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## briefs

### Mine co. sued for unpaid fines

by SHELDON COMPTON  
 STAFF WRITER

PIKEVILLE — A Floyd County coal mining company now faces a federal lawsuit brought by the United States, as federal attorneys say the company has failed to pay fines brought against it dating back to October 2007.

AC Mining of East Kentucky Inc., which has its principal office located in Printer in Floyd County, is alleged in the federal complaint to have been cited on several occasions in the past two years and have failed to pay the fines connected to these violations, which were issued by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA).

The fines range from \$150 to just over \$5,046. In total, the lawsuit asks for judgment against AC Mining and \$13,288 across the eight separate fines named in the lawsuit.

There were no details information as to the exact nature of the violations

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## 2 DAY FORECAST

### Today



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### Tomorrow



High: 52 • Low: 36

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# Locals on Haiti mission reported safe

by SHELDON COMPTON  
 STAFF WRITER

A local group, including Dr. Roger Jurich, was visiting Haiti on a missionary trip when the country was hit on Jan. 12 with a 7.0 earthquake.

Former employees and family members of Dr. Jurich said they had spoken with him since the quake, the epicenter of which was located just outside the county's capital of Port-au-Prince, and that he and the others in the group were in good condition, adding they had not

been in Port-au-Prince when the disaster took place.

Dr. Jurich was accompanied on the trip, which started Saturday, by his wife, Sheryl. These trips usually last about a week and the group plans to return this weekend, the family said.

Local reports indicate that Doctors Without Borders had confirmed that three of their aid centers had been left mostly destroyed due to the disaster, making medical groups even more important, as well as the wait for foreign aid in the coming days.

## REMEMBRANCE



Despite the frigid temperatures, the Friends of Middle Creek and the Kentucky National Guard Prestonsburg Post commemorated the 148th anniversary of the Battle of Middle Creek on Sunday. "We were small in number, but the spirit was great," said Floyd Davis, with the Friends of Middle Creek.

# Women's business symposium planned for Feb. 23 at JWSRP

by JARRID DEATON  
 FEATURES WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Business-minded woman looking for a way to enhance their entrepreneurial skills are invited to attend the 11th annual Women's Symposium at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center on Feb. 23.

The symposium, titled "Creating Balance Among Turmoil," will feature two keynote speakers from the business world. The morning keynote speaker is scheduled to be Sylvia Lovely, a lawyer and author who currently serves on the Morehead State

University Board of Regents, and the afternoon keynote speaker will be Cindy Kubica, who is often referred to as the "Energy Coach" during her tours across the country and internationally. Kubica focuses on the link between stress, the mind and the body, and how it influences behavior, energy and health.

The symposium is scheduled to begin at 8 a.m. with registration and exhibitor networking, followed by a welcome from Chasity Gayheart at 9 a.m. Lovely's keynote, "My Life Story, Your Life Story, The Key to Your Success," will begin at 9:15.

Two sessions are scheduled to start at 10 a.m., including one dealing with using the social networking site Facebook to start or expand a small business. Kubica's keynote, "In Search of Normal: Move Life from Chaos to Clarity," will begin at 1:15. The event will end at 3 p.m. with door prizes and closing remarks.

Registration for the event is \$25 per person and includes all workshops and meals. To register, contact Michelle Spriggs at (606) 788-6008, or Linda Casebolt at (606) 432-5848. Registration is also available online at <http://www.moreheadstate.edu/sbdc>.

# Candidates continue to file; more waiting

by SHELDON COMPTON  
 STAFF WRITER

Two more candidates filed Wednesday and a third Thursday for races in the upcoming May primary election, while another Floyd County resident picked up paperwork to file to run for county judge-executive.

Former state Rep. Charles "Chuck" Meade picked up paperwork to file for judge-executive yesterday, according to the county clerk's office, making him the second person to do so, which would potentially give current Judge-Executive R.D. "Doc" Marshall two challengers if Meade and the other as of yet unknown individual file.

Three candidates have filed since Wednesday, one for county surveyor and two others for constable positions in District 4.

Teresa Hall, of Wayland, was the first to file for the job of county surveyor, while John Kidd,

(See CANDIDATES, page eight)

# Unindicted man says he is innocent

by SHELDON COMPTON  
 STAFF WRITER

A grand jury has not returned an indictment against a man charged with theft by unlawful taking who spent two-and-a-half months awaiting that decision.

Donald Tilly said he is innocent of claims made against him that he took more than \$2,000 to move a trailer for a Pike County woman and then never completed the job.

The complaint was taken against Tilly by Thelma Justice, who said the Prestonsburg man took \$2,300 from her as payment to move her trailer, then never showed up to finish the work.

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# Johnson County man charged with child porn

by SHELDON COMPTON  
 STAFF WRITER

PIKEVILLE — A Johnson County man was indicted in federal court this past week in Pikeville on charges claiming he distributed child pornography.

Phillip D. Cavins was named in a three-count indictment after federal prosecutors say that on dates ranging between May through June of last year he both possessed and distributed mailed materials that depicted "a minor

engaging in sexually explicit conduct."

In addition to the two counts of distribution and possession, Cavins was also made to forfeit his computer, various floppy disks and CDRs and all other software federal investigators deemed important to the case.

Also, because Cavins has a past felony conviction on his record, federal officials also ordered the seizure of a number of

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Many businesses and local residents have taken Floyd County Clerk Chris Waugh up on his offer to donate to the Floyd County Chapter of the American Red Cross. The certificates of those who have already participated line the hallway at the Floyd County Courthouse in Prestonsburg.

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# Obituaries

## Russell L. Johnson

Russell L. Johnson, 82, of Melvin, died Wednesday, January 13, 2010, in McDowell ARH.

Born December 23, 1927, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Kelly and Annie Tackett Johnson.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Alice Newsome Johnson.

Survivors include four sons: Carlos Johnson, Jimmy Johnson, Roy Johnson, and Billy Johnson, all of Melvin; four daughters: Edith Faye Flannery, Shirley Little, Christine Adkins, and Wanda Hall, all of Melvin; six brothers: Frank Johnson of Morgan County; Donald Johnson of Melvin; Kelly James Johnson of Auxier; Jessie Johnson of Huntington, Indiana; and Larry Douglas Johnson and Vernon Johnson, both of Kite; two sisters: Esta Reynolds of Auxier, and Geraldine Hall of Melvin; 30 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents and wife, she was preceded in death by one brother, Robert Johnson; two sisters: Rosie Johnson and Lillie Caudill; and one grandson, Steven Johnson.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 16, at 11 a.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church, in Melvin, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Matthew Tackett Cemetery, in Melvin.

Visitation is Thursday, at the

church, with nightly services at 6:30 p.m.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, is in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

## Ollie Jay Leslie Jr.

Ollie Jay Leslie Jr., 40, of Hager Hill, died Sunday, January 10, 2010, in Pikeville.

Born June 10, 1969, in Prestonsburg, he was the son of Ollie Jay (Terri) Leslie Sr., of Hager Hill, and the late Helen Endicott Leslie. He was disabled.

He is survived by his special companion, Jodi Sparkman of Pikeville.

In addition to his father and stepmother, he is survived by his paternal grandmother, Ada Goble Jarrell of Prestonsburg; two brothers: Shawn (Chevona) Leslie of Paintsville; and Mark Hunt of Paducah; four sisters: Selena Leslie, Sabrina (Matt) Blair, and Jennifer Hunt, all of Prestonsburg; and Michelle Stumbo of Paintsville; five nieces: Shyanna, Alyssa, Hollie, Katie and Anna; three nephews: Curtis, John David, and Shawn Allen; and several aunts and uncles.

In addition to his mother, he was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Ezra Jarrell; and his paternal grandparents: John and Alice Hunt Endicott.

Funeral services will be held Friday, January 15, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with James Henry Fields officiating.

Burial will be in the Ezra

Jarrell Cemetery, (Slick Rock), Prestonsburg.

Visitation is at the funeral home.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

## Clarence Edward Shepherd

Clarence Edward Shepherd, 57, of Hueysville, died Monday, January 11, 2010, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Born September 14, 1952, in Magoffin County, he was the son of Grace Whitaker Shepherd Wireman (the late Chester) of Royalton, and the late Clarence Shepherd. He was a disabled heavy equipment operator (coal mines) and a member of the Garrett Regular Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Glenna Kay Hale Shepherd.

Survivors, in addition to his mother and wife, include two daughters: Jennifer Hale of Whitesburg; and Tiffany Jo Shepherd of Hueysville; two brothers: Carl (Della) Shepherd of Hueysville; and Larry Kenneth (Renee) Shepherd of Salyersville; four sisters: Dorothy (Luther Bill) Wireman of Gunlock; Phyllis Holliday of Lexington; Ina Mae (Aaron) Risner and Jewell Wireman, both of Royalton; and several stepbrothers and sisters; nieces and nephews.

In addition to his father and stepfather, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Hershel and Don Shepherd.

Funeral services will be held Friday, January 15, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Larry Patton officiating.

Burial will be in the Shepherd Family Cemetery, in Hueysville.

Visitation is at the funeral home.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

## Michael Lee Taylor

Michael Lee Taylor, 32, of Wayland, died Tuesday, January 12, 2010, at his residence.

Born September 4, 1978, in Pikeville, he was the son of Thomas and Grace Fraley Taylor of Wayland. He was a disabled U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors, in addition to his parents, include one son, Michael Lee Taylor of Lady Lake, Florida; three daughters: Kayla Dawn Taylor of Estill, Angel Faith and Meleaha Taylor, both of Wayland; one brother, Samuel Taylor of Wayland; and one sister, Cheri Halbert of Printer.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 16, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Claude Allen officiating.

Burial will be in the East Gate Memorial Cemetery, in Eastern.

Visitation is at the funeral home.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

## Johnnie Wallen

Johnnie Wallen, age 85, of Marshall, Michigan, died Saturday, January 9, 2010, in Marshall, Michigan.

He was born on October 3, 1924, in Allen, the son of Walter and Sarah (Wright) Wallen.

On February 21, 1946, he married the former Freda Pauline Hall. The couple moved to the Marshall area the following morning after the wedding, and had lived in this area ever since. He had been employed as a machinist, retiring from Warren-Sherer Gillett in 1979. Other employment included Woodlin Metal Products.

He had also worked as a custom farmer, plowing many of his neighbor's farmland. He was an accomplished builder, and built two homes on his own. He had also assisted many of the local churches with their building projects.

He loved to keep busy and enjoyed the out of doors. He was an avid fisherman, and also enjoyed hunting. He organized several fishing tournaments every year, and was a member of a skeet shooting club. He enjoyed farming and was a bee keeper.

He was a member of Mac 20 CB Club and held several offices. His radio tower was the tallest in the county, and his services were used by the local law enforcement agencies to assist in notifying local communities and truckers of dangerous weather conditions.

He is survived by Freda, his wife of 63 years; his daughters: Linda Wallen of Springfield, Missouri; Judy (Larry) Spaulding of Bellevue, Michigan; Diana Devenny of Dallas, Texas; Tammy (Chuck) Strong of Union City, Michigan; and Amy (Rick) Pountain of Marshall, Michigan; his sons: Dan (Paula) Wallen of Dowling; John Wallen, and Tim (Franci) Wallen, both of Marshall, Michigan; 21 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter; a brother, Tommy Wallen of Burlington; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition, to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers: Luther Wallen and Frank Wallen; and his sisters: Sue Conn, Ruby Howard, and Lula Mae Howard.

The family received friends at the Craig K. Kempf Funeral Home and Cremation Services, in Marshall, on Tuesday, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

A funeral service to celebrate the gift of his life was held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, at the funeral home.

Interment with military honors will follow in Oakridge Cemetery.

Friends who wish, may make memorial contributions to the Disabled American Veterans, Battle Creek Chapter. Assistance with memorials is available at the funeral home.

To leave a personal message and sign the on line guest registry, please visit: [www.kempffuneralhome.com](http://www.kempffuneralhome.com)

(Paid obituary)

## Regional Obituaries

### FLOYD COUNTY

■ Jim Adams, 70, of Defiance, Ohio, a native of Prestonsburg, died Monday, January 11, at CHP Defiance Area Inpatient Hospice Center. He is survived by his wife, Susan Schramm Adams. Services were held Friday, January 15, under the direction of Lawson-Roessner Funeral Home, Defiance, Ohio.

■ Bert Conley, 85, of Garrett, died Monday, December 28, 2009, at the Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 31, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Glenn T. Fraley, 77, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, January 6, in Eastern Kentucky Veterans Center, in Hazard. Funeral services were held Saturday, January 16, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Marvin Wade Gibson, 76, of Wayland, died Monday, December 30, 2009, at the East Kentucky Veterans Center in Hazard. Funeral services were held Friday, January 1, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Robert B. "R.B." Hughes, 85, of Honaker, died Wednesday, Jan. 6, at his home. Funeral services were held Sunday, Jan. 10, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Joe Little, 49, of Stanville, died Saturday, January 9, at the emergency room of Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. He is survived by his wife, Lora Bates Little. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Tiffany Nicole Phillips, 20, of Banner, died Saturday, January 9, in Ivel. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Charles L. Sergent, 53, of Prestonsburg, died Friday, January 8, at his residence. He is survived by his wife, Debbie Malcomb Sergent. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Charles Floyd Smiley, 72, of Collins, Ohio, a native of Dana, died Friday, January 8, in Norwalk, Ohio. He is survived

by his wife, Arcolis Smiley. Funeral services were held Monday, January 11, under the direction of Norwalk Funeral Home.

■ Phillip Lee Sturgill, 50, of Vest, died Saturday, January 9, at his residence. He is survived by his wife, Brenda Sturgill. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Bulah Tackett, 77, of Ashtabula, Ohio, formerly of Floyd County, died Wednesday, December 23, 2009, at her home. Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 30, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

### PIKE COUNTY

■ Palmer Adkins, 81, of Greasy Creek, died Tuesday, January 5, at his home. Funeral services were held Friday, January 8, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Donald Gene Bentley, 53, of Rockhouse, died Sunday, January 10, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Sandra Kay Chaney Bentley. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Naomi Christine Damron Blackburn, 78, of North Melvena, Chicago, formerly of Pike County, died Friday, January 1, at Our Lady of Resurrection, Chicago. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 10, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Lloyd Harold "Macky" Bullock, 37, of Elkhorn City, died Thursday, January 7, at his residence. He is survived by his wife, Peggy Bullock. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 10, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Stella Clevinger, 78, of Lower Johns Creek, died Friday, January 1, in Ewing, at the home of her son. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 5, under the direction of Community Funeral Home.

■ Iva Compton, 98, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, January 6, at Cedar Creek Assisted Living. Funeral services were held Monday, January 11, under the direction of Lucas and Son Funeral Home, Pikeville.

■ Tony Curtis Hatfield, 46, of Ransom, died Tuesday,

January 5, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Melinda Preece Hatfield. Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 8, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

■ Stella Johnson, 92, of Virgie, died Thursday, January 7, at her residence. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 10, under the direction of Hall and Jones Funeral Home.

■ John Justice, 88, of Shelbiana, died Monday, January 4, at Parkview Nursing & Rehabilitation Center. Funeral services were held Thursday, January 7, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Estill Justice, 82, of Pikeville, died Friday, January 8, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral arrangements, under the direction of Thacker Funeral Home.

■ Ben H. Keene III, 51, of Raccoon, died Saturday, January 2, at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington. A memorial service was held at a later date, under the direction of Community Funeral Home of Zebulon.

■ Jasmine Gail Lowe, infant daughter of Justin and Jondra Tackett Lowe of Kimper, died Friday, January 1, at her home. Funeral services were held Tuesday, Jan. 5, under the direction of Community Funeral Home.

