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Right to group fo

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — An anti-abortion group is scheduled to have a community meeting at the Floyd County Library on Oct. 29.

The Kentucky Right to Life Association is asking for residents with pro-life leanings to attend the meeting in order to learn more about the association and the pro-life movement, along with meeting other pro-life proponents in the area.

According to a release from the Kentucky Right to Life Association, "The KRLA is in the process of spreading over the state and we need your help. If you are a concerned pro-lifer and would like to make a difference in your community, please attend our community meeting."

"We want to educate the community on right to life issues such as abortion, euthanasia and stem cell research," said Angela Davis, affiliate director of the Kentucky Right to Life Association. "We organize educational events publicly to inform the community on the issues that are at stake currently in our country. This will be the

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### 2 DAY FORECAST

Today



High: 47 • Low: 38

Tomorrow



High: 45 • Low: 36

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

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## CRASH COURSE



Sen. Johnny Ray Turner, right, experienced medical school first-hand as a student in the UK College of Medicine's inaugural Legislative Mini-Medical School on Monday, Oct. 19. Turner, along with other legislators experienced — in one day — all the events and milestones medical students encounter in four years of training, from beginning, with the White Coat Ceremony, to end, with their graduation

## State reports 4 'lab-confirmed' cases of swine flu in county

by SHELDON COMPTON  
STAFF WRITER

There are currently four confirmed cases of swine flu in Floyd County, according to recent statewide statistics.

Those statewide numbers did not specify in what areas of the county these cases have occurred.

The number of type A flu cases that local hospitals have been seeing have increased dramatically in the past month, with emergency rooms seeing as high as two dozen or more cases a day in some instances, mostly children.

In the past couple of months, local health professionals have been treating type A cases as if they were confirmed cases of swine flu, rather than sending each case to Frankfort for further confirmation. Many infection control specialists have said this was a safe route, considering that more than 90 percent of type A cases would likely receive positive confirmation for swine

flu.

The four cases currently existing in Floyd County are, as of this time, the only cases confirmed by the State Public Health Laboratory. Part of this is due to the criteria for sending type A specimens to Frankfort initiated by the Centers for Disease Control.

According to this criteria, only type A cases involving pregnancy or an underlying, already existing chronic illness have required further proof that the type A case was in fact swine flu.

According to the statistics, released as a Kentucky Health Alert through the state's Kentucky.gov website this week, the county with the highest number of confirmed cases is Fayette at 164, followed by Jefferson County at 118 confirmed cases.

The largest county in the commonwealth, Pike, has only six confirmed cases, while Knott has five, Magoffin two and Johnson County with two confirma-

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## Finalists for circuit judge vacancy named

by SHELDON COMPTON  
STAFF WRITER

FRANKFORT — Three local attorneys have been named to a short list of nominees to fill the seat being vacated by retiring Circuit Judge Danny P. Caudill.

Caudill submitted his resignation on Jan. 30 to join the senior judges program and attended a reception given in his honor last week.

Chief Justice of the Kentucky Supreme Court John Minton, who attended Caudill's reception, named the three nominees — Anthony Craig Davis, Cynthia Elaine Elliott and current Floyd County Family Court Judge Johnny Ray Harris.

Davis, a Dana resident, is an attorney with The Pembroke Corporation in Betsy Layne. He earned his law degree at Chase Law, graduating in 1993.

Elliott currently lives and works in Prestonsburg, where she is an attorney with the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky and SOCKS Inc.

Harris, a resident of Prestonsburg, is currently Floyd County's Family Court Judge.

When a judicial vacancy occurs, the executive secretary of the Judicial Nominating Committee publishes a notice of vacancy in the district. Attorneys can then either recommend someone or nominate themselves, and the names of the applicants are not released.

Once a long list is made up, the individuals interested in the position return a questionnaire to the Office of the Chief Justice. In this case, Minton then met with the committee and narrowed the list to three the candidates.

The three names are then handed over the governor, who has 60 days to appoint a

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## Johnson gets 8 years in jail

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A Wheelwright man and business owner will spend the next eight years in prison after being being sentenced on multiple drug trafficking charges this past week.

Russell Johnson, 58, pleaded guilty to five counts of first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and three counts of second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance during a pre-trial conference hearing in Floyd County Circuit Court on Friday, Sept. 18.

As part of the plea deal, Floyd County Commonwealth's Attorney Brent Turner agreed to dismiss two misdemeanor counts of third-degree trafficking in a controlled substance.

Johnson's defense attorney had asked that Johnson receive probation due to health issues and character, but the prosecution argued against leniency, citing the many years of drug activity in Russell's Game Room, a small store owned by Johnson.

Circuit Judge Danny P. Caudill decided against giving Johnson probation.

Between January and May 2008 Johnson sold prescription narcotics on six occasions to law enforcement officers from Operation UNITE and the Kentucky Attorney General's Department of Criminal Investigation unit. A search of Johnson's home and store netted over 300 prescription pills and approximately \$1,900 in cash.

According to the plea agreement, Johnson will serve 10 years for the first-degree trafficking charges and two years for the second-degree charges. He will have to serve eight years in jail, with the remaining four years to be under supervised probation.



Floyd County Judge-Executive R.D. "Doc" Marshall signed a proclamation of Friday declaring Oct. 19-25 as School Bus Safety Week.

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# Regional Obituaries

## FLOYD COUNTY

■ Michael Robert Adams, 41, of Price, died Thursday, October 8, at the UK Medical Center in Lexington. Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 13, at 11 a.m., in the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church, Teaberry.

■ Ralph Luther "Junior" Anderson, 83, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, a native of Pond Creek, died Wednesday, October 14, in Grand Rapids, Michigan. He is survived by his wife, Thelma Conn Anderson. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with burial at the Anderson-Conn Cemetery, in Banner.

■ Paul Edward Click, 79, of Athens, Texas, a Floyd County native, died Saturday, October 10. Cooper Funeral Home in Athens was in charge of arrangements.

■ Melvin Ray Hall, 71, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, October 18, at Highlands

Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. He is survived by his wife, Mabel Hall. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 20, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Noah Hall, 68, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, September 30, at home. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 3, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Mary E. "Betty" Meade, 87, of Williamson, W.Va., a native of Ivel, died Monday, October 12, in Whitman, W.Va. She is survived by her husband, Robert J. "Bob" Meade. Funeral services were held Friday, October 16, under the direction of Weaver Mortuary of West Williamson.

■ Wynndale Newsome, 50, of Teaberry, died Friday, October 16, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 20, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Lois Compton Ousley, 65, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, October 18, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ James R. Steffey, 73, of Tram, died Wednesday, October 14, 2009, at Signature Health Care Center. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Jewell Hester Steffey. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 17, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Mary Louise Wilson, 89, of Maytown, a native of Morgan County, died Sunday, October 18, in Edgewood Estates in Frenchburg. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Potter Funeral Home.

## PIKE COUNTY

■ Leonard D. Baisden, 61, of Hardy, died Tuesday, October 13, at his home. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Hazel A. Bartley, 72, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, October 13, at Mountain View Health Care Center, Elkhorn City. She is survived by her husband, Chris Jr. Bartley. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 17, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Geraldine Hylton Bennett, 41, of Elkhorn City, died Saturday, October 17, at Pikeville Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Tommy Michael Bennett. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Letha Marie Burgess Bevins, 74, of Mouthcard, died Monday, October 19, at her residence. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Friday, October 23, at 1 p.m., at the State Line Pentecostal Church, Mouthcard. Arrangements, under the direction of Grundy Funeral Home, Grundy, Va.

■ Rebecca Blackburn, 80, of Robinson Creek, died Wednesday, October 14, at her home. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 17, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Polly Beatrice Brewer, 78, of Hurricane Creek Road, died Sunday, October 18, at her residence. She is survived by her husband, Edward "Eddie" Brewer. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Kenny Douglas Coleman, 35, of Lick Creek Village, died Saturday, October 10, in Floyd County. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 14, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Denver Combs, 54, of Mullins, W.Va., a native of Shelby Gap, died Thursday, October 15, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Doris Ratliff Combs. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Jan Dwight Copley, 50, of Virgie, died Monday, October 19, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Redia F. Copley. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Carol Sue Dell, 53, of Elkhorn City, died Thursday, October 15, at Parkview Nursing Home, Pikeville. She is survived by her husband, Fred Allen Dell. Funeral services were held Monday, October 19, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Sadie S. Dotson, 92, of Phelps, died Thursday, October 15, at Pikeville Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, James E. Dotson. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of J. W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Thurman Elswick, 93, of Elkhorn City, died Sunday, October 18, at Mountainview Nursing Home. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Leona Hall, 89, of Virgie, died Thursday, October 15, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Pearl Dotson Hardy, 85, of Pinsonfork, died Sunday, October 18, at South Williamson ARH. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

■ Willodene Irwin, 82, of Huntington, W.Va., a Pike County native, died Saturday, October 17, at the Huntington Health Care Center. Graveside services were held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, October 21, at the Lucy Hall Cemetery, McDowell. Arrangements, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Charles Allen Johnson, 76, of Rockhouse, died Friday, October 16, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Lois June Artrip Johnson. Funeral services were held Monday, October 19, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Rettie Thacker Kendrick, 88, died Wednesday, October 14. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 17, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Jetta Ann Maynard, 83, of Stanville, a native of Pike County, died Tuesday, October 20, at Signature Healthcare Center. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Patricia M. Mitchell 78, of Louisville, formerly of Pikeville, died Thursday, October 15, at her residence. Funeral services were held Monday, October 19, at Arch L. Heady & Son-Cralle Funeral Home.

■ Anne Winifred Coates Nichols, 85, of Regina, died Wednesday, October 14, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Friday, October 16, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Flora "Shirley" Ramey, 66, of Mouthcard, died Wednesday, October 14, at her home. She is survived by her husband, Harold Ramey Jr. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Bailey Funeral

Home.

■ Lester H. Reed, 92, of St. Albans, W.Va., a native of Laura, died Monday, October 19, at Ohio Valley Health Care, Parkersburg, W.Va. He is survived by his wife, Bertha G. Gillman Reed. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home.

■ Delphia Louise Reynolds, 90, of Pikeville, died Saturday, October 17, at Mountain View Health Care Center. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of Eggelston, Meiner and Tanley Funeral Home, Oregon, Ohio.

■ Teddy Wayne Smith, 29, of Bowling Fork, died Saturday, October 17, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Lois Hudson Tackett, 82, of Robinson Creek, a Floyd County native, died Tuesday, October 13, at her home. Funeral services were held Friday, October 16, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Barbara Fay Thacker, 65, of Shelbiana, died Tuesday, October 13, at Pikeville Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Jerry M. Thacker. Funeral services were held Friday, October 16, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Shirley Jeanette Thacker, 75, of Millard, died Wednesday, October 14, at her home. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Anna "Maw" Varney, 88, of Canada, a native of Stone, died Monday, October 19, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, at Bluesprings Freewill Baptist Church. Arrangements are under the direction of R.E. Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

## JOHNSON COUNTY

■ Lovella Blair Baldwin, 72, of Swamp Branch, died Friday, October 16, at her residence. Funeral services were held Monday, October 19, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

■ Kennie Ray Brewer, 65, of South Shore, a Paintsville native, died Sunday, October 18, in Community Hospice Care Center in Ashland. Funeral services were held Wednesday, Oct. 21, under the direction of Roberson Funeral Home.

■ Gilbert Howard, 85, of White House, died Sunday, October 18, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Kelly-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Edith Mae Blanton Reed, 79, of Thelma, died Friday, October 16, in Cabell Huntington Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Fred Reed. Funeral services were held Monday, October 19, at East Side Freewill Baptist Church. Burial was in Blanton Cemetery in River.

■ Jimmy Dean Salyers, 52, of Staffordsville, died Monday, October 19, in Louisville. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 22, under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

■ Chester "Riverrat" Sammons, 53, of Wittensville, died Tuesday, October 13, at Kings Daughters Medical Center, Ashland. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Ann Slone Sammons. Funeral services were held Saturday, October 17, under the direc-

tion of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Jessie L. Williams, 70, a Paintsville native, died Friday, October 2. A memorial service will be held at a later date and burial will be in Paintsville.

## MAGOFFIN COUNTY

■ Reva Jean Meade Helton, 80, of Salyersville, died Sunday, October 18. Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 21, under the direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home.

■ Roscoe Stephens, 84, of Salyersville, died Thursday, October 15. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home.

## LAWRENCE COUNTY

■ Henry Green, 63, of Louisa, died Monday, October 19, in Three Rivers Medical Center in Louisa. Wilson Funeral Home in Louisa is in charge of arrangements, which are pending.

■ Willis Bill Moore, 75, of Louisa, died Thursday, October 15, in King's Daughters Medical Center. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

■ Rush C. Saulsbury, 79, of Louisa, died Thursday, October 15, in King's Daughters Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Maxine Nolen Saulsbury. Funeral services were held Sunday, October 18, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

## KNOTT COUNTY

■ Emil Amburgey, 79, of Madison, Indiana, formerly of Knott County, died Thursday, September 24, in Madison, Indiana. A memorial service was held Wednesday, September 30, under the direction of Morgan and Nay Funeral Home, Madison, Indiana.

■ Samantha Cook King, 90, of Kite, died October 9, at the Hazard ARH. Funeral serv-

ices were held Monday, October 12, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

■ William John "Bill" Morton, 82, of Redfox, died Friday, October 9, at the East Kentucky Veterans Center, in Hazard. Funeral services were held Monday, October 12, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

■ Maxine Ritchie Tucker, 83, of Dwarf, died Friday, October 9, at her home. Funeral services were held Monday, October 12, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

## ~In Loving Memory~

### Randy Dillon

Passed away Oct. 25, 2008



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But God must have had a reason, because He took you so soon. I miss you so much. You were only 35. Love You.

Sadly missed by  
Your Mother, Pat Dillon

## Obituaries

### Kenneth Eads

Kenneth Eads, 72, of Bypro, died Tuesday, October 20, 2009, at King's Daughters Medical Center, Ashland.

