "Dogboys"	1/2 "Dogboys"	1/2 "Dogboys"	1/2 "Dogboys"	** 1/2 "Relentless"	

# Actors theatre premiere wins Pulitzer prize

The 2000 Pulitzer Prize for drama has been awarded to Donald Margulies' "Dinner With Friends," a play commissioned by Actors Theatre of Louisville and premiered by the 36-year-old professional theatre during its 1998 Humana Festival of New American Plays.

"Dinner With Friends" is our third

## Scraps

Continued from p6 according to an "AMC" spokesperson, it will also affect many characters.

Jason's Argue-Nauts: There are lots of critics out there regarding the relatively light sentence (five days) for Jason Priestley (ex Brandon, "Beverly Hills 90210") who entered a no-contest plea to a drunk driving charge. There's growing indignation at the perception that celebrities get special treatment for dangerous, and even deadly, behavior.

Cast Aweighs: David Beecroft (ex "One Life to Live," "Falcon Crest," "Melrose Place") joins "AMC" as Pine Valley minister Eliot Freeman. Lisa Rinna (ex "Days," "Melrose Place") stars in the UPN pilot "I Spike" which is a take-off on the classic Robert Culp-Bill Cosby series, "I Spy." Marita DeLeon (ex-Joanie, "Y&R") joins "Passions" as Boston police officer Tina Alvarez.

Pulitzer and another feather in the Humana Festival's and The Humana Foundation's cap," said Jon Jory, producing director of Actors Theatre.

"Throughout the history of the Humana Festival, Actors Theatre has tried to create a supportive culture for new play development, so that writers like Donald Margulies would continue their fruitful relationship with our theatre."

Other Pulitzer Prize winners premiered at Actors Theatre were D.L. Coburn's "The Gin Game" (1978) and Beth Henley's "Crimes of the Heart" (1981).

"Dinner With Friends" a bittersweet comedy about marriage and divorce, opened November 4, 1999, at New York's Variety Arts Theatre and has become a hit of the current New York theatrical season.

It was recently named best play at the Lucille Lortel Awards, which honor achievement in Off-Broadway theater. A French version of the play, entitled "Diner entre amis," opened at the Comedie des Champs-Elysees in Paris, last fall.

Veteran playwright Margulies, 45, lives in New Haven, Connecticut, where he teaches playwriting at Yale School of Drama. ATL first commissioned Margulies to write a new play in 1993. That resulted in his hard-hitting drama "July 7, 1994," which premiered in the Humana Festival in 1995.

Following "Dinner with Friends," Margulies was one of 18 commissioned playwrights who collectively authored "Back Story," which premiered at the 2000 Humana Festival.

# Bluegrass slated for Cave Run

WMKY 90.3 FM Morehead State University's public radio station, will hold a 35th anniversary Bluegrass music concert on Sunday, July 2, at Cave Run Lake near Morehead. The event will take place from 1 to 10 p.m. at the Twin Knobs campground.

WMKY's "Bluegrass Diversion" personalities Sandy Knipp and Bob Christian will emcee the show. At least six bands will perform, including The Lonesome River Band, Ernie Thacker and Route 23, New Tradition, Bluegrass Strangers, D.D. Thacker and Teenage Grass and New Time.

The free concert is being made possible by the Morehead Recreation, Tourism and Convention Commission and the Poppy Mountain Bluegrass Music Festival that booked the acts for the show.

About 5,000 people are expected to attend the Independence Day weekend event.

WMKY began broadcasting in the summer of 1965 and this summer's concert is a tribute to the station's many listeners and supporters.

Additional information is available by calling 606/783-2001.

# Jubilee Singers' brave tour at a hostile time in history

On November 16, 1871, a group of unknown singers — all but two of them former slaves, many of them still in their teens — arrived at Oberlin College in Ohio to perform before a national convention of influential ministers.

After a few standard ballads, the chorus began to sing spirituals. It was one of the first public performances of the secret music African Americans had sung in the fields and behind closed doors.

"All of a sudden, there was no talking," says musicologist Horace Boyer. "They said you could hear the soft weeping... and I'm sure that the Jubilee Singers were joining them in tears, because sometimes when you think about what you are singing, particularly if you believe it, you can't help but be moved."

Airing Monday, May 1 at 10 p.m. on KET, The American Experience "Jubilee Singers: Sacrifice and Glory" looks at this brave group of artists who forged ahead in the face of extreme adversity.

As the program recounts, the concert at Oberlin was the turning point in a daring fundraising experiment for impoverished Fisk University in Nashville, Tennessee, where the singers were students.