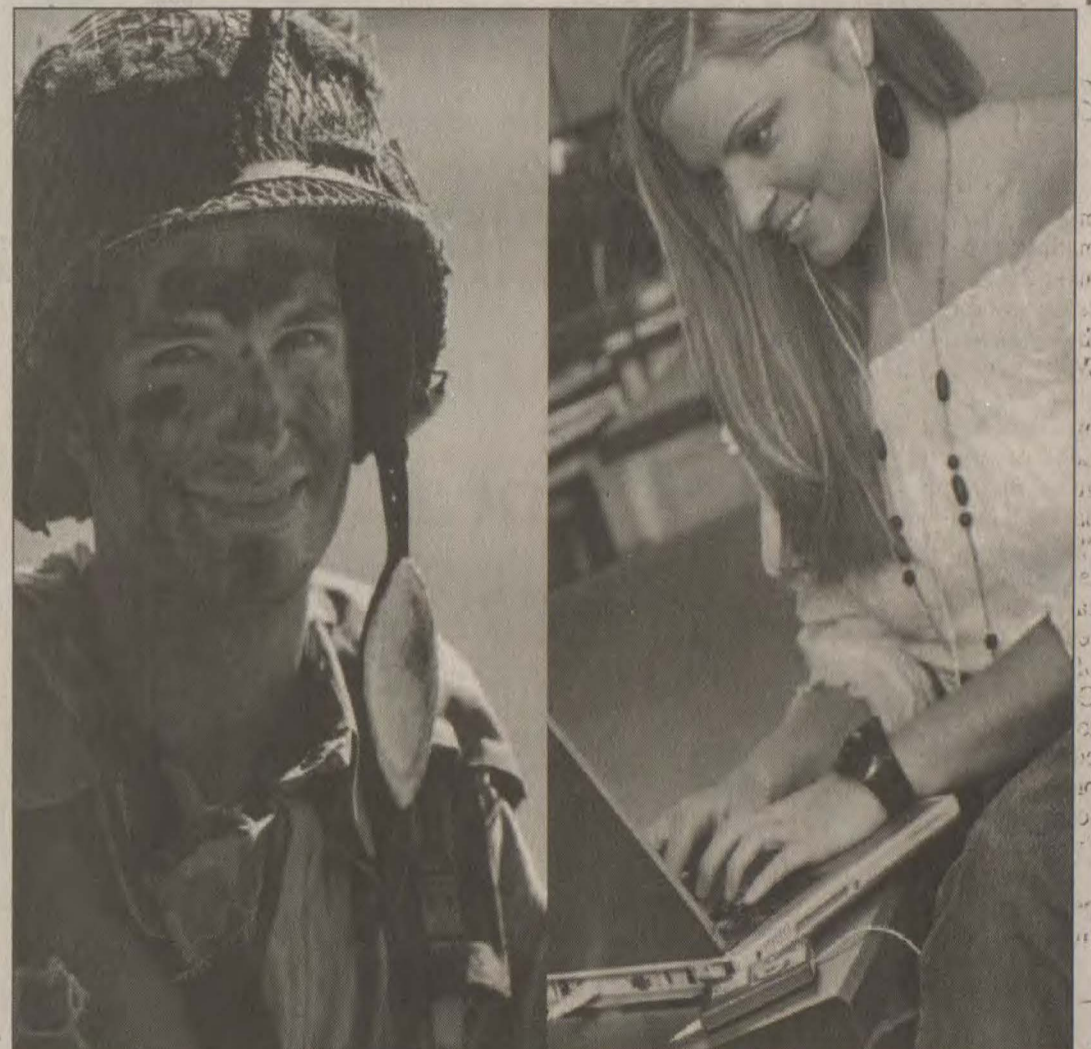
■ Leona Mullins, 95, of River Rouge, Michigan, formerly of Beehide, died Thursday, January 7, in Michigan. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Hall & Jones Funeral Home.

■ Martha Ann Maynard Nichols, 89, of Lower Johns Creek, died Monday, January 11, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Ruth Dean Parsons, 73, of Pikeville, died Monday, January 4, at the Sevier County Health Care Center, Sevierville, Tenn. Funeral services were held Saturday, January 9, under the direction of Hall & Jones Funeral Home.

■ Paul T. Patton, 75, of Pikeville, died Friday, January

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# 'Amanda's Bill' passes House, heads to Senate

FRANKFORT - A bill named after domestic violence victim Amanda Ross that would encourage Kentucky courts to order electronic monitoring in certain domestic violence order cases has passed the House by a 97-0 vote.

House Bill 1 — also called "Amanda's Bill" in memory of Ross, who was shot to death outside her Lexington apartment last September — would allow the use of global positioning system (GPS) monitoring in some domestic violence cases that the courts deem most dangerous. House Speaker Greg Stumbo, the sponsor of HB 1, said the legislation would make GPS monitoring economical by allowing counties to buy or lease GPS systems for pretrial release, pretrial diversion or probation and use those systems in domestic violence cases.

for 30 years, but it wasn't until Ross' death that Stumbo said lawmakers realized that GPS could be used as "another form of deterrent" that can protect victims 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

"This is not about the criminal justice system — this is to restrain conduct," said Stumbo. "It is not a finding of innocence or guilt."

State Rep. John Arnold, D-Sturgis, asked Stumbo how the person monitoring those wearing GPS devices under a DVO would know if the device had been removed. Stumbo said a signal is sent to the GPS monitor that a device has been tampered with if the device is not removed with a certain tool.

Similar to devices in some automobiles and cell phones, the GPS devices worn by individuals track a person's movements using technology encased in a bracelet or other item which a person is ordered to wear. Under Amanda's Bill, judges would be allowed to order the use of a GPS device if an evaluation shows a domestic violence case is dangerous enough to warrant its use.

"We're giving the courts, hopefully, a tool so that the judge can know for sure what is happening in the field," Stumbo said.

Stumbo said Kentucky has been at the forefront of rights for domestic violence victims

The cost of GPS monitoring, about \$7 to \$10 a day, would be paid by those being monitored, Stumbo said.

HB 1 now goes to the Senate for its consideration. If passed into law, it would become law immediately under an emergency clause attached to the measure.

# Legislator pension bill approved in Senate

FRANKFORT - State lawmakers would no longer dramatically enrich their retirement pay by switching branches of government under a bill that passed the Senate Wednesday on a 21-17 vote.

Senate Bill 51, sponsored by Sen. Jimmy Higdon, R-Lebanon, would repeal language first enacted in 2005 as part of a larger retirement bill. "Senate Bill 51 reverses unintended consequences," Higdon said. The current law allows legislators to count their years of part-time service in the General Assembly and apply it toward the pension accumulated in full-time executive branch or judicial branch service, which Higdon termed a "windfall."

"What eventually will happen is it will break the legislative retirement system," said

Higdon. He noted that in the current fiscal year, the state was required to pay in \$759,000, while the actuarially recommended contribution for the next biennium is \$4.28 million - an increase of \$1.4 million annually.

"Senate Bill 51 will restore a more appropriate retirement system by keeping part-time lower-wage service separate from higher-paying full-time service," Higdon said. The bill would restore the old system, where lawmakers who enter another branch would be eligible for separate pensions based on their separate service, rather than a single pension that would count total years of service but use the higher average salary gained through non-legislative jobs.

The bill now moves to the House for its consideration.

# Plan for low-performing schools headed to governor

FRANKFORT - The Senate put its stamp on a plan to boost low-performing schools Wednesday, sending it to the governor's desk in time for the state Department of Education to apply for millions in federal funding.

House Bill 176, sponsored by Rep. Carl Rollins, D-Midway, gives those school districts four options, ranging from principal replacement to school closure, for schools that see their graduation rates stay below 60 percent over three years or that fail certain No Child Left Behind thresholds.

Among the available options are one where the school would replace half or more of its staff, and another where management of the school is transferred to an organization selected by the local school board and approved by the state school board.

The bill, the first passed by the General Assembly during its 2010 Regular Session, is an emergency bill because state education officials needed the program in place in order to qualify for millions of federal dollars, the application for

which is due next week. The Race to the Top funds, totaling \$160-200 million, will be given to states based on their plans in several areas, from teacher recruitment to improving low-performing schools. The legislation also qualifies Kentucky to compete for \$45 million towards school improvement.

"We must invest in our young people," said Senate Education Committee Chair Ken Winters, R-Murray. "That starts with making sure low-performing schools receive appropriate attention."

The Senate clarified language in the House version and added a mandate that the state's application for Race to the Top funding include language on expanding the Advance Kentucky program by 20 schools each year. The program boosts the availability of college-level courses to high school students.

Following unanimous approval in the Senate, the House concurred with the Senate changes, forwarding the legislation to the governor for his signature.

## Obituaries

8, his residence. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 10, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ J.C. Potter, 80, of Jenkins, a Pike County native, died Monday, January 11, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Ruby Johnson Potter. Funeral services were held Thursday, January 14, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Clifford Sartin, 66, of Varney, died Wednesday, January 6, at King's Daughters Medical Center, Ashland. He is survived by his wife, Crystal Jean Kendrick Sartin. Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 9, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ McKinley "Ken" Scarberry, 87, of Florence, Ohio, formerly of Paw Paw, died Monday, December 28, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Osey Estep Scarberry. A memorial service was held in the Florence Christian Church on Thursday, January 7.

■ Lucien Douglas Savage Jr., 32, of Kenova, W.Va., a native of South Williamson, died Monday, January 11, at the Hospice House of Huntington, W.Va. Funeral services were held Friday, January 15, under the direction of R.E. Rogers Funeral Home.

■ Dennis Charles Stiltner, 67, of Williamson, W.Va., a native of Belfry, died Thursday, December 31, 2009, at his home. Arrangements were under the direction of R.E. Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

■ Lucy Victoria Scalf Westmoreland, 83, of Pikeville, died Monday, January 11, at Signature Health Care Center, Pikeville. She is survived by her husband, Howard Westmoreland. Funeral services were held Friday, January 15, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Dennis Blake Williams, 60, of Pikeville, died Sunday,

January 3, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Donna Rue Hamilton Williams. Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 6, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

### MAGOFFIN COUNTY

■ Lenna Collinsworth, 85, of Harrodsburg, a Magoffin County native, died Sunday, December 27, 2009, in Harrodsburg. Funeral services were held December 31, under the direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home.

### KNOTT COUNTY

■ Billy Ray Cox, 65, of Bagdad, a Knott County native, died Friday, January 1, at the Jewish Hospital, in Shelbyville. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 5, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

■ Ellen Ruth Hunter, 72, of Fisty, died Tuesday, December 31, 2009, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were held Monday, January 4, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

■ Destanie Hope Johnson, infant daughter of Nicholas Ryan and Angela Renee Fouts Johnson of Dema, died Saturday, December 26, 2009, at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. Graveside services were held Saturday, January 2, at the Anderson Family Cemetery, in Kite, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

■ Ollie Johnson, 77, of Hindman, died Friday, January 1, at her home. Funeral services were held Monday, January 4, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

■ Irene Ritchie, 67, of Beattyville, formerly of Knott County, died Saturday, January 2, at her home. Funeral services were held Thursday, January 7, under the direction of

Booneville Funeral Home.

■ Phillip Ray Stone, 59, of Hindman, died Friday, January 1, at the Hazard ARH. Funeral services were held Monday, January 4, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

■ Shelby Gene "Harry" Stumbo, 64, of Pinetop, died Thursday, December 31, 2009, at the Hazard ARH. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 3, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hindman.

### MARTIN COUNTY

■ Minerva Crum, 78, of Inez, died Saturday, January 9, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

■ Douglas Jennings Hayes, 77, of Inez, died Friday, January 8, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. He is survived by his wife, Claudia Ann Williams Hayes. Funeral services were held Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Vernon Ardina Howard, 58, of Inez, died Saturday, January 9, at her home. She is survived by her husband, James L. Howard. Funeral services were held Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Alvin Vanhooose, 84, of Inez, died Thursday, December 31, 2009, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Joann Stepp Vanhooose. Funeral services were held Sunday, January 3, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

■ Thelma Whitt, 87, of Buffalo Horn, died Tuesday, December 29, 2009, at King's Daughters Medical Center, in Ashland. Funeral services were

conducted Saturday, January 2, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

■ James Oscar Maynard, 52, of Louisa, died Thursday, January 7, at King's Daughters Medical Center, in Ashland. Funeral services were held Saturday, January 9, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

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## SOCIAL SECURITY

# Chubby Checker and Social Security commissioner announce new 'twist' in the law

Michael J. Astrue, commissioner of Social Security, and Chubby Checker, Grammy Award winner and rock and roll legend, today launched a new campaign to inform millions of Americans about a new "twist" in the law that makes it easier to qualify for extra help with Medicare prescription drug costs.

The extra help program currently provides assistance to more than nine million senior and disabled Americans — saving them an average of almost \$4,000 a year on their Medicare prescription drug plan costs. To apply for extra help, there is an easy-to-use online application available at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov).

"The changes in the Medicare law that take effect this month will allow hundreds of thousands of Americans who are struggling to pay their prescription drug costs to get extra help during these tough economic times," said Commissioner Astrue. "I am thrilled that Chubby Checker has volunteered to help us spread this important message through a new television, radio, and Internet spot as well as pamphlets and posters."

"Listen up, America! For 50 years, people of all ages

and backgrounds have danced the Twist," Chubby Checker said. "Now it's important everyone learn about this new twist in the law. Check it out at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov)."

To qualify for extra help, people must meet certain resource and income limits. The new Medicare law eases those requirements in two ways. First, it eliminates the cash value of life insurance from counting as a resource. Second, it eliminates the assistance people receive from others to pay for household expenses, such as food, rent, mortgage or utilities, from counting as income. There also is another important "twist" in the law.

The application for extra help can now start the application process for Medicare Savings Programs — state programs that provide help with other Medicare costs. These programs help pay Medicare Part B (medical insurance) premiums. For some people, the Medicare Savings Programs also pay Medicare Part A (hospital insurance) premiums, if any, and Part A and B deductibles and co-payments.

To learn more about the extra help program and to

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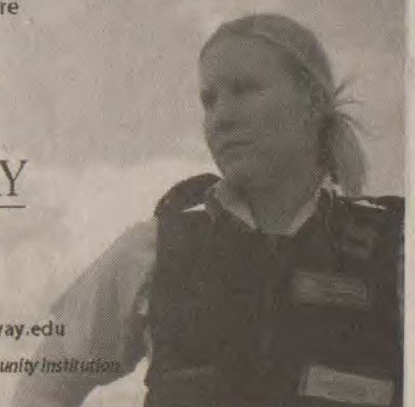
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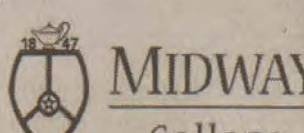


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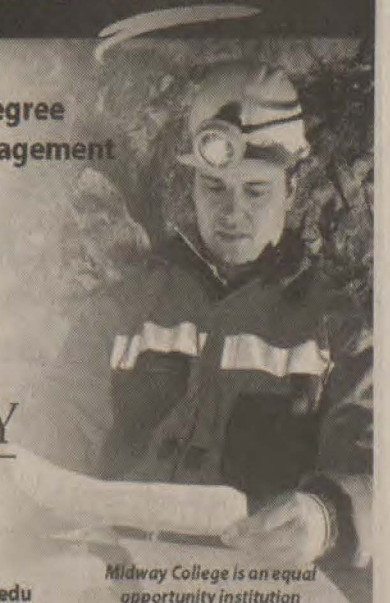
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# Viewpoint

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— William Jennings Bryan

## Guest View

### Reform can be pretty in retrospect, but ugly in the making

Watching health care reform wend through Congress never is pretty. Deals are cut behind closed doors. Leading politicians, anxiously eyeing the polls, change sides at the last moment. Unprecedented amounts of money are spent to influence the voting.

And to what end? Medicare, for one.

It took five years, an electoral landslide and a last-minute change of heart by U.S. Rep. Wilbur Mills, D-Ark., chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, to secure its passage.