Born July 25, 1937, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Charles and Mossie Johnson Eads. He was a retired school teacher.

Survivors include one son, Michael Timothy Eads of Melvin; one sister, Glenda Gail Bailey of Bypro; and four grandchildren: Justin, Autumn, Ryan, and Parker.

Funeral services will be held Friday, October 23, at 1 p.m., at the Wheelwright Methodist Church, with Bobby Isaac, and others, officiating.

Burial will be in the Osborne Cemetery, in Bypro, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin.

Visitation is at the church.

(Paid obituary)

### Judith Isaac

Judith Isaac, 65, of Wheelwright, died Monday, October 19, 2009, at Riverview Manor.

Born August 16, 1944, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Sol Branham and Dockie (Robinson) Branham. She was a homemaker and of the Baptist faith.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Doy Isaac.

Survivors include two sons; Lenville Glen Isaac of Martin; and Christopher "Bo" Isaac of Covington; one daughter, Junlina Hall of Kite; two brothers: Burnis Branham of Weaverville, North Carolina; and Johnny Branham of Branham Creek, (Floyd County); four sisters: Jacklyn Hall of Wheelwright; Wanda Compton of Auxier; Helen Johnson of Prestonsburg; Brenda King of McDowell; and seven grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two daughters: Maudie Francis Meade and Patricia Ann Isaac Blackburn; one brother, Alex Branham; and two sisters, Christine Branham Rambo and Shirlene Branham Stinbeck.

Funeral services will be held Friday, October 23, at 1 p.m., at the Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, with Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial will be in the Isaac Family Cemetery, Jack's Creek, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, Robinson Creek.

Visitation is at the church.

(Paid obituary)

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"First Ladies of the Civil War" is presented with the assistance of a grant from the Kentucky Humanities Council, Year of Lincoln Initiative. The performance will be repeated on the Pikeville Campus of BSCTC on Thursday at the same time.

For additional information, please contact the Friends of Middle Creek by calling 606-886-6323, or emailing at [fdavis@mikrotec.com](mailto:fdavis@mikrotec.com).



# For the Record

### Marriage Licenses

Malinda Dee Wallen, 32, of Garrett, to Homer Allen Estep, 27, of Hazard.

Lauren Leighann Chaney, 16, of Dana, to Robert Michael Pinson, 18, of Pikeville.

Sonya Ann Prince, 21, of Auxier, to Rudolph Sapulding III, 35, of Auxier.

### Civil Suits Filed

Kevin Blackburn vs. Lona Blackburn; petition for healthcare insurance.

Sheri Jervis vs. Jeffrey L. Jent; petition for child support and healthcare insurance.

Samantha Slone vs. Cameron R. Rowe; petition for healthcare insurance.

Brenda S. Hall vs. Thomas Hall; petition for healthcare insurance.

Janita Cochran vs. Larry N. Cochran; petition for healthcare insurance.

Brittany N. McKinney vs. James A. Prater; petition for healthcare insurance.

Ronald Sammons vs. Bobby Hamilton; complaint.

### Small Claims Filings

Carmel R. Justice vs. Archie Stevens; debt collection.

Carmel R. Justice vs. Danny Johnson; debt collection.

### Charges Filed

Chris Adkins, age unlisted, Ashland; theft by deception.

Michael Dewayne Kimmel, 35, Betsy Layne; theft by unlawful taking.

Lisa Marie Tackett, 28, Harold; theft by deception.

Joshua Davis, 19, Garrett; second-degree assault.

David Kilburn, 22, Garrett; second-degree assault.

Billy D. Rogers, 31, Clay City; speeding 20 miles over, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, possession of marijuana.

David Kilburn, 22, Garrett; criminal trespassing.

Charles E. Kidd, 50, Harold; terroristic threatening, fourth-degree assault.

Joshua Davis, 19, Garrett; criminal trespassing.

Tiffany Hall, 23, Teaberry; two counts theft by unlawful taking.

Tracy J. Robinson, age unlisted, Pikeville; harassing communications.

Tiffany Renee Tibbs, 24, Harold; rear license illuminated, operating non-motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicants, drinking alcoholic beverage in a public place.

Matthew Newsome, 34, Martin; alcohol intoxication.

### Inspections

May Valley Elementary, Martin, regular inspection. Violations noted: garbage and refuse containers not covered as required, outside garbage or refuse storage area not clean. Score: 97.

B&C Parkway, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezing units storing potentially hazardous foods, lack of numerically scaled thermometers for checking cooking and holding temperature of potentially hazardous food, cloths used for food and non-food contact surfaces not stored and rinsed frequently in water sanitizing solution, food contact surface of equipment and utensils not clean, non-food contact surface of equipment and utensils not clean, toxic items not properly labeled, food contact surface of equipment and utensils not clean, toxic items not properly labeled. Score: Food: 90, Retail: 93.

Learning Ladder, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. No violations noted. Score: 100.

Brenda's Place, McDowell, regular inspection. Violations noted: lack of effective hair restrains, non-food contact surfaces not properly constructed, non-food contact surfaces not properly maintained, cloths used for food and non-food contact surfaces not stored and rinsed frequently in water sanitizing solution, food contact surface of equipment and utensils not clean, sanitary towel or hand drying device not provided at lavatory or handwashing sink, floors not in good repair. Score: 92.

McDowell ARH, McDowell, regular inspection. Violations noted: cloths used for food and non-food contact surfaces not stored and rinsed frequently in water sanitizing solution, sanitary towel or hand drying device not provided at lavatory or handwashing sink, cleaning and maintenance equipment not properly stored. Score: 96.

David School, David, regular inspection. Violations noted: lack of effective hair restrains, non-food contact surfaces not properly constructed, cloths used for food

and non-food contact surfaces not stored and rinsed frequently in water sanitizing solution, garbage and refuse containers not covered as required. Score: 95.

### Property Transfers

Tammy Adams to Billy Joe Allen, property not listed.

Elaine Arrowood to Brandon Scott Meade, property located at Drift.

Larry G. Arrowood to Brandon Scott Meade, property located at Drift.

Paul Auxier to Brenda Auxier, property located at Cow Creek.

Mintie Blackburn to Mary Frona Justice, property located at Wolf Branch.

Ada Burchett to Billy Joe Allen, property not listed.

Belinda K. Burchett to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Chester Burchett to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Herbie Ealey to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Lisa Ealey to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Gladys Pearl Goins to Stacey R. Scott, property located at Weeksbury.

Barry Hall to Angela R. Belcher, property located at Dana.

Jada R. Hall to Angela R.

Belcher, property located at Dana. Tonya Hall, Jr. to Brandon Scott Meade, property located at Drift.

Brenda Hamilton to Delorse Hamilton, property not listed.

Betty Hancock to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Bobby Ray Hancock to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Gerald Haney to Bobby Pennington and Penny Pennington, property located at Bull Creek.

Willie Hicks to Brian Nelson and Leslie P. Nelson, property located at Prestonsburg.

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# Viewpoint

Amendment 1

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people to peaceably assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

## Worth Repeating ...

History is indeed little more than the register of the crimes, follies and misfortunes of mankind.

— Edward Gibbon

## Guest View

# Disinfecting power of more sunshine

Back in 1913, Louis Brandeis, who would later go on to become a U.S. Supreme Court justice, wrote, "Publicity is justly commended as a remedy for social and industrial diseases."

Brandeis was discussing the disinfecting power of sunlight and the impact of public disclosure on the growing power of financial markets.

Congress has a chance to help shine the light on our financial institutions. A bill called the Financial Transparency Act, introduced in the House, would require financial institutions to run public notices in newspapers detailing their financial condition.

Among the bills sponsors are two North Carolina representatives from opposite sides of the aisle — Republican Walter Jones and Democrat Brad Miller. It could lead to key financial data, such as assets, liabilities, reserve funds and capital stock, being reported in newspapers, making that information readily available to anyone who wants to read it.

That gives us some fodder to try to determine if a financial institution is making money and investing wisely.

Over the past year, we've learned some hard lessons when it comes to our nation's banking system. We've learned that there are some banks that the government and financial leaders believe are too big to fail. We've learned that the prescribed remedy for keeping our financial system afloat is costly, in the hundreds of billions of dollars. And we've learned that when money that banks loan to businesses and individuals dries up, it makes economic times hard on all of us.

Economists, politicians and wonks have debated the causes of the financial crisis and the current economic hard times.

Some say the problem was a lack of regulation of financial markets. Others argue the opposite, saying that government meddling in the marketplace caused banks and other institutions to believe they could make risky endeavors and that the government would come to the rescue if things went bad.

We'll save that debate for another day.

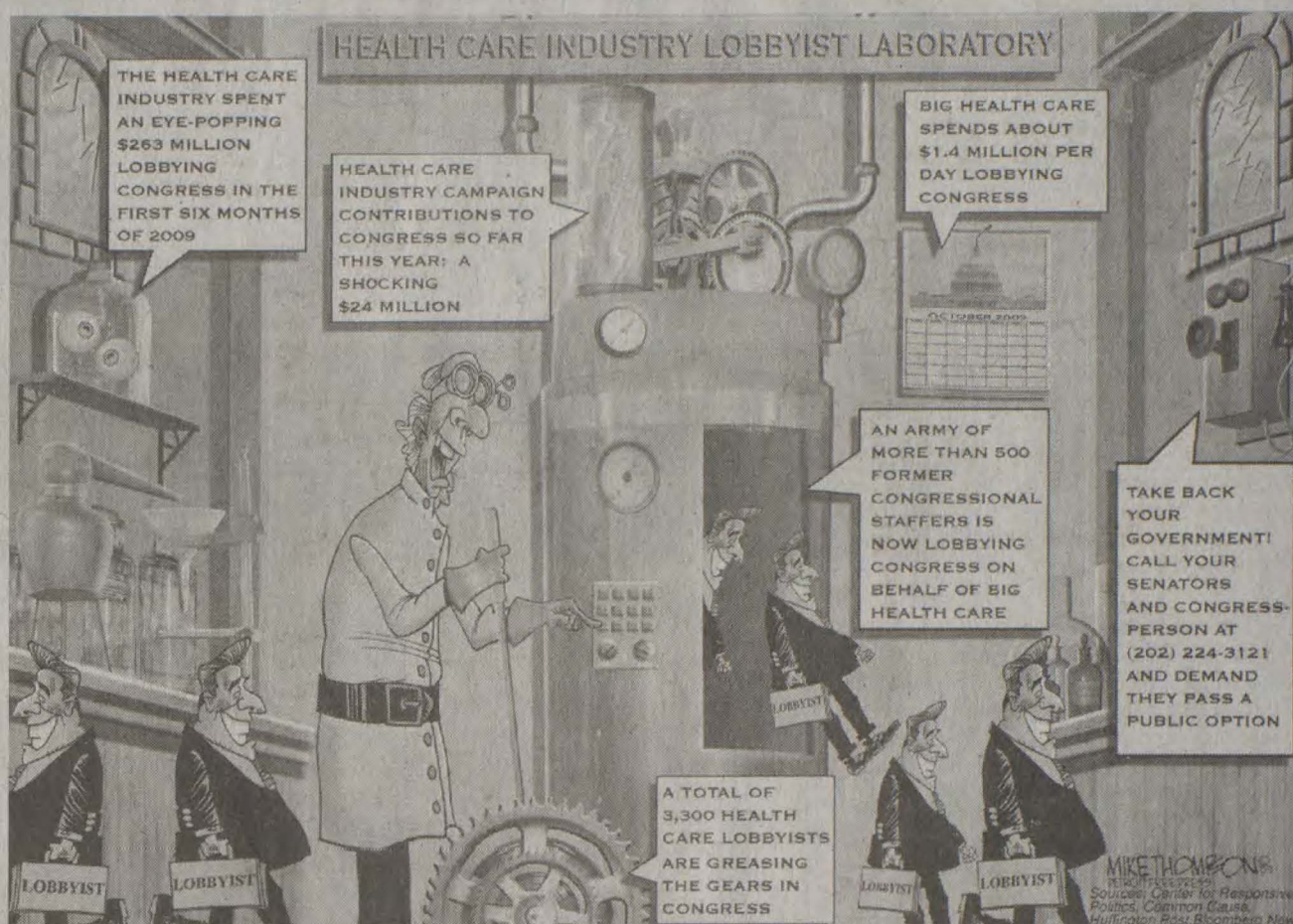
What we do know is that most of us were clueless about banking practices and surprised at how quickly things turned for the worse.

Financial reporting requirements used to be the law of the land. But they were repealed back in the mid 1990s. The public's primary means of measuring a bank's health was gone.

Public notices won't, in and of themselves, solve future institutional problems. But they will provide a more readily available source of information for experts to discern an institution's health, and therefore provide more opportunities to turn things around before severe problems set in.

Sunshine on financial institutions is indeed a disinfecting power, as Brandeis once said.

— New Bern Sun Journal



## Guest column

### By following a few common sense tips, Halloween can be a safer occasion

by SEN. JOHNNY RAY TURNER

Halloween is always a festive time of the year, especially when there are children around. The magic of the season lends itself to making memories for the young and the young at heart.

Halloween's arrival is usually greeted with cool, crisp evenings and an array of colorful leaves - and this year should be no exception. For weeks, many of us are consumed with carving pumpkins; decorating with fodder shocks and fall's vegetables; attending costume parties, and, of course, trick or treating.

Everyone wants it to be a safe and happy Halloween. By following a few safety tips and using a little common sense, we can help to make the most out of our Halloween season.

When preparing for the big night, help your child pick out or make a costume that will be safe. It should be

fire proof and the eye holes should be large enough for good peripheral vision. If you place jack-o-lanterns with candles on your porch, make sure they are far enough out of the way not to be a danger to children in costumes. If your child is carrying a prop, such as a scythe, butcher knife or pitchfork, make sure the tips are smooth and flexible enough to not cause the child injury if he or she falls on it.

