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Hall attends clerks' conference

FRANKFORT — The 2006 Circuit Clerks Fall Conference focused on court procedures that involve mental health issues such as involuntary hospitalization and treatment for alcohol and drug abuse. Douglas Ray Hall, circuit court clerk for Floyd County, participated in the conference, which was hosted by the Administrative Office of the Courts in Louisville Nov. 15-17.

The circuit clerks also attended sessions on office management techniques, statewide case management standards and quality assurance in court record keeping. Representatives from Trust for Life gave a presentation on the ongoing charitable campaign sponsored by the KACCC to promote organ donation throughout Kentucky.

Guest speaker Charlotte Wethington spoke about her efforts to pass Kentucky House Bill 192, which is known as the Casey Wethington Act for Substance Abuse Intervention. Wethington, who lost her son to a heroin overdose, was the driving force behind the law that enables parents to place adult children into treatment against their will.

"The Office of Circuit Court Clerk is often called upon to handle cases surrounding mental health issues," said Clark County Circuit Clerk David N. Hunt, who is also president of the Kentucky Association of Circuit Court Clerks. "We wanted to ensure that circuit clerks know how to handle these important cases appropriately and with sensitivity."

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Victims face long road in eBay case

by ALEX SMITH
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Now that the eBay theft case has ended with Deborah Wallen and Gora Wicker receiving prison sentences Nov. 22, the attention now turns to the victims and the compensation they will receive.

As part of their plea agreements,

Wallen and Wicker are each required to make restitution of \$10,000 within 90 days of their sentencing date. Both will also be required to make monthly payments upon their release from prison, at a rate of \$200 for a period of five years.

Altogether, the women will be responsible for paying out \$44,000 to the victims, far less than the estimated

\$300,000 worth of items stolen from the 17 victims in the case.

Victims in the case were brought in by the Prestonsburg Police Department to describe their items and then to look through a catalogue that was made of all the stolen items. If something belonged to a victim, it was released back to them.

Prestonsburg Police policy says the

department must wait 30 days after the case ends before they can dispose of unclaimed possessions, but the PPD plans to keep everything until they cannot find anymore victims.

"The case is over, we got the sentencing, but the case will go on for quite awhile because we have a duty as

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GIVING ST. NICK A HAND



photo by Jessica Hale

Critina Cordial, a Prestonsburg Wal-Mart associate, participated in the "Bells Ringing Across America" event on Tuesday. Wal-Mart stores across the country expressed their support for the Salvation Army as associates rang the red kettle bells.

Kentucky Power says it's ready for winter weather

by ALEX SMITH
STAFF WRITER

As the calendar rolls into December with temperatures remaining mild, the last thing on many people's minds is their winter heating bills.

Kentucky Power, a unit of American Electric Power, provides electricity to approximately 175,000 customers in 22 counties in Eastern Kentucky.

The predominant source of electricity in the area comes from coal, something the state has an abundance of. Ron Robinson, the corporate communications manager for Kentucky Power, said Kentucky in general enjoys the lowest rates in the country, paying two to three cents less per kilowatt hour of electricity.

"Because we have an abundance of it, we don't have the volatility in coal as in gas,"

Robinson said.

A kilowatt is a measure of available power, usually measured in kilowatt-hours. A kilowatt-hour is a measure of continuous electric current flow used to measure energy. A kilowatt-hour of energy on average costs between 2 and 20 cents depending on where, when and whom it is purchased from.

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Report: Methane leak, safety violations sparked deadly blast

by SAMIRA JAFARI
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PIKEVILLE — Safety violations including use of an open flame torch near a leaky methane seal sparked a deadly underground explosion at an Eastern Kentucky mine in May, authorities said Friday.

The protective seal was "poorly constructed" and failed to meet federal guidelines, according to a report from the state Office of Mine Safety and Licensing. Five miners died in

the May 20 explosion at the Kentucky Darby No. 1 Mine in Harlan County.

The torch ignited the leaking methane as two of the victims — mine foreman Amon Brock and maintenance worker Jimmy Lee — were repairing metal straps that intersected the top of the seal, the report said. The straps were used as underground roof supports.

"In this case, what was done was clearly against regulations," said Susan Bush, commissioner of the state Department for

Natural Resources.

The report said Brock and Lee also shouldn't have been allowed to use a torch at that site because ventilation current passed through the area on its way to the surface.

Roof straps must be removed before a seal is built, and they are frequently cut away using hand tools that don't create sparks, officials said.

Bush said state mine safety officials would use the informa-

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Big Sandy ADD wanting to bring major airline to area

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Hopes of bringing a regional airport to the area are still weighing on the minds of Big Sandy Area Development District members, as discussed at their monthly board meeting on Thursday.

Randall Wiedemann, with R.A. Wiedemann and Associates Inc., was present to update the board concerning his company's progress in finding out if a regional airport would be feasible for the area. Members of the board have been talking for some time about trying to get an airport in the area to potentially bring in more businesses.

Wiedemann has worked for several months preparing to conduct a feasibility study to determine if the area would benefit from a

regional airport. The study will address things such as travel destinations, socioeconomic trends, tourism and airport costs and benefits. Wiedemann also discussed the need to be able to provide any potential airline with an incentive package, a marketing plan of sorts which would provide them a reason to choose the area.

The airport would either be located in Pike County or at Big Sandy. A video documentary will be made in order to acclimate airlines to the area and its people. Wiedemann says he thinks once the airlines see what the area has to offer, they will want to get in on all the opportunities.

The study is expected to be completed in approximately one year and is expected to provide a better look into what course of action the area needs to take.



photo by Jessica Hale

High winds throughout the area on Friday made for great flag weather. According to the National Weather Service, some areas in Eastern Kentucky experienced wind gusts up to 60 mph as a strong cold front moved across the coalfields. Numerous cities had downed trees and high winds also caused some structural damage in West Liberty.

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Regional Obituaries

FLOYD COUNTY

■ Emma Jean Francis, 87, of Venice, Florida, formerly of Prestonsburg, died Saturday, November 25. Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Farley Funeral Home.

■ Eileen Coleman Blair Hall, 81, of Banner, died Friday, November 24, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Barbara (Bobbie) Hurd, 66, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, November 29, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. Funeral services were held Saturday, December 2, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Doris Anne Clark Hyden, 76, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, November 29, at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington. Funeral services were held Saturday, December 2, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Ethel Mae Tackett Meade, 76, of McDowell, died

Saturday, November 25, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Curtis Moore, 75, of Garrett, died Friday, November 24, in the Riverview Healthcare Center, in Prestonsburg. He is survived by his wife, Betty Carol McCloud Moore. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Brose Newsome Jr., 73, of Prestonsburg, died Saturday, November 25, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Rilda Johnson Newsome. Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Phelps & Son Funeral Home.

■ Niagara Melton Riley, 85, of Lexington, died Thursday, Nov. 23, in Lexington. He is survived by his wife, Nell Ruth Riley. Funeral services were held Sunday, November 26, under the direction of Hall Funeral

Home.

■ Clarisse Bailey Towslee, 70, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a Betsy Layne native, died Saturday, October 14, at her residence. Memorial services were held Saturday, November 18, at the Akers Cemetery, in Prater Creek.

■ Rev. Abe Vanderpool, 95, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, November 22, in the Riverview Healthcare Center in Prestonsburg. Funeral services were held Saturday, November 25, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

JOHNSON COUNTY

■ William Edward (Billy) Griffith, 68, of East Point, died Monday, November 27, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Della Davis Griffith. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 29, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

PIKE COUNTY

■ Lenora Collier Bentley, 79, of Virgie, died Monday, November 20, at Pikeville

Medical Center. A memorial service was held Saturday, November 25, under direction of Hall and Jones Funeral Home.

■ Eloise Coleman, 73, of Millard, died Friday, November 24, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Monday, November 27, under the direction of Lucas and Son Funeral Home.

■ Dixie Mae Yates Damron, 73, of Greasy Creek, died Sunday, November 26, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 29, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Myrtle Damron, 74, of Virgie, died Monday, November 27, at Jenkins Community Hospital. Funeral services were held Thursday, November 30, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Gladys Hunt Fields, 90, of Mouthcard, died Monday, November 27, at her residence. She is survived by her husband, Joe Pinson Fields. Funeral services were held Friday, December 1, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Theodore Fuller, 57, of Steele, died Friday, November 24, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Victoria A. Fuller. Funeral services were held Monday, November 27, under

the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Doris Jean Heflin, 78, of Dix Fork, died Sunday, November 26, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. There were no services. Arrangements, under direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

■ Sharon Kay Hinojosa, 54, of Weslaco, Texas, formerly of Pikeville, died Sunday, November 26, at her home. Funeral services were held Friday, December 1, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Cora Elkins Howell, 87, of Pikeville, died Thursday, November 30. Funeral services will be held Sunday, December 3, at 1 p.m., under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Sabrina J. Hughes, 26, of Pikeville, died Friday, November 24, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Lucas and Son Funeral Home.

■ Lola Mae Riddle Maynard, 99, of Pikeville, died Thursday, November 23, at the Pikeville Health Care Center. A private graveside service was held Sunday, November 26, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Barbara Ellen Meade, 65, of Virgie, died Sunday, November 26, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. She is

survived by her husband, Rusha Meade. Funeral services were held Thursday, November 30, under the direction of Hall & Jones Funeral Home.

■ Nell Stone, 82, of Rockhouse Fork of Caney, died Monday, November 27, at her residence. Funeral services were held Thursday, November 30, under the direction of Hall & Jones Funeral Home.

■ Belle Tackett, 60, of Pikeville, died Monday, November 27, at Pikeville Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, James E. Tackett. Funeral services were held Thursday, November 30, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

MARTIN COUNTY

■ Myrtle Mills, 44, of Tomahawk, died Sunday, November 26, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Services were held Tuesday, November 28, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

LAWRENCE COUNTY

■ Tennie Davis, 83, of Louisa, died Monday, November 20, at Three Rivers Medical Center, in Louisa. Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 22, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Mine where 5 died is abandoned

The Associated Press

HARLAN — The coal mine where five miners were killed in an explosion last spring in Eastern Kentucky has been sealed and the mine abandoned, federal regulators said.

Kentucky Darby Mine No. 1 in Harlan County never resumed operations after the fatal blast May 20. State and federal officials are still investigating.

The company owes \$5,110 for 41 violations not related to the explosion, according to federal Mine Safety and Health Administration records. Neither the state nor MSHA has issued violations directly related to the explosion.

The mine was sealed about Nov. 10, according to Amy Louviere, an MSHA spokeswoman.

The company's phone number was disconnected, and co-owner Ralph Napier did not return calls. The other owner of Kentucky Darby, John D. North, could not be located.

State and federal regulators denied that the abandonment could hamper efforts to collect fines, as some mine safety advocates suggested.

Mark York, spokesman for

the Kentucky Environmental and Public Protection Cabinet, said Kentucky assesses fines against those holding a mine's license, not against the mine company.

Louviere said in a statement that MSHA "pursues uncollected fines from operators of abandoned mines no differently than from operators of active ones."

"When a mine shuts down, the controlling company is still responsible for the abandoned mine's outstanding debt," she said. "In the case of Darby, as with any operation, all uncollected fines that have not been paid within 180 days of issuance will be referred to the Treasury Department for collection."

Tony Oppgard, a former state and federal mine safety

official, said an abandoned Darby "could be a roadblock" to collecting federal fines quickly. Regulators may have to take additional legal steps to make an individual, rather than a company, liable for penalties.

Oppgard is one of the lawyers representing four of the families of the Darby victims.

President Bush signed sweeping mine-safety legislation in June that, among other things, gives the secretary of labor new powers to shut down operators who fail to pay fines.

After Kentucky's Office of Mine Safety and Licensing issues its findings on the May 20 blast, penalties will be decided by the Mine Safety Review Commission.

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The general misconception about heating bills is that you will pay ahead of time for electricity you have yet to use, when in fact you pay only for what you use. You can expect to pay more per month when you leave your lights on all day, have poor insulation in your home or set the thermostat at 80 degrees for two months straight. Typically, people use more energy depending on what kind of winter it is; the colder it is, the

higher the bills. Robinson said AEP does not look at prices but at how much energy will customers could potentially use. When it comes to customer energy usage, AEP is traditionally a winter peaking company, meaning they have to make sure that at any one time there is plenty of electricity available for all of their customers, something Robinson forecasts should not be a problem this winter. "We're expecting a typical

Eastern Kentucky winter, with variances that can change here and there," Robinson said. The Kentucky Public Service Commission determines what prices AEP will charge each year, with this year's rates going up from \$0.0592 to \$0.0686 per kilowatt-hour. The boost was finalized in March 2006 after a yearlong case study to decide if the hike was necessary. "People ask will my bills go up? It depends on what you

use," Robinson said. "If you use less total hours this year than last year, you won't notice change." Forty-four percent of Kentuckians heat their homes with natural gas, with prices expected to be one-third lower than they were during last years winter heating season. The Kentucky Public Service Commission reports natural gas prices will be lower for the first time in four years. "Natural gas production

from the Gulf Coast, which supplies most of Kentucky's gas, is back to normal following last year's hurricane's, and the market has stabilized," said PSC Chairman Mark David Goss. Electrical companies generally offer basic heat saving tips which will help lower heating bills, including keeping the thermostat set to 68 degrees, making sure your home is well insulated, and making sure air vents are unblocked. Robinson

said companies stress conservation as a means to lower bills. "You probably can't tell a lot of difference between 75 degrees and 73 degrees, yet it will save you money."

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Report

tion in the report "to prevent similar occurrences at this mine and other mines." The Darby mine was sealed off and abandoned Nov. 10, federal authorities have said. State officials released their report to the public Friday, a day after giving it to the families. Tony Opeppard, an attorney representing four of the victims' families, said the miners' widows still had unanswered questions about who ordered Brock and Lee to repair the

straps. "It didn't bring any peace at all. I think it was very difficult for all of them," Opeppard said Friday. "There was anger and sadness." According to witness testimony, Brock said repairs had to be made to the area before a federal inspector from the U.S. Mine Safety and Health Administration, who was inspecting the mine the week of the explosion, returned to the site two days later. MSHA, which is conduct-

ing its own investigation into the blast, declined the state's formal request to interview the inspector, Stanley Sturgill, and obtain copies of his notes pertaining to the mine, state officials said. The federal agency also required Kentucky investigators to submit questions in writing to Sturgill. State officials on Friday said they received Sturgill's responses late Thursday and haven't had time to review them. Brock, 51, and Lee, 33,

died at the site of the explosion for blunt force trauma and heat injuries. The other three victims — Roy Middleton, 35, Bill Petra, 49, and Paris Thomas Jr., 53 — died from carbon monoxide poisoning and smoke inhalation while trying to escape. A sixth miner, Paul Ledford, was rescued with minor injuries. A lawyer for Ralph Napier, an owner of mine operator Kentucky Darby LLC, called the state's report incomplete. "We disagree with many aspects of the report. But I don't want to get into specifics right now," attorney Kent Hendrickson said. "There's a more complete MSHA federal report to follow."

The federal report is expected to be released by March, Fillpot said. Calls to Napier's home went unanswered and co-owner John D. North could not be located for comment. Other major findings listed in the state's report were: In March, Darby mine examiner Tom Lunsford notified mine boss Ralph Napier that metal roof straps were present where the seals were to be constructed later in the month. Napier allowed the seals to be built anyway. During seal construction, the fiberglass blocks used were "dry stacked" without adhesive and were not secured properly to the mine floor, which violated the ventilation plan. The sealant that was sprayed over the seal also was not approved by MSHA. The torch found at the explosion site had its fuel and oxygen valves turned toward the "off" position. However, both valves were still positioned to release fuel to the torch.

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Victims

law enforcement officers," Det. Steve Little said. Some victims have been able to retrieve some of their possessions that were sold on eBay, but the number of items recovered this way has been low because it is hard to track down items. Little said people who bought some of the stolen

items have called him to confirm whether the items were actually stolen, and in some cases returned the items to the owners for free. "The percentage of people getting things back like that is low," Little said. Restitution will be paid out once all the victims have had

their insurance claims finalized. How much each individual is able to recoup from insurance companies will be a determining factor in how much of the restitution money each victim will receive. The money will be divided percentage-wise based on what they were unable to recover.

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Guest view

Learn from hiring mistakes

Kentuckians now know the truth. After 17 months of testimony taken from at least 150 witnesses, the report of the special grand jury investigating the Fletcher administration's Merit System hiring practices recently was released. We've read the report, and it does not paint a pretty picture of what took place.

In the report's first sentence, the grand jury identifies its important goal: one of informing the public of its findings of "widespread abuse of the merit system."

Responsible, law-abiding citizens across the commonwealth should congratulate grand jurors for doing so. Light now clearly shines on the truth of what took place and the laws that were broken through Gov. Ernie Fletcher's "Personnel Initiative." And this light shines regardless of all the pardons Fletcher extended to those indicted during the course of this investigation, the blanket amnesty he further extended everyone else in his administration who might have been indicted in the future, and his routine verbal crusade against the investigation, Attorney General Greg Stumbo and the grand jury itself.

To quote the document, "This report details a widespread and coordinated plan to violate merit hiring laws. This investigation was not about a few people here and there who made some mistakes as Gov. Ernie Fletcher has claimed. The Governor's Personnel Initiative was formulated at the highest level of state government and approved by Gov. Fletcher. Entire Cabinets and departments were tasked with carrying out various parts of this illegal plan. Senior administration officials were charged with the duty to give periodic reports regarding its status. Those who got in the way of the plan were fired or moved. The long-range goal was to implement this plan in all of the Executive Cabinets, and the groundwork had been laid for that to happen."