It also took a lot of back-room arm twisting. The American Medical Association, which strongly opposed Medicare, set aside \$3.5 million in 1964 — the equivalent of \$24.4 million today — to fight it.

Today, the stakes are higher: health insurance for about 94 percent of all Americans. Medicare supporters didn't think that could be achieved in 1965.

Opponents' war chests are larger now than they were 45 years ago, too.

Nearly 2,300 health industry groups are registered to lobby Congress. Health care professionals, including doctors, gave \$95 million to candidates for federal office in 2008. They've since contributed another \$22.3 million, according to the nonpartisan Center for Responsive Politics.

Reform opponents lately have been complaining about a lack of transparency. They've seized on President Barack Obama's promise to conduct health care negotiations in front of C-SPAN cameras. That will not happen. Congressional Democrats are meeting behind closed doors for "informal hearings" in which the bill's final language is being negotiated.

As a matter of policy, the president was correct — if, perhaps, a bit naive. He's wrong not to do everything in his power to fulfill his promise.

As a practical matter, however, it's difficult to see how televised negotiations would work or avoid prolonging the process. They certainly wouldn't prevent deals from being cut any more than they do during regular Congressional sessions.

Instead, they would more likely become a platform for grandstanding by both supporters and opponents of reform.

They also would provide the last, best chance for opponents to delay and kill health care reform, just as Medicare opponents killed an early version of the bill in 1964.

Mr. Obama's change of heart is disappointing. But Republican opponents' sudden and convenient embrace of government transparency is downright comical.

Their 11th-hour conversion is perhaps best illustrated by the last major health care reform approved by Congress: the Medicare prescription drug benefit. It was approved in 2003, when Republicans controlled both Congress and the White House.

The bill squeaked through the House on a rare 3 a.m. vote that was extended so supporters could strong-arm enough votes to win passage.

Afterward, some House Republicans complained that much of the bill's language was written by pharmaceutical industry lobbyists.

Medicare's chief actuary later testified that he feared for his job after being threatened by White House officials. They warned him not to release his estimate that the bill's true cost would exceed what its supporters predicted.

Excesses of the Bush administration and Republican-controlled Congress, like those of the Johnson administration and its Democrat-controlled Congress, provide context to the current debate.

However, they don't excuse Mr. Obama from breaking his promises.

Like sausage-making, politics can be stomach-churning to witness. But in the end, both are judged by the product produced, not the process that bore it.

— St. Louis Post-Dispatch



## Beyond the Beltway

### Fly the unfriendly skies, if you dare

by DONALD KAUL  
MINUTEMAN MEDIA

Before the old year passes out of sight and I've broken the last of my New Year's resolutions, I'd like to relieve myself of a few opinions I didn't unload when I should have. For example:

**The Friendly Skies:** I have never been a great fan of flying, an experience I compare unfavorably to being strapped into your seat in a stagecoach as it travels through hostile Indian country. At least a stagecoach has scenery.

You come to the terminal hours before your flight. You have to take off your shoes, unpack the single suitcase you're allowed, and then repack everything before being strip-searched by an attendant with an electronic wand. God forbid if you forget about the nail file in your pocket. You'll be lucky to avoid waterboarding.

If you pass your physical, you're herded onto a crowded plane and into seats with legroom designed for Toulouse Lautrec. Then they tell you the flight's delayed for a couple of hours, at which point the clown in front of you cranks back his seat — pinning you into yours.

Eventually you take off, too late to make your connection. You find that

they don't serve free water anymore, let alone juice, nor will they let you go to the bathroom an hour before landing (and good luck with that if you've forgotten your Depends). By the time you get where you're going, they've given your hotel room to someone else and the airline has lost your luggage.

Which doesn't even begin to speak to your biggest worry — suicide bombers. For example:

**Umar Farouk Abdulmatullab** — the young Nigerian who got on an airliner in Amsterdam with explosive material strapped to his crotch, intending to blow up the plane over Detroit. (Detroit! As if Detroit didn't have enough trouble.)

This after his father warned the U.S. Embassy in Nigeria that his son had gone off the rails and might be planning a terrorist attack on the United States.

And after the embassy had passed that information along to the National Counterterrorism Center.

And after the National Security Agency intercepted an al-Qaeda message saying that they were sending a Nigerian over to bomb a plane.

And after...well, a whole bunch of stuff.

To which I'd like to say: His crotch? He strapped a bomb to his crotch? I don't pretend to understand the workings of the suicidal/mass-murdering mind, but if one of the perks for a Muslim suicide bomber is the 72 virgins waiting for him on the other side, why would he blow up the plane with his crotch? Better he

should blow it up with his head; he's not using it, anyway.

Thankfully, the attack was thwarted by a Dutch passenger who noticed that the guy was on fire and put him out before any explosion could occur.

In trying to assess responsibility for the incident, the State Department blamed the Counterterrorism Center, which blamed the CIA. Dick Cheney then blamed President Barack Obama and the White House answered by blaming former President George W. Bush. Finally, the Department of Homeland Security said the episode proved the system worked and Obama said no, it didn't. I blamed Joe Lieberman, but that's just me.

All agreed that the information on Mr. Abdu...call him Umar, didn't get sufficiently passed around. What they didn't tell you is that it never does and it never will.

Intelligence agencies don't deal in intelligence, they deal in secrets. They make their livings and reputations on the quality and quantity of secrets they accumulate. It's the coin with which careers are bought. If you give your secrets to other people willy-nilly, you will have none to use for yourself.

Such is the way of the world.

You know we've had a bad year when the feel-good story is that the swine flu wasn't as bad as they expected it to be.

We look forward to better times.

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## Instant Classic: Kiana, South Floyd KO Paintsville

### Sophomore guard hits seven three-pointers for Lady Raiders

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — South Floyd sophomore guard Kiana Hall knocked down seven-of-nine three-point field goal attempts and

scored a game-high 33 points to lead the Lady Raiders past Paintsville 58-55 Tuesday night in the first round of the 15th Region All "A" Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center.

After outscoring Paintsville 16-12 in the initial quarter and leading 23-22 at the intermission, South Floyd ultimately had to complete a comeback bid to post the win.

Paintsville, converting for 20 points on the offensive end in the third quarter, led 41-34 when the fourth quarter started. Saving its best for

last, South Floyd thrived from outside and connected from the field frequently enough in the fourth quarter to claim the win. The Lady Raiders controlled the fourth quarter, outscoring longtime rival Paintsville 24-14.

Team-wise, South Floyd was eight-for-19 from behind the three-point line. The Lady Raiders connected on six-of-15 free throw attempts.

As a team, South Floyd claimed 29 total rebounds.

Hall was the lone South Floyd scorer to reach double figures. However, several

South Floyd players stepped up and scored. Senior guard Andrea Conn contributed eight points for the Lady Raiders. Sophomore guard Ashley Castle and junior guard/forward Chelsie Tuttle tossed in six points apiece for the Lady Raiders.

In other South Floyd scoring, sophomore center/forward Gabrielle Bailey netted three points and senior guard Kayla Hall chipped in two.

Kayla Hall entered the game averaging nearly 13 points per game for the South Floyd girls' basketball team. Conn led South Floyd on

the glass, grabbing a game-high 11 rebounds.

Castle dished off a team-high eight assists for the Lady Raiders.

Sophomore Krissy Halm led Paintsville, scoring a team-high 13 points. Eighth grade guard Shelby Carroll and sophomore guard/forward Leaha Vanhoose contributed 11 points apiece for the Lady Tigers.

Freshman Andrea Hansford chipped in eight points as former champion Paintsville took an early exit from the regional tournament.

South Floyd will face Betsy Layne on Saturday at 11 a.m. in the 15th Region All "A" Classic semifinals.

**Girls' 15th Region All "A" Classic Semifinals, Saturday, Jan. 16**

**South Floyd vs. Betsy Layne**

**Pikeville vs. Shelby Valley**

### Catch all the action at the Expo Center

by RICK BENTLEY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

It's a busy, busy time for local high school and college basketball teams. And on Saturday, it all collides at the East Kentucky Expo Center.

The 15th Region All "A" Classic basketball tournaments are going on now. The girls have completed their first round. The guys opened up last night and will play more quarterfinal games tonight.

And then comes tomorrow. Action begins in the morning when the girls play their semifinals. After that, Pikeville College will begin the home portion of its Mid-South Conference schedule when Lindsey Wilson comes to town.

The Lady Raiders are ranked in the nation's Top 25, while the Lady Bears took a 12-4 record into last night's MSC opener at No. 9 Campbellsville. Lindsey has one of the league's best players in starting center Viktoria Krell. Pikeville has one of the best players as well in junior

(See EXPO, page six)

### Shelby Valley ousts P'burg

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — Shelby Valley separated itself from Prestonsburg in the first quarter Wednesday as the two girls' basketball programs met in the opening round of the 15th Region All "A" Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center. Setting the tone of the game in the first eight minutes, Shelby Valley outscored Prestonsburg 22-6 in the first quarter. The Lady Blackcats had to play from behind throughout and Shelby Valley never relinquished its lead, winning the tournament game, 60-29.

Shelby Valley outscored Prestonsburg in each quarter.

Junior forward/guard Brooke Coleman netted a game-high 14 points for Shelby Valley, which benefitted from a balanced scoring effort. Senior center Megan Tackett tossed in 12 points and senior forward/center Brittany Swindell added 10 for the Shelby Valley girls.

The Lady Wildcats carried a 26-10 lead into halftime. Shelby Valley then led 48-21 when the third quarter closed.

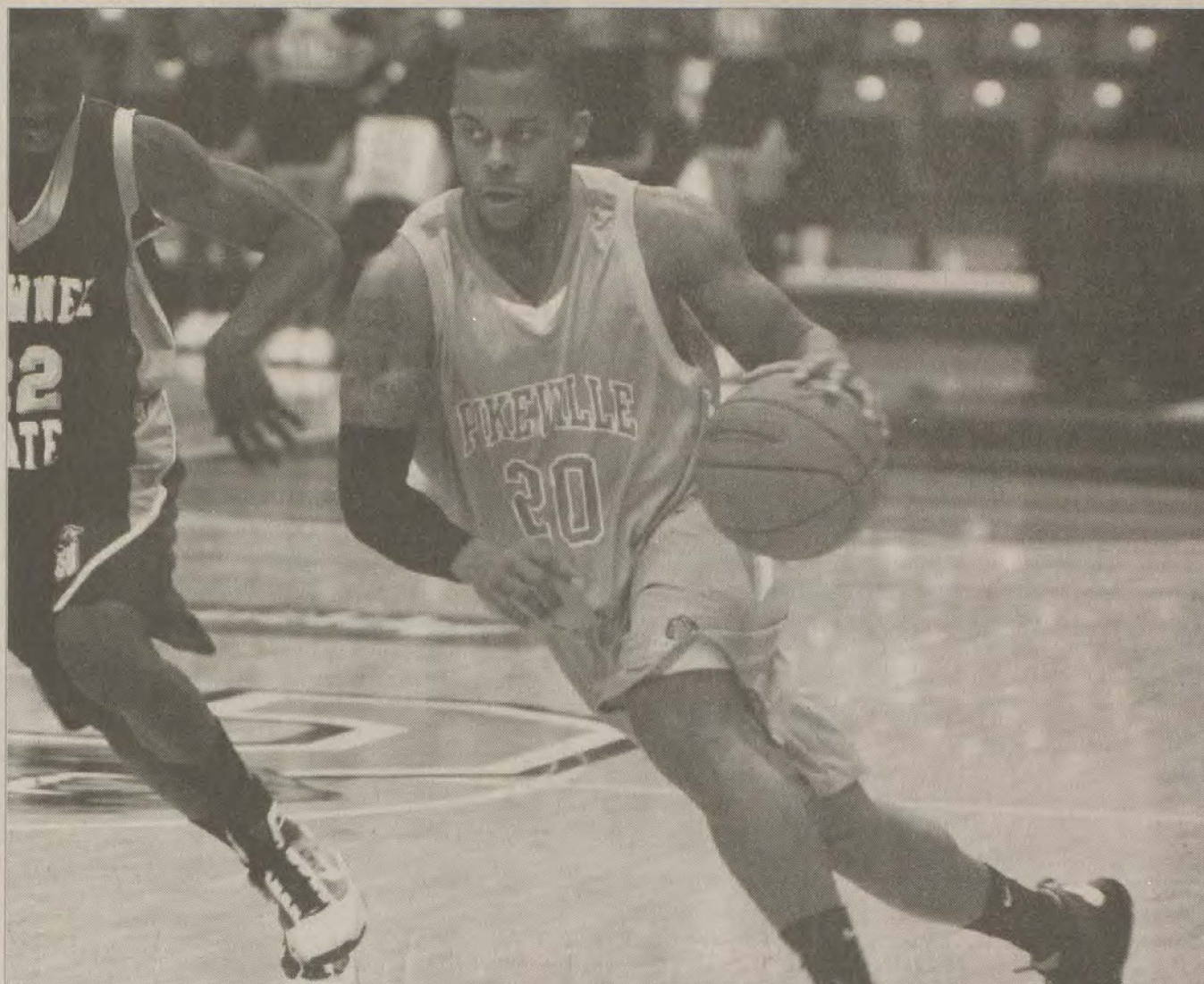
Nine different Shelby Valley players provided scoring as the tournament favorite advanced.

Sophomore guard Kristian Waugh led Prestonsburg on the offensive end, netting 10 points in the loss. Junior guard/forward Alexis DeRossett followed with eight points for the Lady Blackcats.

Sophomore center Cassie Burchett scored seven points while senior forward Paige Collett and freshman guard Tiffany Wertz added two apiece for the Prestonsburg team.

Pikeville 56, Phelps 28; In another 15th Region All "A" Classic game Wednesday, Pikeville doubled up Phelps 56-28. Senior guard Madi Shull netted a game-high 16 points as Pikeville ousted the Lady Hornets. Pikeville outscored Phelps in each

(See BLACKCATS, page six)



### MID-SOUTH CONFERENCE TITLE CONTENDERS

The Pikeville College men's and women's basketball teams will host Lindsey Wilson College Saturday at the East Kentucky Expo Center. The Bears are ranked sixth in this week's NAIA poll. Pikeville College was one of four Mid-South Conference teams in the Top 25 and five getting votes in this week's poll. Georgetown College is 12-3 and moved up five places to No. 13 this week, while the University of the Cumberlands (11-4) fell 10 spots to No. 19. Campbellsville is No. 21. WVU Tech also picked up a vote in the poll.

The Lady Bears received one vote in the poll. Pikeville College players Jonathan Clark (20) and Sally Roberts (10) are pictured. A first-year player for the Lady Bears, Roberts hails from Pikeville.



### McKinney to play in Border Bowl

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

WILLIAMSBURG — Prestonsburg High School senior linebacker Austin McKinney is scheduled to play for Kentucky on Saturday against Tennessee in the National Guard Border Bowl Powered By Coal at the University of Cumberlands. Kickoff for the Border Bowl is scheduled for noon.

McKinney recorded 117 tackles for the Blackcats in his senior season, compiling 55.5 solo stops. The versatile McKinney rushed for 426 yards and 10 touchdowns via 72 carries. He reeled in 32 catches for 515 yards and four touchdowns.

Several college scouts will be in attendance at the prep football all-star game. The Kentucky roster also includes players from Anderson County, Bell County, Boone County, Boyle County, Breathitt County, Bryan Station, Conner, Corbin, Garrard County, George Rogers Clark, Harlan County, Hazard, Henry Clay, Highlands, Holy Cross (Covington), Lawrence County, Lafayette, Leslie County Lexington Catholic, Madison Southern, Middlesboro, North Laurel, Pulaski County, Scott County, Simon Kenton, Somerset, Southwestern, Perry County Central, Western Hills, West Jessamine, Whitley County and Williamsburg.