As we prepare decorations, it is always enjoyable and a good bonding experience to involve our children (or grandchildren) — just remember to watch the smaller children with sharp knives. If you don't like the mess of actually carving the pumpkins, you can always use markers and draw faces on the pumpkins. Either way, you can make memories.

Dressing in costume to go door-to-door begging "tricks or treats" from neighbors, friends or at local businesses is the stuff of childhood memories. To keep the evening's fun meter on high, follow these tips:

■ Instruct children to go out during daylight hours only, unless accompanied by a responsible adult.

■ Plan a safe route so you know where your older kids will be at all times. Set a time for their return home. Make sure that your children are old enough and responsible enough to go out by themselves.

■ Let your children know not to cut through back alleys and fields. Make sure they know to stay in populated places and not to go off the beaten track. They should stay in well lit areas.

■ Instruct your children to stop only at familiar houses in your own neighborhood unless you or another responsible adult is with them.

■ Never allow small children to go out alone on Halloween. Make sure an older sibling or adult is with them.

■ Instruct your children not to eat any treats until they bring them home to be examined by you.

■ Instruct your children to never go into the home of a stranger or get into anyone's car.

■ Make sure your children carry a flashlight, glow stick or has reflective tape on their costume to make them more visible to cars.

■ Let your children know that they should stay together as a group if going out to Trick or Treat without an adult.

It is always better if children are accompanied by an adult. It is also much safer for them to trick or treat at locally sponsored events at businesses, churches, schools or festivals.

Halloween is a fun time for children — and a few simple guidelines can help to ensure the fun night is remembered with a smile.

### House week in review

by REP. HUBERT COLLINS

Innovation in Kentucky takes more than a good idea. It takes state legislative support to spawn the success we have seen from programs like the high-tech small businesses program I touched on last week.

Now lawmakers are considering adding a state component to a federal tax credit program that has been breathing new life into low-income communities for nearly a decade. By creating a limited state-level tax credit for the federal New Markets Tax Credit Program, proponents of the state credit say the Commonwealth can become more economically competitive, attracting millions of investments dollars that would otherwise go to other states. What's more, the state tax credit would allow Kentucky to leverage the federal program to \$23 billion as part of federal financial bailout bill passed by Congress early this year.

The federal New Markets Tax Credit program, which was extended last year, spurs private sector investment in low-income areas by giving a federal income tax credit to investors in so-called Community Development Entities (CDEs) that in turn invest in low-income communities. CDEs are businesses that serve or invest in low-income communities or persons and are formally accountable to low-income persons, according to information from the Appalachian Regional Commission.

Kentucky lawmakers were told at an Interim Joint Committee on Agriculture meeting in Allen County in early October that a Kentucky New Markets Tax Credit would give the state access to capital for small businesses in Kentucky's low-income communities by creating \$300 million in new investment in the state within 18 months after the credit takes effect. The committee was also told that a state credit would bring \$600 million in small business investment to Kentucky over the seven-year life of the credit.

So what do we as lawmakers need to do to produce these kind of results? We would have to provide up to \$25 million in state income tax credits a year to investors. The credits would not become effective until qualified investments were made, with the first credits taking effect in 2012.

New Markets Tax Credits have a good track record in Kentucky. The federal credit have helped restore historic buildings in downtown Louisville, build a 42,000 square foot science center at Lindsey Wilson College in Columbia in southcentral Kentucky, and is helping turn the old American Legion Hall in a low-income area of Lexington into office condominiums.

I am sure that state lawmakers will be taking a good look at the proposed Kentucky New Markets Tax Credit given today's hard business climate. Any opportunity to improve life in the economic pressure cookers that have become our low-income communities shouldn't be ignored.

That leads me to another subject. Many of you have likely heard or read the news that Kentucky's budget shortfall for the current fiscal year

will be worse than expected—perhaps as large as \$161 million. We will have a more concrete idea of how large the shortfall will be when revised estimates are released in December, but one thing is clear: There will be a deeper 2010 budget shortfall, and state agencies that have already been bled to death to meet our state's constitutional requirement for a balanced budget this year will endure further harm.

Governor Steve Beshear's office is "mum" on what cuts or adjustments will have to be made, but I expect we will have some information soon. While we wait, let's keep our fingers crossed that this economic slowdown speeds up some over the next two months so we can limit the number of Kentuckians affected by further budget cuts.

Make no mistake: Our state is still suffering during this lagging recession in spite of an increase in sales, and in spite of improvement in the housing market. Some say one culprit is the fact that our state relies most heavily on state income tax for its revenue. I must admit that, given that fact, it is no surprise that our budget shortfall is rising along with our jobless rate of over 10 percent.

Whatever the culprit or culprits, we need to enact some changes that will turn things around. We need to get people back to work. We need to protect and increase funding for education, public safety, health and human services and other state programs that benefit our people. We need to do whatever we can to protect this state.

This is not an easy task, but it is required. And I will keep you informed of all progress made toward this task in the months ahead.

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# FLOYD COUNTY Sports

## HUNTER BROWN: Right on target

**Adams Middle School student places second in NASP World Archery Tournament**

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PRESTONSBURG — Young Prestonsburg archer Hunter Brown recently placed in his third major NASP archery competition this year. In March, Brown placed third in the middle school division of Kentucky's NASP State Tournament. In May, Brown finished fourth in the National

NASP Tournament's middle school division.

On October 8-10, Brown was in Orlando, Fla., where his state and national scores qualified him to participate in the first-ever NASP World Archery Tournament. A select group of young men and women from across the country and abroad traveled to Disney's Wide World of Sports for the inaugural competition. Brown shot a total of 23 10s from 10 and 15 meters on his way to a final score of 292 out of a possible 300. His score earned him a second-place finish in the middle school division. Brown's

score was the second highest effort shot for the overall tournament.

Now, Brown is looking forward to this winter when he will again be practicing with his archery team at James D. Adams Middle School and preparing for this year's regional and state tournaments. Brown is coached by Sherman Holliday and Kristi Messer, both AMS faculty members. The National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP) is a joint venture between state departments of education and wildlife.



## Wildcat offensive staff honored

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON - The University of Kentucky's offensive coaching staff has been recognized as one of this week's "Game Changing Coaches" by the Internet site FootballScoop.com for the coaches' performance in the Auburn game.

FootballScoop.com recognizes five offensive or defensive coaching staffs each week in college football and UK offensive staff of Larry Brinson, Jimmy Heggins, Matt McCutchan, Steve Ortmayer, Joker Phillips and Randy Sanders was among those selected.

TV lineup for Louisiana-Monroe game: The Louisiana-Monroe at Kentucky game will be televised live on these channels: Fox Sports South; Fox Sports Southwest; Sun Sports; Fox Sports Houston; Fox Sports Wisconsin; FSN Rocky Mountain.

The game also will be shown live via the Internet at ESPN360.com.

## Baseball now takes a backseat

by RICK BENTLEY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

Regular readers of this space know baseball will always be my favorite sport. I love it live, love it on television, love it on radio. I love big-league baseball, Little League, high school. Doesn't matter to me. If it's played on a diamond, I'm ready.

But this has been an odd October for me.

For the first time in my life, I'm going to bed with a lot of baseball left to be played. Between that and never being home, it seems, I've seen very little of this postseason.

I started the night the Twins eliminated the Tigers. That made it official - I had no rooting interest in any of the eight postseason teams. Like many of you, I'm a diehard Reds fan, but that ship sailed back in about March. They were not a postseason team this year.

I followed the Braves very loyally until someone, either with the team or with the network, decided they should no longer be carried on TBS. It was bad enough three years ago when they were only on 45 times, but that proved to be the last year they'd be shown nationwide. It's next to impossible to follow a team you never see, so I dropped my loyalty there and became full-fledged, for better or worse, Reds exclusive.

But they were still within striking distance heading into the final week, and with Bobby Cox still there for one more year and enough players that I'm fairly familiar with still in toe, I thought I could pull for them. But then they lost their last six, and it's pretty difficult to make up ground that way. They were the last NL team eliminated, and again I was left without a team for which to root.

So we entered postseason play with nary a team I cared for. In fact, to be honest, many of my most hated teams were there. If the Yankees went 1-161 in a season, that would be one win too many for my taste. And I was a Cincinnati fan back in the Big Red Machine days, so pulling for the Dodgers will never happen (and I apologize to Jeff Coleman for that).

For some reason, this has been a terribly busy fall for me. Last week I was out every night, didn't have a weekend - for those of you who complain about

(See **BASEBALL**, page six)

## Beaver Junction Motocross to host finale

TIMES STAFF REPORT

DWALE - Beaver Junction Motocross will host its final race of the 2009 season Sunday. Gates will open at 9 a.m.

All 2009 points riders will receive year-end information and awards arrangements for the 2009 series will be announced. The Floyd County motocross track hosts competitors from throughout Eastern and Central Kentucky as well as bordering states.



Eastern Kentucky University seniors Rachael Hunt of Stanville and Christopher Rutherford of Richmond were crowned 2009 Homecoming Queen and King on Oct. 17. Hunt, a graduate of Betsy Layne High School, is the daughter of Mark and Jan Hunt. The coronation came at halftime of the Colonels' 31-25 win over UT-Martin.

## Rebels eliminate East Ridge in region tourney semifinals

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE - Allen Central earned the right to play for another championship following a shutout win over East Ridge Tuesday night in the 15th Region Tournament semifinals at Paintsville High School. The Rebels, under the guidance of 15th Region Coach of the Year Larry Maynard, won the match 2-0.

In the first set of the regional tournament semifinals match, Allen Central took a 5-2 lead and never relinquished it, eventually

winning 25-19. The Rebels were able to halt more than one East Ridge rally en route to the victory.

In the second set, East Ridge battled hard but came up short as the Rebels won 25-22, clinching the match and reserving a spot in the regional tournament finals. Allen Central's win set up a 54th District Tournament rematch against Floyd County Conference/54th District rival Betsy Layne for the regional championship.

Reigning 15th Region Player of the Year Kelsey Jones led the way for Rebels as she recorded five solo

blocks, five kills and an assist.

As a team, Allen Central turned in 19 kills. Tiffany Burdzilauskas also had five kills for the Rebels. Ciara Jones provided three kills for Allen Central in the tournament match.

Jaimie Mullins dealt out three assists as the Rebels prevailed.

Defensively, Katie Dingus added five blocks for Allen Central.

The Rebels were facing Betsy Layne in the 15th Region Tournament title match at press time Thursday evening.



Allen Central Coach Larry Maynard has claimed his second 15th Region Coach of the Year award. More on the honor appears on Page A6.

## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

- Tonight's area games**  
 Betsy Layne at Allen Central, 7:30 p.m.  
 Greenup County at East Carter, 7:30 p.m.  
 Belfry at East Ridge, 7:30 p.m.  
 Pineville at Hazard, 7:30 p.m.  
 Harlan at Jenkins, 7:30 p.m.  
 Boyd County at Lawrence County, 7:30 p.m.  
 West Carter at Lewis County, 7:30 p.m.  
 Breathitt County at Magoffin County, 7:30 p.m.  
 Johnson Central at Montgomery County, 7:30 p.m.  
 Bath County at Morgan County, 7:30 p.m.  
 Paintsville at Pikeville, 7:30 p.m.  
 Shelby Valley at Prestonsburg, 7:30 p.m.  
 Russell at Raceland, 7:30 p.m.  
 Pike County Central at Sheldon Clark, 7:30 p.m.  
 Phelps at South Floyd, 7:30 p.m.



MICAH HARLOW (15) and the Allen Central Rebels will host Floyd County rival Betsy Layne tonight.

## LadyCats upend Belfry, advance to region finals

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE - Betsy Layne worked its way into the 15th Region Volleyball Tournament title match for the second straight year, upending powerhouse Belfry 2-1 Tuesday evening at Paintsville High School. In a rematch of the 2008 15th Region Tournament title tilt, Betsy Layne outlasted Belfry 22-25, 25-16, 25-16. The LadyCats persevered after opening the semifinals match with a close loss to the Belfry squad.

Betsy Layne struggled with serve errors in the first game. The LadyCats, however, came back out on fire for the second two sets.

"I am so proud of the way the team stayed in the match and really took care of business," said Betsy Layne Coach Christina Crase. "I had some big plays from the returning starters from last year - Taylor Watkins, Audri Ray, Keleigh Wagner, and Allie Meade. They really came out and led their team to victory. I also had some young players Cecelia Ray, Savannah Meade, Tayler Akers, and Paige Watkins really step up and fill some big roles on the team. They really played a huge role in our success."

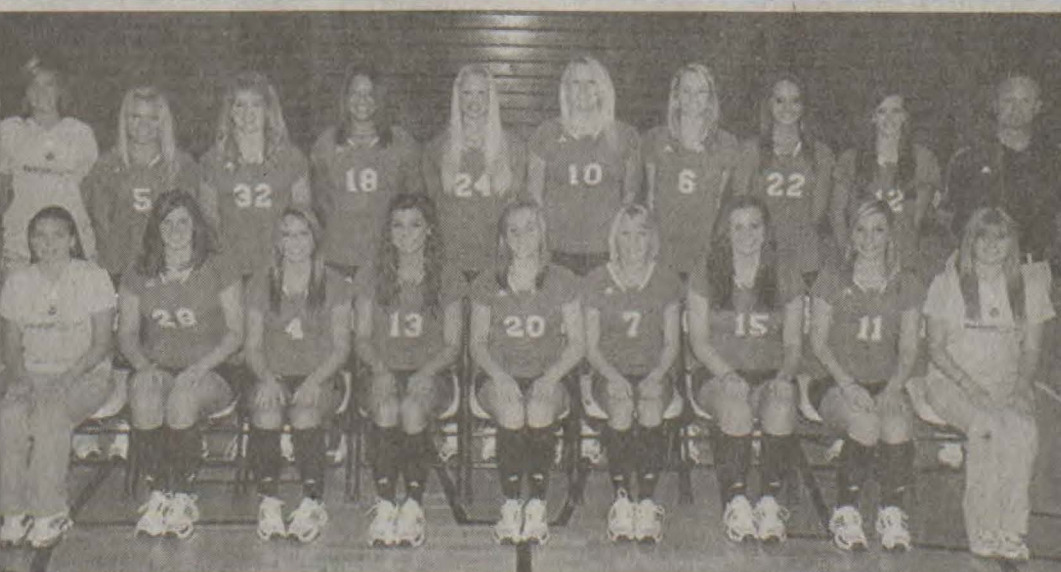
Keleigh Wagner (14 assists, 3 kills, 6 digs), Taylor Watkins (8 kills, digs, 9 blocks), Cecelia Ray (2 aces, 9 assists, 2 digs), Allie Meade (7 assists, 14 kills, 7 digs), Audri Ray (4 kills, 4 digs, 3 blocks) Savannah Meade (6 assists) and Tayler Akers (2 aces, 1 dig) carried the LadyCats past defending champion Belfry.