Facing the Ku Klux Klan, as well as a hostile press who labeled them "trained monkeys," the group went on to tour for seven years, saving Fisk University.

The American Experience "Jubilee Singers: Sacrifice and Glory," produced and directed by Llewellyn Smith, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing.



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		TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	★★½ "Hang 'Em High" (1968, Western) Clint Eastwood, Inger Stevens.				★★★ "For a Few Dollars More" (1965) Clint Eastwood.					
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friends	Friends	Frasier	Frasier	ER "Loose Ends" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur	GED	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Mystery! Hetty Wainthropp	Jubilee "Blues 4-U"	World News	Naturescene (Off Air)						
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire	20/20 Downtown (N)	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Tenth Inning	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	★★★ "Desperate Hours" (1990, Drama) Mickey Rourke.			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "The Wall"	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Hollywood	Hollywood	Diagnosis Murder (N)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	48 Hours "Dr. Morgan"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Poltergeist				
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer (N)	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Game Show	Truth-Sitcoms	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer					
13	18	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Diagnosis Murder (N)	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	48 Hours "Dr. Morgan"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
14	46	ESPN	(4:00) PGA Golf (Live)	Sportscenter	Big League	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 4 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight (N)									
33	50	DSC	Gimme Shelter	Your New House	Wild Discovery	On the Inside: Atlantic City	Science Mysteries	Into the Unknown	On the Inside: Atlantic City	Science Mysteries								
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice "Lead Rain"	In the Heat of the Night	ER "Home" (In Stereo)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)	Insid NBA	★★½ "Dragnet" (1987, Comedy) Dan Aykroyd.										
31	52	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order	Biography: Raquel Welch	Investigative Reports "Chappaquiddick"	Law & Order "Progeny"	Biography: Raquel Welch									
27	63	TNN	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	Waltons "The Venture"	Waltons (In Stereo)	Arena Football: Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	In-Fish	Bassmastr.									
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Skeeter	Skeeter	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	65	USA	Baywatch "Reunion"	Crush	Friends	JAG "Jinx" (In Stereo)	Walker, Texas Ranger	★★ "Kull the Conqueror" (1997, Adventure) Kevin Sorbo.	Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)								
28	63	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	Garth Brooks: Live From Central Park (In Stereo)	Houdini: His Secrets	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge					
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	★★½ "Vanished Without a Trace" (1993) Karl Malden.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Designing					
	45	ESPN2	ESPNNews	Water Skiing	Legends	NHRA Heat	RPM 2Night	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 4 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	Bikes, Blades and Boards	NHL 2Night	RPM 2Night	Volleyball						
29	43	AMC	(4:15) "Wee Willie Winkie"	★★½ "One Minute to Zero" (1952) Robert Mitchum.	★★★★ "Shane" (1953, Western) Alan Ladd, Jean Arthur.	★★★★ "My Fair Lady" (1964, Musical) Rex Harrison, Audrey Hepburn.												
	50	HGTV	Rebecca	Ground	Fix It Up!	21st Century	Old House	Workshop	New Spaces	Curb Appeal	Designing	Kitchen	House	Vacation	New Spaces	Curb Appeal	Designing	Kitchen
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrmys.	Sliders "Love Gods"	★★½ "Alligator" (1980, Horror) Robert Forster.	★★½ "Alligator II: The Mutation" (1991) Joseph Bologna.	★★½ "Alligator" (1980, Horror) Robert Forster.											
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War	Dalton Gang	20th Century	Ancient Inventions	World War II in Color	Demolition	Secrets of World War II	Ancient Inventions								
	53	TOC	Prospectng	Prospect	Pillsbury	Outdoors	Wildlife	Like Father	Gene Percy	Outdoors	Sportsmans	Traditions	Fishful	Outdoors	Hunters	Adventure	Classic Car	Outdoors
20	14	HBO	(4:15) ★½ "Heart of Dixie"	★★½ "You've Got Mail" (1998) Tom Hanks. 'PG'	★★★½ "Braveheart" (1995, Drama) Mel Gibson, Sophie Marceau. (In Stereo) 'R'	Real Sex 20 (In Stereo)	Chris Rock: Bigger											
	15	HBO2	Indictment-Tri	★★½ "Red Ribbon Blues" (1995) Paul Mercurio. 'NR'	"The 4th Floor" (1999) Juliette Lewis. 'R'	Century of Living	★★½ "Cobb" (1994, Drama) Tommy Lee Jones. 'R'	Scarred City										
	16	HBO3	★★ "Why Do Fools Fall in Love" (1998) Halle Berry. 'R'	★½ "Gloria" (1999, Drama) Sharon Stone. 'R'	★★★½ "Dead Poets Society" (1989) Robin Williams. 'PG'	★★★ "City at Peace" (1996, Documentary) 'NR'												
21	17	MAX	(4:30) "Ever After: A Cinderella Story"	★½ "Perpetrators of the Crime" (1999) David Duchovny. 'PG-13'	★★½ "The X-Files" (1998) David Duchovny. 'PG-13'	★★½ "The Puppet Masters" (1994) Donald Sutherland.	★★½ "Wolf" (1994) 'R'											
	18	DISN	Home	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	"Rip Girls" (2000) Camilla Belle.	Garbage-Picking, Field Goal-Kicking	★★½ "Robin Hood: Men in Tights" (1993) Cary Elwes.	Zorro	Mickey							
	22	SHOW	(4:30) "American Hot Wax"	★★½ "For Keeps" (1988, Drama) Molly Ringwald.	★★★½ "The Shining" (1980, Horror) Jack Nicholson, Shelley Duvall.	★★ "Nightmare" (1995) Elizabeth Hurley.	"Last to Surrender" (1999)											
	25	TMC	Once a Thief	★★½ "Wrestling With Alligators" (1998)	★★½ "Crocodile Dundee II" (1988) Paul Hogan.	★★½ "Down in the Delta" (1998, Drama) Alfre Woodard.	★ "Rebecca's Secret" (1997, Suspense)	Point Blank										