### Ladycats handle Allen Central

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — Betsy Layne outscored 58th District/Floyd County Conference counterpart Allen Central 25-1 in the opening quarter Tuesday evening in the 15th Region All "A" Classic and never faltered the rest of the way. The Ladycats never allowed Allen Central to catch up, defeating the Lady Rebels 57-32.

Moving back up to the .500 mark after recording the win, Betsy Layne improved to 5-5.

Earlier in the regular-season, Betsy Layne defeated Allen Central 63-38 in a 58th District/Floyd County Conference matchup.

Betsy Layne controlled the game from the opening tip. The Ladycats led 41-9 at the intermission.

Senior guard Megan Hamilton paced Betsy Layne. Hamilton scored a game-high 16 points for the Ladycats. Junior guard Taylor Hott and freshman guard/forward T.J. Tackett joined Hamilton in double figures for Betsy Layne, adding 10 points apiece. Senior guard Lindsey

Martin scored eight points and junior forward Keleigh Wagner chipped in seven for the Lady Cats.

Junior forward/center Taylor Watkins and seventh grade guard Chloe Johnson rounded out the Betsy Layne scoring, tallying four and two points, respectively.

Betsy Layne led 49-15 through the third quarter.

Senior forward/guard Erika Moore led Allen Central, scoring a team-best 11 points. Eighth grade guard Sarah Rife netted six points, senior guard Jaimie Mullins scored five and freshman

guard Caitlin Kidd contributed three for the Lady Rebels (1-8).

Sarah Kinney, Logan Cline and Jeni Dingus added two points apiece while MacElhose connected on a free throw for the winning team.

Another 58th District/Floyd County Conference foe awaits Betsy Layne. The Ladycats will face county rival South Floyd, a first round winner over Paintsville, Saturday morning in a 15th Region All "A" Classic semifinal matchup.

### Eagles fall to hot-shooting Bearcats

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES — The Brescia University Bearcats connected on 59 percent of their shots from the field and defeated the homestanding Alice Lloyd College Eagles 78-67 Wednesday night.

Brescia shot a blistering 63 percent from the field in the first half. Alice Lloyd, however, connected on six of 10 shots from downtown. As a result, Brescia owned a less than comfortable 39-34 lead at halftime.

In the second half, Brescia drained six three-pointers of its own to stretch the lead out to double digits. The Eagles fought back, but after being forced to foul, watched Brescia hit 10-of-13 free throws to seal the win.

For Alice Lloyd (4-10), three scorers finished in double figures. Junior Daniel Combs led Alice Lloyd with 17 points. Sophomore Brandon Hayes and junior Will Jones added 12 and 10 points, respectively.

The duo of Anthony Ingram and Aaron Tandy paced Brescia (13-6) with 19 and 18 points, respectively.

The Eagles will return to the hardwood on Saturday, traveling north to Cincinnati to face Cincinnati Christian.

### Lady Eagles drop home game to KIAC foe Brescia

ALC teams set to visit Cincinnati Christian for non-conference doubleheader

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES — Brescia University guard Brittany Bird poured in 28 points and dished out seven assists to help lead the Lady Bearcats to a 90-66 victory over homestanding Alice Lloyd College Wednesday night.

In the first half, Brescia jumped out to an early double-figure lead thanks to four consecutive three-point baskets from guard Kendra McIntyre. ALC, receiving 11 points from forward Heather Martin, managed to slice the deficit to seven (34-27) before the intermission.

In the second half, Brescia rode the play of Bird to extend its lead back out to double digits. Each time the Lady Eagles would make a run, Bird would respond with a clutch basket to turn the momentum in her team's favor. Sixteen of her points came in the final 20 minutes.

For ALC (4-9), Martin led the way with 17 points. Junior Nicole Lutes added 15 points and a team-high six rebounds for the Lady Eagles.

For BU (7-9), in addition to Bird's 28 points, McIntyre added 18 points, connecting on six three-point field goals.

The Eagles will have another chance to record win number five during the upcoming weekend.

Alice Lloyd will travel to Cincinnati on Saturday, looking to get back on the winning track in a game against Cincinnati Christian.



# 2010 Reds Winter Caravan set for Jan. 28-31

TIMES STAFF REPORT

CINCINNATI – The 2010 Reds Winter Caravan, presented by Cincinnati USA Regional Tourism Network and CincinnatiUSA.com, is scheduled to make 14 fan stops in four states covering four days and more than 2,600 miles.

The caravan will kick off Thursday, Jan. 28 and include stops that will be open to the public along with Hot Stove stops at Reds on Radio network affiliates.

This year's Reds Caravan will make stops in both Huntington, W.Va., and Lexington, Ky.

The 2010 tour will consist of three separate caravans touring simultaneously. New features of the 2010 Caravan include a stop in Oxford, Ohio at Miami University and a stop at Great American Ball Park in conjunction with the annual "Select-A-Seat" event for prospective season ticket holders. Specific information about the GABP stop will be released next week.

The very popular Reds Winter Caravan provides fans with the opportunity to interact with Reds managers, players, broadcasters and front office

executives. At each stop, the groups will field questions from fans and sign autographs, in addition to raffling off two tickets to the 2010 Opening Day game against the St. Louis Cardinals on April 5.

The Northern Tour will make stops in West Virginia and Ohio and includes Reds Hall of Fame Broadcaster Marty Brennaman; former Reds pitcher and current Reds TV Broadcaster Chris Welsh; Reds Vice President and Assistant General Manager Bob Miller; Reds second baseman and 2008 Gold Glove winner Brandon Phillips; Reds 1990 World Series team member Glenn Braggs; Reds Minor League Player of the Year Chris Heisey and Reds mascot Gapper.

The Southern Tour will make stops in West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky and includes Reds Broadcaster Jeff Brantley; Reds Broadcaster Jim Kelch; Manager Dusty Baker; Reds Hall of Famer and 1990 World Series team member Eric Davis; Reds shortstop Paul Janish (Thursday/Friday only); Reds infielder Adam Rosales (Saturday/Sunday only); 2009 Southern League All-Star and Reds Minor League Player of

the Month for June, shortstop Zack Cozart; Reds Senior Special Assistant to the General Manager Gene Bennett (Thursday only) and Reds mascot Rosie Red.

The Western Tour will make stops in Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio and includes Reds Broadcaster Thom Brennaman; Reds Chief Operating Officer Phil Castellini; President of Baseball Operations and General Manager Walt Jocketty; Reds 1990 World Series team member and Dayton Dragons Manager Todd Benzinger; Reds outfielder Jay Bruce; 2009 Southern League All-Star and Reds' No. 1 hitting prospect according to Baseball America, Todd Frazier and Reds mascot Mr. Redlegs.

Sales representatives will be on hand at each stop to answer ticketing questions, while the Reds Hall of Fame, the Reds Community Fund and Cincinnati USA Regional Tourism Network also will attend selected stops.

In addition to the public stops, the Caravan will be making stops in Dayton, Louisville and Vevey, Ind. to promote the Reds Community Fund's youth baseball initiatives, along with a hospital visit in Lexington.

## Reds sign pitcher Aroldis Chapman to six-year deal

TIMES STAFF REPORT

CINCINNATI – Cincinnati Reds President of Baseball Operations and General Manager Walt Jocketty earlier in the week announced the signing of free agent LHP Aroldis Chapman to a six-year contract through the 2015 season.

Chapman, who will turn 22 years old in February, was introduced at a press conference at Great American Ball Park. He will wear uniform number 54.

"This is a very significant signing and an exciting move in the right direction," Jocketty said. "We're building an organization that is going to be competitive in the long term. With

the caliber of young talent like Chapman, Edinson Volquez, Johnny Cueto, Homer Bailey and Mike Leake to complement veterans Bronson Arroyo and Aaron Harang, we're very excited about the potential of our starting rotation."

Reds President and Chief Executive Officer Bob Castellini said, "I can't tell you how proud I am of everyone in the organization who was involved in this effort. The front office, scouts and medical staff did a terrific job in evaluating and signing this young man."

Chapman is considered one of the most talented pitching prospects in baseball. According to published reports, on December 20, 2008 he threw

a pitch that reached 102 miles per hour to break Maels Rodriguez' record for the fastest in Cuban baseball history.

The 6-foot-4, 185-pounder was named the top lefthanded pitcher in the 2007 Baseball World Cup, and in last spring's World Baseball Classic he started Cuba's 5-4 victory over Australia and its 6-0 loss to Japan and Boston Red Sox star Daisuke Matsuzaka.

In July, Chapman defected from Cuba before the start of the World Port Tournament in Rotterdam, Netherlands. He established residence in the European principality of Andorra, making him a free agent eligible to be signed by any Major League team.

## Cats receive midseason accolades

Vitale, Bilas among those dealing out honors for UK

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON – With pre-conference schedules wrapped up, the Wildcats have earned various national midseason accolades from basketball experts across the country.

ESPN's Dick Vitale named UK head coach John Calipari his midseason Coach of the Year and called John Wall his Player of the Year.

Calipari has led the Wildcats to a 17-0 (2-0 in SEC) record to open the season, Kentucky's best start since the 1966 team started off 23-0. Wall leads the Cats in scoring at 17.3 points and ranks second nationally in assists at 7.1 per game.

ESPN's Jay Bilas named Wall a midseason All-America first teamer.

"The fastest player in the country with the ball in his hands, Wall is more explosive and more efficient than Derrick Rose was in his rookie season, and so far, he has been every bit the same winner," said Bilas.

He also named Calipari as his midseason Coach of the Year. "The job that Calipari has done in Lexington is nothing short of remarkable," said Bilas. "To have the Wildcats, a team so young it should be referred to as Kittens, still unbeaten is an amazing job."

The Sporting News' Mike DeCourcy also selected Wall as his midseason Player of the Year. "Kentucky PG John Wall has dominated the season," said DeCourcy. "Don't expect that to change."

DeCourcy also called Eric Bledsoe the nation's most surprising player. "Eric Bledsoe was Scout.com's No. 37 player in the 2009 recruiting class — and he's a better freshman than about 30 guys ranked ahead of him."

Kentucky currently ranks second in both the Associated Press and Coaches' Top 25. The Wildcats will travel to Auburn on Saturday to take on the Tigers in a 4 p.m. game televised on the SEC Network.

## UK football program adds three players

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON – Terrell Combs, Josh Gibbs and Justin Henderson have enrolled in the University of Kentucky for the spring semester and have joined the football team, Coach Joker Phillips announced Wednesday.

Combs has transferred to UK from the University of Minnesota, whom he originally signed with in 2008. A multi-positional athlete who is returning home to Lexington, he will be able to practice with the Wildcats but must complete a full year of academic residency before reaching playing eligibility. He will have two years of eligibility remaining, the 2011 and 2012 seasons. He was a defensive end and tight end at Minnesota.

Gibbs, a junior-college safety, is transferring to UK after two seasons at College of the Canyons in Santa Clarita, Calif. He will begin practice in the spring and has two years of eligibility remaining.

Henderson, a defensive end from Bamberg, S.C., graduated in December from Bamberg-Ehrhardt High School and has joined the Wildcats. He will begin practice in the spring.

"We're glad to have Terrell, Josh and Justin join our program and having them in spring practice will be a boost for their development," Phillips said. "We're excited to have Terrell back in Lexington. He is an outstanding athlete and it will be interesting to see which position is best suited for his talents."

"Obviously, as a junior-college transfer, we hope that Josh can contribute quickly. After losing Calvin Harrison and Ashton Cobb at the safety positions, he will have the opportunity to earn immediate playing time."

"We identified Justin early in the recruiting process as a defensive end with size and athletic ability. It will be an advantage for him to be here a semester early and get a head start on his collegiate career."

## Dates finalized for 2010 Bluegrass State Games

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON – The 2010 Bluegrass State Games will be held in Lexington July 9-11, 16-18, 23-25, 30 and Aug. 1. Annually, competitors from across Kentucky vie for medals in the Bluegrass State

Games. The Bluegrass State Games is a nonprofit program sponsored privately to promote amateur athletics across the Commonwealth. It is designed to provide Kentuckians of all ages and skill levels a wholesome

avenue for positive development through sports and physical activity, to promote and develop amateur athletics and to provide the amateur athlete an opportunity to showcase their talent and receive statewide recognition.

quarter. The Lady Panthers packed a commanding 30-7 lead into the intermission.

Senior guard Lesley Francisco and senior guard/forward Lauren Lawson added eight points apiece for

Pikeville in the win. Sophomore guard Lindsey Isner and freshman guard/forward Aileah Bartley aided the Lady Panthers offensively, scoring seven points apiece.

Pikeville (8-3) led 44-21 at

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the end of the third quarter. Senior Kayla Ratliff was the lone scorer to reach double figures for Phelps, finishing with 12 points. Kasheena Wolford added nine points for the Lady Hornets.

## Expo

Nateria Hinton, the reigning conference player of the week. Should be quite a tussle.

After that one the No. 6 Bears of Pikeville College will play Lindsey Wilson. The Raiders are somewhat down – they were 9-7 heading into last night's league opener at Rio Grande – but are always a tough, brutal team to face. Paul Peck is one of the country's best and most experienced coaches and will have his team prepped, fired up and ready to play.

The Bears are in an interesting situation. They opened league play at No. 21 Campbellsville – all Mid-South basketball games are doubleheaders – and have little time to bounce back from a road game against a ranked opponent.

Scuttlebutt around the league is the Bears are enjoying the benefits of playing a weak schedule. In some ways that's true, although there's a lot to be said for facing the likes of Mid-Continent, King College, Shawnee State and Wise. A couple of teams just haven't been as good as they should have been, while others were mismatches from start to finish, many the same teams other MSC schools have faced.

I think the Bears are pretty stout, and the addition of shooting-sensation Trevor Setty – a 6-foot-8 freshman shooting guard – makes the team very deep when it comes to an outside presence.

Between the time I wrote this and you read it we learned a little something about the Bears, playing former Paintsville star and PC assistant Keith Adkins' team on Thursday. Either way, Lindsey will be a tough foe on Saturday.

And after the college double-dip, the All "A" resumes

with the boys' semifinals.

But, as they say on those television infomercials, but wait, there's more.

On Monday the championships of the All "A" will be contested. The ladies will go first followed by the guys. Championship night is what it's all about, always. Should be entertaining to say the least.

Two days later, Pikeville College will play the game "fans" all across the region always anticipate when Georgetown comes to town. It doesn't matter how good the Tigers are, or how many MSC teams are better, around here to hear folks talk Georgetown is the only opponent that matters.

And this night will be unlike any other.

Thanks largely to Danny VanHoose at Appalachian Wireless, this will be one of the most memorable nights in Pikeville College history. Six lucky fans will have an opportunity to drive away in a brand-new 2010 Toyota Camry, given away by App Wireless, Walters Toyota, East Kentucky Broadcasting and Pikeville College.

As we said earlier, but wait, there's more.

VanHoose has been out hustling and beating the bushes, and as a result the car will just be the biggest of the giveaways but far from the only one.

Someone will have a chance at \$10,000 and five – count 'em – five flat-screen televisions.

I need to talk to Danny and see if my old pal can make that four giveaways for the public and one for his favorite SID.

And then, as if that isn't enough action for one stretch, the college will induct three new members into its athletics hall of fame a week from Saturday as it plays host to St. Catharine College.