Betsy Layne was facing Allen Central in the 15th Region Tournament championship match Thursday evening.

## Kinzer competes in 29th DWTC

TIMES STAFF REPORT

ALLEN - The Kinzer Motorsports team traveled to the refurbished Lawrenceburg Speedway in Lawrenceburg, Indiana over the October 17-18 weekend for the 29th Annual 'Dirt Track World Championship. A stout field of 71 entrants assembled at Lawrenceburg Speedway for the DTWC, which paid \$50,000 to the winner. Kinzer Motorsports driver Brandon Kinzer, however, was not able to transfer into the 100-lap main event. Kinzer qualified eighth quickest in his group and finished seventh in both his heat race and B-Main. Veteran driver Jimmy Mars won the 29th Annual Dirt Track World Championship.



FLOYD COUNTY is well-represented within the Pikeville College volleyball program. Pikeville College currently boasts four volleyball players from Floyd County: Brittany Hodge (Freshman, Martin), Kristal Daniels (Senior, Betsy Layne), Whitney Hackworth (Freshman, David), Elizabeth Mosley (Senior, Martin).



KRISTAL DANIELS



ELIZABETH MOSLEY



BRITTANY HODGE



WHITNEY HACKWORTH



# ALC men picked fourth in KIAC preseason poll

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LOUISVILLE – The 2009-10 Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Preseason Basketball Polls were released Wednesday. All coaches participated in the polling on the regular-season finish of the teams. The coaches could not vote for their own team, leading to 49 points and seven first place votes being the most possible. Indiana University Southeast is predicted to finish first on the men's side, winning all seven possible first place votes. IU East is selected to finish second with 38 points. Both teams squared off in 2009 at the KIAC Conference Tournament championship game in Pippa Passes. Brescia University joins the KIAC in basketball in 2009 and is projected third with 34 points by the voters. Berea College (31 points) is selected as fourth this year, which could prove crucial if it holds true. The top four teams host first round games this sea-

son in the conference tournament, before moving to Frankfort for the semis and finals. Asbury College (30), Alice Lloyd College (20), Cincinnati Christian University (15) and St. Louis College of Pharmacy (7) are predicted in that order to round out the poll.

## WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

## Lady Eagles tabbed to finish fifth in KIAC

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LOUISVILLE – The coaches in the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference have cast their ballots. The 2009-10 KIAC Preseason Basketball Polls

were released Wednesday. All coaches participated in the polling on the regular season finish of the teams. The coaches could not vote for their own team, leading to 49 points and seven first place votes being the most possible. IU Southeast was the leading vote-getter on the women's side. IU Southeast got six of the first place votes and 48 points, compared to second place Asbury with two first place votes and 41 points. Brescia's women's team joins the KIAC in women's basketball and is picked third and Berea finishes fourth in voting with 32 points. Each of these teams would host a first round game under the new KIAC basketball tournament format. The four road teams would be Alice Lloyd College (26 points), Midway College (16), Cincinnati Christian (16) and St. Louis College of Pharmacy (8).

# Maynard claims second coach of the year award

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

EASTERN – The Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association (KVCA) has announced its third annual region players and region coaches of the year honorees. All recipients will be honored at the 2009 KHSAA State Tournament at Northern Kentucky University, in ceremonies preceding the State Championship match Oct. 31. Kaye Smith of South Laurel is the only coach to receive Region Coach of the Year in all three years of the award's existence. She won 12th Region honors in 2007 and 2008, and 13th Region in 2009. Steve Howard of Owensboro Catholic, Todd Garvey of Mercy, Dale Grube of Henry Clay and Larry Maynard of Allen Central all won the award for the second time in 2009. Maynard had Allen Central back in the 15th Region championship match Thursday evening against Betsy Layne.

Only one player, Kelly Moyer of Oldham County, is receiving Region Player of the Year honors for the second time. Allen Central senior Kelsey Jones was named the 15th Region Coach of the Year. Recognitions were voted on by KVCA member coaches. A breakdown of the honorees follows.

The 2009 KVCA Region Players of the Year—Region 1: Madi Parker, Lone Oak; Region 2: Emily Meeks, Caldwell County; Region 3: Bridget Johnson, Apollo; Region 4: Amber Salleng, Edmonson County; Region 5: Shauna Stone, Nelson County; Region 6: Caitlin Welch, Mercer; Region 7: Emily Juhl, Sacred Heart; Region 8: Kelly Moyer, Oldham County; Region 9: Leslie Schellhaas, Notre Dame; Region 10: Natalie Penrod, Campbell County; Region 11: Maddie Hatcher, Paul Dunbar; Region 12: Kim Phelps, Pulaski County; Region 13: Erika Burchett, South Laurel; Region 14: Victoria Halcomb,

Letcher County Central; Region 15: Kelsey Jones, Allen Central; Region 16: Sierra Crum, Ashland Blazer.

The 2009 KVCA Region Coaches of the Year—Region 1: Rhett McMullen, Community Christian; Region 2: Anita Watkins, Henderson County; Region 3: Steve Howard, Owensboro Catholic; Region 4: Sheila Yokley, Edmonson County; Region 5: John Rogers, Nelson County; Region 6: Todd Garvey, Mercer; Region 7: Laura Pfeffer, Whitefield Academy; Region 8: Callaway Logan, Oldham County; Region 9: Maureen Kaiser, St. Henry; Region 10: Whitney Edwards, Highlands; Region 11: Dale Grube, Henry Clay; Region 12: Cate Guthrie, Boyle County; Region 13: Kaye Smith, South Laurel; Region 14: Dickie Adams, Letcher County Central; Region 15: Larry Maynard, Allen Central; Region 16: Jeff Huff, Ashland Blazer.

# Betsy Layne ousts JC in region opener

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE – The Betsy Layne LadyCats have spent some of the week making a run back into the 15th Region Tournament championship match. Betsy Layne opened the 15th Region Tournament on an impressive note Monday evening at Paintsville Elementary School, knocking off 53rd District champion Johnson Central 2-1. The LadyCats, which opened the current season 9-0, defeated Johnson Central 25-23, 23-25, 25-9. Betsy Layne was able to use a strong finish to advance into the regional tournament semifinals.

"My girls came out ready to play and I was really proud of them," Betsy Layne Coach Christina Crase commented.

Numerous players stepped up and thrived for the LadyCats. Leaders for Betsy Layne were Keleigh Wagner (3 aces, 9 assists, 3 kills, 3 digs), Taylor Watkins (2 assists, 14 kills, 10 digs, 3 blocks), Cecelia Ray (7 assists, 2 digs), Allie Meade (1 ace, 8 assists, 5 kills, 4 digs, 1 block), Audri Ray (7 kills, 2 digs, 3 blocks), Savannah Meade (8 assists) and Taylor Akers (2 aces, 1 dig).

Following the win, Betsy Layne improved to 25-9. Allen Central, Belfry and East Ridge also claimed opening round region tournament victories.

# Cards ranked fourth in BIG EAST

TIMES STAFF REPORT

NEW YORK – The University of Louisville men's basketball team was selected to finish fourth in the 2009-10 BIG EAST Preseason Coaches' Poll announced on Wednesday, while sophomore Samardo Samuels was named to the Preseason All-BIG EAST Second Team. Villanova has been picked as the favorite to win the regular-season crown.

Louisville, the defending regular-season and league tournament champion, was a close fourth, earning 179 points. The Cardinals have advanced the NCAA Elite Eight in each of the past two seasons.

Samuels, a 6-9 sophomore forward, earned BIG EAST All-Rookie team accolades last season. He finished the 2008-09 campaign as the seventh highest scoring freshman ever at Louisville, averaging 11.8 points and 4.7 rebounds per game. Samuels ranked seventh in the BIG EAST in field goal percentage (.578) and was 11th in blocked shots (1.3).

Villanova, who advanced to the NCAA Final Four last year, finished just ahead of

West Virginia. The Wildcats received 10 first-place votes and 218 points in the poll. The Mountaineers picked up five first-place votes and 215 points.

Villanova is the coaches' top choice for the first time since the 2005-06 poll, which was the first season that the BIG EAST included 16 teams. The Wildcats boast a deep backcourt led by senior Scottie Reynolds. West Virginia's No. 2 position this year is the highest in the preseason poll for the Mountaineers since they began competing in BIG EAST basketball in 1995-96. WVU has four starters returning from a club that finished 23-12 last season.

Connecticut, the third-place pick with 185 points, received the other first-place selection. The Huskies joined Villanova at the Final Four last year and finished 31-5.

Georgetown was the fifth-place selection with 161 points followed by Syracuse in sixth place with 152 points. The Hoyas, who stumbled in league play last year with a 7-11 mark, can build around sophomore center Greg Monroe, the 2008-09 BIG EAST Rookie of the Year. Syracuse was 28-10 last year

and 11-7 in conference play. The Orange have posted 12 straight 20-win seasons.

The conference head coaches feel Cincinnati is capable of moving up in the standings. They placed the Bearcats, who were 8-10 in league play each of the past two seasons, seventh with 135 points, just ahead of Notre Dame. The Fighting Irish, who had 132 points in the poll, want to improve on last year's 8-10 league mark.

Pittsburgh is ninth with 119 points with Seton Hall placing 10th at 110 points. The Panthers will aim to maintain their contending role despite losing four starters from last year's 31-5 team. Seton Hall, 17-15 a year ago and 7-11 in the BIG EAST, welcomes back sharpshooting guard Jeremy Hazell and three other starters.

St. John's, which returns its top eight players from last season, picked up 82 points in the poll, which was good for 11th place. Marquette, which lost four starters from last year's 25-10 squad, was 12th at 78 points.

The coaches feel Providence will finish 13th followed by USF, Rutgers and DePaul.

# WYMT to air UK-EKU game live

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON – The University of Kentucky football program's home game against Eastern Kentucky University on Nov. 7 will kick off at 1 p.m. and be a live telecast in Lexington and Hazard.

In the new Southeastern Conference television con-

tract, one football game each season is designated for institutional control. The league designated the EKU contest as that game.

Under the terms of the contract, UK is allowed to do a live point-to-point telecast in the home markets of the participating teams, therefore WKYT in Lexington and

WYMT in Hazard will carry the game. (A live over-the-air statewide telecast is not permitted.) In addition, the game can be seen nationwide on ESPN GamePlan, with no blackout areas.

The game also will be a delayed telecast on the Big Blue Sports Network.

# Ohio bowler signs with Pikeville College

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE – The women's bowling program at Pikeville College has attracted some outstanding bowlers. All-Americans, Bowlers of the Year and Rookies of the Year are standard at Pikeville College, where the program has won the only two team national championships in school history.

In an effort to continue that tradition, Coach Ron Damron's first signee of the year has already claimed one Bowler of the Year crown.

Rebekah Wilhelm, a senior at Middletown, Ohio, High School, has signed a scholarship agreement with Pikeville College. Wilhelm has a 4.0 grade point average. In addition, she is the reigning Greater Miami Conference Female Bowler of the Year.

"We like Rebekah a lot and feel like she'll fit in well with our program and, most importantly, our school," said Damron, who is also vice-president for student services at Pikeville College. "We look forward to having her here and believe she'll have a

nice career at Pikeville College."

Damron, who has coached both national title teams, has one selling point that no other coach in America has, in any sport: Every person who has been a part of the Pikeville College bowling program for four years has won a national championship.

The bowling team has already won a tournament this year and returns to action Halloween weekend in the Brunswick Southern Classic in Marietta, Ga.

# Baseball

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how bad Mondays are, allow me to enlighten you; work both Saturday and Sunday as I have the last two weekends and you'll soon learn Mondays are no different than any other day – and this week Wednesday was the only time I saw home in the daylight.

I have no idea why that's been the case, but it has. Fortunately I have a job I enjoy, although I log enough time behind the wheel these days to feel like a cross-country trucker.

Still, it's caused me to miss all day baseball this October. It was Monday, I believe, when I got home just in time to see Fox go off the air after the extra-inning win by the Angels over the Yankees.

But now I've reached

another discovery, one that has hit me very hard: I'm getting old.

Growing up I'd watch my dad go to bed early on nights of big games – national championships, Game Sevens, whatever – and wonder how he could do it. I want to see them all, and didn't want to miss anything.

This autumn has been different. Twice this year I've gone to bed with a game heading to the bottom of the ninth, and both times the home team has rallied for a win. Unbelievable. I never dreamed it would happen. But the truth of the matter is I'd rather sleep than watch teams I care nothing about, and when the time comes, I'm more than ready to crawl into bed.

So nearly every morning I wake up, stumble into the living room and turn on Mike and Mike to see who won the previous night. As I write this, the Dodgers and Phillies are slugging it out in what could be the decisive game of the NLCS. It's entirely possible the Phils could wrap it up. It's currently one pitch into the bottom of the second and the (ital) fourth (ital) home run of the game was just hit.

But if my sleeping pills kick in before the ninth, they'll have to celebrate without me.

I love baseball, and used to believe I loved it more than anything. This fall, I've learned it takes a backseat to sleep.