Gov. Fletcher publicly responded to the release of the report by saying it was full of the "same old stuff."

It appears more accurate to us that his administration — at least as far as this investigation has revealed — has been full of the same old stuff. The report reveals that the "Personnel Initiative" was crafted and implemented with the governor's involvement and approval to accomplish the same "good old boy" cronyism that he vowed he would eradicate from state government if elected when campaigning for office in 2003.

The settlement deal struck between Fletcher's lawyers and the attorney general's office months ago effectively shielded the governor from any legal consequences of his actions outlined in the report. That's the way the justice system often works for those at this level of power.

For those whose livelihoods were damaged by his and his administration's actions, we hope the public release of this report somehow provides a degree of redress.

Even more importantly, we hope the sunlight that has been cast on the political discrimination that took place in violation of Kentucky's merit hiring laws casts a long and enduring shadow. A shadow that will hold Fletcher, those remaining in his administration and others to follow him in the future never to let this happen again.

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Rich Lowry Column

The welfare reform miracle

This year marks the 10th anniversary of the most extraordinary cultural and policy shift in recent American life — the revolution wrought by President Clinton's signing of a welfare-reform bill in August 1996. Pro-work reforms of welfare had been bubbling up from the states since the early 1990s, but the federal legislation completed a change in philosophy that rippled into the lives of single mothers, changing them dramatically for the better.

If the kind of social progress brought by welfare reform had been caused by a liberal policy, its architects would be enjoying Kennedy School sinecures. But the rebels who changed the welfare status quo were conservative intellectuals and office-holders. The only tribute to them is the facts, recounted in congressional testimony by the Heritage Foundation's Robert Rector, the intellectual godfather of reform, and in a new book, "Work Over Welfare," by Ron Haskins, a former staffer on a key congressional committee.

Welfare caseloads have dropped 60 percent since the passage of welfare reform. Was that just the result of a strong economy? No. Caseloads didn't decline significantly in any of the eight periods of economic expan-

sion from the 1950s to the mid-1990s. From 1953 to 1994, the number of families on welfare dropped in only five years, and two years in a row only once. By 2005, welfare caseloads had been declining for a stunning 11 straight years.

Work requirements, and the message sent by reform that dependence is unacceptable, got former recipients into the work force. "From 1993 to 2000 the portion of single mothers who were employed grew from 58 percent to nearly 75 percent," Haskins writes. Among never-married mothers, the most disadvantaged group, employment grew by 50 percent. "Employment changes of this magnitude over such a short period for an entire demographic group are unprecedented in Census Bureau records," he adds.

If a mother is on welfare, it basically guarantees that she will be poor. If she has a job, she will probably have more income, and her children will be better off. So, child poverty dropped every year between 1994 and 2000. In 1995, the black child poverty rate was a little higher (41.5 percent) than it had been in 1971 (40.4 percent). Welfare reform sent it

plummeting to 30 percent by 2001, when "the poverty rate for black children was at the lowest point in national history," Rector writes.

Welfare reform, then, has affected the lives of millions of people. If the 1999 poverty rate had still been at 1990 levels, there would have been another 4.2 million poor mothers and children. If the illegitimacy rate had continued at its pre-reform pace, another 1.4 million children would have been born out of wedlock. Welfare reform has created a fundamentally different and better dynamic in the nation's anti-poverty policy.

More worrisome is that the success of the 1996 law has relieved pressure on policymakers to keep states from backsliding on enforcing work requirements. And the ultimate reform in poverty policy won't come until government encourages marriage among the women who now become single mothers. If that seems a hopelessly ambitious cause, a little more than a decade ago people said the same about reforming welfare.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

The Rich Lowry column



beyond the beltway

You're not hungry, just insecure

by DONALD KAUL
MINUTEMAN MEDIA

Franklin Delano Roosevelt, on the eve of his nomination for president in 1932, said: "I see one-third of a nation ill-fed, ill-housed and ill-clad." Ever since, American presidents have promised to end hunger. None of them has.

Not John Kennedy with his plans cut short, not Lyndon Johnson who used them to build his own Great Society, not Ronald Reagan with his "a rising tide raises all boats" philosophy, not Bill Clinton, who felt everybody's pain. Until now. George W. Bush, who didn't even promise to end hunger, has done it anyway. And in time for the holidays.

In fact, mere days before Thanksgiving, Mr. Bush's Department of Agriculture issued its annual report on food availability and, lo and behold, no one was listed as "hungry." Take that, FDR!

It seems that the USDA had done away with the "hungry" category in its 2006 report because the word is an imprecise, non-scientific term. Instead, those who can't afford to put food on the table are now said to have "very low food security." This year, that group was even bigger than last year — 35 million, or 12 percent of the population. But no hunger.

Good for our side. Now if President Bush would only get to work on the ill-housed and ill-clad issues we could get on about the business of carving a place for him on Mt. Rushmore.

But if you're surprised that 35 million Americans have very low

food security and that 11 million reported going (you should pardon the expression) hungry at times, you shouldn't be.

I know that we're the greatest country in the world — just ask us — but there are certain minor areas in which we lag behind much of the industrialized world. I'm talking matters almost too trivial to mention: life expectancy, nutrition, housing, health services, education, employment.

The United Nations each year publishes a "human development" index, ranking countries according to the ability to provide their citizens a chance at a long and prosperous life.

It turns out that Norway, land of the steeply progressive income tax, is the place most likely to help you live long and well. Capitalistic America is no better than eighth, coming in behind Iceland, Australia, Ireland, Sweden, Canada and Japan. To which I can only say in rebuttal: "Our rich people are richer than your rich people and we don't make them pay taxes either. Ha, ha."

If that doesn't make the Norwegians and the rest of those socialists emerald green with envy, nothing will.

Meanwhile, back in Washington, President Bush and the Democrats have already started making good on the promise to be bi-partisan.

Mr. Bush's fired off the first gesture by nominating a man who does not believe in the United Nations (John Bolton) to be our U.N. ambassador and a man who doesn't believe in contraception (Eric Keroack) to oversee federally funded planned parenthood programs. The appoint-

ments are in keeping with Bush's philosophy of putting incompetents (former FEMA head Michael Brown) and outright saboteurs (former Secretary of Energy and auto industry shill Spencer Abraham) at the controls of government to demonstrate that government doesn't work.

The Democrats — who like government and think we should have more of it — haven't contrived their bi-partisan answer yet; they've been too busy fighting themselves. Nancy Pelosi's first move on becoming the presumptive Speaker of the House was to try to strong-arm Abseam scandal-tainted John Murtha of Pennsylvania, into the No. 2 House position.

Rep. Steny Hoyer of Maryland, however, had his own ambitions for the job. In addition, he had the votes so he won, thus making Ms. Pelosi not merely the first woman ever to lead the House, but the first to enter office carrying her head underneath her arm. But never fear. She's hoping to salvage her reputation for leadership by naming Rep. Alcee Hastings of Florida chairman of the House Intelligence Committee.

Hastings, you might remember, was the federal judge impeached on a bribery charge. Tell me again why we voted the Democrats into office. I keep forgetting.

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**This Town,
That World**

Editor's Note: For years, Floyd County Times founder and former publisher Norman Allen wrote a weekly column that looked at Floyd County through his eyes. His columns are being reprinted due to request.

THE NIGHT SANTA WAS DRUNK

(From "This Town—That World," Dec. 22, 1955)
The little boy, filled with the excitement that Christmas brings to early childhood, was Faith personified. He knew there was a Santa Claus. He knew that Santa and his reindeer covered the whole earth, the night before Christmas, and that he came down chimneys in the darkness of the night, after the fire had died down, and while everybody slept, silently filled stockings and left toys under the Christmas tree for good, little boys and girls. He knew he did, because his Dad and Mom had told him so.

This Christmas Eve, the little boy lay awake for a long while. He would so like to see Santa. He knew Santa Claus was a fat, smiling old fellow, dressed in red and white, and that he wore big boots. But he would like to see him. Would he have a story then to tell his friend, Johnny!

Finally, as his eyes grew weary and just before he drifted off to sleep, the little boy decided on something else. He would not try to see Santa, this time — he would just wait till morning and go out there in the snow and find Santa's tracks.

Next morning, the child was up with the break of day, and his father winced as the door banged. The father had stayed out late, the night before Christmas, with convivial companions. Now he was paying the penalty.

"Wish people would learn to be quiet!" he muttered crossly.

The woman who was his wife—the woman who should have been named Patience—said nothing. She was watching her little son, out there in the snow. She tried to think the things that were in the child's mind. The boy was walking in zigzag fashion, following Santa's tracks.

There was a place in the snow where it looked as if a sleigh had come to earth. Or could it be where somebody had slipped and fallen! The child wasn't sure. But these footprints—how zigzaggy they were! One print over here, the next far to the right, then left, then right, and on, in wandering fashion toward the house. Could Santa have carried a pack so heavy that he staggered, under the burden?

Then the child found the empty bottle, there where Santa had walked. He picked it up, turned it in his hands, finally tossed it aside.

He burst into the room where his father still lay in bed. The disillusioned child went straight to his mother.

"Mama," he sobbed, "I saw, Santa's tracks, and he staggered, and I found a bottle—Mama, Santa was drunk last night."

There was no solace for the lit-

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SINGING FOR THE SEASON



The Big Sandy Singers, from Big Sandy Community and Technical College, will be featured at an Album Release Party for their second album "Going Home," as part of the annual BSCTC Evening of Christmas Concert on Dec. 16. The album cover presents each singer (left to right, front to back) Technical Director and Producer Timothy Cooley, Brad Davis, Louanna Calhoun, Director Laura Ford Hall, Brandon Maynard, Recca Conn, Jessica Keathley, Susan Scott, Cheryl Combs, Troy Burchett, Frances Branham, and Assistant Director Clayton Case.

Big Sandy Singers to release album, perform Christmas show

The Big Sandy Singers, the elite, auditioned, student singing ensemble from Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSCTC), will be releasing their second album "Going Home" at an Album Release Party in conjunction with their Christmas Concert on Saturday, Dec. 16 at 7:00 PM, in the Gearheart Auditorium, Pike Building, Prestonsburg Campus; an event sponsored by the Big Sandy College Educational Foundation, Inc.

The Big Sandy Singers are directed by BSCTC Instructor and veteran Kentucky Opry member Laura Ford Hall, with Timothy Cooley - album producer and technical director, and Clayton Case, assistant director, and member of the Kentucky Opry.

Auditions are held for the group yearly and are open to BSCTC students and MSU at BSCTC students. The singers who are chosen receive a \$1,200 scholarship to attend the school as well as in-studio recording experience. "Going Home" is the second album the group has recorded.

BSCTC President, Dr. George Edwards, along with producer Cooley, oversaw the installation of the Big Sandy Productions Studio on the BSCTC campus last year. This is the second group album recorded in the on-campus studio, and the group plans to record a group album yearly as well as individual student solo albums. The public can receive any album of their choice for a \$10 or more donation to the BSCTC Music and

Drama Club.

The donations received for albums help to fund the Music and Drama Community Outreach Programs at the college which include programs for ages 7 through senior citizens. The college offers a variety of programs including the BSCTC Music and Drama Summer Camp for Children, InHarmony Women's Community Chorus, Serenade - a singing group comprised of female community members, the BSCTC Theatre Troupe, the Big Sandy Idol Music Scholarship Program for high school students, and the Big Sandy Singers. Those who donate can know that their money is going for a very good cause - to bring cultural arts experiences to our eastern Kentucky communities, while receiving a wonderful product in return, created by our own eastern Kentucky young men and women.

"We are so very excited about releasing this album," Hall said. "This truly is a dream come true for the students and for Tim, Clayton and myself. We have been so blessed by God to have received such wonderful support from the college president and so many others. However, without his vision and support this would have not been possible."

The recording process started in August when each student began going into the studio to lay down their solo track. The group tracks followed. The album features these 14 pop, country, and gospel songs each sung by the Big Sandy Singers: "Father Who Can," by the

full ensemble; "Boondocks," by the full ensemble; "Over the Rainbow," by Susan Scott; "Who I Am," by Jessica Keathley; "Lucky One," by Louanna Calhoun; "Believe," by Clayton Case; "Kerosene," by Recca Conn; "The Dance" by Brad Davis; "Something to Talk About," by Cheryl Combs; "Some Gave All / God Bless America" by Troy Burchett and the full ensemble; "God Bless the Child," by Frances Branham; "XXL," by Brandon Maynard; "I Love the Lord," by Laura Ford Hall; and "Long Black Train," by Timothy Cooley. Songs were each produced by Cooley with vocal direction by Hall.

The Album Release Celebration is part of the annual BSCTC Evening of Christmas which will feature performances by InHarmony Women's Chorus, and Serenade, followed by The Big Sandy Singers who will treat the audience members with a live performance of songs on the album as well as Christmas music. In addition, the Singers will be signing autographs, and the album will be available to the public for the first time. Refreshments will also be served.

Tickets to the concert and release are \$3 each and are available at the door. Make plans to attend this wonderful celebration of Christmas and the achievement of these students in the completion of their album.

For more information call or email Laura Ford Hall at (606) 889-4764; laura.hall@kctcs.edu.

MOVIES FROM
THE BLACK LAGOON

'Slither'

by TOM DOTY
TIMES COLUMNIST

The Yuletide season is sorley lacking in monsters, so this month the Lagoon aims to correct that problem by spotlighting movies which feature bonafide creatures. We kick off the theme by highlighting the latest creature feature and will highlight lesser known beast flicks in the weeks to come.

Screenwriter James Gunn ("Scooby Doo" and the "Dawn of the Dead" remake) marked his directorial debut with this fast-paced sci-fi thriller that pays tribute to several classic films while maintaining its own style and incorporates plenty of laughs in between the gory chills.

Like many 1950s films, this one opens with a meteorite crashing to earth. The difference here is that it lands in the town of "Wheelsly," where nothing ever happens and the inhabitants don't notice the event that is about to dramatically change this year's deer season. The event is also missed by town sheriff Bill Parody, who is trying to nap in his squad car while his deputy uses the radar gun to clock the flight speeds of domestic birds.

The meteorite turns out to be a space egg that discharges a slug-like critter that quickly hops on board the town's chief businessman, Grant Grant. While under the influence of this space parasite, Grant begins to exhibit some changes, which include flatulence, skin sores and a passion to impregnate a local woman with space spores that he delivers to her through tube-like projections which sprout from his chest.

Wheelsly is a small town and this behavior does not go unnoticed. Parody arrives at Grant's home to interrogate him and surprises him in the act of trying to lay a hand, actually a tentacle, on his wife Starla. Grant flees the scene, but nothing is finished.

Soon there are reports of livestock going missing coupled with accounts of a giant squid prowling the woods. Parody puts together a posse to stake out a cow farm and their efforts are rewarded, somewhat, when Grant makes an appearance.

Unfortunately, he has become a deadly hybrid of man and space creature and can now split a man in two with one of his tentacles at about 10 paces. They track him to his lair, a dilapidated barn, where they find the missing woman who now resembles a Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade float. She's just a head perched on what appears to be a giant bubble of flesh that Grant has been raiding farms to feed.

The surprised sheriff tries to remain calm and question her, which leads to one of the film's best lines as the head requests that Parody hand her some of that decaying possum on the barn floor. He doesn't get much information however as she explodes and the barn is soon awash in a thousand space slugs that immediately insert themselves into most everyone's mouth, prompting the town's mayor to observe, "What kinda thing wants you to eat it?"

Pretty soon the slugs get into just about everybody and that's not the

(See LAGOON, page six)

A dad says goodbye

by JOSEPH DANZIGER
"CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE COLLEGE SOUL"

I watched her and her mother decorate her college dormitory room. Everything in place, organized and arranged, just so. Attractively designed bulletin board with carefully selected and precisely cut colored paper. Pictures and remembrances throughout of her dearest friends. Drawers and boxes under the bed. Her room nicely accommodates not only her clothes, accessories and

bric-a-brac, but her roommate's as well. I closely monitor that which I would have, in the past, ignored, knowing that this time is different. As her half of the room takes on her essence, I begin to accept that her room at home is no longer hers. It is now ours. Our room for her when she visits.

I find myself thinking of when I held her in the cradle of my arm, in the chair alongside my wife's hospital bed. One day old. So small, so beautiful, so perfect, so totally reliant on her new, untested parents. All

manner of thoughts went through my mind as I examined her every feature for what seemed to be an eternity. Time marches relentlessly.

She looks up now, catching me staring at her, causing her to say to her mother, "Mom, Dad's looking at me funny."

The past few days, I touch her arm, her face — anything — knowing that when my wife and I return home she will not be with us and there will be nothing to touch. I have so much to say, but no words with which to say it.

My life changed from the day I tighter. drove this child home from the hospital. I saw myself differently that day, and it has led to a lot of places that I would never have found on my own.

She says: "It'll be all right, Dad. I'll be home from school soon." I tell her she will have a great year, but I say little else. I am afraid somehow to speak, afraid I'll say something too small for what I'm feeling, and so I only hold on to our goodbye hug a little longer, a little



I gaze into her eyes and turn to go. My wife's eyes follow her as she leaves us. Mine do not. Maybe if I don't look, I can imagine that she really hasn't gone. I know that what she is embarking upon is exciting and wonderful. I remember what the world looked like to me when everything was new.

As I walk to the car with my wife at my side, my eyes are wet, my heart is sore, and I realize that my life is changing forever.