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lead (a woman) down the aisle." According to a December Philadelphia Inquirer report, the course covers 276 hours over six months, full of such tips as how a woman can visualize herself as a wife and how to make your closet "man ready," but she offers no nuptial guarantee.

Chutzpah

Wilhelm Krumwiede asked the Nebraska Supreme Court in December to rule that his estranged (and possibly dead) wife is also liable for the \$120,000 in legal fees he has amassed defending the charge that he murdered her. (She has been missing since 1995, but in two trials, Krumwiede has not been convicted.) And in December, after estranged wife Cora Caro was arrested in Ventura County, California, and charged with murdering three of her four children, she demanded \$550,000 from her husband (the kids' father) as a "loan" from the future division of the community property in order to fund her expected elaborate defense.

In November, testifying before the state gaming commission in Indianapolis, principals of Caesars Indiana apologized for falling far short of the commission rule requiring that 10 percent of casino contracts go to minority businesses. Caesars said it had greatly improved over 1998's dismal one-half of one percent, but then revealed that that improvement was produced by counting its major engineering firm as minority-owned because its owner claims to be 1/16th American Indian.

Ronald Bell Jr., 18, was convicted of murder in Shalimar, Florida, in March;

part of the evidence against him was a surveillance video from a Target store showing Bell and two accomplices returning the murder weapon (a \$9.99 meat cleaver) for a refund.

Recent Fire News

A brand-new, \$1 million fire station in Charleston, West Virginia, as well as the Southampton Street headquarters of the Boston Fire Department, were closed (in January and November, respectively) because of fire-code violations. And fires demolished a fire station in Allentown, Florida (in January), the Mercury Candle Co. factory in Newark, New Jersey (in January), and the Argo Co.'s fire-extinguisher plant in Detroit (in November).

Recurring Themes

In 1992, News of the Weird reported the onstage death of a nightclub comedian in Tempe, Arizona, who keeled over from a heart aneurysm while emceeing a show. In March 2000, a performer who worked as Uncle Ron the Magician collapsed and died during a show in Hamilton, New Zealand, and as with the 1992 incident, some in the audience applauded, thinking the collapse was a pratfall that was part of the show.

Least Competent Criminals

Easy IDs: Four men escaped in March after robbing a Mellon-PSFS Bank in downtown Philadelphia, but police got a clear photo of one of the men, who had inadvertently stood on the sidewalk directly facing the bank's surveillance camera

while getting up the nerve to put on his mask. And Cedrick Washington, 33, was arrested in November and charged with robbing a Kenner, Louisiana, sandwich shop; according to police, he had stood in front of the shop (again, inadvertently facing the surveillance camera), repeatedly practicing pulling his shirt over his head as a disguise.

Also, in the Last Month ...