And I never dreamed that would happen.

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# Governor launches new education initiative

LEXINGTON — In a move to re-energize the support of public schools that nearly 20 years ago sparked Kentucky to implement the nation's most comprehensive school reform, Gov. Steve Beshear on Monday launched his new education initiative, Transforming Education in Kentucky (TEK). The goal is to create a unified vision of what schools in the Commonwealth need to offer in order to better serve students today and tomorrow.

"Our world has changed dramatically since the reforms of 1990," said Gov. Beshear. "We must now turn our focus to the future and again to our schools to ensure that our strategies and programs are designed to meet the challenges of the 21st century."

To that end, Gov. Beshear appointed the TEK Task Force to help develop new strategies while reinvigorating public and business support for K-12 education in the Commonwealth.

The members of the task force include education advo-

cates, teachers, superintendents, legislators, business leaders and others who have been handpicked for their commitment to education and to Kentucky.

The group will examine efforts currently underway in the state, such as the Common Core Standards Initiative, Graduate Kentucky, the Gates Foundation/SREB college and career readiness initiative, the Race to the Top competition and the Governor's Task Force on Early Childhood Development and Education. Against this backdrop of renewed energy and activity, the panel will recommend ways to channel all of these efforts into an integrated and comprehensive system of education in Kentucky.

In addition, the task force will explore career and technical education, expanded use of technology for learning, increased opportunities for students to earn college credit in high school and other issues that affect student success.

The goal is to formulate recommendations by the end

of 2010, for consideration during the 2011 legislative session.

In an effort to build awareness of the initiative and to receive input from citizens statewide, Gov. Beshear is visiting 10 cities across the state for a series of press conferences and town hall forums. The Governor and the TEK Task Force will use this input as guidance for the work of Transforming Education in Kentucky.

"This effort seeks to build off the progress of the last 20 years in order to lay the foundation for the 20 years ahead," said Gov. Beshear. "Today, I'm calling on our state and our people to recommit ourselves to ensuring the future of our children."

Gov. Beshear and Kentucky Department of Education Commissioner Terry Holliday will serve as co-chairs of the task force.

Other members of the task force include:

- Sen. Ken Winters, R-1st District
- Sen. Jack Westwood, R-

23rd District

- Sen. Tim Shaughnessy, D-19th District
- Rep. Leslie Combs, D-94th District;
- Rep. Jeffrey Hoover, R-83rd District;
- Rep. Carl Rollins, D-56th District;
- Helen Mountjoy, secretary, Education and Workforce Development Cabinet
- David Adkisson, president, Kentucky Chamber of Commerce;
- Sheldon Berman, superintendent, Jefferson County;
- Mary Ann Blankenship, executive director, Kentucky Education Association;
- Karen Cash, classroom teacher, Louisville;
- Margaret Cleveland, school board member, Woodford County;
- Sam Corbett, chair, Prichard Committee;
- Ben Cundiff, Cundiff Farms, Cadiz;
- Sharon Darling, president, National Center for Family Literacy;
- Betty Griffin, The Griffin Group, Frankfort;

- Tim Hanner, superintendent, Kenton County;
- Trichel House, classroom teacher, Russell;
- Nannette Johnson, superintendent, Hardin County;
- Eleanor Jordan, executive director, Kentucky Commission on Women;
- Robert King, president, Council on Postsecondary Education;
- Nana Lampton, American Life & Accident Insurance Company of Kentucky, Louisville;
- William Lovell, school board member, McLean County;
- Brent McKim, president, Jefferson County Teachers' Association;
- Bob Porter, mayor, City of Paintsville;
- Johnna Reeder, Duke Energy, Covington;
- Stu Silberman, superintendent, Fayette County;
- Stephen Trimble, superintendent, Johnson County; and
- Diane Whalen, mayor, City of Florence.

Williams to recommend two additional members from the State Senate and they will be added to the task force once they have been named.

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## Website about Kentucky for kids launched

As part of the 2010 Civics Month celebration, Secretary of State Trey Grayson announced the launch of a new kids' website which focuses on Kentucky and Kentucky Government. The site, which can be found at

www.sos.ky.gov/kids, will be an excellent resource for students across the Commonwealth, particularly those students who are currently studying about Kentucky in their classes.

"As part of our effort to

reach more citizens and get them actively engaged in their communities and government, we recognized the need for more online resources for our young citizens," stated Secretary Grayson. "This site will allow children to learn more about our great state in a fun and interactive way."

The site includes information about Kentucky and its resources including history, geography and regions, important industries, and places to visit. In one section, students can learn about famous Kentuckians and in another learn about the importance of agriculture, coal, and other Kentucky resources to the Commonwealth's economy.

One section of the website is dedicated to Kentucky government so that students can

learn how Kentucky's laws are made. Here, students can learn about elected officials from the federal delegation, Kentucky's constitutional officers, and local elected officials in addition to the framework of Kentucky's law making process.

## Flu

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tions. Perry County, according to the alert, currently has 49 cases of confirmed swine flu.

Health professionals are still saying the best defense against this new strain of flu is to wash your hands regularly and cover your cough, along with other basic, common sense hygiene.

### Vaccines

Vaccines arrived in Floyd County this month, with the health department and local hospitals receiving the first round of shipments.

Many of these vaccines are in the spray form which are administered in the nostrils and, unlike vaccines given by injection, send the live virus directly into the individual's

system. However, Floyd County Health Department Director Thursa Slone says that vaccine is considered in "very limited supply."

"We don't have any vaccines available other than what we've already planned for our programs," Slone said. "We are trying to focus on those sub-groups such as those who are pregnant and already with chronic illnesses and so forth."

Slone said the health department places an order each week based on what they are allowed. This allotment is based on population, she said.

"This week we proposed 200 doses," she said, adding that those would be the nasal vaccine.

## Finalists

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replacement and make an official announcement. Because it is simply state law that the governor be given three names, it can be the case in some instances where a person's name is included in the three, even if the attorney did not apply.

After one of the three is tapped to fill the empty seat, if

they want to continue serving in the position they will be required to run for election to do so. Though the next regularly scheduled election for circuit judges is in 2014, appointees to circuit judgeships must run for election in 2010 and 2014 and, after election, serve eight-year terms.

## Group

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first meeting our group has had in Floyd County, and we want people to discuss their ideas. We welcome anybody who wants to come that share our values on the right to life."

The Kentucky Right to Life Association was founded in 1973 and serves as the state coordinating body for the local Right to Life affiliates.

The community meeting is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Angela Davis by calling the Kentucky Right to Life Association office in Louisville at (502) 895-5959, or by email at angelartl@krla.org.

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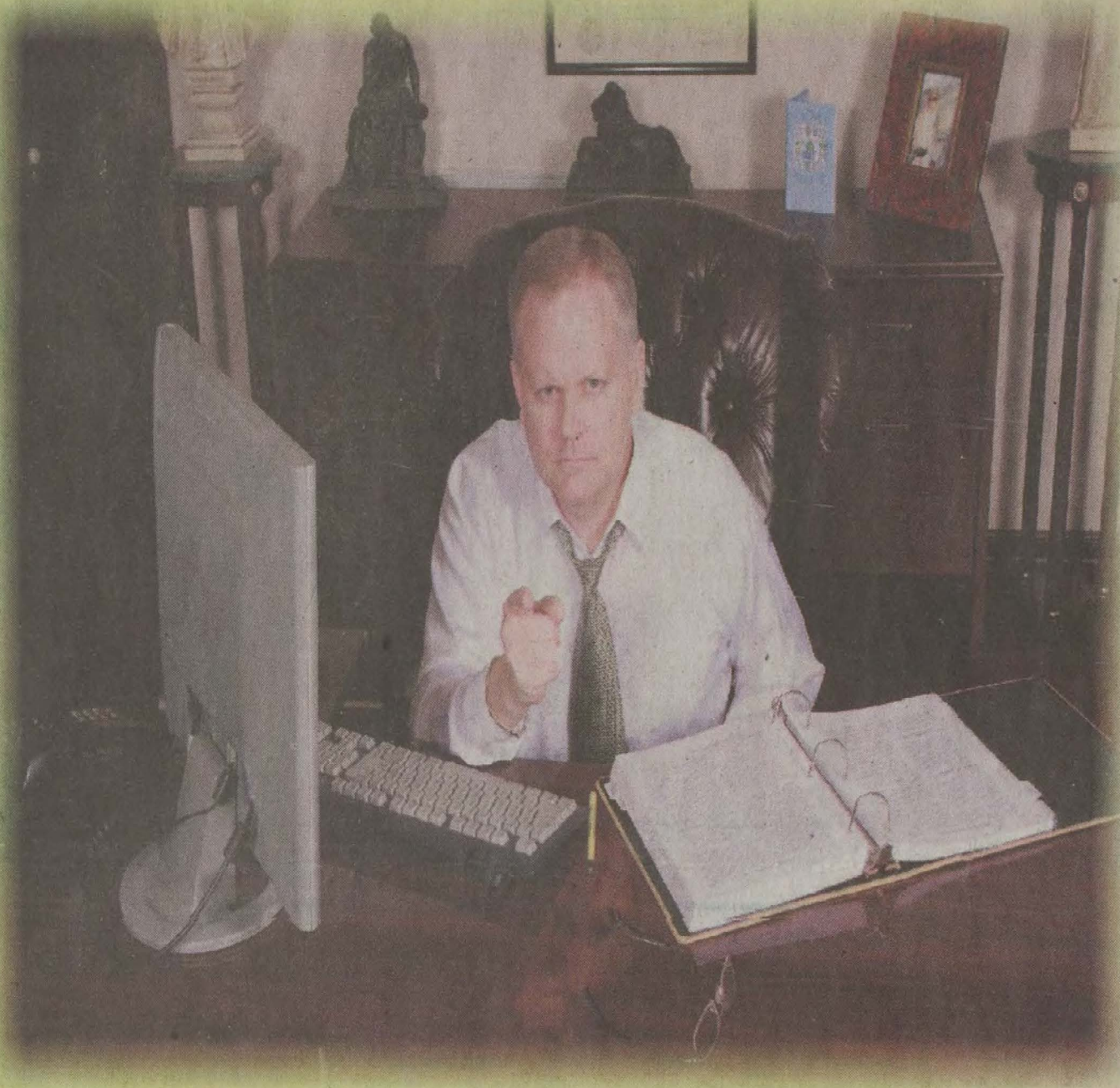
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## MOVIES FROM THE BLACK LAGOON

### 'The Shuttered Room'

by TOM DOTY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

Fans of the macabre will absolutely love this moody take on the "Thing in the Attic" genre. It also ranks as one of the better H.P. Lovecraft adaptations and will appeal to those on a budget, as this disc includes a second feature and is priced to sell.



Tom Doty  
Times Columnist

The story begins with an eerie flashback sequence that sets the tone. A young girl tries to fall asleep in her creepy bedroom, but is soon disturbed by an ominous being which escapes from its room in the attic.

The form is all the more scary as we never see it (the camera acts as the creature and it's an effective bit that was done to perfection by John Carpenter in "Halloween"). All you see is that it clutches the chain which imprisons it. You also get to hear its labored breathing, but that's par for the course.

The dream belongs to Susannah Whately (pronounced Wheatly by some actors and

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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.

They weren't UFO's, but we have the word of a certain Floyd County man that he has seen more than one flying saucer. Says his wife has a short temper.

### ANOTHER WHOPPER!

Some cynic once observed that although all liars may not be fishermen, all fishermen are liars. We had a slim hope of refuting this calumny till two fishermen down south, the other night, came up with a tale to the effect that they not only had seen travelers from outer space, but that the unearthly visitors had taken one of them inside their craft...And these two, like the rest of us, solemnly declare they're telling the truth. No evidence to the contrary, I'm siding with my fellow-liars.

### MAMA CHASES CARS

I haven't been what you would call an admirer of this little, black dog on our street, but her evidence of mother-love has won me over. The other day, she was out on the street, nudging her puppies with her nose, patiently herding them back into the safety of the yard. But this dog is almost as inconsistent as we humans. Next day, she was out, giving chase to cars—a thing no respectable 'mother should do.

### THE DRINKING CUP

This may give somebody the

(See ALLEN, page two)



# REACHING OUT

## Local woman hopes to inspire donations to shelter

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Brigitte Music has spent the last three months gathering donations for the Floyd County Animal Shelter and taking the dogs for walks, and she hopes to inspire others to volunteer some of their free time to help the shelter and the animals that call it home.

Music, a resident of Prestonsburg, has 12 dogs of her own and says the animals at the shelter are all deserving of a good home.

"The animals are gorgeous," Music said. "If people would just go volunteer to walk them and spend time with them, they would see how beautiful the dogs are. Anybody would be happy to have them. Even if it is one hour on Saturday, it would be greatly appreciated."

Music and a few of her friends decided they wanted to help the shelter and hope to get interest from other groups.

"I recently took the shelter some food, blankets, stuffed animals, cleaning supplies and anything else I could get people to donate. A class from Allen Central High School also donated a bunch of items. I think it's important to keep the shelter and the needs of the animals in mind. If you let it get out of sight then it goes back down to nothing."

According to information provided by the Floyd County Animal Shelter, cleaning items are always needed and welcomed as donations, including paper towels, bleach, laundry detergent, dishwashing liquid, food and water dishes, cat litter pans, throw rugs, old towels and blankets, copy paper, non-scoopable cat litter, any kind of adult dog and cat food, dog and cat toys and old stuffed animals.

Music and other like-minded individuals are working to help abandoned animals and those in



the shelter, but she knows that more people need to volunteer in order to make a real difference.

As part of the drive to help the shelter, the local chapter of the Girl Scouts will be taking up donations at the Prestonsburg Wal-Mart on Saturday

from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

"There are little pockets of people doing the best they can do, but we need to get together," Music said. "We need to get the message out for people to take care of the animals."