Tom and Ray settle a reader's bet

by TOM and RAY
MAGLIOZZI

Dear Tom and Ray:
My gentleman friend and I have a steak dinner bet riding on your answer to this question. I say using the cruise control on our highway trips saves gas. It saves gas because I am not bopping between different speeds, just going at one

steady speed. He says this uses more gas. He adds that there is some component that actually uses gas to run the cruise control; therefore, we are using more gas! I think that sounds a little nutty! So tell us ... who will be ordering the perfect steak? — Christine

TOM: You'll be ordering, Christine, and he'll be buying.
RAY: Using cruise control

on the highway does save fuel, for exactly the reason you say: It keeps you moving at a very steady speed. Continuing to move at a steady speed uses less fuel than accelerating.

TOM: When you drive without cruise control, you tend to slow down, speed up, slow down, speed up, etc. And each time you have to haul that 3,500-pound hunk of steel back up to speed, you use more gasoline than you would have used if you had just kept it cruising steadily.

RAY: Plus, cruise control keeps you from accidentally going too fast — from looking down and suddenly noticing that you're doing 80 — which is the biggest waster of gasoline. Because wind resistance increases by the square of your speed, wind resistance increases by about 50 percent between 65 mph and 80 mph. That takes a HUGE toll on your mileage, because your

engine has to push your heap through that much more wind.

TOM: To address your friend's other point, Christine, the cruise-control system is run off of engine vacuum and electricity. There's no cruise-control system that runs off of gasoline. So have him buy you a bottle of Ravenswood Sonoma County Old Vine Zinfandel to go with your filet mignon for that boneheaded suggestion.

RAY: We should add that in the old days, you could make the argument that cruise control could occasionally waste fuel. For instance, let's say you had it set to 65, and you cancelled it by stepping on the brake and then slowed down to 45. When you turned it back on, by hitting "Resume," older cruise-control systems would simply floor it until you were back up to 65. That hard acceleration certainly wasted some gas. Newer cruise-control sys-

tems, in contrast, are smarter and accelerate much more smoothly.

TOM: But even with an old system, unless you were turning it on and off frequently, you'd still come out ahead because of the steady speed you'd maintain on the vast majority of your trip.

RAY: But if you want to throw your gentleman friend a bone (after you've finished eating the rest of the steak), you can tell him that under certain circumstances, older cruise-control systems could waste some gas. But, generally speaking, you are completely correct, Christine. Buen provecho!

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If you buy a used car, will you just be inheriting the previous owner's problem? Tom and Ray dispel this and other myths about used cars in their pamphlet "How to Buy a



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Allen

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tle boy. A great faith had been destroyed, an idol had fallen. He had lost something he would never regain.

But all was not heartbreak in the house, that Christmas morning.

The father rose, shaking,

and manlike, fighting back the tears. He spoke gently to the woman who should have been named Patience.

"Mary, will you believe me?—Santa Claus will never, as long as I live, come to this house drunk again."

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worst of it. Turns out they all become the Grant/space creature hybrid, which gives Grant an army that he can see through and act with. They truss up Starla and bring her back home, where Grant awaits and the sheriff must beard Grant in his lair with the town's only other survivor, a teen girl who proves more than capable of handling herself. It's an exciting finale that also demonstrates that Grant can infect other creatures, including a deer that seems more than happy for the opportunity to hunt humans.

The final duel with Grant is set in his living room, where he has merged with several of his victims to become a giant fleshy orgy of one which ratchets up the yuck factor and leads to a classic moment wherein Starla tries to seduce Grant by appealing to his human side while sidling up to him with an ivory letter opener stashed in her Victoria's Secret undergarment. To give away more would be too disgusting, so let's just say that this will end messy and leave it at that.

This one works due to the inspired script by Gunn. He is that rare talent who can draw inspiration from other films and still come up with something unique. Here he blends the best elements of several 1950s flicks which were all so individually compelling that they have been remade constantly. Gunn basically blends the plot elements of "The Blob," "The Thing," "Invasion of the Body Snatchers" and "The Fly" into an amalgamation of sci-fi/horror and man-

ages to keep the whole thing fresh.

He is well aided by exceptional special effects and a cast that is game for anything. Michael Rooker ("Henry: Portrait of a Serial Killer") has the most difficult role as Grant but manages to act through a ton of make-up and make the character compelling as well as keeping a human element of him alive despite being sealed under a ton of make-up at the film's finale.

Gregg Henry (Mel Gibson's backstabbing partner in "Payback") steals all of his scenes as the town's blowhard mayor who attributes Grant's condition to Lyme disease and sprinkles his vocabulary with liberal, though well chosen, uses of the F-bomb.

The real revelation here though is Nathan Fillion as Sheriff Pardy. He's a reluctant hero who soldiers on despite the fact that he has no idea what to do at any given time. Fillion resists the urge to go over the top and his understated performance allows everyone else to reach for the stars.

The film also delivers a classic take on Psycho's shower sequence by depositing a young lady in a bathtub that is soon rife with space slugs. It's a signature moment that was used in the film's advertising campaign and is worth the price of a rental alone. Audiences didn't turn out for this one when it played theaters but it is ripe for rediscovery on DVD.

Best line: "The worms are in their brains."
2006, rated R.

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Two Perry County men arrested, charged with poaching 2 bull elk

TIMES STAFF REPORT

FRANKFORT — Conservation officers with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources arrested two Perry County men Wednesday and charged them with poaching two bull elk near Hazard.

Alan R. Combs, 33, of Hazard, was charged with two counts of spotlight-

ing and two counts of illegally killing and possessing elk. As of Friday morning, he remained lodged in the Kentucky River Regional Jail in Perry County in lieu of a \$2,000 cash bond. The second person, Anthony Fugate, 32, of Viper, was released after posting \$2,000 bond. He faces two counts of illegally killing and possessing elk, and one count of spotlighting.

Conservation officers Lt. Frank

Campbell, Greg Watts and Billy Collett conducted the investigations and made the arrests after learning about the Nov. 19 evening incidents on the old Lost Mountain strip mine.

Campbell said Combs, with two young children in the vehicle with him, killed a small bull with a 20-gauge shotgun and slug sometime after dark. While trying to hide the vehicle, he became stuck and called

Fugate for help. The two then removed the head of the small bull and later killed a bigger 6x6 bull and removed its head as well. They left the carcasses of the two animals in the field.

The officers recovered one of the antlers from the larger bull from Combs' vehicle. Later, officers recovered the other three antlers from Fugate.

Combs is scheduled for arraignment in Perry District Court Monday. Fugate has a trial date set for Dec. 11 in Perry District Court. Convictions could bring up to one year in jail, a \$5,000 fine and \$2,500 replacement cost for each poached elk. A conviction also could result in the forfeiture of any equipment used as well, including firearms and vehicles. The spotlighting charges carry \$300 fines each.

Shootout field will feature 21 drivers

TIMES STAFF REPORT

DAYTONA, Fla. — A 21-driver field has been set for the 29th annual Budweiser Shootout on Feb. 10, 2007 at Daytona International Speedway.

Eligible drivers either won a pole the previous season or are a past Budweiser Shootout champion.

With only prize money and the prestige of winning at "The World Center of Racing," the Budweiser Shootout turns into a no-holds barred race with an electric atmosphere.

"It's a fun race," said Elliott Sadler, who drives for Evernham Motorsports. "It's a race you don't have to worry about points. You can go out there, it's under the lights, and you can try to win and try to do certain things that can make you or break you. It's just a great race. It's a great way to get started."

Dale Jarrett and Brian Vickers will be behind the wheel of Toyotas in the manufacturer's first Cup Series event, while Denny Hamlin will be gunning for back-to-back Shootout victories.

Hamlin became the first rookie to win the Budweiser Shootout when he led 16 of the final 21 laps and held off restrictor-plate titans Earnhardt Jr. and Stewart in a green-white-checked finish.

"I can't believe it," Hamlin said in his post-race interview. "It wasn't but two years ago I was here. Dale Earnhardt Jr. invited me to come and stay in his motor home. That's the only time I'd ever been to Victory Lane. I just can't believe it."

Speedweeks 2007 schedule—Jan. 27-28: Rolex 24 At Daytona; Feb. 10—Budweiser Shootout; Feb. 15—Gatorade Duel; Feb. 16—Craftsman Truck Series race; Feb. 16—IROC; Feb. 17—Busch Series race; Feb. 18—Daytona 500.

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2006 Pole Winners—Greg Biffle: Las Vegas, Richmond;

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PLENTIFUL SEASON



The 2006 state deer harvest still has a chance to surpass the 2005 campaign as many hunters have had success.

Modern gun deer season harvest up; record year still a possibility

TIMES STAFF REPORT

FRANKFORT — A rainy opening day kept some hunters indoors, but Kentucky's 2006 modern gun deer harvest is still the second highest on record.

More than 88,000 deer have been taken with modern firearms this year, topping the 2005 modern gun harvest by almost 4,000 deer and bringing the total statewide deer harvest to just under 110,000 so far. A record deer harvest this year is still a possibility as late muzzleloader season, free youth deer hunting weekend and the remainder of archery and crossbow seasons are still to come.

"The harvest seems to have rebounded," said Tina Brunjes, big game program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "We'll surpass last year's total harvest, but whether or not we'll surpass the record 2004 season is going to hinge on muzzleloader season."

Brunjes is hoping for clear, cold weather during late muzzleloader season to get the deer moving and increase harvest. Hunter success is closely tied to deer movement, as seen in the record 2004 harvest, when hunters took more than 124,000 deer, about 90,000 of those with modern firearms. A statewide mast (nut) failure that fall forced deer to move more in search of food, helping hunters' success in the woods. Last fall, an above-average mast crop meant deer didn't have to move as much to find food, but this year's nut crop was closer to average.

With a statewide deer herd estimated at more than 900,000 animals, hunter success is on the increase. One con-

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Deer Harvest Results

North East Region

County	Male	Female	Total
Lawrence	762	670	1432
Bracken	701	656	1357
Carter	705	592	1297
Lewis	656	509	1165
Greenup	633	484	1117
Morgan	504	368	872
Boyd	471	389	860
Mason	400	323	723
Fleming	358	275	633
Rowan	347	260	607
Robertson	310	214	524
Nicholas	276	245	521
Pike	392	118	510
Johnson	273	219	492
Elliott	287	191	478
Bath	251	150	401
Menifee	198	173	371
Floyd	258	44	302
Montgomery	168	107	275
Magoffin	220	35	255
Martin	119	114	233
Total	8289	6136	14425

(As of Friday, Dec. 1)

Lady Pats hold off P'burg girls

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

HAZARD — Playing in neighboring Perry County, Knott County Central built an early lead and was able to brush back Prestonsburg in the second half Thursday evening in an opening round game of the Queen of the Mountains tournament. Megan Mosley scored a game-high 22 points and teammate Kendra Thomas netted 12 as Knott County Central defeated Prestonsburg 62-51.

Knott County Central (1-0) established an early lead, outscoring Prestonsburg 16-3 in the first quarter. Prestonsburg was able to bounce back and outscore Knott Central 20-8 in the second quarter as the game got interesting before the second half got underway. The Lady Patriots, after taking a 24-23 lead into the second half, outscored the Lady Blackcats in both the third and fourth quarters on their

(See PATS, page eight)

Ladycats top Wolfe County in Cordia tourney

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

CORDIA — It didn't take the Betsy Layne Ladycats long to get in the win column during the 2006-07 season. Betsy Layne posted its first win of the new campaign Wednesday night when it defeated Wolfe County 55-38 in the opening round of the

Cordia Tip-Off Tournament. After beating Wolfe County in the opening round, Betsy Layne earned the right to face North Laurel Friday night in the tour-

(See CORDIA, page eight)

Adams gets 'A' versus AC

TIMES STAFF REPORT

EASTERN — The Adams Middle School Blackcats traveled to Allen Central Middle School Thursday for a trio of boys' basketball games.

In the A-team game, Adams Middle won 40-33, improving to 5-1 overall. Adams was led in scoring by Alex Griffith, who fired in a game-high 17 points and also had double figures in rebounding. Nate Fraley poured in six points for Adams and Wil Allen added five. Warren Blackburn and Seth Carter each had four points for the Blackcats. Joseph Jamerson rounded out the scoring for Adams with two points.

Braxton Tackett led the Rebels with 12 points. Micah Harlow added eight points and Jacob Prater scored five for the Rebels.

In the B-team game, the Rebels rolled over the Blackcats with a convincing 48-28 win. Braxton Tackett led Allen Central with 17 points. Micah Harlow added 12 points for the host Rebels.

Joseph Jamerson scored 13 points to lead Adams and Wes Robinson pumped in 9 points for the Blackcats.

Adams also won the C-team contest. The Adams C-Team, following the win, improved to 4-3.

All area grade school and middle school boys' basketball coaches can fax scoresheets from their games to The Times at 886-3603.



READY FOR A SEASON-OPENER: Jordan Hall (10) and his Prestonsburg High teammates are set to open the season Tuesday at home against Magoffin County.

ALC Eagles crush Ohio Christian

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PIPPA PASSES — Alice Lloyd outscored visiting Ohio Christian 53-29 in the first half Tuesday evening and closed the game out on a solid note, winning 99-62.

The Eagles shot 58-percent from the field. From beyond the arc, Alice Lloyd (5-4) connected on 56-percent of its attempts. The Eagles shot 71-percent from the free-throw line.

Daniel Combs paced Alice Lloyd with a game-high 22 points. Combs was eight of nine from the field. The game's leading scorer connected on six of seven three-point field goal attempts.

Floyd County native Shawn Newsome scored 18 points for the Eagles. Newsome was seven of 11 from the field and two-for-four from beyond the arc. The Allen Central High School graduate scored all of his points in just 16 minutes.

Rodney Mitchell and Corey Hairston aided the Alice Lloyd scoring effort with 12 and 11 points, respectively. Tyler Rich and William Dillard each had eight points for the host Eagles.

Alice Lloyd, which dominated Ohio Christian in every positive category, won the rebounding battle 39-25. The Eagles pulled down 29 defensive rebounds.

Alice Lloyd forced Ohio Christian into 16 turnovers. The Eagles also recorded nine steals.

Dan Garnett led Ohio Christian with 18 points. Garnett was one of three players to reach double figures. Ohio Christian struggled from the field (24 of 60) and beyond the arc (two of 15). Struggling Ohio Christian was limited to just seven offensive rebounds and committed 16 turnovers.

Shootout

Jeff Burton: Daytona, Chicago, Indianapolis, Michigan; Kurt Busch: Calif., Sonoma, Watkins Glen, Bristol, California, Martinsville; Kyle Busch: Phoenix; David Gilliland: Talladega; Jeff Gordon: Dover, Phoenix; Denny Hamlin: Pocono, Pocono, Richmond; Kevin Harvick: New Hampshire; Jimmie Johnson: Martinsville pole; Casey Kahne: Atlanta, Texas, Darlington, Mich., Kansas,

Homestead; Ryan Newman: Dover, New Hampshire; Scott Riggs: Charlotte, Charlotte; Boris Said: Daytona; Elliott Sadler: Talladega; Brian Vickers: Texas. Past Winners: Dale Earnhardt Jr. (2003); Bill Elliott (1987); Dale Jarrett (1996, 2000, 2004); Mark Martin (1999); Ken Schrader (1989, 1990); Tony Stewart (2001, 2002).

Pats

Senior Nicole Lutes scored a game-high 25 points and recorded eight steals to lead Breathitt County to the tournament win. Tierra Baker led Letcher Central (0-2) with 14 points. Baker was one of three players to score 10 or more points for the Lady Cougars. Breathitt County (2-0) did most of its damage in the first half. The Ladycats held a 37-17 halftime advantage over Letcher Central.

Queen of the Mountains Tournament

At Perry County Central Knott Co. Central 62, Prestonsburg 51. KNOTT CO. CENTRAL (1-0) — Ashley 4, Pratt 9, Gibson 7, Thomas 12, Mosley 22, Perry 2, Slone 4, Conley 2. PRESTONSBURG (1-2) — Slone 17, Whitaker 18, Chaffin 1, Fields 11, Hughes 4. Knott Co. Central 16 8 18 20—62. Prestonsburg 3 20 12 16—51

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Breathitt County 71, Letcher Co. Central 62. Letcher Co. Central (0-2) — Kincer 11, Mynster 8, Whitaker 6, Brashear 10, Baker 14, A. Sexton 13. BREATHITT CO. (2-0) — Lutes 25, Haddix 2, Shouse 5, T. Noble 11, Moore 2, Turner 19, K. Noble 8. Letcher Central...11 6 24 21—62. Breathitt Co.....13 24 21 13—71

Cordia

Freshman Megan Hamilton led Betsy Layne in scoring with a game-high 18 points. Krista Flanery scored nine points and Kaitlin Lawson, returning from a season-ending knee injury suffered last season, added eight. Amby Tackett netted seven points, Andie Meade scored five and Rachel Hamilton contributed four. Faith Reynolds and Lindsey Martin had two points apiece for the Ladycats. Betsy Layne outscored

Wolfe County in every quarter. The Ladycats led 14-11 when the first quarter came to a close. Betsy Layne led the Lady Wolves 27-17 at the half. The Ladycats finished the game on a very strong note, outscoring Wolfe County 14-8 in the last quarter. Flanery nearly pulled off a double-double for the Betsy Layne girls. She had a game-high 10 rebounds to go along with her nine points. Hamilton pulled down seven rebounds and Martin added

five four boards. Betsy Layne turned up the pressure on Wolfe County. Hamilton recorded five steals and Flanery had four swipes. Tackett dished off five assists for the Ladycats. Tiffany Wilson led Wolfe County with a team-high 12 points. Hope Quillin scored nine points and Kayla Spencer added eight for the Lady Wolves.