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### 15th Region Boys' Basketball Standings

Team	Record
Shelby Valley	10-2
Pikeville	10-4
Betsy Layne	8-4
Lawrence County	7-2
East Ridge	5-2
Pike Central	4-8
Paintsville	4-9
Belfry	3-3
Sheldon Clark	3-6
Allen Central	3-7
Magoffin County	3-10
Phelps	2-3
Johnson Central	2-9
South Floyd	2-9
Prestonsburg	0-12

### 15th Region Girls' Basketball Standings

Team	Record
Pikeville	8-3
Sheldon Clark	8-3
Lawrence County	7-3
Belfry	7-4
East Ridge	6-5
Piarist School	5-4
Betsy Layne	5-5
Shelby Valley	5-5
South Floyd	5-5
Johnson Central	5-7
Magoffin County	5-7
Pike Central	3-9
Paintsville	3-7
Phelps	2-6
Prestonsburg	2-12
Allen Central	1-8

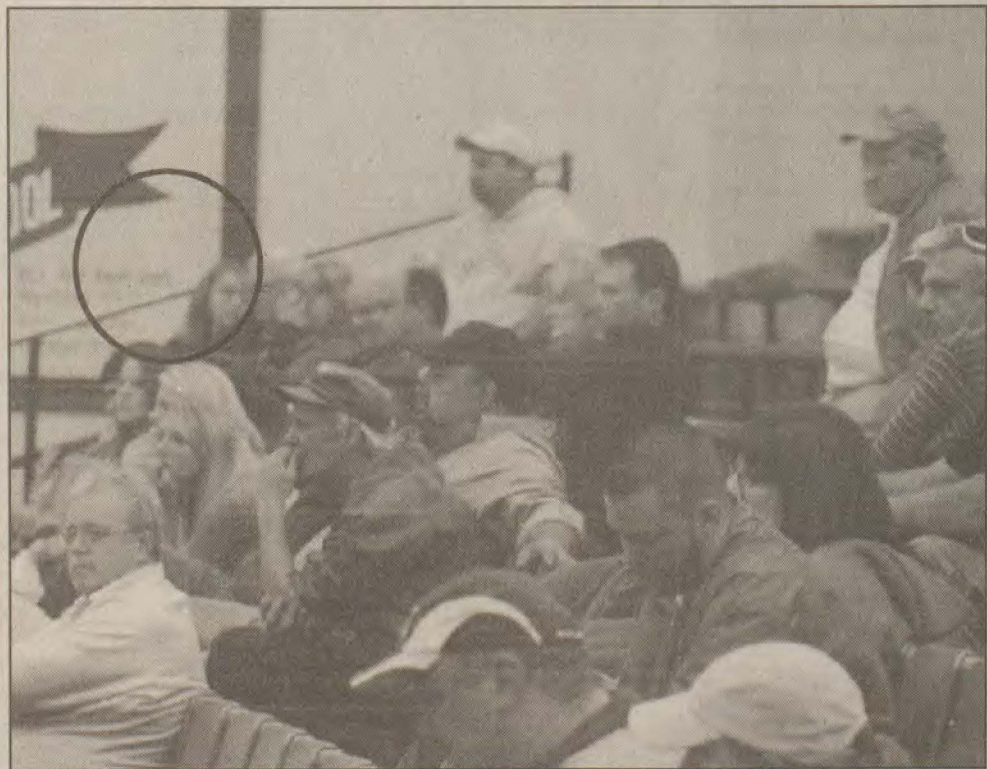
### ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Nathan Martin, Betsy Layne Boys' Basketball  
Kiana Hall, South Floyd Girls' Basketball



## SPORTS FAN OF THE WEEK

of Prestonsburg



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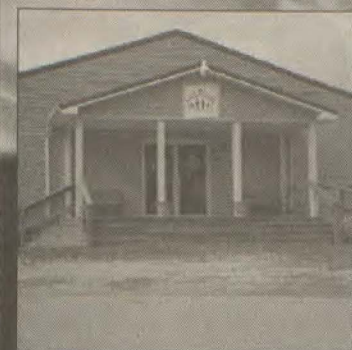
If you are the sports fan circled, you are entitled to a free 8-inch ice cream cake of your choice, redeemable at DAIRY QUEEN OF PRESTONSBURG. When claiming your ice cream cake, present this newspaper.



# Floyd County Devotional Page

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## Devotional Spotlight



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Pastors

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Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

Attention Church Organizations, send in a picture of your church, pastor, or youth leaders.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**First Assembly of God, Martin;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Lorie Vannucci, Minister.

**In Victory Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg;** Sunday School, 10:00; Worship Service, 11:00 & 6:30; Wednesday Evening, 6:30; Gary Stanley, Pastor.

**New Bethel Assembly of God, Burning Fork Rd., Salyersville;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Arthur (Sam) Smith, Minister.

**Praise Assembly, 1 mile S. of Prestonsburg, intersection of Rt. 80 and U.S. 23;** Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.; Midweek Thurs., 7:00 p.m.; J.M. Sloce, Minister.

#### BAPTIST

**Allen First Baptist, Allen;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Arnold Turner, Minister.

**Auxier Freewill Baptist, Auxier;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Spencer, Pastor.

**Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church, Mousey Ky;** Worship Service, 9:30; Every third Sat. and Sun. of each month; Roger Hicks, Pastor; Ralph Howard, Asst. Pastor. Contact Kermit Newsome 606-377-6881 for more information.

**Benedict Baptist, Slick Rock Branch, Cow Creek;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gordon Fitch, Minister.

**Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist, Betsy Layne;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tracy Patton, Minister.

**Big Sandy Community and Technical College Baptist Student Union, J 102;** Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.; Vera Joiner, 886-3863, ext. 67267.

**Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road, Bonanza;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jimmy D. Brown, Minister.

**Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roger Music, Minister.

**Calvary Southern Baptist, Betsy Layne;** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Doug Lewis, Minister.

**Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts Addition;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Paul D. Coleman, Minister.

**Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Nathan Lafferty, Minister.

**Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner;** Services: Saturday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 7 p.m.; Henry Lewis, Minister.

**Drift Freewill Baptist, Drift;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Jim Fields, Minister.

**Endicott Freewill Baptist, Buffalo;** Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Church every Sun. Morning 11:00 a.m.; Wed. evening Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; First Sat. evening Service, All Welcome 7 p.m. Pastor Mark Hunt, 606-478-2698

**Faith Bible Church, an independent Baptist Church, located on 1428, between Allen & Martin;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Bob Wireman.

**Faith Freewill Baptist, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Eqpt. on Rt. 1428;** Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Elder Donnie Patrick, Minister.

**First Baptist, Garrett;** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Osborne, Minister.

**First Baptist, Martin;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Greydon Howard, Minister.

**First Baptist, Prestonsburg, 157 South Front Street;** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wed., 6:30 p.m.; Jerry C. Workman, minister.

**Fitzpatrick First Baptist, 1063 Big Branch, P.O. Box 410, Prestonsburg, KY 41653;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Tommy Reed.

**Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Grethel Baptist, State Rt. 3379, (Branham's Creek Rd.);** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Garrett Regular Baptist, Route 550, Garrett;** Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Willie Crace, pastor; Assist. Larry Patton. Phone 358-4275.

**Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist;** Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; David Garrett, Minister.

**Jacks Creek Baptist, Bevinville;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Roger Truety.

**Katy Friend Freewill Baptist, 2 miles up Abbott;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jimmy Caudill, Pastor.

**Lackey Freewill Baptist, Lackey;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Johnny J. Collins, Minister.

**Lancer Baptist Church; 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg;** Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m., Evening Woship, 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Bobby Carpenter

**Left Beaver Regular Baptist Church across from Garth School; 4th Saturday & Sunday 10:00 am, Odd Saturday 6:00 pm;** Gary Compton, Pastor.

**Liberty Baptist, Denver;** Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Merle Little, Minister.

**Ligon Community Freewill Baptist, Ligon;** Worship Service, Sunday, 11:00 a.m. Thursday, 7 p.m.

**Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church of Jesus Christ, (Indian Bottom Association) Services: 1st Saturday & Sunday of every month 9:30 a.m., 3rd Sunday 9:30 a.m., Odd Sunday 9:30 a.m.**

**Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill;** Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James (Red) Morris, Minister.

**Martin Freewill Baptist, Martin;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; John L. Blair, Minister.

**Maytown First Baptist, Main St., Maytown;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Bob Varney, Minister.

**McDowell First Baptist, McDowell;** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Gene Bracken, Minister.

**Middle Creek Baptist, Blue River;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; William L. Hunt, Minister.

**Lighthouse Baptist, 2194 KY Rt. 1428, Prestonsburg;** Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Donald Crisp, Minister, home phone 285-3385

**Pleasant Home Baptist, Water Gap Road, Lancer;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mark Tackett, Pastor.

**Prater Creek Baptist, Banner;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Rock Fork Freewill Baptist;** Garrett Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Wendell Crager, Minister.

**Rock Fork Regular Baptist, Garrett;** Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Jerry Manns, Pastor; Willie Crace Jr., Assistant Pastor.

**Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville;** Worship Service, 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; Pastor, Allen Chaffins, phone 946-2123.

**Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist, Dana;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stephens Branch;** Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.

**The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Phillip Ramey, Pastor.

**Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23 (north of Layne Brothers);** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chuck Ferguson, Minister.

**Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist;** Cliff Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Youth Service, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; No Service the 1st Sunday of each month; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jody Spencer, Minister.

**Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist;** Intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 80, Water Gap; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m. and Evening Worship Service 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m., Youth Services 7 p.m.; Everyone Welcome.

**United Community Baptist, Hwy. 7, Hueysville;** Worship Service, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Carlos Beverly, Minister.

**Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright Junction;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Louis Ferrari, Minister.

#### CATHOLIC

**St. Martha, Water Gap;** Mass: Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Saturday, 5 p.m.; Sunday; Father Robert Damron, pastor.

#### CHRISTIAN

**First Christian, 560 North Arnold Avenue;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Jim Sherman, Minister.

**Victory Christian Ministries, 1428 E.;** Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sherm Williams, Minister.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy J. Spears, Minister.

**Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 88 Hwy. 1428;** Worship Service, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Richard Kelly and Nelson Kidder, Ministers.

**Harold Church of Christ, Harold;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Willie E. Meade, Minister.

**Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Hueysville Church of Christ;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chester Varney, Minister.

**Lower Toler Church of Christ, Harold;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Lonie Meade, Minister.

**Mare Creek Church of Christ, Stanville;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Martin Church of Christ, Martin;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Gary Mitchell, Minister.

**Maytown Church of Christ, 66 Turkey Creek Rd., Langley;** Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11:00 a.m., Evening Worship 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

**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. 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.; Roland Benstrup, 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.; Midweek 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.

**Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal, Floyd and Magoffin County Line;** ; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Mike D. Caldwell, Minister. 297-6262.

**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!

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**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints;** Sacrament Mtg., 10:00 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:20 a.m.; Relief Society/Prelithood/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. and Hall St.;** Worship 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 Alken.**

**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



# Tip leads police to pirated DVDs

by **SHELDON COMPTON**  
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A man who prosecutors say was being held in jail in Floyd County with his wife on unrelated charges is now facing additional charges of selling or rent-

ing illegal DVD recordings.

Brandon Clements, 22, of Prestonsburg, was charged with offering for sale or rent illegal copies of recordings, a felony, when a friend allegedly tried to retrieve the DVDs from a house Clements and his wife were staying at in

Prestonsburg.

According to county prosecutors, Clements asked a friend to go the home and get some 200 copied DVDs from the house where he and his wife had been staying.

"The guy went and got like 200, some with the same titles, and the

people who were staying at the house thought he was breaking in, so they called the police," Assistant Floyd County Attorney Jimmy "Blue" Marcum said.

Prestonsburg Police Officer Danny Martin later charged Clements with bootlegging the

movies, according to court records. Martin could not be reached for comment yesterday.

Clements is being held on a \$2,000 bond at the Floyd County Detention Center and will next be in court for arraignment on Jan. 11.

## Candidates

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of Harold, and Allred "Junebug" Newsom, of Grethel, both filed to run for District 4 constable.

In other election news, Secretary of State Trey Grayson filed paperwork Thursday to run for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Sen. Jim Bunning.

The deadline to file is Jan. 26 at 4 p.m.

To date, candidate filings include:

## Innocent

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Also, Jimmy and Karen Crum, who own a mobile home moving business, claimed that Tilly represented himself as owner of their business when dealing with Justice.

However, Tilly, who worked with the Crums on several jobs in the months leading up to the complaint, has a different story.

"She asked me if I would move the trailer, and I said I would find out," said Tilly, who asserts he and his crew only set up the trailers and need others to move them. "I called Jimmy (Crum) and he said he'd take \$5,200 to do it."

Tilly said he played middleman with Justice and Crum and negotiated the job from \$5,200 to \$4,600, adding that he accepted, at the urging of Jimmy Crum, half the payment up front.

"I took my money from that and also the \$600 to set the home and Jimmy got mad, and I went to jail for it," Tilly said. "He said I was using his business to get jobs and that was a lie. He told us to get out and get jobs he couldn't get jobs."

Now Tilly says he faces the looming possibility that the grand jury could call the case back within the next few months and indict him on the charge.

"It's a shame," he said. "I was doing my job. I had already called Barker's Mobile Homes to get the parts to do the job."

During his time in jail, Tilly, who says he has a newborn baby, says he lost his home and is now trying to figure a way to put things back in order.

While in jail, he was housed under a \$2,300 cash bond.

## Porn

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firearms and ammunition from him following the indictment, including revolvers, rifles, shotguns and an unspecified quantity of ammunition.

If convicted, Cavins could face between 30 and 50 years in federal prison, depending on whether he has past felony sex offenses, and fines of up to \$250,000.

Cavins waived formal arraignment on Jan. 11 and pleaded not guilty to all three counts of the indictment. He remains in federal custody until a detention hearing set for Feb. 4. A trial date, according to federal records, has been set for March 16.

## Fines

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brought against AC Mining by inspectors during the time period prosecutors are saying the fines were collecting.

A federal summons was issued to AC Mining on Jan. 11, but no other court dates have yet been set in the case.

**U.S. Senate**  
James Buckmaster, Democrat  
Darlene F. Price, Democrat  
C.M. "Trey" Grayson, Republican  
Bill Johnson, Republican  
Gurley L. Martin, Republican  
Rand Paul, Republican

**U.S. Congressman, 5th District**  
Harold "Hal" Rogers, Republican  
David Prince, Democrat  
James E. "Jim" Holbert, Democrat

**State Representative, 95th District**  
Gregory Stumbo, Prestonsburg

**State Representative, 97th District**  
Bill Mike Runyon, Republican  
Hubert Collins, Democrat

**Judge-Executive**  
R.D. "Doc" Marshall, Democrat

**Sheriff**  
John K. Blackburn, Democrat  
Steve Little, Democrat

**Jailer**  
Roger Webb, Democrat

**Coroner**  
Gregory Scott Nelson, Democrat

**PVA**  
Connie Hancock, Democrat

**Surveyor**  
Teresa Hall, Democrat

**Magistrate, District 1**  
Keith Stapleton, Democrat  
Ernest G. Burchett, Democrat  
Janice Pennington Davis, Democrat  
Gerald DeRossett, Democrat

John Gobile, Democrat  
Cecil Jarrell, Democrat

**Magistrate, District 2**  
Marie Martin Holbrook, Democrat  
Jackie Edford Owens, Democrat  
Kenneth Roberts, Democrat

**Magistrate, District 3**  
German Stumbo, Democrat  
Glenn Moore, Democrat  
Donny Daniels, Democrat

Mike Lafferty, Democrat  
Ronald "Ronnie" Stewart, Democrat

**Magistrate, District 4**  
Dean M. Hall, Democrat  
Ronnie Akers, Democrat

**Constable, District 1**  
Ben Ferguson, Democrat  
Mike Hall, Democrat  
Lester Jarvis, Democrat  
Roger Rowe, Democrat  
Larry "Boss" Jarrell, Democrat

**Constable, District 2**  
Terry Triplett, Democrat  
Samuel Duncan, Democrat  
Zeb Ousley, Democrat

**Constable, District 3**  
Ronnie Vicars, Democrat  
Tony Flanery, Democrat  
Michael Tackett, Democrat

Barry Hopkins, Democrat

**Constable, District 4**  
Jordan Case, Democrat  
David "Winford" Wakeland, Democrat  
John Kidd, Democrat  
Allred "Junebug" Newsom, Democrat

**Circuit Court Judge, 31st Circuit, Division 1**  
Johnny Ray Harris

**District Court Judge, 31st District, Division 1**  
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### • Shortness of Breath

An inability to breathe, or the feeling that you're just not getting enough air, is another important sign. Seek immediate medical attention.