### DINNER DIVA

## How do I thaw?



I get emails from time to time on my website, www.savingdinner.com. Leslie from Minnesota asked a question that I thought I would answer, especially since stocking your freezer by doubling up on your cooking is just plain smart. The reasoning behind such a notion would be to keep your family in dinners for the holidays. And while SavingDinner.com has another solution to that "what's for dinner" question (check out our Five for the Freezer and other dinner kit menus for the freezer) it's always a good idea to have something stashed in the freezer for dinner.

"Would Leanne please offer some tips on thawing and re-heating frozen casseroles? If I take things out the night before, then they are often still partially frozen the next afternoon." Leslie goes on to ask if she should microwave it, add water, etc.

The answer to these questions is simple: it depends. LOL...yeah, I know, that's not the answer you were looking for! But it really depends on the size, the type and just how cooked your casserole was. Usually, microwaving, water and such aren't necessary.

For example—if I had a pasta casse-

role that was fully cooked (though pasta should be quite al dente so it won't be overcooked at the end), I'd defrost it overnight in the fridge (and the casserole in question can be housed in either a pyrex-type casserole dish OR, you could line a casserole dish with foil, making sure the foil overhangs plenty, freeze the casserole for about two hours, then pop it out of the dish and double bag it in a freezer ziplock, peeling the foil off the frozen casserole and disposing of it).

Once your casserole has been defrost-

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# Salome's Stars

Weekly Horoscope

GOOD HEALTH

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Lots of choices could make it difficult to select what is best for your needs. Avoid snap judgments. Take the time to check them all out to find the one that really meets your goals.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) You could once again experience pressure from others who would like to see you move in another direction. But heed your Bovine instincts to stay on your own path.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Taking charge of a project that seems to be about to stall or collapse altogether could be a challenge. But once everyone knows what you expect of him or her, things should go smoothly.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Avoid the pressures of the upcoming holiday period by setting a time right now to discuss how to divide up the responsibility of helping a loved one come through a difficult period.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) It's not too early for all you Leonas and Leos to start making long-distance travel plans. The sooner you stop procrastinating and start deciding where, when and how you're going, the better.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Someone you've known for years might disappoint you, or even make you feel you've been betrayed. But check the facts carefully before you make charges that could backfire on you.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) A holiday plan might need to be revised to accommo-

date an unexpected complication. Come up with an alternative arrangement as soon as possible to avoid more problems down the line.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) Don't accept halfway explanations for a situation that requires full disclosure. The more you know now, the better able you will be to handle any complications that might arise.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) The cooperation you relied upon might not be easy to get. Maybe there's an information gap. See if everyone understands the situation. If not, be sure to offer a full explanation.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Problems caused by that recent workplace distraction should soon be easing, allowing you to resume working at a less frantic pace. That personal matter also begins to ease up.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) Changing your mind about a job decision isn't easy for the usually committed Aquarian. But once you check it out, you'll find facts you didn't know before. And facts don't lie.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Your unique way of sizing up a situation gives you an edge in resolving that upsetting workplace problem. Stay on your current course regardless of any attempts to distract you.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You are emotionally attuned to what's going on around you, and you easily pick up on people's needs.

# Interstitial cystitis causes bladder pain

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I am writing to ask if you would give me information on interstitial cystitis. I was told I had this after I had a polyp removed from my bladder. I know it has to do with the lining of the bladder wall. What causes it? What's the treatment? Does it get worse? -- J.M.

ANSWER: Interstitial cystitis is also known as painful bladder syndrome. It's a fairly common condition that is commonly misdiagnosed. It affects more women than men. It occurs at any age, but typically, the onset is around age 40.

Frequently, a woman has symptoms for years and, years and is told she has repeated bladder infections. Antibiotics, however, provide no relief. Trips to the bathroom are numerous, and nighttime urination disrupts sleep. Bladder pain can be severe. Urination often relieves the pain temporarily. Intercourse also can be painful.

One explanation says the protective covering of the bladder lining has thinned or has disappeared, and urine irritants come in contact with the sensitive bladder lining to produce pain. How this comes about is something that isn't known with certainty.

Symptoms can get worse, but treatments exist. One is the

oral medicine Elmiron. Amitriptyline and gabapentin are also used for pain control.

If you find that a particular food causes increased pain, stay away from it. Spicy foods, citrus fruits and juices, tomatoes, chocolate, coffee, tea, carbonated drinks and alcohol are some things on the list of irritants for many with this problem.

If you feel lost about the diagnosis and its treatment, contact the Interstitial Cystitis Association (800-435-7422; www.ichelp.org) for information on treatment and support for this mystifying ailment that can completely throw life into turmoil.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My doctor prescribed niacin to lower my cholesterol. After a month and a half, I developed shingles. Could niacin have caused this? -- J.

ANSWER: I can assure you, without equivocation, that niacin did not cause your shingles. Shingles comes from the chickenpox virus that stays in the body from the time of its entrance until the time of that person's death. Mostly at older ages, the virus leaves the nerve cell it found a home in, travels down the nerve root to the skin and produces the typical shin-

gles rash and pain. Older people should consider getting the shingles vaccine.

Shingles is a painful experience, and the pain can last long after the rash has gone. The shingles booklet explains this common problem and how it's treated. To obtain a copy, write: Dr. Donohue -- No. 1201W, Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. Enclose a check or money order (no cash) for \$4.75 U.S./\$6 Canada with the recipient's printed name and address. Please allow four weeks for delivery.

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: Do you consider toe-touches a good flexibility exercise? -- L.F.

ANSWER: They don't do a whole lot for me. You can stretch leg muscles in other ways that are easier on joints and on the back.

Dr. Donohue regrets that he is unable to answer individual letters, but he will incorporate them in his column whenever possible. Readers may write him or request an order form of available health newsletters at P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475. Health newsletters also may be ordered from www.rbmamall.com.

## Diva

ed overnight in the fridge, simply cover it with foil (don't worry if it isn't thawed all the way) then bake it (preheated to 350 degrees) for approximately double the cooking time it originally called for. That said, it would be wise to double-check it as it is reheating again! I've had this backfire

on me before and burned it. That is the general rule, but do check on your casserole midway through cooking before going all the way with the double cooking time.

My favorite way of dealing with frozen meals though, is meals that are assembled, frozen, then cooked, not

cooked, frozen and reheated. That way you eat fresh meals, not reheated stuff.

No matter how you handle the frozen food equation in your house, it always helps to have a stash of ready to go dinners in the freezer!

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## Allen

mistaken idea that I am, as they say, "getting on," but I remember the first folding, or collapsible, drinking cups that were put to use in our country school. The owner of that cup hadn't any other distinction, but the crowd that gathered around would compare favorably with the modern-day admiring throng when the school hero hits a home run, on scampers, 75 yards for a touchdown. (Such a thing as this hadn't been seen on television yet, you see.)

It wasn't long till we all had one of the new-tangled gadgets. We were obliged to, for sanitary drinking facilities became a must. No more common drinking cup. Disease spreader, you know.

But, as I recall, our health did not improve. We had the same ailments, most of which showed up when the next day's lesson was particularly tough. It may have been that during those years when we were using the same tin cup for drinking purposes, we all built up an immunity to these diseases.

One affliction we never became immune to, however, was the itch, to which all seemed to be heir. That, and the remedy for same—an

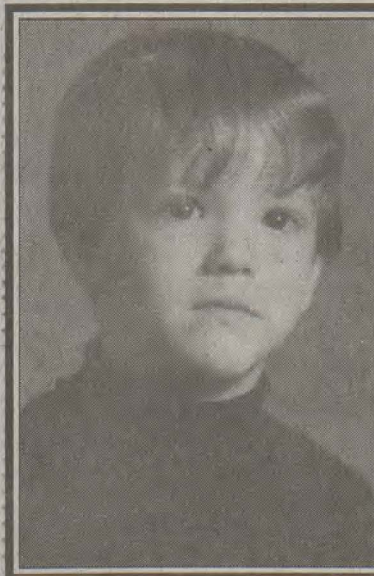
odoriferous concoction of sulphur and lard.

### FOR EXAMPLE...

If anybody around fails to understand the meaning of the word, "anticlimax," we have the definition in what happened here, last Saturday, and what didn't happen Monday. Saturday was Red, White and Blue Day, a splendid patriotic demonstration in which thousands from every walk of life joined. Monday was Armed Forces Day, or Veterans' Day, and nothing happened, except that those employed in banks, federal, state and county offices got a holiday. Saturday was splendid climax. Monday was (thud!) a dud, completely anticlimactic.

### COME AND SEE:

The curtain is going up soon on nature's annual color special. The maples, dogwoods and sourwoods are already beginning to flame, and the next two weeks should provide a kaleidoscope of color of surpassing beauty in these hills. The beeches, oaks—all will add their splashes to the canvas. Yet the beholder will be unable to escape the sobering thought, "This, too, shall pass."




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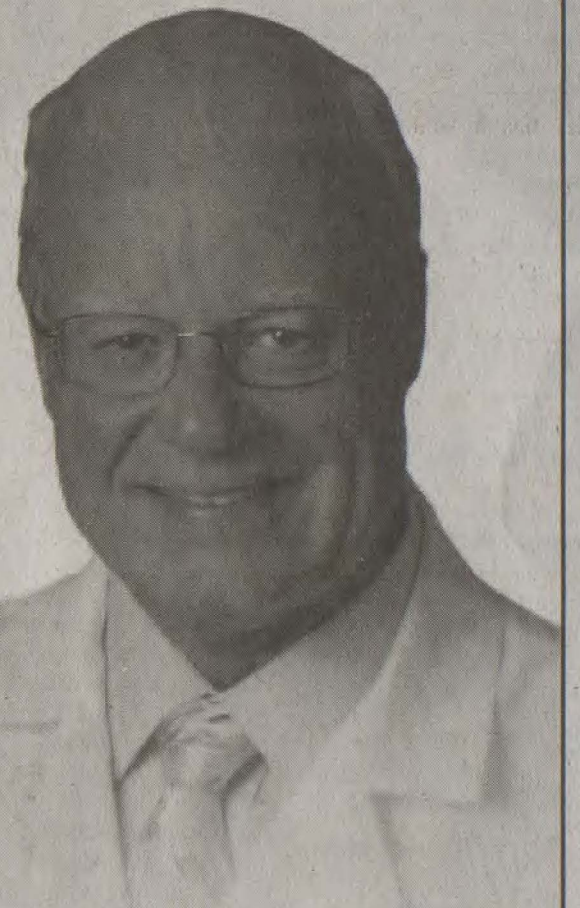


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# Spa treatment for car not as kooky as it sounds

by TOM and RAY MAGLIOZZI

Dear Tom and Ray:

So I'm thinking of getting my car detailed, and an associate gives me a referral. While perusing the service sheet, under "Options" is listed "Claying, add \$30-\$40." I'm thinking, "Holy spa treatment, Batman!" The other side of the service sheet explains the process:

"Why clay your car? Claying your car produces dramatic results. Using a lubricant spray, clay is slid alongside your paint. It picks up microscopic pollutants, which a car wash cannot remove. The result is stunning! Your paint looks cleaner and feels much smoother to the touch. With a coat of wax, your car will look the best it ever has."

So my multipart question to you: Have you ever heard of this; what do you think; is this for real? — Claudia

RAY: Do they lay slices of soothing cucumber over your headlights, too, Claudia?

TOM: Believe it or not, this IS for real, Claudia. We'd never heard of it. But we checked with our pals in the body-shop underworld, and they say it's a procedure that's been accepted

for a long time. It works sort of like Silly Putty works when you press it against a newspaper. Small particles stick to the clay, and then are pulled off the car's finish.

RAY: Apparently it's one of the methods used to remove rail dust from cars. Sometimes new cars that are transported by train get covered in a fine coating of metal dust that's created by the interaction between the train wheels and the tracks. And removing the dust by traditional methods can scratch the surface.

TOM: Claying is also said to remove acid-rain stains. And ring around the collar.

RAY: Is claying necessary? Of course not. It would be the kind of thing that someone who is very particular about her car's appearance would do. And if you're keeping a car forever, I suppose it might very well prolong the life of the finish.

TOM: Hey, while they're claying the car, do you think they could reshape it? Maybe they can clay my '78 Fiat and make it look like a Ferrari.

RAY: You'd be lucky if they could reshape it and make it look like a car again.

Get thee to a mechanic, posthaste! Dear Tom and Ray:

We have a 1995 Jeep Grand Cherokee. Whenever we hit a big bump in the road or a pothole, the Jeep starts shaking uncontrollably, and the steering wheel is next to impossible to hold straight. We have to slow down, pull over to the shoulder of the road and come to a complete stop before starting back up again. Then it's fine. This doesn't happen all the time, but it's becoming more and more frequent. Can you please help us determine what might be the problem so we don't become a flaming ball of wreckage? — Tracy

TOM: Well, if you're reading this from the burn unit, Tracy, you can ignore the following advice. But if you're still pre-inferno, we suggest you take this car to your mechanic immediately.

RAY: Right. We understand the appeal of free advice. But when you're having trouble controlling your car, don't drive around and wait for us to answer your question in the paper. Remember, cars are dangerous, and we're extremely slow and lazy.

TOM: You could have a bad ball

joint, Tracy, or a failing tie-rod end. If either of those broke, the results would be disastrous, even for an experienced heap navigator like your-

self. RAY: If it's not a ball joint or a tie-rod end, then it's probably the steering damper. This vehicle has a suspension system that's sort of — uh, what's the word for it?

TOM: Barbaric.

RAY: That's it. It's old technology, it's cheap technology and it's further compromised by having to perform both on the road and off the road.

The result is that the handling is only marginally acceptable, even when all the parts are working perfectly.

TOM: So to improve the steering, they added something called a steering damper. What does a steering damper do? It's basically a shock absorber for the wheels that steer the car. It damps the oscillations of those wheels to keep the steering wheel

from going back and forth in ever-larger gyrations until it's shaking uncontrollably. Sound familiar, Tracy?