Four kindergartners were suspended for three days for pretending to shoot each other with their fingers (Sayreville, New Jersey). The real name of a man charged with attempting via the Internet to lure an underage girl into a sexual tryst: Mr. Dirk Lust (Merrimack, New Hampshire). A 38-year-old inmate, who might have been released next month, was sentenced to 50 more years for assaulting a guard (Huntsville, Texas). Clyde Charles, 47, was freed from the Angola prison in Louisiana (after serving nearly 20 years for rape) when a DNA test implicated his brother Marlo, instead. A Tucson, Arizona, schoolteacher who claimed an Hispanic student shot her confessed that she had shot herself to draw attention to school security problems.

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Jefferson-Hemings relationship examined

In January 2000, the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation issued a one-inch thick report stating that an exhaustive historical and forensic investigation "indicates a high probability that Thomas Jefferson fathered Eston Hemings, and that he most likely was the father of all six of Sally Hemings' children ..."

The report supported what DNA tests suggested and what descendants of the slave Sally Hemings had been saying for nearly 200 years. Even with paternity of the Hemings children all but confirmed, however, the controversy is far from over.

As the Monticello Association prepares to address the issue at its annual meeting in May, Frontline presents "Jefferson's Blood." The documentary, airing Tuesday, May 2 at 10 p.m. on KET, is narrated by author Shelby Steele.

Moving back and forth between Jefferson's 18th century world and the present day, the film recounts both the history of the Jefferson-Hemings relationship and the modern-day repercussions of that relationship for the late president's descendants — both black and white.

Through interviews with historians and Jefferson's 21st century progeny, "Jefferson's Blood" examines how the issue of the president's paternity continues to divide families and spark national debate, especially as it relates to America's continuing struggle with issues of race and identity.

Frontline "Jefferson's Blood," produced by WGBH/Boston, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at http://www.ket.org, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