### • Upper Body Discomfort

Men who've had heart attacks also report feeling pain or discomfort in the arms, back, neck, jaw or stomach. You may have one or more of these symptoms. Or none.

### • Other signs

A feeling of anxiousness, unexplained dizziness, persistent nausea and cold sweats are all signs that can occur before or during a heart attack.

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# For the Record

### Marriage Licenses

Stacia N. Stanley, 26, of Bevinville, to Creed J. Gilliam, 22, of Prestonsburg.  
Sharon R. Conway, 18, of Galveston, to Jeremy C. Jewell, 18, of Galveston.  
Jessica M. Stumbo, 28, of McDowell, to Daniel E. Hunt, 27, of Wheelwright.

### Civil Suits Filed

Clark D. Pergem vs. Rudy Harris; complaint.  
Mary Newsome vs. Shannon Newsome; divorce.  
Christi Manns Hamilton vs. Terry Hamilton; divorce.  
Greentree Servicing LLC Successor vs. Valeria Coburn; complaint.  
Mine Service Company Inc. vs. D&D Mining Inc.; complaint.  
Craig V. Ratliff vs. Betty J. Eversole; complaint.  
William Sloan vs. Dinah Caudill Allen; complaint.  
Jennifer Miller vs. James C. Miller; divorce.  
Melody Kelly vs. Ernie Kelly; divorce.  
David Hall vs. Marie A. Robinson; petition for child support and healthcare insurance.  
Heather Stephens vs. Tina Crisco; petition for child support and healthcare insurance.

### Small Claims Filings

Eric C. Conn vs. Delmar Baldrige; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Sue Blair; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Theresa Bowman; debt collection.

Eric C. Conn vs. Brian Caudill; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Amos Cheek; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. David Collins; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Kimberly Feltner; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Virginia Fletcher; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Melissa Gipson; debt collection.  
Eric C. Conn vs. Darrell Hales; debt collection.

### Charges Filed

Erica Michelle Tackett, 27, Granite Falls, N.C.; fugitive from another state.  
Samuel Stacy, 29, Pilgrim; fugitive from another state.  
Tonya R. Farmer, 35, Wheelwright; criminal trespassing, theft by unlawful taking, terroristic threatening, first-degree wanton endangerment.  
Brandon Clements, 22, Prestonsburg; offer for sale or rent illegal copies of recordings.  
Jennifer L. Endicott, 36, Prestonsburg; theft by deception.  
Steven Lynn Johnson, 29, Printer; parent or custodian failure to send child to school.  
Timothy D. Wallen, 40, Blue River; public intoxication.  
Josh Watkins, 19, Paintsville; criminal mischief.  
Larry Nelson, 57, Garrett; operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, prescription not in original container, pos-

session of controlled substance, use or possession of drug paraphernalia.  
Jake Tackett, 24, Harold; terroristic threatening.

### Inspections

Little Caesar's Pizza, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezing units storing potentially hazardous foods, lack of numerically scaled thermometer for checking cooking and holding temperature of potentially hazardous food, food not protected during storage, food not protected during preparation, lack of effective hair restraints, non-food contact surfaces not properly maintained, food contact surface of equipment and utensils not clean, toilet room doors not self-closing, garbage and refuse containers not cov-

ered as required. Score: 89.  
Big Lots, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. No violations noted. Score: 100.  
Slone's Grocery, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezing units storing potentially hazardous foods, floors not in good repair, walls, ceiling, attached equipment not in good repair. Score: 97.

### Property Transfers

Bobbie L. Moore to Kenny Joe Moore and Mildred S. Moore, property not listed.  
Dexter Music to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff, property not listed.  
Judith S. Music to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff, property not listed.  
Dustin Ober to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff,

property not listed.  
Elizabeth R. Ober to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff, property not listed.  
Warren H. Oshaughnessy to Donnie J. Bartley and Tammy Bartley, property not listed.

Darwin D. Ratliff to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff, property not listed.  
Terry Ratliff to Dorothy W. Ratliff and Terry D. Ratliff, property not listed.

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## Bill to increase bachelor's degrees clears committee

—FRANKFORT - A bill that could increase the number of bachelor degree holders in Kentucky by making it easier for students to transfer from the state's two-year community colleges to its public universities has cleared the House Education Committee.

"...The entire purpose of the bill is to show a clearly defined path," said House Education Committee Chairman Rep. Carl Rollins, D-Midway, the sponsor of House Bill 160. "If you start at a community college, this is how you get to a four-year degree. These are the courses you take, they will transfer, and there's no question."

HB 160 now goes to the full House for consideration.

Under the bill, credit for certain community college courses would be fully credited to related bachelor's degree programs at Kentucky's public universities, which would be prohibited from requiring graduates of approved two-year programs from repeating or taking additional courses to earn a bachelor's degree within their major. The bill would also limit the number of required lower-division course credit hours in most state associate and bachelor's programs beginning in 2012.

"(Schools) have tended to add hours, and by doing that they've made it more difficult to graduate in four years, Rollins said. "This says they can still do that, but they have to go to the (state) Council on Postsecondary Education to get permission." Certain specialized programs, such as nursing, could be exempted from the credit limits to meet accreditation or other program standards.

HB 160 would also ensure that students with approved two-year degrees would not have to take additional general education or program-specific prerequisites upon entering a bachelor's program at one of the state's eight public universities. Additionally, the bill would give priority for university admission to graduates of the state's two-year public colleges and create a uniform college transcript for Kentucky's public colleges and universities, among other changes.

HB 160 is expected to help the state reach its 1997 goal of doubling its number of degree holders to meet the national average by 2020. About one in three Americans is expected to have a bachelor's degree in 10 years, according to the Council on Postsecondary Education.

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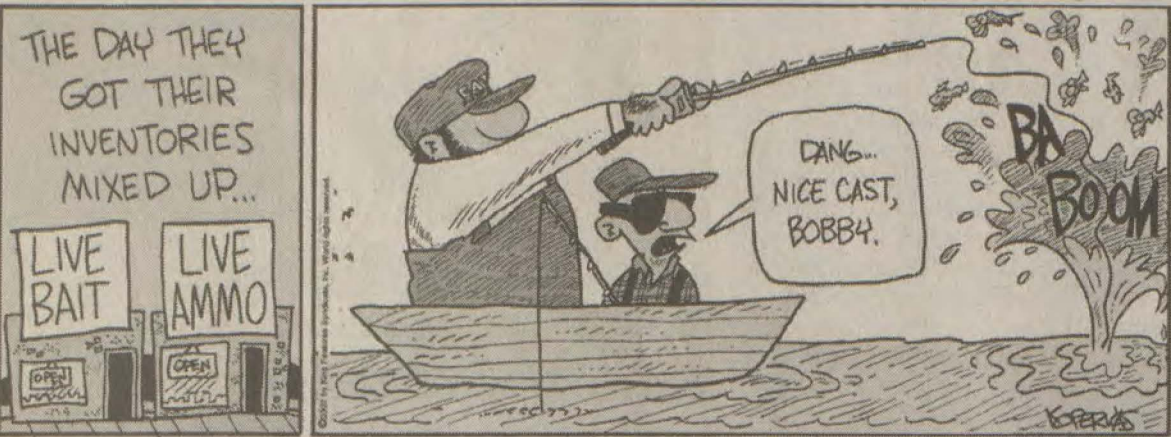
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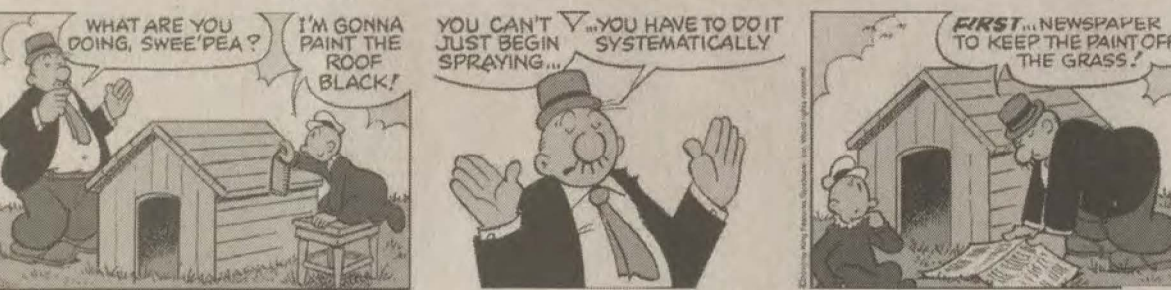


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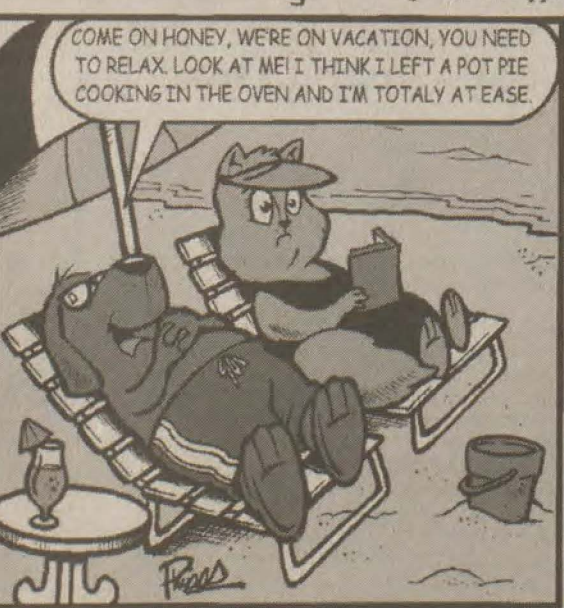
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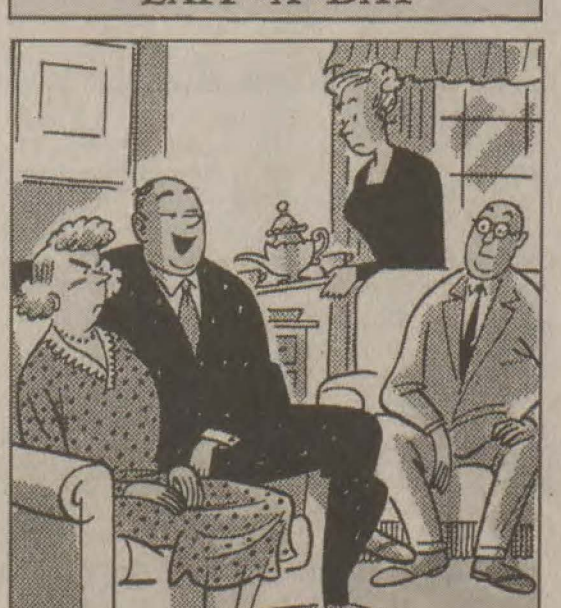
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Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps



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King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Transfer
- 6 Decorate Easter eggs
- 9 Stannum
- 12 Not just prompt
- 13 "Alley —"
- 14 Pindaric piece
- 15 Pipe type
- 16 Chirp
- 18 Clan-related
- 20 Peruse
- 21 However
- 23 Smoke, for short
- 24 With fervor
- 25 Twist out of shape
- 27 Confuse
- 29 "Rabbit ears"
- 31 Unparalleled
- 35 Frock
- 37 Ringlet
- 38 Proverb
- 41 Turner or Williams
- 43 Squid squirt
- 44 Mysterious character
- 45 Disinclined to brag
- 47 Sparkle
- 49 Theme
- 52 Einstein's birthplace
- 53 \$ dispenser
- 54 Met show
- 55 Storm center

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- 22 Islander's strings
- 24 Calendar abbr.
- 26 Thingie
- 28 Amalgamated
- 30 Exist
- 32 Not one to see it through
- 33 Grecian vessel
- 34 Wapiti
- 36 Tempestuous
- 38 Battle verbally
- 39 In a boring way
- 40 "Pokemon" genre
- 42 Showroom samples
- 45 Part of SMU (Abbr.)
- 46 Erstwhile frosh
- 48 Spotted, to Tweety
- 50 Rage
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**Weekly SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★**

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging  
★★★ HOO BOY!

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**Trivia test** by Fifi Rodriguez

- U.S. STATES: What is the highest capital city in the United States?
- SLOGANS: What was Woodsy Owl's message from the federal government?
- RELIGION: When is Maundy Thursday in the Christian religion?
- MUSIC: What entertainer has been called "The Man from Memphis"?
- DISCOVERIES: Who is credited with discovering streptomycin?
- U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president had a pet badger?
- MATH: What is the decimal equivalent of the fraction one-third?
- MOVIES: What film features the theme park "Walley World"?
- GEOGRAPHY: Where is the Lombardy region?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does a sphygmomanometer measure?

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**HOCUS-FOCUS** BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF

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**Trivia Test Answers**

- Santa Fe, N.M. (7,000 feet above sea level)
- Give a hoot, don't pollute!
- Thursday before Easter, marking the Last Supper
- Elvis Presley
- Selman A. Waksman
- Theodore Roosevelt ("Tosiah")
- 7,333
- "National Lampoon's Vacation"
- Northern Italy
- Blood pressure

**Solution time: 27 mins.**

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**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: U equals N

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**King Crossword**

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**CryptoQuip**

Answer: If a fish compulsively burrows into the seabed, would that be carp? tunnel syndrome?

**Weekly SUDOKU**

Answer



## MOVIES FROM THE BLACK LAGOON

### 'Death Machines'

by TOM DOTY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

Three robotic assassins employ kung-fu and weapons of mass destruction to carry out their assignments for the mysterious Madame Lee in this chop-sockey effort from the swinging 1970s.

By 1976, the kung fu cycle of films was on its way out, but this lack-luster effort earns points for being one of the few independent American martial arts films to grace screens.



Tom Doty  
Times Columnist

The movie opens with Madame Lee touring her backyard to observe her three killers, or Death Machines, going through their paces against a trio of unfortunate opponents. Each kills its sparring partner, as this was their last training session. The most hilarious kill goes to the Death Machine who kicks his opponent in the unmentionables before pulling a small caliber pistol out of his karate pants and putting the poor sap out of his misery.

Lee pronounces them ready for work and the game's afoot. At this point one should mention that the death machines are just guys, though the futuristic opening credits try hard to make you think otherwise.

Madame Lee reports to her

(See LAGOON, page five)

## This Town, That World

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

The streams rose last week, you might say, to the occasion.

### AND THAT'S THAT

My friend, Richard Howard, who is doing graduate work at the University of Alabama, sends proof that Women's Lib has reached out into the hinterlands, down that way. As an example, he tells of a divorce case in a rural county in which the wife, 75, sued her husband, 82. The judge was curious. "Maggie," he asked, "tell me why, after 40 years of marriage, you want to divorce Jim."

"Well, Judge," she replied, "enough is enough."