Deer

cern for wildlife managers this season is the ratio of buck to doe harvest. Nearly 54 percent of deer taken this year have been male, and biologists would like to see that percentage go down. "We need a little over 50 percent doe harvest, because that gives you a more stable deer population," said Brunjes. "We'd like to encourage hunters to take does as a management strategy, and we'd also like to encourage them to take advantage of Hunters for the Hungry." Kentucky Hunters for the Hungry is a hunger-relief orga-

nization that provides venison to homeless shelters and food banks throughout Kentucky. Hunters can harvest an extra deer and donate it free of charge to any participating deer processor, since the organization received enough donations this year to pay for all processing. A list of participating processors can be found in the Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide, at fw.ky.gov or www.huntersforhungry.org. Kentucky's late muzzleloader deer season runs Dec. 9-17 statewide. Last year, muzzleloader hunters harvested more than 8,000 deer during

the late season. Free youth deer hunting weekend runs Dec. 30-31, and kids 15 and under are allowed to use any legal deer hunting equipment during those two days without the purchase of a license or permit. Crossbow season runs through Dec. 31 and archery season, through Jan. 15. Hunters have harvested about 450 additional deer in this year's expanded crossbow season. For more information on deer hunting in Kentucky, pick up a copy of the 2006 Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide, available wherever hunting licenses are sold, or call 1-800-858-1549.

Fletcher appoints members to KHRA

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

FRANKFORT — Governor Ernie Fletcher today appointed three new members to the Kentucky Horse Racing Authority (KHRA) and reappointed five members. The new appointments were made to fill expired terms on the KHRA. "The growth of Kentucky's signature industry is important to our economy and to the well-being of many citizens," said Governor Fletcher. "I appreciate the willingness of these individuals to serve as members of the Kentucky Horse Racing Authority as the group continues their work for our horse industry." Kenneth Alan Jackson, of Lexington, is an attorney and owner of Kentuckiana Farms. Jackson is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and received his juris doctorate from the University of Louisville. He is a member of the Kentucky Equine Education Project Board, the United States Trotting Association, the Thoroughbred Club of America, the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association and

the Kentucky and Fayette County Bar Associations. He is married to Lisa Jackson. Jackson was appointed to serve a term ending January 6, 2008. Franklin S. Kling, of Villa Hills, is president and CEO of Saturday Knight, Ltd. He is a graduate of Thomas More College and a member of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Association, the Kentucky Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association, the Thoroughbred Club of America and the Keeneland Club. Kling was appointed to a term expiring January 6, 2009. Jerry Yon, of Lexington, is a self-employed physician. Yon is a graduate of the University of Illinois, the University of Kentucky College of Medicine and the University of Illinois Medical Center. He is a member of the Lexington Medical Society, the Kentucky Medical Association, the American Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy, the American College of Gastroenterology and the Thoroughbred Club of America. He is married to Pamela Mathis-Yon. Yon was appointed to a term expiring

January 6, 2008. Larry F. Telle, of Louisville, was reappointed to a term expiring January 6, 2008. Telle is a senior vice-president with the investment firm J.J.B. Hilliard, W.L. Lyons, Inc. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and has been an owner and breeder of racehorses since 1984. Telle is also a member of the Locust Grove Board of Directors. Kerry Cauthen, of Lexington, was reappointed to a term expiring January 6, 2009. A third-generation horseman from Kentucky, Cauthen is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and the University of Kentucky College of Law, director of the Consignors & Breeders Association and a member of the Keeneland Association and the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association. Cauthen has worked with horses on his family's farm in Walton and also worked for a number of Thoroughbred-related businesses including Taylor Made Sales, Eaton Sales and racetracks in New York and California. Connie Whitfield, of Hopkinsville,

was reappointed to a term expiring January 6, 2009. She is a graduate of Stanford University and received her juris doctorate from the University of California at Los Angeles. Whitfield previously served as an attorney with the U.S. Department of Justice in the Office of Legal Policy and helped formulate U.S. trade, natural resource and legal policy in executive positions at three U.S. government agencies: The United States Export-Import Bank, and the Department of Justice and Interior. Tom Ludt, of Nicholasville, was reappointed to a term expiring January 6, 2009. Ludt was the previous owner of Cromwell Insurance and currently serves as co-general manager of Vinery Ltd., a stallion farm with locations in Lexington and Ocala, Fla. He also serves as a board member of the Breeders Cup. Ludt owns a racehorse and has an interest in bloodstock partnerships. Waddell W. "Dell" Hancock, of Paris, was reappointed to a term expiring January 6, 2009. Hancock is co-owner of Claiborne Farms in Paris. She is a thoroughbred breeder

and photographer and a graduate of Foxcroft School in Middleburg, Va. Hancock is a member and steward of the Jockey Club and is active in the Kentucky Horse Park and The Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center. Hancock is the past president of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Association, The Grayson Foundation and the Thoroughbred Club. The KHRA was created and established on January 6, 2004, as an independent agency of state government charged with the responsibility of regulating the conduct of horse racing and pari-mutuel wagering on horse racing and related activities within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The authority is attached to the Environmental and Public Protection Cabinet for administrative purposes. The Authority consists of 13 members appointed by the governor, with the secretaries of the Environmental and Public Protection Cabinet, Commerce Cabinet, and Economic Development Cabinet serving as ex officio nonvoting members.

UK player named to Roger Clemens Award Watch List

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — Kentucky junior pitcher Greg Dombrowski has been named to the Roger Clemens Award watch list, annually given to the most outstanding pitcher in college baseball. The right-hander was dominant in 2006, leading Southeastern Conference Champion Kentucky in ERA (2.83) and wins (10). Dombrowski hurled 101.2 innings and forced opponents into a .280 batting average a year ago, only walking 11 batters. Dombrowski, who relies on a deadly breaking ball to force hitters in to ground-ball outs, was named to a National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association third-team pre-season All-American earlier in November. The finalists for the 2007 Roger Clemens Award will be selected by a national panel that includes all

Division 1 head baseball coaches, a selection of national media who cover collegiate baseball, and the 16 winners of the R. E. "Bob" Smith Award, which was presented to the top player in the country in Houston in 1988-2003. In addition, the 10 previous finalists for the Clemens Award are also issued ballots. The Roger Clemens Award was named after future Hall of Famer Roger Clemens, who began his march to stardom while leading the University of Texas to the College World Series title in 1983. As a major leaguer, Clemens has won 348 games (eighth best in history), fanned more than 4,600 hitters and won seven Cy Young Awards, emblematic as the top pitcher in his league. The Roger Clemens Award is the only award of its kind, honoring the finest pitchers in college baseball. The 62 pitchers named to the list included such names as David Price (Vanderbilt), Cole St. Clair (Rice), Joshua Fields (Georgia), and Nick Chiggas (College of Charleston). Last year's winner was first-round MLB Draft selection Andrew Miller of North Carolina.

Gray squad wins annual Eagle Baseball Blood Bowl

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MOREHEAD — The Morehead State University baseball's annual

Fall Blood Bowl ended with a sweep by the Gray squad and with a trip to visit the American Red Cross for the Blue team. The Gray Eagles swept the best of five series, 12-0, 2-1 and 3-2. In accordance with rules of the series, the men in blue donated blood at an American Red Cross blood drive. The Gray squad was captained by seniors Ryan Kinder, Henry Mabee, Chris McCaslin and Jarred Seasor. Gray team pitchers Tyler Lee (So., Mt. Sterling) and Quentin Morgan (Fr., Hyden) were named Co-Most Valuable Players for the series. The

winners got strong offensive performances from Eric Parker (C, Jr., Louisa), Seasor (C, Sr., Catlettsburg) and Drew Lee (INF, Fr., Mt. Sterling). In it's losing effort, the Blue team got excellent pitching from Clay Muntz (So., Cynthiana), Chris Roan (Fr., Louisville) and Tyler Bess (So., Brooksville). Offensively, the Blue's were led by Dustin Miles (OF, Sr., Louisville), Andrew Wertz (INF, Jr., Belmont, Mich.) and Christian Winstanley (C, Jr., Victoria, British, Columbia).



ONE OF THE STATE'S BEST: Johnson Central junior running back Shawn Grim (pictured taking a handoff) rushed for well over 2,000 yards during the 2006 season.

photo by Jamie Howell

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HAP LL meeting slated for today

BETSY LAYNE — Harold-Allen-Prater Little League will hold its next meeting today at 4 p.m. at the Betsy Layne Elementary School Library. Officers for the 2007 season will be elected during the meeting. For more information, call Steve Roberts at 478-2712 or Chris Newsome at 587-1730.



A six-pound, seven-ounce female bundle of joy arrived at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center at 7:14 p.m. Jan. 2, the first new born to arrive at Paul B. Hall in the New Year. Kyra Hope Spence, daughter of Rhea Cassidy and Kyle Spence of Lawrence County, arrived to greetings of joy and a basket full of gifts provided by the hospital and a host of local merchants. Included among the gifts was: a \$50 savings bond; a \$25 gift card from Wal-Mart, a car seat, diaper bag and baby blankets from Paul B. Hall (gifts given year round to all newborns at the hospital); stuffed animal and bibs from Paintsville Floral; free setting fee from John Michael, photographer; stuffed toy and book from Amy's Hallmark, baby blanket and bib from Dawahare's; Precious Moments Bible from Master's Miracle Christian Bookstore; shampoo, soap, powder and other baby necessities from Med Zone Pharmacy; baby clothes, blanket, diapers, bottle and other items from the Johnson County Health Department. Other items in the basket included baby wipes, baby bath, baby lotion, bottles, baby clothes, bibs, socks, wash cloths, spoons and much more. Sharing in the excitement of Paul B. Hall's 2008 Baby were the infant's maternal grandparents, Billy and Jennifer Cassidy and her paternal grandparents Chester and Sabrina Spence.

Man pleads guilty to election fraud in governor's race

by ROGER ALFORD
ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT — A Kentucky man has pleaded guilty to making illegal campaign contributions to a number of candidates in last year's governor's race, including former Gov. Ernie Fletcher who was defeated in his re-election bid.

The case against Phillip Dufour, an employee of state road contractor Elmo Greer & Sons of London, was resolved Friday by an agreement that required him to pay a \$10,000 fine. In addition, Elmo Greer and Sons agreed to pay \$250,000 to cover the cost of the investigation.

The agreement also requires the company to cooperate in further investigations by providing names of others who may have been involved, Attorney General Greg Stumbo said.

"Protecting our political process is essential to freedom," Stumbo said in a statement. "With this criminal plea and significant fine, we have fired a shot across the bow of all who seek to taint elections with illegal contributions."

Dufour entered his guilty plea to the felony charge in Frankfort County Circuit Court. Dufour and his attorney didn't immediately return calls seeking comment.

Prosecutors alleged that between Sept. 18, 2006 and Aug. 27, 2007, Dufour made improper payments to eight people who in turn made contributions to the gubernatorial campaigns of Fletcher, former Lt. Gov. Steve Henry of Louisville, and former U.S. Rep. Anne Northup of Louisville.

The investigation was sparked by a story last year in The (Louisville) Courier-Journal, which identified suspicious donations of up to \$1,000 to gubernatorial candidates from people working in low-paying hourly jobs.

Kentucky has a long-history of election fraud. In other cases in recent years, people have been accused of paying cash, even trading whiskey, for votes.

In late November, four eastern Kentucky officials were arrested on election fraud charges for allegedly trading government-owned gravel, asphalt and bridge-building

materials for votes in a local election last year.

Knott County Judge-Executive Randall Clinton Thompson, Deputy Judge-Executives John Mac Combs and Phillip G. Champion and former county Magistrate Ronnie Adams were accused in a federal indictment of misappropriating public funds to influence the outcome of the general election on Nov. 7, 2006. They entered not guilty pleas.

The previous Knott County judge-executive, Donnie Newsome, served 16 months in federal prison after being convicted of election fraud in 2003.

Federal prosecutors have also pursued cases in a number of other Appalachian communities, the latest of which was Bath County.

More than a dozen people were charged in an alleged scheme there to pay impoverished residents to vote for particular candidates. Among those charged were candidates for judge-executive, county attorney and sheriff, all of whom were either convicted or pleaded guilty.

Two county workers file suit against indicted Knott judge-executive

The Associated Press

HINDMAN — An Eastern Kentucky judge-executive, who was indicted on vote fraud charges, is facing new allegations in a lawsuit.

Knott County Judge-Executive Randy Thompson is accused of firing two former county workers because they did not support him in the

2006 election. Thompson became the first Republican to head the Knott County government.

The workers filed suit claiming that after Thompson's victory, they had to endure discriminatory work terms and conditions, harassment, humiliation and, ultimately, termination.

Thompson did not immedi-

ately return a phone call to his office on Friday.

In November, Thompson, deputy Judge-Executives John Mac Combs and Phillip G. Champion and former county Magistrate Ronnie Adams were accused in a federal indictment of misappropriating public funds to influence the outcome of the Nov. 7, 2006, general election.

Offender

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sheriff's that he would be moving to Floyd County, Kentucky.

In an affidavit by Laura McKesson, Deputy United States Marshal, it was stated that Akers registered with the Kentucky State Police through the Floyd County Probation and Parole office on August 3, 2005. Akers had no further contact with either Probation and Parole or KSP after that date. According to probation officials Akers was under the supervision of Pike County Probation and Parole.

According to McKesson, Akers resurfaced in South Bend in August, living with his

mother and siblings, who believed he had registered as required, said he had been living there since 2006.

Commonwealth's Attorney Arnold Brent Turner said Akers was indicted in Kentucky in October and pleaded guilty to a charge of failure to maintain registration, which carries with it a sentence of two years.

According to Turner, aside from the state sentence, Akers also broke federal laws when he crossed state lines and moved into Indiana without registering.

"He may be facing a more severe charge from the federal

government," said Turner.

On July 27, 2006, President George W. Bush signed into law the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act, which created the National Sex Offender Registry and made it a felony not to register or maintain registry as a sex offender.

The National Sex Offender Registry can be viewed at www.familywatchdog.us.



Obituaries

Marcedia Faye Stumbo Clatworthy

Marcedia Faye Stumbo Clatworthy, of Nashville, Tennessee, passed away Friday, December 21, 2007, in Nashville, following a brief illness.

She was born on April 11, 1935, the daughter of the late Ernest and Gertrude Stumbo of McDowell. She had been living in Nashville, for many years.

She is survived by her children: Marcedia (Larry) Burns of Mt. Olivet; Ernest Terah Clatworthy of Ypsilanti, Michigan; and Goldie (Troy) Williams of Maysville; and a sister, Sylvia (Lloyd) Reinhardt of Indianapolis, Indiana; four grandchildren: Nicole Burns Browning, Natasha Burns, Darren Williams, and Caleb Williams; several aunts and an uncle; many nieces, nephews, and cousins; and many friends.

Direct cremation occurred after death at the request of Ms. Clatworthy. She also requested no service be held.

(Paid obituary)

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Sharon Kay Risner Damron

Sharon Kay Risner Damron, 63, of Ivel, died Monday, December 31, 2007, at Salyersville Health Care.

Born December 5, 1944, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late James and Melba Prater Risner. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband, Ralph Damron.

Survivors include a son and daughter-in-law; Darren Douglas and Sue Damron of Ivel; a daughter and son-in-law, Latta Jo and Jeff Knapp of Concord, North Carolina; three brothers: Curtis Risner and James Lee Risner, both of Prestonsburg; and Gary Risner of Galion, Ohio; four sisters: Geneva Bates and Betty Lou Olmstead, both of Galion, Ohio; Karen Howard of Salyersville; and Kimberly Renee Goble of Ivel; her

grandchildren: Jeremy Lewellen, Dustin Damron, Bobby Blevins, Kaleigh Jo Knapp, and Wesley Theodore Knapp; great-grandchildren: Jerrid Charles, Allison Paige Lewellen and Madison Lewellen.

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 3, at 2 p.m., at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Rev. T. J. McNew officiating.

Burial was in Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Visitation was at the funeral home.

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com
(Paid obituary)

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Myrtle Alberta Skeans

Myrtle Alberta Skeans, age 92, of Martin, widow of Darbin C. Skeans, passed away Thursday, January 3, 2008, at Our Lady of The Way Hospital, Martin.

She was born August 13, 1915, in Martin, the daughter

of the late John Lee Hunter and Linda Alice Barnett Hunter. She was a retired salesperson, a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and she was active with the Martin Senior Citizens group, where she attended trip functions and worked in parades.

Survivors include a son, LeRoy Skeans of Sylvania Township, Ohio; three daughters, Janice Anita (Arthur) Wright of Leslie, Michigan; Linda Gail (Elmo) Neilsen of Leamington, Utah; and Glenna Fay (Tom) Anderton of Martin; 22 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a son, William Paul Skeans; two daughters, Darbia Jean Skeans and Alice Sue Owsley; four brothers, Ed Hunter, Newl Hunter, Clyman Hunter and Heber Ray Hunter; and a sister, Minnie Bell Shelton.

Funeral services for Myrtle Alberta Skeans will be conducted Monday, January 7, at 11:00 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Bishop Ken Carriere officiating.

Burial will follow in the Martin Cemetery, in Martin, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Visitation is from 6-9:00 p.m., Saturday, and from 2-8:00 p.m., Sunday, at the funeral home. (Paid obituary)

ATTENTION, FLOYD COUNTY REPUBLICANS: 95th HOUSE DISTRICT

A nomination convention will be held Monday, January 7, at 4 p.m. in the County Courthouse Law Library to elect a candidate to fill the seat vacated by Democratic Representative James Brandon Spencer.

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Bengals 13, Ravens 7

by JOE KAY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Best two out of three, anyone?

The defending AFC North champion Cincinnati Bengals and the upstart Baltimore Ravens have played twice this season. Both times, the visiting team won. Both times, the game was decided by six points.

See a pattern? The Bengals' 13-7 victory on Thursday night prevented the Ravens from clinching the division title and left the rivals thinking they might not have seen the last of each other. If the Bengals keep playing this way, they might both make the playoffs.