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24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Major League	Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Atlanta Braves. (Live)	★★½ "National Lampoon's Vacation" (1983, Comedy) Chevy Chase.								
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Providence (In Stereo)	Dateline (N) (In Stereo)	Law & Order	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night				
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur	Workplace	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Comment	McLaughlin	Wash. Week	Wall St	Austin City Limits	World News	European	(Off Air)			
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Boy Meets World	Sabrina	Making	20/20 (N)	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Full House	★½ "Cyborg" (1989) Jean-Claude Van Damme.	News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "Lesson in Evil"	In the Heat of the Night						
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Funny Flubs & Screw-Ups	Now and Again	Nash Bridges	News	Sports Over.	Late Show	Beastmaster			
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer (N)	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Police Videos	Greed: The Series	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (N)					
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Funny Flubs & Screw-Ups	Now and Again	Nash Bridges	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
14	46	ESPN	Horse Racing (Live)	Sportscenter	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 5 -- Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	Baseball Tonight (N)	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight (N)										
33	60	DSC	Gimme Shelter	Your New House	Wild Discovery: Deception	On the Inside "Poker"	News	Discover	Storm Warning! (N)	On the Inside "Poker"	News	Discover						
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice "Lush Life"	In the Heat of the Night	ER "Dead of Winter"	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live)	Insid NBA	★★½ "With Honors" (1994, Comedy-Drama) Joe Pesci.										
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order	Biography: Charles Atlas	Investigative Reports	Poirot "Dead Man's Mirror"	Law & Order "Paranoia"	Biography: Charles Atlas								
27	63	TNN	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	Waltons "The Sermon"	Waltons (In Stereo)	Extreme Wrestling	Rollerjam (In Stereo)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)	Bowling (In Stereo)	Championship Rodeo								
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	'N Sync	Catdog	U Pick Nicktoons (In Stereo)	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne			
17	65	USA	Baywatch "War of Nerves"	Crush	Friends	JAG "Crossing the Line"	Walker, Texas Ranger	★★★ "Death Wish" (1974, Drama) Charles Bronson.	★★★ "The Ambulance" (1990, Suspense) Eric Roberts.									
28	68	FAM	★★★ "Lucas" (1986, Drama) Corey Haim. (In Stereo)	Paranoia (In Stereo Live)	Higher Ground (In Stereo)	Houdini: His Secrets	Paranoia (In Stereo Live)	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge								
43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	★★½ "Seduction in a Small Town" (1997, Drama)	Once and Again (In Stereo)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls							
45	ESPN2	ESPNNews	Auto Racing (Live)	RPM 2Night (N)	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National -- Hardee's 250.	Boxing: Friday Night Fights -- Council vs. Ortiz	Derby Week	NBA 2Night	NHL 2Night									
29	49	AMC	(4:30) "Son of Fury" (1942)	★★★ "Jesse James" (1939, Western) Tyrone Power.	★★★ "The Getaway" (1972, Adventure) Ali MacGraw.	Cinema	★★ "The Gorgon" (1964) Peter Cushing.	Curse of Mummy's Tomb										
50	HGTV	Grow It!	Designer's	Fix It Up!	Dream	Old House	Workshop	Great Antiques Hunt (N)	Interiors	Small Space	Home Front	By Design	Great Antiques Hunt	Interiors	Small Space			
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jmys.	Sliders (In Stereo)	Brimstone "Poem"	Farscape (In Stereo)	Good vs. Evil (In Stereo)	Lexx: The Series	Farscape (In Stereo)	Good vs. Evil (In Stereo)								
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War	Mountain Men	History's Lost & Found	True Story of the Bridge on the River Kwai	Century: America's Time	History's Lost & Found										
55	TOC	Outdoor	Paid Prog.	Outdoors	Outside	Am. Archer	Outdoors	Outdoor	Outdoors	Water Craft	Goblin	Venture	Hunting	Prospectng	Fishing	Outdoors	Outdoors	
20	14	HBO	(4:30) ★½ "Disorderlies"	Gladiator	Americanos: Latino Life	★★½ "Who Am I?" (1998, Action) Jackie Chan. 'PG-13'	★★½ "Bone Daddy" (1998) Rutger Hauer.	Dennis M.	Arliss	Arliss								
15	HBO2	(4:30) "Looking for Lola"	★★½ "Forces of Nature" (1999) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'	★★★ "Hilary and Jackie" (1998) Emily Watson. 'R'	John Leguizamo's Freak (In Stereo)	Matrix	The Corner											
16	HBO3	(4:45) ★★ "The Innocent" (1993) 'R'	★★★½ "A Soldier's Daughter Never Cries" (1998) Kris Kristofferson. 'R'	Sex and-City	Sex and-City	★★½ "Slums of Beverly Hills" (1998) 'R'	★★ "Beaches" (1988, Drama) Bette Midler.											
21	17	MAX	(4:00) ★★ "Stella" (1990)	★★ "How Stella Got Her Groove Back" (1998) 'R'	★½ "Trippin'" (1999) Deon Richmond. 'R'	Love Child	★ "Forbidden Sins" (1999) 'NR'	Passion	"Club Wild Side 2" (1998)									
18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey	So Weird	★½ "Meet the Deedles" (1998) 'PG'	M2M & BBMak in Concert	"P.U.N.K.S." (1999, Adventure) Randy Quaid. 'PG'	Zorro	Mickey							
22	SHOW	The Souler Opposite	★★ "Life Stinks" (1991) Mel Brooks.	★½ "Godzilla" (1998, Science Fiction) Matthew Broderick. (In Stereo)	Stargate	Outer Limits "Glitch" (N)	Beggars and Choosers	Red Shoe										
25	TMC	Undgrmd	★ "The Godson" (1998, Comedy) Rodney Dangerfield.	★★ "The Big Hit" (1998) Mark Wahlberg.	★★½ "A Simple Plan" (1998, Drama) Bill Paxton.	★★ "The Gingerbread Man" (1998) Kenneth Branagh.												

# Family Learning Vacations Start Here

(NAPSA)-A free booklet of 16 driving tours, created by the Valley Forge Convention & Visitors Bureau, offers scenic routes that highlight the nation's history and heritage for an entertaining and informative vacation for the whole family.

With the new Daytripper's Guide to the Valley Forge Countryside, families can choose among self-guided driving tours to create a fun learning vacation on one of 16 themes, including:

- Rediscover the Revolution
- African-American Heritage: Freedom's Trail
- Family Fun
- Gardens and Galleries

Each of the itineraries is a one-day tour, and includes historic background, descriptions of the sites and driving directions to guide visitors in exploring the area's countryside.

"These tours help visitors make the most of their vacation in the Valley Forge area," said Bureau President Paul R. Decker.

The booklet also includes a list of free things to do in the area, including visiting historic sites; touring a potato chip or chocolate factory or a family farm or learning about nuclear energy and electricity.

The Daytripper's Guide to the Valley Forge Countryside is available free from the Valley Forge Convention & Visitors Bureau by calling 610-834-7969 or writing: Valley Forge CVB; 600 W. Germantown Pike; Plymouth Meeting, PA 19462. The tours are also posted on the Bureau's web site at [www.valley-forge.org](http://www.valley-forge.org).

## Smile

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make a decision on her order. In just a second, she's going to ask you a question and give you four answers to pick from. Then you've got 30 seconds to answer her before the rest of the people in line here start battering her with napkin holders and straw dispensers. Are you ready? OK, Linda, you have 30 seconds starting now."