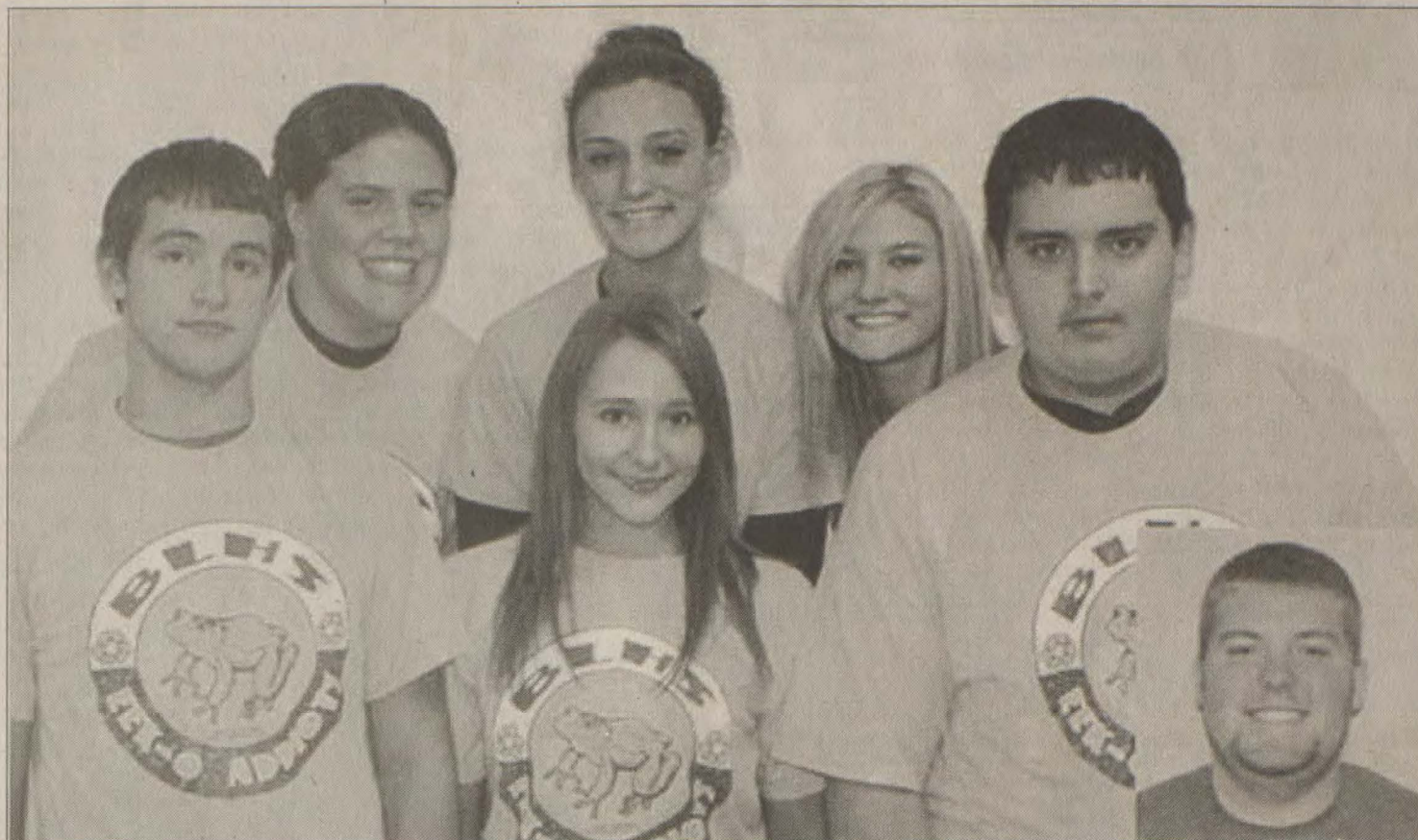
### WHY WORRY?

While all about me others were losing their cool, last week, at predictions that a loaf of bread will soon sell for a dollar, I viewed the situation without any alarm whatsoever. When the cost of a pone of cornbread skyrockets I'll begin to get excited. And when the price of pintos goes haywire, I'll write my congressman.

### TROUBLE ON THE HOME FRONT

Amid reports of fuel short-

(See ALLEN, page four)



The "Eek-O Addicts" from Betsy Layne High School were recently selected to participate in the Lexus Eco Challenge. The team members received a \$7,000 prize. Pictures are Branton Jarrell, Amy Lawson, Jason Hall, Samantha Williams, Casey Ross, Sheena Jarrell and Andrew Bush.

# ECO WARRIORS

## BLHS students chosen to compete in challenge

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

**BETSY LAYNE** - A team of students from Betsy Layne High School were recently selected to compete in the Lexus Eco Challenge, a nationwide challenge for students to address ecological issues.

According to information provided by Scholastic, "The Lexus Eco Challenge is a life-changing opportunity for teens across the nation to make a difference in the environmental health of our planet, one community at a time."

The Betsy Layne High School team, known as the "Eek-o-Addicts," are comprised of seven seniors and one teacher.

Principal Cassandra Akers was notified on Jan. 6 that the team had been selected to participate in the challenge after officials studied the team's mission to raise public awareness of land and water pollution and prevention methods. The team hopes to persuade local students and citizens to begin a recycling program and foster a "green" lifestyle.

The team members received a \$7,000 prize that will be evenly distributed among the team members. Cortney Flannery, the teacher advisor

of the team will receive a \$1,000 grant awarded directly to her to be used toward purchasing school-related supplies and/or supporting educational programs, school clubs or initiatives. The school also receives a \$2,000 check for the science department.

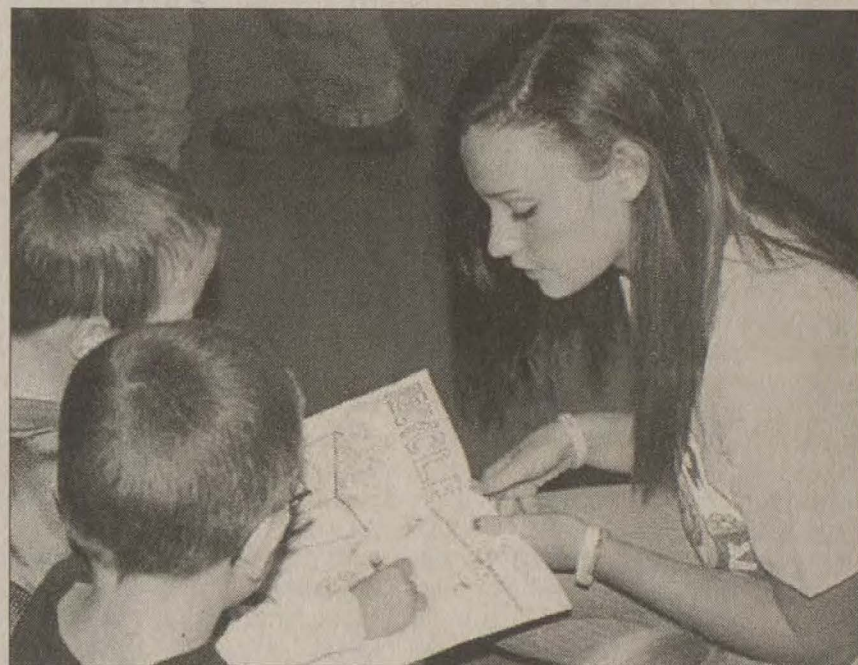
As a winner in the Land and Water Challenge, the team will qualify for the Final Challenge which will take place in March. The students will be asked to reach beyond the local community. From the Final Challenge entries, 14 first-place teams and two grand prize teams will be selected.

"We're anxious to see what this third year brings," said Mark Templin, Lexus vice president and general manager. "The competition is getting tougher as we see the teams

working harder to plan and implement innovative, creative and effective programs. It's clear that the Lexus Eco Challenge is making a difference, and it's encouraging to know that we're

inspiring the next generation to become responsible stewards of the environment."

For more information on the challenge, visit <http://www.scholastic.com/lexus>.



"Eek-O Addicts" team member Casey Ross works with Betsy Layne Elementary students on a recycling project.

### DINNER DIVA

## Freshman 15



I met a young lady who was complaining about the "Freshman 15" that she has gained thus far her freshman year at a university here in North Carolina. She couldn't understand it; all she was eating was salads! She was eating healthy, or so she thought.

Once we talked, the light bulb that went off over her head was blinding. It occurred to me that if this bright coed on full academic scholarship was confused about the calorie content of salads, then she wasn't alone! So I wanted to write about this and share with y'all.

The bottom line? All salads are not

created equal. And sometimes good salads go bad. Let's break it down.

1) Iceberg lettuce is pretty dismal nutritionally speaking. Look at it, no color=no nutrition. Choose other lettuces if you can.

2) You will not go wrong with raw veggies—pile them on. Remember to eat by color (dark green leaves, bright orange carrot shreds, radishes, onions, etc.).

3) Watch the add-ons, like croutons, cheese, bacon bits, hard boiled egg, bean salad (plain beans, yes. However, bean salad is usually swimming in fatty dress-

ing).

4) Speaking of dressing, BINGO, that's the kicker. Just ONE tablespoon of ranch dressing is 73 calories with 7 grams of fat. 1 ladle full of dressing equals 2 to 6 tablespoons of dressing! Do the math!! YIKES!

5) Bread aside. If you're only having a salad for lunch or dinner, it would seem logical to pile on the bread. Then add some butter to that. Yep, you're right...just more insult to that injury!

So there you have it...a seemingly

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#### CAR TALK

Answer to air-bag problem — no charge

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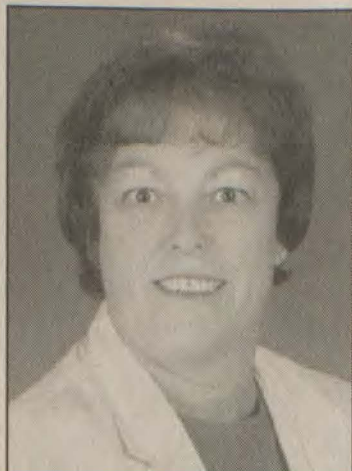
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**Family Medicine**  
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# Type 1.5 diabetes: Rare, but real

Q Is there such a thing as "type 1.5 diabetes"? I have heard of type 1 diabetes and type 2 diabetes, someone recently told me they had type 1.5. Are they making this up, or is it for real?

A Yes, type 1.5 diabetes is a real condition, although it is far less often diagnosed. It is also called slow-onset type 1 diabetes or latent autoimmune diabetes in adults (LADA).

This category arose after doctors noticed that there was a group of diabetics that did not fit the physical

profile or the treatment profile of either type 1 or type 2 diabetics.

Type 1 diabetes goes by many names, such as insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus or juvenile diabetes. This form of diabetes most often starts during childhood, and nearly always before the age of 30. Type 1 diabetes is a lifelong condition in which the pancreas stops producing insulin, which is necessary for the body to process glucose, one of its main energy sources. A Type-1 diabetic must instead take insulin to control blood sugar levels.

Meanwhile, type 2 diabetes is variously called non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus, or adult-onset diabetes. This type of diabetes is much more common than type 1 diabetes. With type 2 diabetes, the pancreas does produce some insulin, but it either does not make enough insulin to effectively regulate blood sugar levels or the body has trouble processing the insulin the way it should. Most type 2 patients can control their blood sugar levels for many years with a combination of oral medications, dietary changes and physical exercise.

Before it received its own diagnosis, type 1.5 diabetes was considered an atypical presentation of type 2 diabetes. Even now, it is estimated that 15 to 20 percent of people diagnosed with type 2 diabetes actually have

type 1.5 diabetes. However, both the physical characteristics of people with type 1.5 diabetes and the symptoms of the disease are very different from those of type 2 diabetes.

Type 2 diabetics are usually overweight, with a BMI over 30, high blood pressure and elevated triglycerides. And, although their cells do not respond as they should to insulin, their blood sugar levels do respond to treatment with oral medications.

The typical patient with type 1.5 diabetes is instead slender and fit. Type 1.5 diabetics appear to respond to oral medications at first because their immune system initially produces helpful antibodies. But these eventually fail, and instead insulin treatments become necessary to control blood sugar levels.

About half of the people with

Type 1.5 diabetes require insulin four years after diagnosis, while a Type 2 may not never need insulin, or not for ten years or more.

Despite the additional maintenance required with insulin treatment, the major advantage to type 1.5 diabetes is that it does not carry the increased risk for heart disease that comes with type 2 diabetes.

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**GOOD HEALTH**

## Catch a child, catch a cold?

DEAR DR. DONOHUE: My friend and I have an ongoing discussion about how we catch colds. I believe the only way is by being exposed to a germ. My friend agrees, but also says you can become chilled, and that results in a cold. Please settle this once and for all. -- L.G.

ANSWER: The only way to catch a cold is to meet up with a cold virus. But let's kick this around a little while it lies there quivering.

Rhinoviruses are responsible for many colds. This virus is passed from one person to another most often via the hands and fingers. An infected person invariably will have virus on his or her hands and fingers. If that person touches another person's hands or fingers, the virus is transferred. All the second person has to do is touch his or her nose or eyes and the virus has found a new home. (The drainage channel for tears siphons viruses into the nose.) It's also possible to spread a cold through sneezing or coughing, but that's a secondary route.

Many colds are preceded by a body chill. That's part of the infection symptoms, and that might be what your friend refers to.

Once a virus lands in a person's nose, the time till the development of cold symptoms is short -- eight to 12 hours. Runny nose, nasal stuffiness, scratchy throat, cough and sneezing are typical symptoms. They peak in 48 hours and are gone in about one week. A person is most contagious during the first three days of symptoms, when nasal discharge is at high volume and when it contains the most viruses.

If by "chilling" your friend means being in a cold blast of air or getting your feet wet in frigid weather and shivering as a result, she has a slight point. That kind of chilling constricts the nose's blood vessels and decreases mucus production. It might, therefore, permit cold viruses to mount a more effective attack and can contribute to the ease of catching a cold. All the same, without the virus there is no cold.

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DEAR DR. DONOHUE: I am 34 and have been jogging for 10 years. I do it year-round.

I've noticed this winter that my knees feel stiff before I run. They don't hurt during the run or after. Could this be a sign that I'm getting arthritis? --

B.C.

ANSWER: It's not likely that at age 34 you're coming down with arthritis. It's more likely a weather thing. Cold weather thickens joint fluid. That makes joints stiff. Warming the fluid by exercise relieves the stiffness.

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DEAR DR. DONOHUE: As a calorie counter from way back, will I lose weight if I eat 1,500 calories a day? How about if I eat 1,200 calories one day and 1,800 the next? -- K.T.

ANSWER: If you burn more than 1,500 calories a day but take in only 1,500 calories, you should lose weight.

You can still lose if one day you take in slightly more and the next day slightly less. You can count the calorie deficit over a week's time.

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*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**

innocent salad taking up residence in my poor friend's thighs and all because she didn't know!

Now she does know better and so do you. CHOOSE carefully when eating salads. And remember, if you're going out

to a restaurant and order a salad as your entrée, you might want to look it up before you order. One time I ordered a Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad from Chili's or Applebees or one of those places, thinking it was the best choice and ended

up my day's worth of calories in that one meal!

Here's to the light bulb on enlightenment! May yours go off continuously this New Year!

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**Allen**

ages, war in the Near East, the failure of the comet to shine as expected, and a flock of other miseries, I hear of the troubles a certain businessman here has been having with a she-rat.

It has been war for months now, and the man is determined to fight it out if it takes all next summer. To date, his feud with this old rat has been defeat after defeat for the man.

"I've killed off three of her litters, and three old he-rats she was runnin' with," he said. "Trapped 'em. Wiped 'em all out, except this she-devil that won't fall for any bait I set."

The rat hasn't any taste for poison, either. "See that oil drum out there." Well, the day after I fixed up a nice batch of hamburger for her, she sat

there for an hour, preening herself like a cat, and eyein' me. People would pass, and she wouldn't stir an inch, just eye em, cold-like."

"That's one of the things that gets next to me, the contempt that old hellion has for me and the human race. You can see it in her eyes. I would have shot her off that can, but sure as shootin' she wouldn't have been there by the time I pulled the trigger, and I decided I might shoot somebody that didn't have anything to do with the trouble this rat and I have been havin'."

After that, he says, an Army Reserve truck pulled up for gas. "I saw the rat crawl aboard, and it might not be patriotic of me to let such a varmint invade the premises of our boys, but I understood they were headed for Camp

Lee, Va., and I didn't say a word, hoping she would wind up down there. But wherever she went, she didn't stay. Two or three weeks later, there she was thumbin' her nose, in a fashion, at me."

"Where is she now?" he was asked.