RAY: And of course, worn-out or overinflated tires, or bad shock absorbers will only exacerbate the problem.

TOM: In any case, you can't drive like this. So take your car to a mechanic you trust, and have him check out the entire front end. If all the basic suspension and steering components look OK, then I'd strongly suspect it's the steering damper.

And don't wait, Tracy.

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## Rental Central

by TOM DOTY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

A mediocre week for rentals was salvaged by a boxed set of classic schlock films.

■ "Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen" — Fans of flashy, loud and brainless entertainment should get a kick out of this action-fest. It's a true sequel that isn't burdened with telling an origin story, so they get right to the battles. The fights are kind of funky but this goes on way too long for brain candy. Optimus Prime makes for a great hero however and all of his bits are fun to watch.

■ "Wrong Turn 3" — This series has a strange history. The first effort warranted a theatrical release but wasn't all that great. The direct-to-video sequel was actually better and sported a timely "Reality Television" plot. This effort takes things back down

a notch. If you've already seen a few inbred cannibal family films, then you don't need to see this one.

■ "100 Feet" — I wanted to like this direct-to-DVD film as it marked the return of director Eric ("The Hitcher") Red. Unfortunately, the film is kind of average. It stars Famke Jansen (Jean Grey in the "X-Men" films) as an abused wife who eventually snaps and kills her husband. A court sentences her to house arrest but that turns out to be a horrible idea when the ghost of her spouse returns to continue torturing her. A good idea but it never gets any lift, though there is one violent set piece that will have you hitting replay a few times.

■ "William Castle Film Collection" — If you aren't hip to the films of Mr. Castle, then you'll enjoy this introduction to his films. Castle toiled in low-budget films but he was an excellent pitchman and

always used a gimmick to sell his films. He also used stunts to raise interest in his films. One of the best was also the simplest. He would have an usher dress up as an insurance agent who would then get audience members to sign away their right to sue the film makers if they died of fright while watching his latest flick. This set includes "13 Ghosts" and the uncanny "Mr. Sardonicus" (which opens with a heck of a moment that finds a hypnotized woman setting fire to her own head on an oven burner). To complete this set, you need to rent one copy of Joe Dante's film "Matinee." John Goodman stars as a thinly disguised version of Mr. Castle and it is even better than anything Mr. Castle ever made.

Next week look for the latest film in the "Ice Age" series and check out "The Orphan" for a decent remake of the classic film "The Bad Seed."

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## Lagoon

Waitly by others). She's grown up now and is heading back to her childhood home after being away since the age of 6, when her parents perished in a fire. The dream is only the first sign that she ought to turn around, but her husband, Mike, urges her on.

Turns out her home is nestled next to an old mill on a remote island in New England. The only way across is by boat and once they're there they'll be trapped. They go anyway, but they're from New York.

Once on the island they get on the only road and are promptly run off it by locals who are playing a bizarre and highly dangerous version of water skiing. The game involves standing on a wagon and holding onto a rope, for dear life, that's connected to the rear bumper of a truck. The aim is just to hang on as your friends, or enemies, proceed to tear down the road until they stop in town, where the rider is then whipped towards a barbed wire fence finish. Strangely, this sport never caught on.

Once they arrive in town, everyone warns them of the Whately curse. They are told that death lurks in Susannah's home. They proceed there anyway.

They stop by to visit Aunt Agatha. She relates how much she loved looking after Susannah but wished that she'd stayed in New York where she would be safe (apparently Aunt Agatha never visited the "Big Apple" herself).

That afternoon Mike goes into town for groceries and he's attacked by locals. Meanwhile, Susannah is assaulted by a local named Ethan. It is actually his gang that is menacing Mike to keep

him distracted.

Despite all of this, they stay the night and are soon face-to-face with the unseen creature. Plenty of people die as a result (some quite gruesomely) but it never would have been possible had these people actually been interested in their own self-preservation — you gotta love a horror movie.

This is routine horror stuff but the director, David Greene, hits it out of the park by treating it like his "Citizen Kane." He employs a ton of camera tricks and moody music to great effect, with the end result being that you keep forgetting how stupid the characters are for sticking around.

He gets help from a solid cast that includes Carol Lynley and Gig Young (as the naive New Yorkers) and British bad boy Oliver Reed (who has a field day as the evil Ethan).

You also get a second feature titled "It." This one offers Roddy McDowall as a museum curator with a mommy fetish. He also has a killer statue that knocks off his enemies. The question becomes can it go toe-to-toe with a British military that's not afraid to use nuclear weapons? It's a solid B-feature.

Best line: "She believes in all those stories about New Yorkers eating children." 1967, unrated.

## Strange ... but true

by SAMANTHA WEAVER

■ It was Ogden Nash, well-loved American author of humorous poetry, who made the following sage observation: "The door of a bigoted mind opens outwards so that the only result of the pressure of facts upon it is to close it more snugly."

■ The modern dishwasher was invented all the way back in 1889, and it's no surprise that it was a woman, not a man, who came up with the labor-saving device. It is interesting to note, however, that it wasn't her own labor Josephine Cochrane was saving when she invented the device; Mrs.

Cochrane had servants to do the washing up. In fact, she wasn't interested in saving labor at all -- she was simply tired of the servants chipping the fine china.

■ You had more taste buds before you were born than you do now -- more than you've had at any time in your life, in fact.

■ The beloved children's book "Green Eggs and Ham" would not exist if it hadn't been for a bet. Bennett Cerf, Dr. Seuss' editor, bet the author \$50 that he couldn't write a book using no more than 50 different words. Dr. Seuss used precisely 50 words, collecting the \$50 and creating a classic at the same time.

■ You might be surprised to learn that about 29 percent of people who go to beauty spas are men.

■ If your family is like most American households, you waste approximately \$600 every year by throwing away unspoiled food.

■ The world's tallest tree can be found in Redwood National Park, in California. The tree, known as "Hyperion," stands nearly 380 feet tall.

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**Upper Toler Church of Christ**, 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Weeksbury Church of Christ**; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. John Burke, Minister.

#### CHURCH OF GOD

**Betsy Layne Church of God**, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Judith Caudill, Minister.

**Community Church of God**, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Bud Crum, Minister.

**First Church of God**; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Steven V. Williams, Pastor.

**Garrett Church of God**, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Family Training Hour - Thursday 7 p.m., Bill B. Tussey, Jr, Pastor

**Landmark Church of God**, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.

**Little Paint First Church of God**, 671 Little Paint Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Charles Heater Jr., Minister.

**The Ligon Church of God of Prophecy**, Saturday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Ralph Hall, Pastor.

#### EPISCOPAL

**St. James Episcopal**; Coffee Hour 10:00 AM; Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Study Group 6:00p.m., Holy Eucharist & Healing 7:30 p.m. Father Johnnie E. Ross, Rector. 886-8046.

#### LUTHERAN

**Our Savior Lutheran**, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.; WKLV (600 am) 12:05 p.m.; Rolland Bentrup, Minister.

#### METHODIST

**Auxier United Methodist**, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Mearl Music, Minister.

**Betsy Layne United Methodist**, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Blackburn, Minister.

**Allen Christ United Methodist**, Allen; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth Lemaster, Minister.

**Community United Methodist**, 147 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neeley St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Glen "Sandy" Douglass, Rev.

**Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist**, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.

**Emma United Methodist**, Emma; Sunday School 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service 11 a.m.; Pastor David Proffitt.

**First United Methodist**, 256 South Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m.; Youth Service 6 p.m.; Rev Jim Adams, Pastor.

**Horn Chapel Methodist**, Auxier Road, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Mid-week Service, 7 p.m.; Sunday Evening Service held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 6 p.m.; Judy Carr-Back, Minister.

**Graceway United Methodist**, Rt. 80, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.

**Salisbury United Methodist**, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Bobby G. Lawson, Minister.

**Wayland United Methodist**, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Jack Howard, Pastor.

**Wheelwright United Methodist**, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.

**Vogle Day United Methodist Church**, Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Dennis C. Love, Pastor.

**Drift Pentecostal**, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ted Shannon, Minister.

**Free Pentecostal Church of God**, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thurs., 6:30 p.m.; Buster Hayton, Minister.

**Free Pentecostal Church of God**, Weeksbury; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; John "Jay" Patton, Minister.

**Free Pentecostal Deliverance**, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.; Patricia Crider, Minister.

**Free Pentecostal Holiness**, Rt. 122, Upper Burton; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Louis Sanlan, Minister; David Pike, Associate Minister.

**Goodloe Pentecostal**, Rt. 850, David; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Malcom Slone, Minister.

**Trinity Chapel Pentecostal Holiness**, Main St., Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; 2nd Sat., 7 p.m.; Thurs., 7 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Minister.

**Free Pentecostal Church**, Dwale; Services Saturday, 6 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11 a.m.; No Sunday Night Service.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

**Drift Presbyterian**, Route 1101, Drift; Worship Service, 11 a.m.

**First Presbyterian**, North Lake Drive; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Vicki Poole, pastor.

#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Seventh-Day Adventist**, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Church Service, 9:15; Sabbath School, 10:45; John Baker, Pastor, 358-9263; Church, 886-3459, leave message. Everyone welcome!

#### THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints**; Sacramento Mtg., 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:20 a.m.; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary, 12:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m. Church Meeting House address, Hwy. 80, Martin, KY 41649; Meeting House telephone number: 285-3133; Richard Salisbury, Bishop.

#### OTHER

**Pastor Atha Johnson** welcomes everyone to attend services at the **CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY TRAM KENTUCKY**. Sunday school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m.

**Drift Independent**, Drift; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.

**Grace Fellowship Prestonsburg** (next to old flea market), Sunday School, 10 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Bill Stukenberg, Pastor 889-0905.

**Faith Deliverance Tabernacle**, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Don Shepherd, Minister.

**Faith Revelation**, Harkins Ave., West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m. Randy Hagans, Minister. 886-9460.

**Faith Fellowship**, Allen, Ky. Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sun. Evening, 6 p.m.; Wed, 7 p.m. Carl & Missy Woods, Pastors.

**Faith Worship Center**, US 460, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6 p.m.; Buddy and Maude Frye, Minister.

**Full Gospel Community**, (formerly of Martin) moved to Old Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m.; Wed., 6:30 pm.; Lavonne Lafferty, Minister.

**Lighthouse Temple**, Main St., West Prestonsburg; Sunday Service, 12 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Friday, 7 p.m.; Roy Cosby, Minister.

**Living Water Ministries Full Gospel Church**, Rt. 3, just before Thunder Ridge; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m. Pastor: Curt Howard.

**Martin House of Worship**, Old Post Office St.; Worship Service, 7 p.m., Saturday/Sunday.

**Old Time Holiness**, 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Martin; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; John W. Patton, Minister.

**Spurlock Bible (Baptist)**, 6227 Spurlock Creek Rd., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jim Stephens, Minister. 886-1003.

**Town Branch Church**; Sunday School 10 a.m. except for first Sunday in each month.; Worship Service, Sun. morning 10:00 a.m.; Evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; No Sunday night services on first Sunday of each month. Tom Nelson, Minister.

**The Father House**, Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; J.J. Wright, Minister.

**The Tabernacle**, Rt. 321 (Old Plantation Motel), Christian Educator, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00; Pastors, Paul and Ramona Aiken.

**Youth Fellowship Center**, Wheelwright; Monday-Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.

**Zion Deliverance**, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Prayer Line: 358-2464; Darlene W. Arnette, Pastor

**Taylor Chapel Community Church**, formerly the old Price Food Service building, located 1 quarter mile above Worldwide Equipment, Rt. 1428. Sun. Bible Study, 10 a.m.; Sun. Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sun. Evening, 6:30 p.m. Kenny Vanderpool, Pastor.

**International Pentecostal Holiness Church**, 10974 N. Main St., Martin; Rev. Ellis J. Stevens, Senior Pastor.

**Rising Son Ministries**, 114 Rising Son Lane, Prestonsburg, Ky 41653.; Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Pastor: D.P. Curry.

**Church of God of Prophecy**, Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., Sunday Night - 6 p.m., Wednesday Night - 6 p.m. Pastor Glenn Hayes. West Prestonsburg.