"All right, Clara, here's my question. Which meal should I order based on price, opinion? (A) Cheeseburger; (B) Chicken salad with ranch dressing; (C) Grilled chicken sandwich with mayo and lettuce; (D) Big Mac and fries."

"It's B," she replied.

"Are you sure, Clara?" Linda queried.

"Yes."

"How sure are you?"

"Eighty percent sure," she quoted before the dial tone cut her off.

"What do you say, Linda? You've used all your life lines," the server huffed.

"Well, Clara is slim and trim and has a low cholesterol count," she nervously replied. "I guess I better go with B, the chicken salad with ranch dressing."

"Is that your final answer?"

"That's my final answer," she replied, heavily.

After a long pause the server said, "Oh, I'm sorry, but we're all out of chicken salad. NEXT!"

Rebecca Lynn Howard, May 3  
Paintsville Walmart





# Tips on buying luggage

(NAPSA)—A lot has changed since most people last shopped for a travel bag, say experts on luggage and leather goods.

"Luggage makers are not only providing innovative upgrades to existing products—they are offering consumers new products that take advantage of changing technology," says Anne DeCicco, president of the Luggage & Leather Goods Manufacturers of America (LLGMA), the trade association representing the luggage industry.

Anne Fleming, marketing director for Atlantic Luggage, the second largest manufacturer of luggage in the world, suggests consumers ask these questions when buying luggage.

1. How much do you want to spend?
2. What luggage has the most features for the money you want to spend?
3. How often do you travel?
4. Will you be checking the luggage or carrying it on the airplane?
5. How long has the company been making luggage, and what is its reputation?

"Whatever the price range, answers to these questions will help consumers buy luggage that serves their travel needs and reflects their personal fashion sense," says Fleming.

For more information on how to select luggage, call 1-800-523-5029 or email Atlantic Luggage at info@atlanticluggage.com and ask for 10 Questions to Ask About Luggage.

## Fiber arts are featured at Berea

Join the Old Town Artisan Village of Berea, in a celebration of the fiber arts.

On May 6, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., see demonstrations in quilting, weaving, papermaking, basket weaving and more.

Quilts by Flora Allen will be on display at the Berea Welcome Center. For more information, call 1-800-598-5263.

## Community Chorus in concert Sunday

Prestonsburg Community College's Community Chorus will have its spring concert on Sunday, April 30.

The event is set for 3:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg.

The choral group will perform musical selections from Gilbert and Sullivan's "HMS Pinafore."

The performance is free and open to the public.

# AUTOTALK

## 2000 Ford Excursion Limited 4WD

By Zane Binder

This is it, folks: The largest sport-utility vehicle you can buy. It's Ford's gigantic Excursion, a behemoth 7.5 inches longer than the former record holder, Chevrolet's Suburban. It can seat nine in relative comfort, tow 10,000 pounds, tote tremendous amounts of cargo ... and do it all simultaneously!

Inside the 7,190-pound Excursion Limited you'll find acres of room in the twin leather-covered Captain's Chairs (bench seating is available). In fact, there's more than adequate legroom for even the tallest driver. The rear seat is spacious, though not as well padded, and the back bench is equally pleasant. Even with these seats, upright cargo volume is enormous; a full-size spare is standard, too.

In front of the driver sits an instrument panel chock-full of analog gauges; overhead there's a storage console that complements the huge one between the seats. Cupholders abound throughout

this \$40,900 base price vehicle, as do power points. Safety wasn't neglected either. You'll find driver and passenger airbags, four-wheel antilock power disc brakes and Stability Control standard. Under the hood of this veritable giant that's based on Ford's F250 pickup, you'll discover an excellent 310-horsepower, 6.8-liter (410 cubic inch) V-10 engine. It produces enormous low-end pulling power; the torque curve is flat. Though desirable in a vehicle that casts a shadow the size of an eclipsed moon it also means you may yearn for enhanced highway passing ability. Remember, though, the Excursion isn't made for aggressive or high-speed driving: even a short trip will convince you this extremely tall vehicle possesses a high center of gravity and simply won't tolerate being tossed about. Zero to 60 acceleration was measured at 10.5 seconds, with fuel economy on regular unleaded observed at 10 city and 14 highway (EPA 12 city/16 highway).

Surprisingly, the ride and handling on the Excursion need a lot of work.