"I'd play them every day of the week," Ravens linebacker Bart Scott said. "We missed an opportunity, but our destiny is still in our hands. We

might see them again."

Despite one of their worst offensive showings of the season, the Ravens (9-3) are still in control of the division. They have a two-game lead over the Bengals (7-5) with only four to go, a huge margin for so late in the season.

"The reality of it is, we're 9-3 and we just have to take care of things and get better," said quarterback Steve McNair, who led the offense across midfield only once in the first three quarters. The Bengals are getting better by the week.

Since they gave up 42 second-half points in a loss to San Diego, the Bengals have gone back to playing like defending champions. Remarkably, one of the league's lowest-ranked defenses is leading the way. A 30-0 victory in Cleveland last Sunday was their first shutout in 17 years. Four days later, they blanked



the Ravens until the final 1:01, when Steve McNair threw a 36-yard touchdown pass to Derrick Mason.

The seven consecutive quarters without giving up a point is a franchise record. The seven points allowed in consecutive games also is a franchise first.

"If we keep going like that, we'll be fine," safety Dexter Jackson said. "Everything is possible. Look at the history of the NFL. It's not how you start, it's how you finish."

The victory left them a half-game behind Kansas City (7-4) and Denver (7-4) for the two AFC wild card berths, with a game left in Denver on Dec. 24. There's a chance to catch Baltimore, but that's a long shot.

Maybe that was the biggest difference on Thursday night. Cincinnati had to win to stay in contention. Baltimore is still in good shape to make the playoffs.

"Any time you have an opportunity to capture the division and don't, it is

disappointing," coach Brian Billick said. "When you put yourself in that position and don't follow through, that is unsatisfactory."

"Fortunately, we are in a position where we can control our own destiny and we move forward. We don't have to rely on anyone else. Nothing else has to happen except for us to play good football, and we are capable of that."

Their rematch turned on one sandlot play.

On their first drive of the second half, Carson Palmer handed off to Rudi Johnson, who turned and flipped the ball back to the quarterback. Downfield, T.J. Houshmandzadeh was sprinting past defenders taken in by the trickery.

"I was a little nervous," said Palmer, who was 21-of-32 for 234 yards. "I didn't have a good view of the secondary. I knew he was open because of the crowd reaction. He did a great job of selling the play."

No one was near Houshmandzadeh when he caught the flea-flicker pass at the 12-yard line and went into the end zone for a 40-yard touchdown that

helped him make his point.

After a 26-20 loss in Baltimore on Nov. 5, Houshmandzadeh rankled some of the Ravens by insisting that everyone knew the Bengals were the better team. He repeated his bold assertion again in the days leading up to the rematch.

"I'm not going to boast and brag about today," said Houshmandzadeh, who had 10 catches for a season-high 106 yards. "I felt we were the better team, and I think we proved it."

Did they? "In a sense," said Bengals receiver Chad Johnson, who had eight catches for 91 yards. "We're 1-1. We'll see who's the better team if we have to face them again in the playoffs."

Notes: Baltimore's B.J. Sams broke the fibula in his lower right leg while returning a first-half kickoff. ... Bengals C Ben Wilkerson made his NFL debut in the second half, after second-string C Eric Ghiaciuc sprained his right knee. ... Previously, the fewest points the Bengals had allowed in a two-game span was 10. They lost to New England 7-2 and beat the Rams 15-3 in 1993.

Falcons could be headed for big changes

by PAUL NEWBERRY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

ATLANTA — After watching the Atlanta Falcons lose their fourth straight game, owner Arthur Blank grabbed a front-row seat in the interview room to listen in on what Jim Mora and Michael Vick had to say.

Blank also pored over a stat sheet, whispering some thoughts to his top lieutenant while trying to figure out how another season that began with such promise has totally unraveled heading into the final month.

This owner demands immediate results. If things don't turn around over the next five weeks, the Falcons are certainly headed for big changes — starting with several members of Mora's staff and maybe extending all the way to the head coach himself.

"Ever since I've been here, we've had high expectations," Blank said. "We did not build this team to be .500. We thought this team was capable of making a playoff run. Anytime you fall short of that, it's disappointing."

Technically, Atlanta (5-6) still has time to turn things around in the mediocre NFC, where 6-5 would be good enough for the wild card if the season ended today.

But after going 0-for-November, the Falcons are below .500 for the first time in Mora's three-year tenure and giving off few signs of being a team that can pull out of its slide before it's too late.

Three of the losses during past month were by double-figure margins — the only exception being an inexcusable 17-13 home loss to woeful Cleveland (3-8). The Falcons were blown out 30-14 at Detroit, one of only two games the Lions have won this season. Last Sunday, Atlanta was all but eliminated from the NFC West race by a 31-13 loss to the Saints, who essentially have a three-game lead on the Falcons when the tiebreaker is factored in.

What makes this all the more troubling is just how familiar it seems.

A year ago, coming off a giddy run to the NFC championship game in Mora's rookie season as a head coach, the Falcons started 6-2 and were thinking Super Bowl. They wound up losing six of their last eight, extending the 40-year-old franchise's inglorious streak of never having back-to-back winning seasons.

Now, it's happening all over again. In one short month, the Falcons have gone from being 5-2 and angling for home-field advantage in the playoffs to showing all the telltale signs of a team in disarray.

Early last week, Mora's father — the longtime NFL coach of the same name — criticized Vick's passing skills and agreed that he's a "coach killer." As the quarterback headed toward the locker room after the loss to the

Saints, he was heckled by some fans and responded with an obscene gesture.

As the face of the franchise, everything starts with Vick. But the blame for this downfall extends beyond No. 7.

The offense is a mess, an incompatible juxtaposition of coordinator Greg Knapp's West Coast-style passing schemes and the zone-blocking tactics used by the guys up front, who answer to de facto line coach Alex Gibbs.

Vick has never taken to Knapp's philosophy, which relies on short drops and quick reads that seem ill-suited for a 6-foot quarterback who has trouble seeing over his linemen and is more effective when he ad-libs. Vick is the 25th-rated quarterback in the NFL and, most stunning, has never put up better numbers playing in Knapp's offense than he did in his one full season working with former coach Dan Reeves.

Meanwhile, the shadowy Gibbs — who's technically a "consultant" — prefers smaller, quicker linemen who'll carry out his controversial blocking tactics in the running game but are leakier than a colander when it comes to pass blocking. Vick may be the best running quarterback in NFL history, but he's still managed to get sacked 29 times playing behind a no-name group that has zero Pro Bowls on its collective resume.

When Vick does get off a pass, tight end Alge Crumpler is about the only reliable receiver on the team. Former first-round picks Michael

Jenkins and Roddy White have been major disappointments. Ashley Lelie hasn't had the impact everyone expected when he came to the Falcons in a trade for T.J. Duckett.

Last week, Vick's receivers dropped five passes, the most damaging of those coming early in the fourth quarter when a wide-open White let the ball slip from his hands at the New Orleans 10 after the defender fell down. That snuffed the life out of the Falcons, who were down 21-13 at the time but totally fell apart the rest of the way.

Mora insists he's not planning any changes on his staff, but what else do you expect him to say about guys — several of them close friends — who are still on the payroll? Clearly, Knapp and receivers coach George Stewart are on shaky ground. And the Falcons wouldn't be able to hire a competent replacement for Knapp as long as Gibbs is hanging around.

If the Falcons do look for someone else to run the offense, the first priority is getting a coach who can take advantage of Vick's wondrous talents. This team has too much invested in No. 7 to give up on him (sorry, all you Atlanta fans who want to give backup Matt Schaub a chance).

A new coordinator would certainly want to upgrade the protectors up front and the guys who are paid to catch passes, not drop them. Also, there might be some philosophical changes, such as more deep passing routes to capitalize on Vick's enormous arm strength (perhaps the strongest in the league, though his

accuracy is clearly lacking).

Mora got a contract extension before the season, but that means little in the what-have-you-done-for-me-lately NFL. The Falcons touted their 45-year-old coach as one of the profession's rising stars after his first season, but Blank — who prowls the sidelines during games a la Jerry Jones and takes an active role in personnel decisions — shows all the signs of being an impatient boss.

"I believe we have the right folks in the building," Blank said in a tepid show of support for his coach. "They have the talent and enthusiasm to get it done, but obviously we've got to execute better and be a little more consistent."

In all fairness to Mora and his assistants, the Falcons have been plagued by injuries. Two starters are out for the year, and another might be finished. Plus, defensive stalwarts John Abraham and Ed Hartwell have played only three games apiece.

Then again, Atlanta must have known it was taking a chance when it gave up a first-round pick to sign the injury prone Abraham to a huge contract.

The three-time Pro Bowl end dominated Carolina in Week 1 before going down in the closing minutes with a groin injury that he's still trying to overcome. After abdominal surgery, he returned to face the Saints last week, but didn't even show up on the stat sheet.

If someone doesn't show up soon for the Falcons, this team is headed for a major shakeup.

Redskins QB Campbell doesn't mind the Doug Williams comparisons

by JOSEPH WHITE
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ASHBURN, Va. — From the moment Jason Campbell decided he wanted to wear No. 17 as a quarterback for the Washington Redskins, he knew he would be forever linked to Doug Williams.

They already had much in common. Both are from small towns in the deep South. Both have laid-back personalities. Both have played for coach Joe Gibbs. Both are tall — 6-foot-4 — and skinny with rifle arms.

And, of course, both are black.

"I have the utmost respect for Doug Williams," Campbell said Wednesday. "I feel we're still carrying the torch that Warren Moon carried, and Randall Cunningham and Doug Williams, and all the guys who played before us. They really gave us an opportunity to play a position and to do the things that we're doing. And when we get in the position, we have to make sure we're doing the right things to keep it and to maintain it, and continue to pass the torch on."

Williams played for the Redskins when black quarterbacks were still an NFL novelty. He was the first black quarterback to win a Super Bowl, earning MVP honors in the title game in

January 1988. Legend has it that he was asked "How long have you been a black quarterback?" the week before the game.

Much has changed since. It's hard to imagine an NFL without Donovan McNabb, Steve McNair, Michael Vick, Aaron Brooks, Daunte Culpepper, Vince Young or any of the other blacks who have played the position over the last two decades. Vick, whom the Redskins will face on Sunday when the Atlanta Falcons visit Washington, thinks the topic of black quarterbacks now belongs in a bygone era.

"I really don't get into all that. I do know this: I'm a quarterback and I know how to play this position. That's where I'll leave it," Vick said. "I don't get involved in the other side of it. I can play in this league. There's a lot of quarterbacks in this league — black and white — who can play. As long as you can play the position, who cares about skin color? I don't think it matters anymore."

For Williams, though, it still matters. He went through too much to feel otherwise.

"I've kept up with Donovan McNabb, Vince Young, Jason and McNair and Michael Vick, for obvious reasons," Williams said. "Because I

know the road people like myself and James Harris traveled to get to the point to play in the league. So I pull for Jason Campbell to play well. I pull for the McNabbs and the Vicks. Some people might say that's being racist. That's not being racist. It just reflects some of the hurdles that we had to overcome to get to this point."

Williams, who works in the Tampa Bay Buccaneers' front office, met Campbell at the 2005 Senior Bowl and was immediately impressed. Then, when Campbell was drafted by the Redskins, he called Williams to make a request.

Campbell wanted to wear the same number he wore in college at Auburn — the same No. 17 Williams wore in the 1980s. He didn't have to have Williams' blessing — other Washington quarterbacks have worn the number since Williams left — but he sought it anyway.

"I told Jason I had no problem with him wearing it," Williams said. "Just when we get a chance to get together, the dinner is on him."

Campbell sat on the bench his entire rookie year, but he has played well in two starts since taking over from Mark Brunell. He has four touchdown passes and one interception with one win and one loss, and he's only the

fourth player in NFL history to have two TD passes in each of his first two games.

And, like Williams before him, he seems to take it all in stride. He patiently waited for Antwaan Randle El to get open before zipping in his first scoring pass last week against Carolina, and he had the composure to call his own play when the helmet transmitter malfunctioned late in the fourth quarter. The call resulted in a game-winning touchdown pass to Chris Cooley.

"From Day One, Jason's reminded me a lot of Doug," Gibbs said. "He reminds me of him because of his mannerisms. Doug was a country guy. From a football standpoint, he was really, really bright, which Jason is, and had a great arm."

Campbell and Williams take it as a compliment when they are compared to each other, but Campbell knows he owes a debt to Williams that can't be repaid, no matter how big the dinner. Campbell, for instance, said he never had a coach switch him to another position, as has often happened with other black quarterbacks.

Still, Campbell had a strategy to foil such a move, just in case.

"If they put me at receiver, I'd run a route like I couldn't run it," Campbell said. "There's ways around it."

NFL Schedule

Today's Games	
Minnesota at Chicago, 1 p.m.	
N.Y. Jets at Green Bay, 1 p.m.	
Atlanta at Washington, 1 p.m.	
Arizona at St. Louis, 1 p.m.	
Indianapolis at Tennessee, 1 p.m.	
San Diego at Buffalo, 1 p.m.	
Detroit at New England, 1 p.m.	
San Francisco at New Orleans, 1 p.m.	
Kansas City at Cleveland, 1 p.m.	
Jacksonville at Miami, 4:05 p.m.	
Houston at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.	
Dallas at N.Y. Giants, 4:15 p.m.	
Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, 4:15 p.m.	
Seattle at Denver, 8:15 p.m.	
Monday's Game	
Carolina at Philadelphia, 8:30 p.m.	
Thursday, Dec. 7	
Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 8 p.m.	
Sunday, Dec. 10	
Minnesota at Detroit, 1 p.m.	
Tennessee at Houston, 1 p.m.	
New England at Miami, 1 p.m.	
Oakland at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.	
Philadelphia at Washington, 1 p.m.	
Baltimore at Kansas City, 1 p.m.	
Atlanta at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.	
N.Y. Giants at Carolina, 1 p.m.	
Indianapolis at Jacksonville, 1 p.m.	
Green Bay at San Francisco, 4:05 p.m.	
Seattle at Arizona, 4:05 p.m.	
Buffalo at N.Y. Jets, 4:15 p.m.	
Denver at San Diego, 4:15 p.m.	
New Orleans at Dallas, 8:15 p.m.	
Monday, Dec. 11	
Chicago at St. Louis, 8:30 p.m.	

Myers Brothers honors contingency winners

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

NEW YORK — On the eve of the Nextel Cup Series Awards Ceremony, more than \$1 million in special awards were presented Thursday at the NASCAR/National Motorsports Press Association (NMPA) Myers Brothers luncheon.

Headlining the list of award winners was Dale Earnhardt Jr., who won the Chex Cereals Most Popular Driver Award for the fourth consecutive year, and 2006 Raybestos Rookie of the Year Denny Hamlin, who finished third in the Chase and received \$50,000 as the series' top rookie racer.

Chevrolet received the Nextel

Cup Series Manufacturers' Championship for the 30th time. Chevrolet teams won 23 races in 2006, while seven of the 10 Chase drivers drove Chevs.

During the presentation, Chevrolet made a surprise presentation of its own — giving a 2007 Chevrolet Corvette convertible to series champion Jimmie Johnson's wife, Chani.

Other special award winners included:

- NASCAR Vice President of Corporate Communications Jim Hunter, who was honored with the Buddy Shuman Award, in recognition of his longtime role and impact in the NASCAR community.
- Benny Parsons, the 1973 Cup Series champion and NBC/TNT television commentator, who was honored with the Myers Brothers

Award, for his contributions to the growth of Cup racing.

- Tony Stewart received three different awards for his on-track performance — the \$135,000 Bank of America Card Services Mid-Race Leader Award; the \$100,000 USG Improving the Finish Award and the \$75,000 Wix Lap Leader Award.
- Kasey Kahne received \$100,000 for winning the Budweiser Pole Award and \$101,000 for winning the Commit Lozenges Commit to Win Award. Kahne won six pole positions in 2006.
- Mike Ford, crew chief for Denny Hamlin, won the \$102,400 DirecTV Crew Chief of the Year Award.
- Matt Kenseth won the \$75,000 Goodyear Gatorback Fastest Lap Award.
- The No. 31 Chevrolet team of

Jeff Burton received the \$75,000 Mechanix Wear Most Valuable Pit Crew Award.

- Kevin Harvick received the \$100,000 Mobil 1 Command Performance Award.
- Allstate, the Official Insurance Partner of NASCAR, was presented with the Marketing Achievement Award.

The No. 48 Chevrolet team takes top honors on Friday evening, but also received several awards on Thursday:

- Jimmie Johnson won the \$105,000 Checker's/Rally's Double-Drive Thru Pit Award, the Goodyear Award — including a scale replica of his No. 48 Chevrolet made from gold — and the \$75,000 Sunoco Diamond Performance Award.
- The Hendrick Motorsports engine department won the

\$107,000 Clevite Engine Builder of the Year Award.

- Crew chief Chad Knaus was recognized with the Nextel Cup Series Championship Crew Chief Award.