**House of Refuge**, Rock Fork; Sunday



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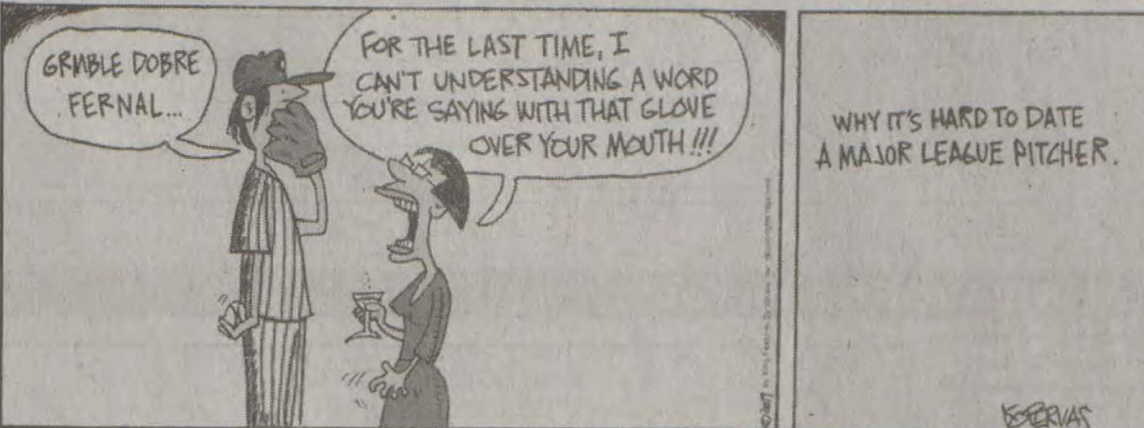
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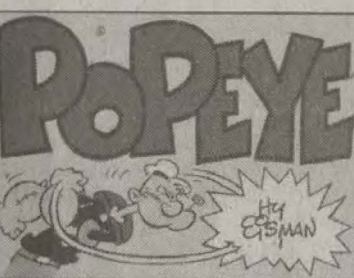
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LAFF-A-DAY



King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Harvest
- 5 Crafty
- 8 One of Henry VIII's Catherines
- 12 Shrek is one
- 13 Go like the wind
- 14 Hodgepodge
- 15 French fries, e.g.
- 17 Turnpike payment
- 18 Curvy letter
- 19 Scepter
- 20 Relieve
- 21 Trench
- 22 Sticky stuff
- 23 Take ten
- 26 Baby food
- 30 Blueprint
- 31 The whole shooting match
- 32 Nevada city
- 33 Whodunit
- 35 Make pigtails
- 36 Sphere
- 37 Luau staple
- 38 O'Neill's specialty
- 41 Columnist Smith
- 42 Energy
- 45 Hindu royal
- 46 Grand view
- 48 Teensy bit
- 49 Superlative ending
- 50 Rainbow
- 51 Kelly or Rayburn

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12				13			14			
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45					46			47		
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51					52			53		

- 9 Burn soother
- 10 Streamlet
- 11 Somersault
- 16 Silly Rabbit's desired cereal
- 20 Weep loudly
- 21 Marceau
- 22 Cowboy's sweetie
- 23 Spinning meas.
- 24 Tarzan
- 25 Part of UNLV
- 26 Thickness
- 27 Meadow
- 28 Half of bi-
- 29 Chic, to
- Austin Powers
- 31 Wall St. wheeler-dealer
- 34 Mound stat
- 35 Long-popular clown
- 37 Mottled pony
- 38 Party pooper
- 39 Assess
- 40 In due time
- 41 Whip
- 42 Brazilian rubber
- 43 Eastern potentate
- 44 Just say no
- 46 Church seat
- 47 Eve, originally

DOWN

- 1 "Clue" weapon
- 2 Ids' counterparts
- 3 The "A" in "A&E"
- 4 Pod
- 5 "Phooey!"
- 6 Told a big one
- 7 "Of course"
- 8 A little of everything, on "Jeopardy!"

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

1	3		6	4		
	5	9		8	1	
		8	7	6	5	
4		9	2		3	
7	5	1			8	
2			7	1	6	
	1	4	8		2	
3		5		7	4	
		9	3	4		5

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging  
★★★ HOO BOY!

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: How many lakes are in the North American Great Lake chain?
2. ARTS: What was choreographer George Balanchine's native country?
3. RELIGION: What is the formal name of the Quakers?
4. TELEVISION: What high school did Richie Cunningham attend in the sitcom "Happy Days"?
5. MOVIES: What baseball movie introduced the character of "Wild Thing"?
6. LAW: Who is the current chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court?
7. AD SLOGANS: What kind of candy "melts in your mouth, not in your hands"?
8. ANATOMY: Where is the parietal bone located in the human body?
9. MATH: How many minutes are in a day?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the symbol of the zodiac sign Cancer?

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HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTING



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1 Bell is missing. 2 Coat has extra clasp. 3 Window has curtains. 4 Horse is shorter. 5 Puff of smoke is missing. 6 Pinwheel is different.

CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: F equals X

JOIA Q KQFT BNTMIN  
TARTKR PA UQHHTAU, T  
RDGGPRI OI JTZZ IFGIXK Q  
XQHKTMI QDBTAXI.

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audience.

When a taxi driver insists on gabbing, I suppose he will expect a cabtive

CryptoQuip

Trivia Test Answers

10.	The Crab
9.	1,440 (24 hours x 60 minutes)
8.	The skull
7.	M&M's
6.	John Roberts
5.	"Major League" (Pitche Sheen)
4.	Jefferson High
3.	Religious Society of Friends
2.	Russia
1.	Eric and Superior
1.	Five (Huron, Ontario, Michigan)

Solution time: 21 mins.

King Crossword

6	7	9	3	2	4	8	1	5
3	8	2	5	1	9	7	6	4
5	1	4	7	8	6	3	2	9
2	9	3	8	5	7	1	4	6
7	6	5	1	4	3	9	8	2
8	4	1	6	9	2	5	3	7
9	2	8	4	7	1	6	5	3
4	5	6	9	3	8	2	7	1
1	3	7	2	6	5	4	9	8

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU



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3 Br, brick home for sale or lease. North side of Prestonsburg. Call 889-0363.

**Houses For Sale**  
 For Sale: 3 bedroom, 1-bath home with acreage, located at East Point. (Floyd County) just off US 23. Very Convenient to Prestonsburg and Paintsville, shopping, hospital, and schools. Asking \$75,000. Call 884-6113.

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 50 X 90 Building 18 ft tall for rent. Located at Martin. \$475 a month. 606-285-3368.

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**Houses For Rent**  
 2 Br, house for rent. \$600 per month. Located in Betsy Layne. No pets. Call for details 606-432-0832.

2 br, 1 bath House for rent. Located at Harold. \$550 month plus deposit & utilities. Call 478-3333 or 478-2423.

### Houses For Rent

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### PIKE CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. I

ACTION NO. 08-CI-01220

BARBARA TACKETT PLAINTIFF

VS NOTICE OF SALE

MAYO, INC. and HUBERT SPEARS DEFENDANTS

The undersigned, Melanie Field Horton, Receiver, shall proceed to offer for sale, at the door of the **Pike County Courthouse**, at Pikeville, Pike County, Kentucky, to the best bidder at public auction on **Wednesday, November 11, 2009** at the hour of 9:00 a.m., or thereabout, upon terms of ten (10%) percent down at the time of sale with the balance on a credit of sixty (60) days, the following described property which is being sold for indivisibility; said property being located in Pike County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

REAL PROPERTY:

TRACT I

A certain tract or parcel of land located South of Pikeville, Pike County, Kentucky, on U.S. Highway #23, more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron pin on the western right of way line at U.S. Highway 23 and 460, being the northeast corner of F.C. Sanders' lot, and the southeast corner of a lot belonging to Sam Sirginnis; thence with the said right of way line S 19 30 W 80.00 feet to corner of L.D. Ratliff's heirs lot; thence with said line N 70 W 30 feet 159.9 feet to the iron pin; thence N 25 E 98.0 feet to an iron pin on the line between Same Sirginnis and F.C. Sanders; thence with said line S 64 E 152.00 feet to the point of BEGINNING.

Being the same property conveyed to Mayo Trail Tire Service, Incorporated, by deed from The Citizens Bank of Pikeville, a Kentucky banking organization, dated July 6, 1971, of record in Deed Book 504, Page 38, Pike County Court Clerk's Office.

TRACT II

A certain tract or parcel of land lying on the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River, near Blairtown, Pike County, Kentucky, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a power pole along the boundary of Old U.S. 23 where the tract of real property of the grantors joins the tract of real property currently owned by Myrtle Johnson, of P.O. Box 2497, Pikeville, Kentucky; thence running along the boundary of Myrtle Johnson property line a distance of 86 feet; thence turning right at a 90E angle and running in a straight line to the public road which runs across the bottom toward the river; thence turning right and running along said public road to join the right of way of old U.S. 23; thence turning right and running along U.S. 23 right of way back to the power pole which marked the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Mayo, Inc., a Kentucky Corporation, by deed from Elmer Dale May and Irene May, his wife, dated November 30, 1989, of record in Deed Book 630, Page 580, Pike County Court Clerk's Office.

TRACT III

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying on the West side of South Mayo Trail and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

PARCEL 1

BEGINNING at an iron pipe on the line of the Sam Sirginnis property at the corner of the Paul Rowe and Ferde C. Sanders' property; thence running south with the lines between Paul Rowe and Ferde C. Sanders a distance of 98.1 feet; to a point in the L.D. Ratliff heirs property line; thence in a westerly direction running with the line of L.D. Ratliff's heirs property line a distance of 60 feet; thence turning north and running a parallel line to the property line of Sam Sirginnis line to the beginning.

PARCEL 2

BEGINNING at an iron pin at the SE corner of the Rodney B. Sanders lot, at a point on the NW boundary of the L.D. Ratliff property (now Billy Jack Epling property); thence running with the L.D. Ratliff line, (now Billy Jack Epling line) N 70, 30 W to an iron pin on the NE corner of the Ferde Sanders' line; thence running with the Ferde Sanders' line to the river; thence running down the river with the meanders thereof to the Sam Sirginnis' line, now Dudley Coleman; thence with the Sam Sirginnis' line now Dudley Coleman S 64 E to a point on the Sam Sirginnis' property line, which joins the NW corner of the Rodney B. Sanders' lot; thence running SW with the Rodney B. Sanders' property line to the point of BEGINNING.

There is also conveyed with this description that certain 15 foot road right of way heretofore reserved in prior deeds, extending from Highway 23 to the river.

Being the same property conveyed to Mayo, Inc., by deed from Adrienne Justice and Greg Justice, her husband, Nancy S. Hatcher, and Ferdie Sanders and JoEllen Sanders, his wife, dated September 18, 2007, of record in Deed Book 918, Page 515, Pike County Court Clerk's Office.

PERSONAL PROPERTY:

All Assets of Mayo, Inc.; whether any of the foregoing is owned now or acquired later; all accessions, additions, replacements, inventory and substitutions relating to any of the foregoing; all records of any kind relating to any of the foregoing; all proceeds relating to any of the foregoing (including insurance, general intangibles and other accounts proceeds).

The Receiver shall take bids on the real estate and personal property separately and then together, with the properties being sold in the manner which yields the highest purchase price.

The purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of Kentucky Sales Taxes associated with the purchase of assets.

The personalty may be inspected prior to the day of sale by contacting the Receiver.

For the purchase price of the above-described real estate, purchaser or purchasers must pay ten (10%) percent at the time of sale and execute bond for the balance with approved surety or securities bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the full force and effect of judgment, or purchaser may pay cash.

Bidders will have to comply promptly with these terms.

Any announcements made by the Receiver on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

This 21st day of October, 2009.

MELANIE FIELDS HORTON  
 RECEIVER

P.O. BOX 29  
 PIKEVILLE, KY 41502

### PUBLIC NOTICE

On October 19, 2009, an application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission in Washington, D.C., seeking its consent to the assignment of the licenses of W273BC, Channel 27, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, with an intention to rebroadcast WDHR, Channel 226 in Pikeville, Kentucky, and W291AZ, Channel 291, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, with an intention to rebroadcast WXCC, Channel 243, Williamson, West Virginia, each with a power of 10 watts and a transmitter site west of Route 23.

### INVITATION TO BID

The Housing Authority of Martin will receive sealed bids on a Lump-Sum basis for **NEW ACCESSIBLE REPLACEMENT HOUSING AT GRIGSBY HEIGHTS** until **11:00 a.m., on Tuesday, November 10, 2009**, at the Housing Authority Offices, 109 Raymond Griffin Drive, No. 1101, P.O. Box 806, Martin, Kentucky 41649, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

A Prebid Conference will be held at **11:00 a.m., on Thursday, October 29, 2009**, at the Housing Authority Offices at 109 Raymond Griffin Drive, Martin, Kentucky. The scope and details of the proposed project work will be discussed. Attendance is recommended.

Copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained upon request from Browne Group Architects, 1351 King Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43212, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., together with a refundable deposit in the amount of \$50.00 made payable to Browne Group Architects for one set of documents. Each contractor shall be limited to one set of refundable Bidding Documents. Deposit shall be refunded only if contractor submits a bid.

Complete details of this Invitation to Bid may be obtained by contacting Mr. Bruce Colman, Executive Director, 109 Raymond Griffin Drive, No. 1101, P.O. Box 806, Martin, Kentucky 41649, telephone (606) 285-3681, or Larry R. Browne, Browne Group Architects, 1351 King Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, telephone (614) 486-7145.

Bruce Coleman, Executive Director  
 October 19, 2009

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Request for Qualifications for Consultants

The East Kentucky Leadership Foundation, Inc. (EKLFF) is soliciting qualifications from consultants for professional services for the development of an operations and business plan for the Central Appalachian Institute for Research and Development (CAIRD).

The plan shall include, but not limited to, CAIRD's mission statement, establish tangible and quantifiable goals, define the areas to be served by CAIRD, provide a strategic plan for implementation and suggest ways of marketing the CAIRD concept. The implementation plan should include, but not be limited to, identification of the most effective entity to provide "ownership" for CAIRD, determination of private and public funding opportunities, and a list of existing facilities that would supply support for CAIRD. The report shall include a five (5) year pro-forma, along with an indication of start-up costs for CAIRD.

The EKLFF is seeking the assistance of a qualified consultant to assist them in the development and planning of the report. Minimum requirements include a Master's degree, or equivalent, background in strategic planning or community/leadership development, experience in analysis and research of educational issues, basic computer skills, and familiarity with the Appalachian region, especially distressed counties.

Respondents should submit a minimum of three (3) copies of their qualifications not exceeding 20 pages in a sealed envelope clearly marked "East Kentucky Leadership Foundation - CAIRD Operations/Business Plan Development" no later than 1:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 29, 2009. Submittals should be made to Mr. Bill Weinberg, Project Director at 35 Kentucky River Road, Hindman, Kentucky 41822, (606) 785-0761. The EKLFF reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

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In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Hall & Jones Coal Company, General Delivery, Route 122, Bevinsville, KY 41606 has filed for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 2.5 miles south of McDowell in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 0.93 surface acres and will underlie 382.00 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 382.93 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.5 miles east from KY 1929's junction with Ned Fork Road and located 0.01 miles southwest of Ned Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees 25 minutes 28 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 41 minutes 52 seconds.

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Andy Mitchell. The operation will underlie land owned by Andy Mitchell, Della Vance, James Jones, Richard Moore, Ira Lee Jones, Charles Page, Levi Blankenship, Carl Bentley, Orbin Moore, Orville Hamilton, Hazard Collins, Opal Moore, Barzell Brown, Sam Hamilton, Arizona Martin and Jeff Henson.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653-1410. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601-4321. This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

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