While Ford has endeavored to make the Excursion car-like, its ride is still extremely jouncy and archaic. Handling can't realistically be expected to shine, but this vehicle employs radials that are much too skinny for its size and a suspension that's not as state-of-the-art as it could be. Even on smooth roads and going at slow speeds, the Excursion bounces much more than you'll like. Moreover, freeway speeds actually take some time to grow accustomed to. And don't even think about parallel parking. Owners will need to plan well in advance where they'll park this beast. Its 54-foot turning circle isn't conducive to small spaces!

Overall, unless you absolutely must have the Excursion's few extra inches of length, Chevrolet's Suburban is much more sophisticated. Remember: Besides gas mileage, there are a lot of downsides to owning any vehicle this large.

E-mail questions and comments to Zane Binder at Opossum@ix.netcom.com.

## CRITIC'S CORNER by DNA Smith

### BLACK AND WHITE

Filmmaker James Tobak believes that hip-hop is the engine driving our country to a racially level playing field. Tobak also believes that the hip-hop culture, combined with interracial relationships, will pave the road that'll get us there.

His film "Black and White" is a collage of loosely strung together, mostly improvised vignettes that supposedly illustrate his philosophy.

But, I think, the film ultimately disproves his premise that the more blacks and whites date, the more the barriers of race will be torn down. Instead, if the movie's ending is any indication, what will happen is that blacks will ultimately congregate with other blacks, whites with whites, and gays with gays.

This is not to say that "Black and White" is a bad movie. On the contrary, "Black and White" is a sometimes chilling, always brutally honest portrait of a major aspect of race relations in America.

The cast is comprised of seasoned actors like Robert Downey Jr. and Ben Stiller thrown together with Bijou Phillips, members of the Wu-Tang Clan, N.Y. Knicks star Allan Houston, rapper Method Man, supermodel Claudia Schiffer, and boxer-felon Mike Tyson, who dominates every scene he's in and gives a surprisingly good performance.

Brooke Shields, playing a dreadlocked yuppie-documentary filmmaker, asks some prep-school kids who've embraced the thug life, "Why do so many white people want to be black?"

The kids give her plenty of lame responses, but the answer "Black and White" gives us is this: Upper-middle-class white people are dissatisfied with their safe, bland existence, so they gravitate towards the ghetto for a taste of danger. In other words, "for kicks." Not out of respect for the people in the ghetto or their plight, but for what the whites can take from the blacks.

None of the white characters seems to acknowledge the humanity of his black associates. Claudia Schiffer's character — a cold, manipulative grad student of cultural anthropology — sees the ghetto not as a real-life hellhole that real people are dying to escape, but as a life-sized Skinner Box; and she regards her black boyfriend Allan Houston as just another laboratory animal she can intellectually and emotionally dissect.

The black characters know they're being used by the white characters, but they don't care, because they are using the whites for their own purposes. In fact, everyone in this film is driven by his or her own self-interest, not the altruistic or noble cause of improving race relations, as Tobak would like us to believe.

There is nothing in the film that suggests that these people — and by extension we as a country — are getting any closer to realizing Dr. King's dream of a colorless society.

But then, perhaps "Black and White" isn't a primer on how we can make things better, but how we will make things worse if we don't stop looking out for Number One and start caring about each other.

Grade: A  
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## TOP TEN MOVIES

1. Rules of Engagement (R)  
Samuel L. Jackson, Tommy Lee Jones
2. Erin Brockovich (R) Julia Roberts
3. The Road to El Dorado (PG)  
Feat. the voice of Kevin Kline
4. Return to Me (PG-13) David

### Duchovny, Minnie Driver

5. The Skulls (PG-13) Joshua Jackson
6. Ready To Rumble (PG-13) David Arquette
7. Romeo Must Die (R) Jet Li
8. High Fidelity (R) John Cusack
9. Final Destination (R) Devon Sawa
10. American Beauty (R) Kevin Spacey, Annette Bening