2006 NASCAR CHAMPIONS

(All 12 Series)

Driver	Series
Jimmie Johnson	Nextel Cup
Kevin Harvick	Busch
Todd Bodine	Craftsman Truck
Eric Holmes	AutoZone West
Mike Olsen	Busch East
Mike Stefanik	Whelen Modified
Junior Miller	Whelen South, Mod.
Tim Schendel	AZ Elite Midwest*
Gary Lewis	AZ Elite Northwest*
J.R. Norris	AZ Elite Southeast*
Rip Michels	AZ Elite Southwest*
Phil Morris	Dodge Weekly

*AZ — AutoZone

TV Listings

SUNDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON

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DECEMBER 3, 2006

CH	TIME	PROGRAM	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
23	23	TBS	(8:30) ** "Summer School" (1987, Comedy) Mark Harmon, Kirstie Alley. (E)		** "Road Trip" (2000, Comedy) Seann William Scott, Breckin Meyer. (E)					*** "Scream 3" (2000, Horror) (PA) David Arquette, Neve Campbell. (E)				** "Scary Movie 2" (2001, Comedy) (PA) Shawn Wayans, Marlon Wayans. (E)			** "Scary Movie 3" (2003, Comedy) (PA) Anna Farris. (E)	
3	4	NBC	Calvin Evans Ministry	Bluegrass Gospel	Believer's Voice	Home Show	Meet the Press (E)		The Tubby Smith Show	Marshall Foot	Skilling: Sirius Aspen International		2006 NASCAR Awards Special (N) (In Stereo) (E)		Golf: Del Webb Father/Son Challenge - Final Day. (In Stereo) (E)			
4	5	PBS	Bob the Builder: Snowed Under: The Bobblesberg Winter Games (In Stereo) (E)		Kid Concoctions II (In Stereo) (E)			Legislative Update	Comment on Kentucky (E)	Dr. Wayne Dyer: Inspiration - Your Ultimate Calling (In Stereo) (E)								
8	7	ABC	The Daily Walk: Lewis Memorial Baptist	In Touch "A God of Love" (E)					This Week With George Stephanopoulos	NBA Access With Ahmad	*** "Life Is Beautiful" (1998, Comedy-Drama) Roberto Benigni, Nicoletta Braschi. (E)				World Cup Preview		Figure Skating: Cup of Russia. (E)	
40	15	WGN	This Is Your Day (E)	Taking Authority (E)	Feed the Children	Paid Program	24 "Day 2: 7:00 - 8:00PM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 8:00 - 9:00PM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 9:00 - 10:00PM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 10:00 - 11:00PM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00PM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)
6	10	CBS	Time of Praise (In Stereo) (E)	Baptist Church	Century 21 Home Tours	Gateway Gospel	NFL Today (Live) (E)		NFL Today (Live) (E)		NFL Football: Indianapolis Colts at Tennessee Titans. (Live) (E)							NFL Postgame (N) (E)
11	11	FOX	Fox News Sunday With Chris Wallace (In Stereo) (E)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Fox NFL Sunday (In Stereo) (E)		NFL Football: Atlanta Falcons at Washington Redskins. (In Stereo Live) (E)							NFL Football: Buccaneers at Steelers
13	13	CBS	CBS News Sunday Morning (In Stereo) (E)	Face Nation	NASCAR	Paid Program	NFL Today (Live) (E)		NFL Today (Live) (E)		NFL Football: New York Jets at Green Bay Packers. (Live) (E)							NFL Postgame (N) (E)
14	46	ESPN	SportsCenter	Outside Lines	Reporters	SportsCenter	Sunday NFL Countdown (Live) (E)				PBA Bowling: Ace Hardware Championship. (E)		Golf		Boxing			Boxing
33	30	DSC	Killer Squid (E)	Killer Jellyfish (E)	Killer Ants (E)				The New Detectives (E)		The New Detectives (E)		The New Detectives (E)		The New Detectives (E)			The New Detectives (E)
16	31	TNT	(7-10) "The Matrix" (1999) (E)	** "Underworld" (2003, Horror) Kate Beckinsale, Scott Speedman. (E)					** "Paycheck" (2003, Science Fiction) Ben Affleck, Aaron Eckhart. (E)		** "Lara Croft Tomb Raider: The Cradle of Life" (2003) (E)							
31	65	A&E	Breakfast With the Arts (E)	** "Patriot Games" (1992, Suspense) Harrison Ford, Anne Archer. (E)					** "The Firm" (1993, Drama) Tom Cruise, Jeanne Tripplehorn. (E)									Sell House
19	59	TNN	Game Head	Xtreme 4x4	Horsepower	Horsepower	Horsepower	MuscleCar	Xtreme 4x4	Trucks! (E)	Disorderly Conduct: Video	** "Double Impact" (1991) Jean-Claude Van Damme. (E)						** "Wake of Death" (2004) (E)
20	53	NICK	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	OddParents	Mr. Meaty	Kappa Mikey	Avatar	Danny Phantom (In Stereo) (E)	OddParents	OddParents	Avatar	Avatar	Ned's School	Ned's School	Ned's School	Drake & Josh	
17	49	USA	** "The Great American Christmas" (2006, Comedy-Drama) Narrated by Howie Mandel. (E)		PGA Tour Sunday (Live) (E)				Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Scared Crazy" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Slither" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Watch" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Wasichu" (In Stereo) (E)			Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Dramma Giocoso" (In Stereo) (E)
40		FAM	** "Home Alone 3" (1997, Comedy) Alex D. Linz. (E)		** "Home Alone 4" (2002, Comedy) French Stewart. (E)				** "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets" (2002, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (E)									
22	24	LIFE	Paid Program	Health Corner	Will & Grace	Will & Grace	** "The Christmas Gift" (1986, Drama) John Denver. (E)		** "Like Father, Like Santa" (1998, Comedy) Harry Hamlin. (E)		** "Deck the Halls" (2005, Comedy-Drama) Gabrielle Carteris. (E)							
15	27	ESPN2	Whitetail	Plains Adventures	Outdoors	Get Wild	Sportsman	Ocean Hunter	Strongest	Women's College Soccer: NCAA Cup Final - Teams TBA. (E)	Sports		College Soccer: NCAA Cup Final - Teams TBA. (Live) (E)					
29	72	AMC	(8:30) *** "High Plains Drifter" (1973, Western) Clint Eastwood, Verna Bloom. (E)		Movies 101 "Jeff Bridges" (E)		Sun. Shootout	** "Inspector Gadget" (1999, Comedy) Matthew Broderick, Rupert Everett. (E)		** "Cocoon" (1985, Fantasy) Don Ameche, Wilford Brimley. (E)					** "Cocoon: The Return" (1988, Fantasy) Don Ameche, Wilford Brimley. (E)			
410	66	HGTV	A Very Merry Curb Appeal	House Detect	House Detect	My House	Hide Potential	What You Get	Open House	Home to Go for the Holidays	I Want That!	Kitchens			Small Space	Cash in Attic	Extreme	
65	61	SCIFI	Twilight Zone ** "Revelation" (2001, Suspense) Terence Stamp. (E)				** "Hercules" (2005, Adventure) Paul Telfer, Sean Astin. (E)											** "The Prophecy: Uprising" (2005) John Light. (E)
32	44	HIST	Godspeed to Jamestown (E)	Ancient Discoveries	Super Tools	Ship	Deep Sea Detectives (E)		Sink the Bismarck! (E)					Deep Sea Detectives (E)				Titanic's Final Moments
37	33	TOC	Flyway High. (E)	Hunting	Big Game	Academy	Hunting With	Defense	Bowhunting	Cowboys	Wildlife Point	Hunt Adv	Hank Parker	Raglin Oldrs	Eastman's	Jim Benton	Petersen	Fishing
204	14	HBO	** "U.S. Marshals" (1998, Crime Drama) Tommy Lee Jones, Wesley Snipes. (In Stereo) (E)		Boxing: Ike Quarley vs. Ronald Wright. (In Stereo) (E)		Legendary Nights (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire" (2005, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) (E)		** "Lackawanna Blues" (2005, Drama) S. Epata Merckson. (In Stereo) (E)				** "U.S. Marshals" (1998) Tommy Lee Jones. (PG-13) (E)			
210	15	HBO2	Cool World (E)	Boxing: Ike Quarley vs. Ronald Wright. (In Stereo) (E)			Last Letters Home (E)		** "Small Soldiers" (1998, Action) Kirsten Dunst. (PG-13) (E)		** "Mat Man Begins" (2005, Action) Christian Bale. (PG-13) (E)							
211		HBO3	** "Play It Again, Sam" (2003, Comedy) Anna Farris. (E)	** "Empire Falls" (2005, Drama) (Part 1 of 2) Ed Harris, Philip Seymour Hoffman. (In Stereo) (E)			** "Without Limits" (1998, Biography) Billy Crudup, Donald Sutherland. (In Stereo) (E)		** "City of Angels" (1998, Romance) Nicolas Cage, Meg Ryan. (In Stereo) (E)		** "My Summer of Love" (2004, Drama) Nathalie Press, Emily Blunt. (In Stereo) (E)							
205		MAX	** "French Kiss" (1995) (E)	** "Unleashed" (2005, Action) Jet Li, Bob Hoskins. (In Stereo) (E)			** "Switch" (1991, Comedy) Ellen Barkin, Jimmy Smits. (In Stereo) (E)		** "Alexander" (2004, Historical Drama) Colin Farrell, Angelina Jolie. (In Stereo) (E)		** "Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves" (1991) (PG-13) (E)							
34	29	DISN	Mickey Mouse	Mickey Mouse	Handy Manny (In Stereo) (E)	Handy Manny (In Stereo) (E)	Doodlebops (In Stereo) (E)	Charlie & Lola (E)	Lilo & Stitch "Sample" (E)	Emperor New	** "Snow Dogs" (2002, Comedy) Cuba Gooding Jr., James Coburn. (In Stereo) (E)		Suite Life of Zack & Cody	That's So Raven (E)	Naturally, Sadie (E)	Phil of the Future (E)		
206	22	SHOW	** "End of the Line" (1988, Drama) Wilford Brimley, Levon Helm. (TV) (In Stereo) (E)		** "He's My Girl" (1987, Comedy) T.K. Carter, David Halliday. (TV) (In Stereo) (E)				** "Beyond the Sea" (2004, Biography) Kevin Spacey, Kate Bosworth. (TV) (In Stereo) (E)		** "Into the Fire" (2005, Drama) Sean Patrick Flanery. (TV) (In Stereo) (E)				** "Payback" (1999, Action) Mel Gibson. (E)			
213	25	TMC	** "My Little Girl" (1986, Drama) Mary Stuart Masterson, James Earl Jones. (E)				** "Land and Freedom" (1995, Drama) Ian Hart, Rosana Pastor. (In Stereo) (E)		** "Blue Demon" (2004, Suspense) Dedeé Pfeiffer, Randall Batnickoff. (In Stereo) (E)		** "The Slaughter Rule" (2002, Drama) Ryan Gosling, David Morse. (In Stereo) (E)				** "Stage Beauty" (2004, Historical Drama) Billy Crudup. (In Stereo) (E)			

SUNDAY EVENING

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DECEMBER 3, 2006

CH	TIME	PROGRAM	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	
23	23	TBS	(4:15) *** "Scary Movie 3" (2003, Comedy) Anna Farris. (E)		"American Pie Presents: Band Camp" (2005, Comedy) Tad Hilgenbrink, Anelle Kebbel. (E)				*** "The School of Rock" (2003, Comedy) Jack Black, Joan Cusack. (E)					*** "The School of Rock" (2003, Comedy) Jack Black, Joan Cusack. (E)					
3	4	NBC	(8:00) Golf: Del Webb Father/Son Challenge - Final Day. (E)		News (E)	Nightly News Weekend		Football Night in America (In Stereo Live) (E)		NFL Football: Seattle Seahawks at Denver Broncos. (In Stereo Live) (E)					News (E)		Star Trek "The Menagerie" (In Stereo) (Part 1 of 2) (E)		
4	5	PBS	Dr. Clark's Kentucky Treasures: A Kentucky Life Special						Celtic Woman: A New Journey (In Stereo) (E)					Great Performances "A Tribute to James Taylor" (In Stereo) (E)			Rick Steves' European Christmas (In Stereo) (E)		
8	7	ABC	(4:00) Figure Skating: Cup of Russia. (E)		News	ABC's World News Sunday	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo) (E)		Extreme Makeover: Home Edition "Lewis Family" (N) (E)		Desperate Housewives (In Stereo) (E)		Brothers & Sisters "Affairs of State" (In Stereo) (E)		News	Entertainment Tonight (N) (In Stereo) (E)		"Alios" "Hoglass" (E)	
40	15	WGN	24 "Day 2: 1:00 - 2:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 2:00 - 3:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 3:00 - 4:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 4:00 - 5:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 5:00 - 6:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 6:00 - 7:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 7:00 - 8:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 8:00 - 9:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 9:00 - 10:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 10:00 - 11:00AM" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	24 "Day 2: 11:00AM - Midnight" (In Stereo) (E)	
6	10	CBS	Girls Roundball Preview	News (E)	CBS Evening News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) (E)		The Amazing Race 10 (N) (In Stereo) (E)		Cold Case "Forever Blue" (N) (In Stereo) (E)		Without a Trace "The Thing With Feathers" (In Stereo) (E)		WYMT Mtn.	Rich Brooks	In the Heat of the Night (In Stereo) (E)			
11	11	FOX	(4:00) NFL Football: Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Pittsburgh Steelers. (In Stereo Live) (E)		The OT (In Stereo Live) (E)		Selection Show	The Simpsons (E)		Family Guy (E)	American Dad (E)		News	Seinfeld "The Nonfat Yogurt" (E)	Seinfeld "The Masseuse" (E)	Sex and the City (E)	Sex and the City (E)		
13	13	CBS	To Be Announced	News (E)	CBS News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) (E)		The Amazing Race 10 (N) (E)		Cold Case "Forever Blue" (N) (E)		Without a Trace (In Stereo) (E)		News	CSI: Miami "Body Count" (E)		Decision		
14	46	ESPN	(4:30) Boxing: 1975 Ali vs. Frazier III	Living With Wolves (E)		SportsCenter (Live) (E)		Women's College Basketball: Tennessee at North Carolina. (E)		2006 Bowl Selection Special		SportsCenter (Live) (E)		SportsCenter				SportsCenter	
33	30	DSC	The New Detectives (E)	Living With Wolves (E)		Dog Show: "AKC Eukanuba National Championship 06/07" (Live) (Part 2 of 2) (E)		Dog Show: "AKC Eukanuba National Championship 06/07" (Live) (Part 2 of 2) (E)		The Librarian: Return to King Solomon's Mines (2006) (E)		The Librarian: Return to King Solomon's Mines (2006) (E)		Librarian: Return to King Solomon's Mines (2006) (E)					
31	31	TNT	Lara Croft	** "Van Helsing" (2004, Fantasy) Hugh Jackman, Kate Beckinsale. (E)					Intervention (E)		Intervention "Sybil" (N) (E)		Intervention (E)		Intervention (E)		Flip This House (E)		
31	65	A&E	Sell House	Big Spender	Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House (E)		Flip This House (E)		Intervention (E)		Intervention "Sybil" (N) (E)		Intervention (E)		Flip This House (E)		
19	59	TNN	(4:00) ** "Wake of Death" (2004, Action) Kevin Costner. (PG-13) (E)		UFC Unleashed (In Stereo) (E)		CSI: Crime Scene Investigator		** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta. (In Stereo) (E)		CSI: NY "Jamalot" (In Stereo) (E)		CSI: Crime Scene Investigator		CSI: Crime Scene Investigator		CSI: Crime Scene Investigator		
20	53	NICK	Drake & Josh	Drake & Josh	Ned's School	Ned's School	Drake & Josh "Ned's School"		Zoey 101 "Unfabulous"		Full House "Full House"		Roseanne "Roseanne"		Fresh Prince "Fresh Prince"		Cosby Show "Cosby Show"		
17	49	USA	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Vacancy" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "The Healer" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Cruise to Nowhere" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "To the Bone" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "On Fire" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "The Good" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Blasters" (In Stereo) (E)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Cruise to Nowhere" (In Stereo) (E)		
40		FAM	** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe. (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe. (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe. (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe. (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe. (E)		Whose Line? Whose Line? (E)		Whose Line? Whose Line? (E)		Whose Line? Whose Line? (E)		Whose Line? Whose Line? (E)
22	24	LIFE	"Stolen Miracle" (2001, Drama) Leslie Hope. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)		** "A Different Kind of Christmas" (1996) Shelley Long. (E)
15	27	ESPN2	Women's College Basketball: Clemson at Vanderbilt. (Live) (E)		2006 World Series of Poker				Rodeo: Wrangler National Finals - Fourth Round. (Live) (E)					World's Strongest Man	Rodeo		Rodeo		
29	72	AMC	(3:30) *** "Cocoon: The Return" (1988) Don Ameche. (E)		** "Three Men and a Little Lady" (1990, Comedy) Tom Selleck, Steve Guttenberg. (E)				*** "Miracle on 34th Street" (1947, Fantasy) Maureen O'Hara, John Payne. (E)		*** "Miracle on 34th Street" (1947, Fantasy) Maureen O'Hara, John Payne. (E)		*** "Miracle on 34th Street" (1947, Fantasy) Maureen O'Hara, John Payne. (E)		*** "Miracle on 34th Street" (1947, Fantasy) Maureen O'Hara, John Payne. (E)		*** "Miracle on 34th Street" (1947, Fantasy) Maureen O'Hara, John Payne. (E)		
410	68	HGTV	Toy Fair 2006	Offbeat Amer.	What I Did	Rezoned (N) House		Haulin' House (In Stereo) (E)		Holiday Windows 2006 (N) (E)		Dream House	Dream House	If Walls Could What You Get	Haulin' House	Hide Potential			
65	61	SCIFI	Prophecy: Up	"The Prophecy: Forsaken" (2005, Horror) (E)		** "Jeepers Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise. (E)		** "Jeepers Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise. (E)		** "Jeepers Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise. (E)		** "Jeepers Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise. (E)		SCI FI Investigates	Dark Angel "Boo" (In Stereo) (E)		Dark Angel "Boo" (In Stereo) (E)		
32	44	HIST	Titanic's Final Moments	UFO Files (E)		Beyond Top Secret (E)		Inside the Volcano (N) (E)		American Vesuvius (E)				Inside the Volcano (N) (E)				Inside the Volcano (N) (E)	
37	33	TOC	Outfitter Jnl. (E)	Memories	Hunt-America	Turkey Call	Mossy Oak	Bowhunter	Outdoors	Roadtrips	Pro Hunting	Jackie Bushman Show	Gold Fever	Get in Game	Birdhunter				
204	14	HBO	(4:15) ** "U.S. Marshals" (1998, Crime Drama) Tommy Lee Jones, Wesley Snipes. (In Stereo) (E)		lithung (Never Stop Learning) (N) (In Stereo) (E)		Nativity Story (E)		** "Cheaper by the Dozen 2" (2005, Comedy) Steve Martin, Bonnie Hunt. (PG) (E)		Make Tsunami (E)		The Wire "That's Got His Own" (N) (In Stereo) (E)		** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire" (2005, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo)				