# BASIC AND PREMIUM CHANNELS

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| 1. TVN Previews (Digital only)    | 11. WVAH 11 - FOX Hurricane, W.VA  | 22. Cinemax*                     | 32. Cartoon Network      |
| 2. WSAZ 3 - Huntington, W.VA      | 12. ESPN                           | 23. USA                          | 33. AMC                  |
| 3. HBO*                           | 13. WOWK 13 - CBS Huntington, W.VA | 24. CNN Headline News            | 34. WGN - Chicago        |
| 4. WCHS 8 - ABC Charleston, W.VA  | 14. ESPN2                          | 25. TNT                          | 35. The Learning Channel |
| 5. Cable Ch. 5 - West Van Lear    | 15. VH-1                           | 26. The Discovery Channel        | 36. The Weather Channel  |
| 6. CNN                            | 16. QVC                            | 27. MTV                          | 37. TV Land              |
| 7. WTBS - Atlanta                 | 17. The Family Channel             | 28. Country Music TV             | 38. A & E                |
| 8. WPKY - KET Pikeville, KY       | 18. TNN                            | 29. Nickelodeon                  | 39. The Outdoor Channel  |
| 9. WPBY 33 - PBS Huntington, W.VA | 20. Lifetime                       | 30. Sci-Fi Channel               |                          |
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Beckley, WV	56	44	sh	56	45	s	69	47	s	61	48	s	73	40	pc
Bristol, TN	66	47	sh	65	49	s	75	51	s	76	51	s	76	43	pc
Charleston, WV	66	46	sh	60	44	pc	62	46	s	70	48	s	72	44	pc
Cincinnati, OH	58	44	sh	62	42	pc	60	34	s	66	38	pc	77	47	pc
Clarksville, TN	76	53	pc	77	55	s	77	56	s	84	55	pc	82	50	pc
Evansville, IN	71	50	s	71	51	s	74	52	pc	75	53	pc	80	52	pc
Frankfort	64	49	pc	68	50	s	70	54	s	77	54	pc	76	48	pc
Huntington, WV	62	47	sh	59	48	s	67	51	s	78	53	pc	81	45	pc
Indianapolis, IN	63	46	sh	65	46	pc	68	49	pc	70	50	pc	75	50	pc
Jackson	62	45	c	67	46	s	69	50	s	76	52	pc	77	47	pc
Knoxville, TN	68	50	sh	74	50	s	78	54	s	80	54	s	76	50	pc
Lexington	62	48	c	67	49	s	69	53	s	76	54	pc	77	48	pc
Louisa	62	47	sh	60	48	s	67	51	s	78	53	pc	81	45	pc
Marion	72	52	s	73	53	s	75	54	pc	79	55	pc	80	53	pc
Memphis, TN	72	52	s	74	56	s	78	58	pc	78	60	pc	80	60	pc
Nashville, IN	72	50	pc	76	52	s	80	56	s	80	54	pc	78	52	pc
Paintsville	65	48	sh	69	49	s	72	52	s	78	54	pc	81	46	pc
Peoria, IL	70	46	s	67	45	s	68	47	pc	69	49	sh	73	54	pc
Portsmouth, OH	62	47	sh	66	48	pc	67	51	s	76	53	pc	80	46	pc
Salyersville	64	47	sh	69	49	s	72	52	s	78	53	pc	81	46	pc
Tazewell, VA	61	46	sh	64	47	s	74	49	s	74	50	s	75	41	pc
Valley Station	70	50	pc	70	52	s	76	54	s	74	52	pc	70	50	pc
Wheeling, WV	58	44	sh	58	32	c	67	46	pc	61	49	pc	68	43	pc
Williamson, WV	63	48	sh	63	50	s	69	52	s	79	54	pc	82	45	pc
Winchester	62	48	c	67	49	s	69	53	s	76	54	pc	77	47	pc

### COUNTY OUTLOOK



#### Jenny Wiley State Park

A shower early today, then a little sun. Brisk and chilly Saturday with times of clouds and sun. Winds from the northeast at 12-22 mph. Sunny Sunday with winds out of the north at 15-25 mph. Waves will be near a foot this weekend with unrestricted visibility.

#### Dewey Dam Lake

Showers will end early today, but clouds will break for some sunshine. Winds from the northeast today, then becoming northwest by Sunday. Speeds of 12-25 mph likely through Sunday with waves up to a foot. Visibility generally unrestricted.

### ALMANAC

Jackson for the week ending Apr. 25.

#### Temperatures:

High for the week	84°
Low for the week	37°
Normal high	69°
Normal low	48°
Average temperature	54.1°
Normal average temperature	58.3°
Temperature departure	-4.2°

#### Precipitation:

Total for the week	1.30"
Total for the month	4.97"
Total for the year	12.98"
% of normal this month	152%
% of normal this year	82%

### SUN AND MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri.	6:39 a.m.	8:19 p.m.
Sat.	6:38 a.m.	8:20 p.m.
Sun.	6:36 a.m.	8:20 p.m.

	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri.	3:47 a.m.	2:35 p.m.
Sat.	4:21 a.m.	3:35 p.m.
Sun.	4:54 a.m.	4:38 p.m.

### MOON PHASES



Weather (W): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, l-ice.

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