TV Listings

TUESDAY EVENING													DECEMBER 5, 2006				
CH	CC	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
20	23	TBS	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	My Boys	My Boys	Friends	Friends	½ "The Whole Ten Yards"
3	4	NBC	News	News	News	Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friday Night Lights	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	News	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno	Late Night	Late Night
4	5	PBS	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Dragon Tales	GED Connection	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Celtic Woman: A New Journey	Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town	Big Day	Help Me Help You	Boston Legal	News	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program
8	7	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	World News-Gibson	Family Feud	Entertainment Tonight	Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town	Big Day	Help Me Help You	Boston Legal	News	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program
40	15	WGN	Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	Funnies Pets & People	Funnies Pets & People	Funnies Pets & People	Funnies Pets & People	WGN News at Nine	Sex and the City	Scrubs	Scrubs	Becker
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News-Couric	College Basketball: Kentucky vs. UT-Chattanooga	College Basketball: Kentucky vs. UT-Chattanooga	3 Lbs. "Disarming"	The Victoria's Secret Fashion Show	The Victoria's Secret Fashion Show	News	Sex and the City	Friends	Mac Show	Mac Show	Paid Program
11	11	FOX	Maury	The Simpsons	Everybody-Raymond	Friends	Everybody-Raymond	Standoff	House	House	News	Sex and the City	Friends	Mac Show	Mac Show	Paid Program	Paid Program
18	13	CBS	Dr. Phil	News	News	News	Inside Edition	NCIS	3 Lbs. "Disarming"	Victoria's Secret Fashion	News	Sex and the City	Friends	Mac Show	Mac Show	Paid Program	Paid Program
14	46	ESPN	Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter	College Basketball: Oklahoma State vs. Syracuse	College Basketball: Oklahoma State vs. Syracuse	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville	College Basketball: Jimmy V Classic - Arizona vs. Louisville
30	30	DSC	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	It Takes a Thief	How It's Made	How It's Made	Dirty Jobs	Dirty Jobs	Everest: Beyond the Limit	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild	Man vs. Wild
16	31	TNT	Charmed	Law & Order	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace
51	65	A&E	Cold Case Files	Crossing Jordan	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami
19	59	TNN	Star Trek: Next Gener.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.
20	53	NICK	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Ned's School	Avatar	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Full House	Full House	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
17	48	USA	(3:30) ½ "For Richer or Poorer"	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Monk	Monk	Monk	Monk	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit
40	FAM	Gilmore Girls	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood
22	LIFE	Still Standing	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
15	27	ESPN2	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker
20	72	AMC	(3:45) ½ "Autumn in New York"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"	*** "Romancing the Stone"
40	66	HGTV	Design Remix	Design-Dime	A Very Merry Curb Appeal	What You Get	House	Designed-Sell	My Bath	Decorating	24-Hr Design	House	Buy Me	Parents	FreeStyle	Designed-Sell	My Bath
65	61	SCIFI	The X-Files	"The Host"	Stargate SG-1	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"	*** "The Hulk"
32	44	HIST	History's Mysteries	Where Did It Come From?	Modern Marvels	"Copper"	Little Ice Age	Big Chill	Man, Moment, Machine	Modern Marvels	Little Ice Age	Big Chill	Man, Moment, Machine	Modern Marvels	Little Ice Age	Big Chill	Man, Moment, Machine
37	33	TOC	In-Fisherman	In-Fisherman	Whitetail	Step Outside	Gettin' Close	Waterfowler	Season	Truth-Hunting	Hunting	Amer. Hunter	Wildlife	Outdoors	Petersen	Pro Hunting	NW Hunter
204	14	HBO	(4:30) 0:03 From Gold	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"	*** "City of Angels"
210	15	HBO2	(4:30) ** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"	*** "The Vanishing"
211	HBO3	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"	½ "Picture Perfect"
205	MAX	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"	*** "Singles"
30	29	DISN	Life With Derek	Phil of the Future	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven
208	22	SHOW	(4:05) "Dallas 362"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"	½ "The Curve"
213	25	TMC	(4:45) ** "Quicksilver"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"	*** "The Assassination of Richard Nixon"

WEDNESDAY EVENING													DECEMBER 6, 2006				
CH	CC	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
20	23	TBS	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	My Boys	My Boys	10 Items or Less	** "Dumb & Dumber"
3	4	NBC	News	News	News	Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	The Biggest Loser	The Biggest Loser	The Biggest Loser	Medium	Ghost in the Machine	News	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno	Late Night
4	5	PBS	Clifford's Puppy Days	Dragon Tales	GED Connection	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Allison Krauss and Union Station Live	Roy Orbison & Friends: A Black and White Night	Roy Orbison & Friends: A Black and White Night	Roy Orbison & Friends: A Black and White Night	BBC World News	Kentucky Life	Workplace-Skills	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe	Rick Steves' Europe
8	7	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	World News-Gibson	Family Feud	Entertainment Tonight	Show Me the Money	Day Break	What If They're Stuck?	Primetime "Basic Instincts"	News	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program
40	15	WGN	Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos	America's Funniest Home Videos	RoboCop: Prime Directives Part 1 - Dark Justice	RoboCop: Prime Directives Part 1 - Dark Justice	RoboCop: Prime Directives Part 1 - Dark Justice	WGN News at Nine	Sex and the City	Scrubs	Scrubs	Becker	Becker
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News-Couric	Kentucky Afield	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Criminal Minds	"The Fisher King, Part II"	CSI: NY "People With Money"	News	Late Show With David Letterman	Late Late Show	Late Late Show	Late Late Show
11	11	FOX	Maury	The Simpsons	Everybody-Raymond	Friends	Everybody-Raymond	Bones	The Woman in the Garden	Bones	The Woman in the Garden	News	Sex and the City	Friends	The Bernie Mac Show	Paid Program	Paid Program
18	13	CBS	Dr. Phil	News	News	News	Inside Edition	Criminal Minds	CSI: NY "People With Money"	Criminal Minds	CSI: NY "People With Money"	News	Sex and the City	Friends	The Bernie Mac Show	Paid Program	Paid Program
14	46	ESPN	Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter	College Basketball: Villanova at Oklahoma	College Basketball: Villanova at Oklahoma	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia 76ers at Chicago Bulls	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia 76ers at Chicago Bulls	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia 76ers at Chicago Bulls	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia 76ers at Chicago Bulls	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter
30	30	DSC	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	It Takes a Thief	MythBusters	Extreme Engineering	MythBusters	Holiday MythBusters	MythBusters	Holiday MythBusters	MythBusters	Extreme Engineering	MythBusters	Extreme Engineering	MythBusters	Extreme Engineering
16	31	TNT	Charmed	Law & Order	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace	Without a Trace
51	65	A&E	Cold Case Files	Crossing Jordan	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami
19	59	TNN	Star Trek: Next Gener.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.
20	53	NICK	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Ned's School	Avatar	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Full House	Full House	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
17	48	USA	(3:30) ½ "Patch Adams"	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Monk	Monk	Monk	Monk	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent	Law & Order: Criminal Intent
40	FAM	Gilmore Girls	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood	Everwood
22	LIFE	Still Standing	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
15	27	ESPN2	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker	2006 World Series of Poker
20	72	AMC	(3:00) *** "Cocoon"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"	*** "Cocoon: The Return"
40	66	HGTV	Design Remix	Design-Dime	Rezoned	What You Get	House	White House Christmas 2006	Toy Fair 2006	White House Christmas 2006	Toy Fair 2006	Gift Show 2006	Gift and Gear 2006	White House Christmas 2006	White House Christmas 2006	White House Christmas 2006	White House Christmas 2006
61	61	SCIFI	The X-Files	"Blood"	Stargate SG-1	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"	*** "Queen of the Damned"
32	44	HIST	Wild West Tech	Man, Moment, Machine	Modern Marvels	"Bulletproof"	Modern Marvels	"Magnets"	Modern Marvels	"Magnets"	Modern Marvels	Where Did It Come From?	Modern Marvels	"Magnets"	Modern Marvels	"Magnets"	Modern Marvels
37	33	TOC	Outdoor	Angler	Hunter's	Game Trails	Turkey	Outdoor	World of Outlaws	Pulling	ATV TV	Roll Riding	Four Wheeler	Hot Rod TV	Gold Fever	Gold Fever	Gold Fever
204	14	HBO	(3:30) *** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"	*** "Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire"
210	15	HBO2	Merchant	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"	*** "Batman Begins"
211	HBO3	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"	*** "Mrs. Harris"
205	MAX	(3:00) *** "King Kong"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"	*** "Phantasm II"
30	29	DISN	Phil of the Future	Phil of the Future	Hannah Montana	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	Phil of the Future
208	22	SHOW	(3:55) *** "A Love Song for Bobby Long"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"	*** "Diary of a Mad Black Woman"
213	25	TMC	½ "The Amat Girls"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"	*** "Dangerous Minds"

THURSDAY EVENING													DECEMBER 7, 2006				
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20	23	TBS	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	** "Snow Day"	** "Snow Day"	** "Snow Day"	** "Snow Day"	** "Snow Day"

TV Listings

FRIDAY EVENING				DECEMBER 8, 2006													
CH	CC	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
23	TBS	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	Seinfeld "The Limo"	Seinfeld "The Secret Code"	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	The King of Queens	The King of Queens	*** "Mean Girls" (2004, Comedy) Lindsay Lohan, Rachel McAdams. Premiere.	*** "Hardball" (2001, Drama) Keanu Reeves, Diane Lane.						
4	NBC	News	News	News	Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	1 vs. 100	Las Vegas	Law & Order "Corner Office"	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno	Late Night				
5	PBS	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Dragon Tales	Math Basics	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Comment on Kentucky	McLaughlin Group	Washington Week	NOW	Kalb Report: Conversation With Ken	BBC World News	Kentucky Life	WoodSongs			
7	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	World News-Gibson	Family Feud	Entertainment Tonight	America's Funniest Home Videos	Primerime "North Korea"	20/20	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program			
15	WGN	Even Stevens	Lizzie McGuire	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos	RoboCop: Prime Directives Part Three - Resurrection	WGN News at Nine	Sex and the City	Scrubs "My Journey"	Scrubs "My White Whale"	Becker	"MisSteaks"				
10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News-Couric	Legends Suzuki	The King of Queens	Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer	Frosty the Snowman	Frosty Returns	NUMB3RS "Traffic"	News	Sports Overtime	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late Show		
11	FOX	Maury	The Simpsons	Everybody-Raymond	Friends	Everybody-Raymond	Justice "Flicide"	Trading Spouses: Meet Your New Mommy	News	Sex and the City	Friends	The Bernie Mac Show	Paid Program				
13	CBS	Dr. Phil	News	News	News	Inside Edition	Red-Nosed Reindeer	Frosty	Frosty	NUMB3RS "Traffic"	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late				
48	ESPN	Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter (Live)	NBA	NBA Basketball: Washington Wizards at Philadelphia 76ers.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Washington Wizards at Philadelphia 76ers.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Denver Nuggets.
30	DSC	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	It Takes a Thief	Surviving Urban Disasters	Everest: Beyond the Limit	Man vs. Wild	I Shouldn't Be Alive	Stunt Junkies	Stunt Junkies	Everest: Beyond the Limit						
30	TNT	Charmed "Lucky Charmed"	Law & Order "White Lie"	Without a Trace	CSI: Miami "Hell Night"	CSI: Miami "Crime Wave"	CSI: Miami "Speed Kills"	CSI: Miami "Pirated"	CSI: Miami "After the Fall"	CSI: Miami "Crime Wave"							
65	A&E	Cold Case Files	Crossing Jordan "Intruder"	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.							
59	TNN	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Ned's School	Avatar	SpongeBob	OddParents	Neutron	Danny Phantom	SpongeBob	Kappa Mikey	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	
17	USA	(3:00) *** "John Grisham's The Rainmaker" (1997) Tom Skerritt.	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Paranoia"	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Shakan"	*** "The Bourne Identity" (2002, Suspense) Matt Damon, Franka Potente.	*** "Mission: Impossible" (1996, Action) Tom Cruise, Jon Voight.											
40	FAM	Gilmore Girls	Everwood	Jack Frost	*** "The Polar Express" (2004, Fantasy) Voices of Tom Hanks.	*** "The Polar Express" (2004, Fantasy) Voices of Tom Hanks.											
24	LIFE	Still Standing	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
27	ESPN2	Paintball	2006 World Series of Poker	Interruption	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Football: NCAA Division I-AA Semifinal - Teams TBA. (Live)
72	AMC	*** "The Green Berets" (1968, Drama) John Wayne, David Janssen.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.	*** "Hidalgo" (2004, Adventure) Viggo Mortensen, Omar Sharif.
68	HGTV	Design Remix	Design-Dime	White House Christmas 2006	What You Get	House	Designed-Sell	24-Hr Design	Under 1 Roof	House	House	House	Tech Toys	I Want That!	Designed-Sell	24-Hr Design	
61	SCIFI	The X-Files "Duane Barry"	Stargate SG-1	Heroes "Fallout"	Doctor Who	Battlestar Galactica	Stargate SG-1	Avatar	Battlestar Galactica	Doctor Who	Battlestar Galactica	Doctor Who	Battlestar Galactica	Doctor Who	Battlestar Galactica	Doctor Who	Battlestar Galactica
44	HIST	Hell's Angels	Wild West Tech	Generatn	Mail Call	The Lost Evidence	Shoout!	Tet Offensive	Dogfights	The Zero Killer	Combat Garage	The Lost Evidence					
33	TOC	Match Fish	Saltwater	Pro Hunting	Hank Parker	Backland	Am. Archer	Shooting	Guns	Get the Game	Outdoors	Deer	Tracks-Africa	Prospecting	Hunt-America	Jim Houston	Hunter's Jnl
14	HBO	(4:30) *** "Rebound" (2005) Martin Lawrence. PG	Villanova vs. Georgetown Championship	Inside the NFL	The Wire "Misgivings"	The Wire "A New Day"	The Wire "That's Got His Own"	Comic Relief 2006									
15	HBO2	The Dukes of Hazzard	*** "White Noise" (2005, Suspense) Michael Keaton. PG-13	*** "Million Dollar Baby" (2004) Clint Eastwood. PG-13	Shepherd	Boxing	*** "Doom" (2005) The Rock. R										
15	HBO3	(4:00) *** "The Island" (2005) Ewan McGregor. R	*** "Stay" (2005, Mystery) Ewan McGregor, Naomi Watts.	Big Love "Pilot"	*** "A History of Violence" (2005, Drama) Viggo Mortensen. Premiere. (In Stereo) R	The Making Of: The Island	*** "Prime" (2005, Romance-Comedy) Meryl Streep, Uma Thurman. (In Stereo) PG-13										
21	MAX	(4:00) *** "Alien" (1979) Tom Skerritt. (In Stereo) R	*** "Extreme Measures" (1996, Suspense) Hugh Grant, Gene Hackman. Premiere. (In Stereo) R	*** "The Shadow" (1994, Action) Alec Baldwin, John Lone. (In Stereo) PG-13	MAX on Set	*** "Wedding Crashers" (2005, Comedy) Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn. (In Stereo) R	Intimate Sessions	*** "Bikini Cavewgirl" NR									
29	DISN	That's So Raven	That's So Raven	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	That's So Raven "Country Cousins"	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Big Fat Liar" (2002, Comedy) Frankie Muniz, Paul Giamatti. (In Stereo) PG
22	SHOW	*** "The Cookout" (2004, Comedy) Ja Rule, Tim Meadows. (In Stereo) R	*** "Payback" (1999, Action) Mel Gibson, Gregg Henry. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saw" (2004, Horror) Cary Elwes, Danny Glover. (In Stereo) R
25	TMC	(4:45) *** "Blind Horizon" (2004, Suspense) Val Kilmer, Neve Campbell. (In Stereo) R	*** "Men of War" (1995, Drama) Dolph Lundgren. Premiere. (In Stereo) R	*** "Death to the Supermodels" (2005, Comedy) Jaime Pressly, Brooke Burns. Premiere. (In Stereo) R	*** "Alone in the Dark" (2005, Horror) Christian Slater, Tara Reid. (In Stereo) R	*** "Hellraiser: Hellseeker" (2002, Horror) Ashley Laurence, Doug Bradley. (In Stereo) R											

SATURDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON				DECEMBER 9, 2006													
CH	CC	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
23	TBS	(8:00) *** "The Craft" (1996, Horror) (PA) Robin Tunney.	Home Improvement	*** "Now and Then" (1995, Comedy-Drama) Christina Ricci, Thora Birch.	*** "It Takes Two" (1995, Comedy) Kirstie Alley, Steve Guttenberg.	*** "Selena" (1997, Biography) (PA) Jennifer Lopez, Edward James Olmos.											
4	NBC	Dragon Tales	Dragon Tales	3-2-1 Penguins!	Babar	Jane & the Dragon	Jacob Two	Outdoorsman	Marshall Magazine	Ron Jirsa	A Gospel Christmas	World of Adventure Sports	Triathlon: Ironman				
5	PBS	Dragon Tales	Caillou	Ciao Italia	Family Kitchen	Sewing With Nancy	Nrd Arts Studio	America Quilts	Martha's Sewing Room	Glass With Vicki Payne	One Stroke Painting	GED Connection	GED Connection	Connections With Renee	Clubclub at BET	A Soulful Sound: Music of the Germans From Russia	
7	ABC	Emperor New	Replacements	That's So Raven	That's So Raven	Exploration	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Cingular All-America Team	Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year Finalists	PGA Golf: WGC Barbados World Cup - Third Round. (Live)					
15	WGN	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	NASCAR Angels	NASCAR Angels	The Cosby Show	Moesha	Soul Train	*** "The Meteor Man" (1993, Comedy) Robert Townsend, Maria Gibbs. (In Stereo) R				
10	CBS	Saturday Early Show	Cake "Second Hand Woes"	Dance Revolution!	Paid Program	Scholastic Ball Report	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)
11	FOX	Kirby: Right Back at Ya!	Teenage Mutant Ninja Cap	Yu-Gi-Oh!	Viva Pinata	Yu-Gi-Oh!	G.I. Joe Sigma 6	Tim McCarver	My Wife and Kids	*** "George of the Jungle" (1997, Romance-Comedy) Brendan Fraser, Leslie Mann.	Farscape "Unrealized Reality"	HomeTeam "Denver"					
13	CBS	Decision	Kidz Newz	Madeline	Sabrina	Trollz	Horseland	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Kentucky. (Live)
48	ESPN	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)	College Football: George Mason at Duke. (Live)
30	DSC	Marine Machines	Marine Machines "Diggers"	Dirty Jobs "Micro Algae Man"	MythBusters	Mega Builders	Extreme Engineering	Dirty Jobs	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live	College Football: Live
37	TNT	Rocky	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.	*** "Rocky III" (1979, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire.
65	A&E	Biography "Tom Selleck"	Biography "Kurt Russell"	"Karroll's Christmas" (2004, Comedy) Tom Everett Scott.	*** "Four Weddings and a Funeral" (1994) Hugh Grant.	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House	Sell House
59	TNN	*** "Stargate" (1994, Science Fiction) Kurt Russell, James Spader.	Genesis	Horsepower	MuscleCar	Xtreme 4x4 Trucks!	*** "Fist of Fury" (1972, Adventure) Bruce Lee. (In Stereo) R	*** "Street Fighter" (1994)									
53	NICK	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	OddParents	Mr. Meaty	Avatar	Danny Phantom	Danny Phantom	Catscratch	Catscratch	The X's	The X's	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV
48	USA	WWE A.M. Raw	MLG Pro Circuit	*** "October Sky" (1999, Docudrama) Jake Gyllenhaal.	*** "Pitch Black" (2000, Science Fiction) Radha Mitchell, Vin Diesel.	*** "Half Past Dead" (2002, Action) Steven Seagal, Morris Chestnut.											
40	FAM	*** "Rudolph and Frosty's Christmas in July" (1980)	Life of Santa Claus	C'mas Snow	Nestor	Pinocchio's Christmas	Jack Frost	Frosty's	Twas Night	Rudolph's Shiny New Year							
24	LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	"The Angel Doll" (2000, Drama) Keith Carradine.	*** "Miracle on the 17th Green" (1999, Drama) Robert Urich.	*** "Christmas Child" (2003, Drama) William R. Moses.									
27	ESPN2	Guide House	Offshore Adv.	Bassmasters	Beat	Hunters	Boxing	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)	College Basketball: Toledo at Kansas. (Live)
72	AMC	*** "Law and Order" (1995, Western) Ronald Reagan, Dorothy Malone.	*** "Kansas Raiders" (1950, Western) Audie Murphy, Brian Donlevy.	*** "The Last Hard Men" (1976, Western) Charlton Heston, James Coburn.	*** "Pale Rider" (1985, Western) Clint Eastwood, Michael Moriarty.												
68	HGTV	Weekend	New Spaces	Ground	Ground	Over Head	Don't Sweat It	Hammered	Junk	Save My Bath	I Want Baths	Decorating Cents	Mission	Kidspace	Design Match	reDesign	
61	SCIFI	*** "Miner's Massacre" (2003, Horror) John Phillip Law.	*** "Cherry Falls" (2000, Suspense) Michael Biehn.	*** "Cabin Fever" (2002, Horror) Jordan Ladd.	*** "Rest Stop" (2006, Horror) Jaimie Alexander.												
44	HIST	Heavy Metal "F-18 Hornet"	Mail Call	Mail Call	Combat Garage	The M-16	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!	Shootout!
33	TOC	Buckmasters	Hank Parker	Next Gen	Outdoor Exp.	Prospecting	Gold Fever	Off Road	World of Outlaws	Monsters of Destruction	Desert	Inside RC	Four Wheeler	Hot Rod TV			
14	HBO	(8:15) *** "Cheaper by the Dozen 2" (2005) Steve Martin.	Costas NOW	Inside the NFL	Pandemic-AIDS	*** "The Newton Boys" (1998, Crime Drama) Matthew McConaughey, Skeet Ulrich. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Transporter 2" (2005, Action) Jason Statham. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Cheaper by the Dozen 2"									
15	HBO2	Major Lgue 2	*** "Batman Begins" (2005, Action) Christian Bale. (In Stereo) PG-13	Boxing	*** "Kingdom of Heaven" (2005, Historical Drama) Orlando Bloom. R	Kingdom	Bono and the Edge										
15	HBO3	*** "Strictly Business"	Hacking Democracy	*** "Indecent Proposal" (1993, Drama) Robert Redford, Demi Moore. (In Stereo) R	*** "The Golden Bowl" (2000, Drama) Uma Thurman, Jeremy Northam. (In Stereo) R	*** "Everything Is Illuminated" (2005, Comedy-Drama) Elijah Wood, Eugene Hutz. (In Stereo) PG-13											
21	MAX	(8:50) *** "Kicking & Screaming" (2005, Comedy) Will Ferrell. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Ransom" (1996, Suspense) Mel Gibson, Rene Russo.	*** "Pros & Cons" (2000, Comedy) Larry Miller, Tommy Davidson. (In Stereo) R	MAX on Set: King Kong	*** "The Wedding Date" (2005, Romance-Comedy) Debra Messing. PG-13	*** "Aliens" (1986) Sigourney Weaver. R										
29	DISN	Mickey Mouse	Mickey Mouse	Handy Manny	Handy Manny	Doodlebops	Charlie & Lola	Lilo & Stitch	Emperor New	*** "102 Dalmatians" (2000, Adventure) Glenn Close, Ioan Gruffudd. (In Stereo) G	American Drgn	American Drgn	Kim Possible	Kim Possible	Kim Possible	Kim Possible	
22	SHOW	(8:45) *** "Sam Whiskey" (1969, Comedy) Burt Reynolds. (TV Premiere) (In Stereo) R	*** "Days of Thunder" (1990, Action) Tom Cruise. (TV Premiere) (In Stereo) R	Re: Evolution of Sports	*** "Dallas												

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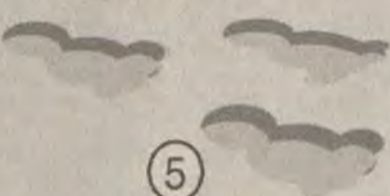
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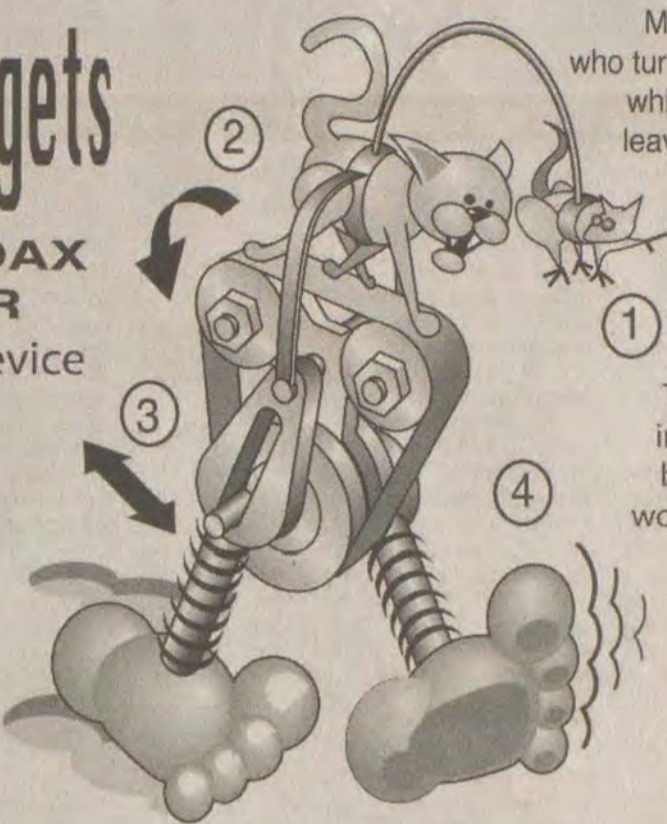
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The Housing Authority of Martin is developing its 2007 Annual Plan. The plan is available for review and comment at the Grigsby Heights office, located at 109 Raymond Griffith Drive #1101, Martin, Ky. 41649.

The Authority's office hours are 8 a.m. to noon, and 1 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., except for being closed Wednesday afternoon.

In addition, a public hearing will be held at 3 p.m., on Thursday, December 7, 2006, at the Grigsby Heights Community Room, 109 Raymond Griffith Drive #1101, Martin, Ky. 41649. Anyone requiring assistance for sight or hearing impaired individuals may contact the agency at (606) 285-3681 (voice), or 1-800-648-6056 (TDD).

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Odds & Ends

■ **ERIE, Pa.** — One might call it the play that dare not speak its name.

A Roman Catholic high school must try to sell tickets to its upcoming school play without referring to its title — "Urinetown: The Musical" — because the local bishop objects to it.

Erie Catholic Bishop Donald W. Trautman does not object to the play itself — an absurd send-up of Broadway musicals — and received no complaints about it. Still, the bishop is concerned about the play's title being linked with Cathedral Prep, said Monsignor Tom McSweeney, diocese spokesman.

"His only objection was to the title, not to the show itself," McSweeney said.

But altering the name of the show would violate its copyright. So the play's producer and director, the Rev. Michael DeMartinis, said he must try to sell tickets to the show — which runs Dec. 7-10 — without using the play's title on tickets, posters and programs.

DeMartinis said the title of the show will become immediately clear to the audience.

"They'll know what the play is without a doubt within the first 10 seconds," DeMartinis said. That's because the lyrics, "This is Urinetown," "You're at Urinetown," and "Here we are in Urinetown" are featured in the show's opening number.

■ **JACKSONVILLE, Fla.** — Making holiday wreaths on the cheap has landed a couple in jail.

Kurt James Cox, 40, and Rebecca Sue Cox, 30, were arrested Tuesday after authorities said they caused \$230,000 in damage to roadside trees by chopping off limbs to make the decorations.

The pair had pruning shears and were carrying tree limbs to a vehicle already stuffed with branches when they were arrested. The state-owned trees are worth \$1,500 each, he said.

"We're afraid that the

growth has been stunted," Florida Department of Transportation spokesman Mike Goldman said. "I'm not certain the trees are going to die, but they might not have the magnificent look that was intended."

The pair of DeLeon Springs residents were arrested on charges of criminal mischief in excess of \$1,000 and could face up to five years in prison and a \$5,000 fine.

The Cox family could not be reached for comment by The Times-Union, and a phone number they listed for their residence was out of order.

■ **ROCKINGHAM, Vt.** — Young people behind the wheel are often derided, but four youths here were honored for their quick, "selfless" response on the road.

"I'm pretty confident you saved somebody's life," Trooper Earl Dessert told them Tuesday, in a ceremony at the Vermont State Police barracks.

On Nov. 18, Jennifer Aldrich, 18, of Ludlow, was northbound on the Interstate when she and passengers Sarah Barrett, 18, Christopher Sanborn, 18, and Barrett's brother, Army National Guard PFC David Barrett, 20, of Delco, N.C., noticed a northbound car that was driving in the southbound lanes.

Aldrich kept pace with the wrong-way vehicle for at least six miles as she honked her horn and flashed her headlights, trying to get the attention of driver Charles Molloy, 50, of Guilford, Conn.

Finally, after at least one driver swerved to avoid Molloy's car, he stopped. Sanborn and David Barrett then crossed the highway median to keep Molloy from driving away.

Molloy — who'd thought he was headed home — was charged with DUI and grossly negligent operation of a motor vehicle.

■ **MOUNT AIRY, N.C.** — The pastor of a Mount Airy

church accused of brandishing a gun as part of his sermon is in trouble — with the police.

Jerry Wayne "Dusty" Whitaker, 58, was arrested during church services Sunday and is free on bond after being charged with possession of a firearm by a felon.

Members of Whitaker's Victory Baptist Church say they had no knowledge that he had been convicted in Virginia in 1990 of conspiracy to distribute cocaine and possession of a firearm during drug trafficking.

Whitaker told them he was a retired Virginia state police officer and a retired U.S. marshal who was injured in the line of duty, said Garry Searce, trustee chairman at Victory Baptist.

Whitaker denies ever telling anyone he was a marshal, but said he worked as a police officer for six years in Montgomery County, Va.

In September, Whitaker reportedly brought a handgun and a shoulder holster to a service.

"He was driving home his point," Searce said. "He said he was no longer a pistol-toting U.S. marshal." He was a pastor.

Whitaker said the gun was a toy prop.

"I use parables," he said. "Once I pretended to be a blind man with a cane, glasses and can with coins. Why didn't they arrest me for impersonating a blind man?"

■ **PLEASANTON, Calif.** — The perils of parenting apparently can be discovered through a classroom project.

A startled 17-year-old girl swerved her car into a freeway guardrail and slammed into a pickup truck after the realistic-sounding baby doll in her care suddenly began to cry.

The teenager had just picked up the doll as part of a school project on responsible parenting minutes before the accident occurred Tuesday on I-580, said Steve Creel, a spokesman for the California Highway Patrol.

The educational doll cries

and wets itself and has a recording device that monitors how long it takes the doll's "parent" to respond to its crying.

The girl, whose name was not released because of her age, was driving around 65 miles per hour in a Mini Cooper when the fake baby sprang to tears, causing her to crash into the guardrail and swerve back onto the freeway where she hit a Ford F-350 pickup truck.

"When officers arrived, she was still caring for the baby," Creel said.

No one was seriously injured in the crash, but the CHP will pursue charges because the girl was driving without a license, he said.

■ **HELENA, Mont.** — The local Salvation Army is falling behind in its holiday collections because it can't find enough bell-ringers.

On Wednesday, only seven of 14 locations around the city were staffed, and that was a good showing, said Stan Jones, an officer with The Salvation Army.

"The problem is, the few bell-ringers we have are real off-and-on — they don't always show up," Jones said.

Daily collections are lagging between \$400 and \$1,000 behind last year. In just a week, Jones said the local Salvation Army has already fallen \$2,700 off last year's pace.

"By the end of the season, at this pace, we'd be about \$10,000 short," Jones said.

Even at \$6.50 an hour, good bell-ringers are hard to find.

The job is posted at the Helena Job Service and Jones hasn't received any interest among residents at God's Love, a homeless shelter.

Bob Ruth, who has worked at God's Love for a dozen years, said the shelter's residents don't appear interested in the job, even though they are given two weeks to find work and some of the money raised by The Salvation Army might eventually help God's Love.

"I've tried to get them to ring the bells, but they say it's not enough money," Ruth said. "I guess they don't have any interest. It bothers me when they won't do anything."

■ **CHARLESTON, S.C.** — If College of Charleston students are getting headaches these days, it's not from studying the Treaty of Utrecht or Planck's constant for finals.

The constant they have to deal with is the metallic clang of a pile driver sinking columns for a new campus building.

The Student Government Association has petitioned the college to stop construction during finals, which start next week. But officials said at \$6,000 a day, it would be too expensive to halt the work.

Instead, no finals will be held in the building closest to the construction and students will be offered earplugs.

Seaton Brown, a student senator, called the noise "the loudest hammer you have ever heard in your life."

Student leaders hope to collect 3,000 signatures to ask that construction be stopped

during finals week Dec. 6-13.

"We're an institution dedicated to the progress of minds, not the progress of buildings," Brown said.

Undergraduate enrollment at the college is roughly 9,800 students.

■ **UNIONTOWN, Pa.** — A police officer used a Taser to subdue a python that had wrapped itself around a man's arm and would not let go.

Steve Crilly, 47, was feeding a rat to the eight-foot-long albino Burmese python, which belongs to his daughter, when it when it bit his left hand and wrapped tightly around his left arm Wednesday night, Uniontown patrolman Ray Miller said.

"The snake was on his arm and was eating his hand," Miller told the Herald-Standard of Uniontown for Friday's editions. Crilly "was very calm, considering there was a good bit of blood," he said.

In an effort to free the man without permanently harming the snake, Miller said he shot the animal with his Taser, a gun that sends an electric shock through wired darts. The snake immediately went limp and released its grip.

Crilly was treated by paramedics at the scene for what Miller called "a nasty cut" on his hand. The snake was uninjured and remained at the home, Miller said. Crilly did not immediately return a message left at his home Thursday by The Associated Press.

Miller said the incident was unique, but not especially scary. "Snakes don't bother me," he said.

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