"Don't know. Haven't seen her for a day or so. May be out ridin' Clorox jugs down the river."

Just at that time a trap clicked. The man said he was trapping mice now, and he hurried out to claim his victim. He was a bit crestfallen when he retruned. "Derned mouse swiped the bait," he drily announced.

Somehow, I got the idea this fellow wasn't the greatest trapper since the days of Kit Carson.

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## Salome's Stars Weekly Horoscope

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Mixed signals could create problems. Make sure your views are presented clearly, and insist others do the same. Don't let an unanswered question go by without a full explanation.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) Financial pressures ease, allowing for more budget flexibility. But as the money-wise Bovine will appreciate, thrift still beats out splurging. Expect news from someone special.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Getting things done is what you do so well. But be careful not to overtax your energy reserves. Take time out to relax or to do something different to help keep them at optimum levels.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) This is a good time to satisfy the Moon Child's growing sense of wanderlust. Choose a really special place to go to, with a very special person to share it all with you.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) You love being in the spotlight. But be careful it doesn't blind you to the truth behind a seemingly wonderful opportunity. Look closer and you might be sadly surprised at what you find.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Isn't it

time to take a break from your hectic schedule? Sure it is. And the sooner you do, the sooner you can return fresh and more than ready to take on all those new projects.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) A recent family incident can help bring everyone closer, and there's no one who's better at making that happen than you. Accept (indeed, insist on!) help from others to get things off and running.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) Long-held habits are often difficult to break. But the change from how you always did things to how you can do them now can be liberating. So, be flexible and give it a try.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Someone you met in your professional world last year and thought you would never hear from again could make a sudden reappearance in your life, along with an interesting job offer.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Once again, you delight everyone by coming up with a solution for a problem that actually works. On another note, it's not too early to get started on those travel plans.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) Before you go ahead with finalizing your plans for your new project, check them over to see if you can make some improvements or if you can find ways to cut costs.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) The Fabulous Fish might have been out of the social swim for too long, and it's time you plunge back in. Reinforce your old friendships and be open to starting new ones.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** Your creative talents help bring beauty to the world and the people in it. On their behalf, thank you.

**IF YOU THINK A BICYCLE WRECK IS NO BIG DEAL, THE NEXT TIME YOU ARE IN YOUR CAR GOING 30 MPH, STRIP DOWN TO YOUR UNDERWEAR AND JUMP OUT**

Cyclists are not a nuisance, an obstacle or in your way. In Kentucky, bicycles have the same rights to use roads and highways as cars and trucks. But keep in mind that cyclists are at greater risk of injury or death in the event of a wreck. That is why it is important to use caution and courtesy when you encounter a bicycle. Pass them only when it is clear, give them a few extra feet when passing, and never do anything to startle a cyclist, such as blowing your horn, passing too close or yelling at them.

Save a life. Share the road.

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# An answer to your air-bag problem — no charge

by TOM and RAY MAGLIOZZI

Dear Tom and Ray:

I recently purchased a 2009 Chevy Traverse. My wife, who is a vertically challenged 5 feet 1 inch, likes to sit on a cushion to gain greater visibility. However, when she sits in the front passenger seat with a fabric material cushion, the warning light indicates that her seat's air bag is off. So, currently, in order to ride as safely as possible, she does not use the cushion. Is the air bag really turned off when she sits on the cushion? If it is, please explain to this non-automotive engineer how her sitting on a cushion is compromising the system. — Calvin

RAY: If the light indicates "Passenger Air Bag Off," her air bag would not deploy in an accident.

TOM: Here's why. When air bags first came out, there were reports of some — mostly very small — people being injured by the force of the air bags.

RAY: So, in a technological fix, cars now come with smart air-bag systems. There are sensors in the front passenger seat that determine both the mass and the seating position of the passenger. And the computer then uses that information to deter-

mine whether the air bag should deploy, and, if so, with what force. Pretty good, huh?

TOM: Different cars use different sensing technologies. But in your particular car, a sensor in the front seat tests for "capacitance." What's that? It's the ability of an object to hold a charge. And since human bodies are 90 percent water, you can tell how big they are by how much of a charge they can hold.

RAY: The problem is, if she's sitting on a cushion, she's too far away from the sensor to conduct its test charge, so the computer concludes that there's no adult in the seat, and it turns off the air bag.

TOM: The sensor is designed to work at a small distance — through stuff like winter coats and Bronko Nagurski Long Underwear — but it can't work through a couple of inches of cushion.

RAY: So, what can you do? I see three options, Calvin. Option 1 is to forget about the cushion. That's obviously the safest approach. Without the cushion, we know the air bag will work, and she'll be sitting low in the seat, where the safety engineers expect the occupant to be during a crash. That makes the safety equipment most effective.

TOM: Option 2 would be to try a thinner cushion. You might find one that gets her close enough to the seat bottom to allow the sensor to detect that she's there. And the light will tell you if you've succeeded. If the "Passenger Air Bag Off" light stays off, she's fully protected by the air bag.

RAY: The third option is the bon-bon-and-cheesecake diet. See if she can add a bigger, homegrown cushion of her own. That's the option I'd choose. Oh, wait — I've already chosen that one.

### How to price your personal rental

Dear Tom and Ray:

I'm living with a bunch of poor, just-out-of-college/sometimes-in-grad-school folks who are planning to share my car. I don't want to sell it. I'd like to come up with a way to let everyone contribute based on how much they use the car and how they use it. How does highway driving compare with city traffic for wear and tear on the car? It obviously has an effect on gas, but what about the engine and other parts? — Dan

RAY: Well, the first thing you should do, Dan, is go down to where the car is parked, and give it a nice, big kiss goodbye. Because the guys

who share the car with you are going to ruin it.

TOM: People never treat a shared car as if it's their own. Especially just-out-of-college people. So, if you go ahead with this plan, you at least should be prepared for the car to deteriorate rapidly. You'll find dents that no one can remember denting. You'll find bent rims, even though no one remembers driving up on a curb. You'll find a pile of puke in the cup holder, and no one will remember winning a hot-dog-eating contest.

RAY: But if you're OK with all that, then I suggest you implement a flat-rate plan. Our very own federal government has studied this issue in depth — how to reimburse people for the use of their cars. Their conclusion is that a car costs just over 50 cents a mile to operate.

TOM: Which I would round up to \$1.75!

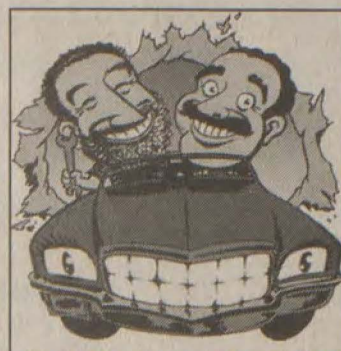
RAY: That's 50 cents a highway mile, 50 cents a city mile, 50 cents up

a hill and 50 cents down a hill. According to the Internal Revenue Service, that covers one mile's share of gasoline, maintenance, future repairs, wear and tear, depreciation and new Christmas-tree air fresheners.

TOM: And if it's good enough for the IRS, it should be good enough for you guys. So tie a log book and a pen to the center console, and once a month, bill everybody 50 cents a mile.

RAY: Put the money in an account to cover maintenance, repairs and a down payment on your eventual new car, which I'm guessing you won't be sharing, Dan. Good luck.

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**CLICK & CLACK**  
Talk Cars

## Rental Central

by TOM DOTY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

An Oscar hopeful, a horror sequel, a political satire and one lame musical competed for your video dollar as January reached the halfway mark.

■ "The Hurt Locker" — Might as well start with the best and this tense action film fills that bill. Jeremy Renner stars in an examination of a bomb disposal squad in Iraq and the pressures of such work. Great stuff from the director of "Near Dark" and "Point Break." The supporting cast is rock solid and includes

Guy Pearce, David Morse and Ralphe Fiennes. A breath of fresh air that eschews politics for a riveting story and thoughtful study of men under pressure.

■ "In the Loop" — This documentary styled satire takes another approach to modern warfare. When England stumbles into a modern war they look to the U.S. for advice and support. This is comedy with some bite and the mostly English cast is right n target. Lone American James Gandolfini is spot on as a heavily decorated General.

■ "Halloween 2" — Laurie Strode is struggling to make

sense of the horrible night during which her brother escaped from an asylum and murdered all of her friends in this follow-up to Rob Zombie's remake of John Carpenter's classic. This is at least better than the original "Halloween 2" but that's not saying much. Zombie needs to get back to original fare like "The Devil's Rejects."

■ "Fame" — This remake of the smash 1980 musical is very flashy and loud. It's also not very good.

Next week look for Benicio Del Toro in "Che," and check out the sci-fi/horror hybrid "Pandorum".

## Strange ... but true

by SAMANTHA WEAVER

■ It was American cartoonist, humorist and journalist Kin Hubbard who made the following sage observation: "There's no secret about success. Did you ever know a successful man who didn't tell you about it?"

■ Next time you're in Iowa, you might want to stop by the rural town of Riverside, which touts itself as the future birthplace of Captain James T. Kirk. Yep, the future birthplace. It seems that "Star Trek" creator Gene Roddenberry asserted that the character of James Tiberius Kirk was born in Iowa, but he didn't specify exactly where. In 1985, the Riverside

City Council voted to declare their town the future birthplace of the character, later writing to Roddenberry and receiving his approval. In honor of its new-found claim to fame, the city began hosting an annual Trek Fest, complete with a Spockapalooza battle of the bands.

■ If you enjoy cooking, you might have heard of some of the following cookbooks: "Kill It and Grill It," "The Joy of Pickling," "Full of Beans," "The Stinking Cookbook" and "I Can't Believe It's Not Meat!" Then again, maybe not.

■ The term "bric-a-brac," usually used to refer to a collection of tawdry trinkets, comes from the French, where its orig-

inal meaning was "at random."

■ Most parents of small children know that trampolines can be dangerous, and they are. Every year, nearly 100,000 people receive emergency-room treatment for injuries sustained while using trampolines. Those injuries are hardly ever fatal, though. Pools, on the other hand, are far more deadly; more than 1,000 people in the United States die in swimming pools annually.

### Thought for the Day

If living conditions don't stop improving in this country, we're going to run out of humble beginnings for our great men. — Russell P. Askue

## Lagoon

boss. He's a mysterious dude who sits in a darkened room puffing on stogies. He orders her to initiate their plan and promptly disappears for the rest of the film.

The plan centers on a mob kingpin named Mr. G. Apparently he has it out for a martial arts instructor named Ho Lung. To this end he has engaged the services of George. It's George's job to rub guys out for Mr. G, but the Death Machines have other ideas. Apparently their plan is to target the hired killers that are sent against Lung.

They do so in spectacular fashion. First they toss a would-be sniper off a skyscraper. Next they disrupt a plan to shoot Lung while he jogs through a park by blowing up the gunman with a bazooka. Before you start thinking that the Death Machines are righteous dudes, we learn that they are only flexing their muscles so Mr. G will hire them to do the jobs.

Mr. G. needs some convincing that he should drop George and go with Madam Lee. It helps that the Death Machines flatten George with a bulldozer, but Sir G is still skeptical.

Lee invites the G man to dinner. She serves him his driver's head on a platter, but this only infuriates G, who responds by killing the waiter.

Eventually they settle on a price (which is great news for the kitchen staff) and the Machines go to work.

Their attack on Mr. Lung's dojo is a highlight. His students turn out to be about as tough as your grandma's sewing circle. They flee in terror before even sizing up the Death Machines. This makes it harder on the Machines, who must now do their killing on the run. They manage to kill everyone present, except for one guy (who does lose an arm, so it's still pretty impressive).

Madame Lee orders her men to go to the hospital and slay the one-armed survivor. They actually botch the job, but we do see one of the team finally utter a noise. He screams like a banshee (and passes out) when a bullet grazes his forehead. He's taken into custody, which leads to the best fight in the movie as he kung-fus an entire police station to escape. The follow up fight at a biker-infested diner is nowhere near as good.

This all leads to a showdown between the Death Machines and the survivor from the karate school massacre, which is nowhere near as good as the frenzied action which preceded it.

This one is a lot of fun. It is

well shot and looks good but that's about it. All other production values are subpar, with the actors, writers and fight choreographers phoning in their jobs.

That said this is a laugh-a-minute train wreck that boasts one of the best B-movie villains — Madame Lee. She is hilarious. Lee rocks a wig big enough to smuggle Dolly Parton in and sports a set of swollen cheeks that make you think she shot her scenes between root canal appointments.

The film moves pretty fast except for a lame love story that develops in the third act between the one-armed survivor and a perky nurse. It does pick up a bit when he tries to defend her honor in a go-go bar, but he promptly gets his head handed to him from a drunken senior citizen.

This one is a bargain as it's included in the "Drive-In Cult Classics: Volume 4" collection. The set includes eight films on four DVDs and retails for under \$20. The quality of the films is not bad (technically) and each entry is goofy enough to hold your attention long enough to forget your troubles for 90 minutes.

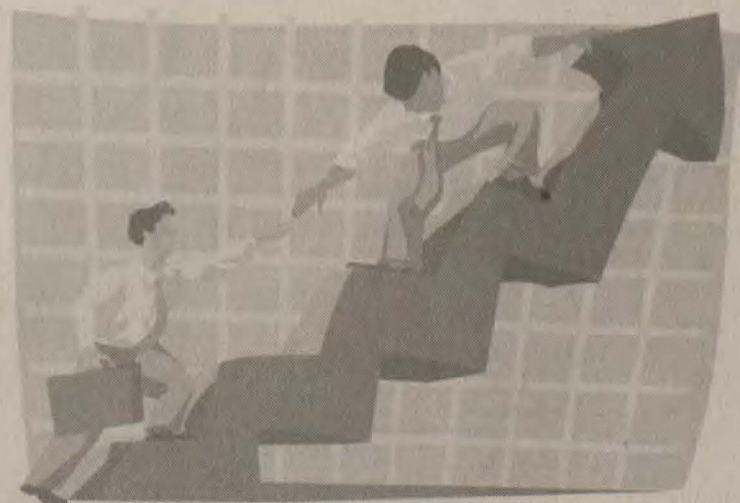
Best line: "Maybe by the time I get used to you, you'll get used to yourself." 1976, rated R.

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## New Arrivals

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| Dec. 08, 2009 A Son, Bryson Nathaniel Manns, to Leigh Ann & James Curtis Manns, of West Liberty.       | Hamilton, of Prestonsburg.   | Hayes, to Kelly Lynn Hall, of Martin.  |
| Dec. 08, 2009 A Daughter, Xena Louell Wood, to Jessica & BJ Wood of Emma.                              | Dec. 11, 2009 A Daughter, Riley Lakody Gay Barton, to Kodie Ferguson, of Paintsville.          | Dec. 15, 2009 A Son, Nicholas Jayden Lee Standifer, to Connie Sue Johnson, of Salyersville.  |
| Dec. 10, 2009 A Daughter, Tara Lashay Collins, to Stephanie Brook & James Randall Collins, of Gunlock. | Dec. 11, 2009 A Daughter, Hazalena Marie Speakman, to Clayton & Tammy Speakman, of Inez.       | Dec. 15, 2009 A Daughter, Victoria Gail Ward, to Lisa & Joseph Ward, of Prestonsburg.        |
| Dec. 10 2009 A Daughter, Kayla Gail Booth, to Misty Dawn Rose, of Prestonsburg.                        | Dec. 12, 2009 A Daughter, Cynthia Joyce Williams, to Cody & Lashona Williams, of Prestonsburg. | Dec. 16, 2009 A Daughter, Alexis Faith Rowe, to Deborah & Grover Rowe, of Allen.             |
| Dec. 11, 2009 A Daughter, Olivia D. Fayth Hamilton, to Amy & Larry                                     | Dec. 14, 2009 A Daughter, Miley Raine Bailey, to Stevi Jo Smith, of Inez.                      | Dec. 17, 2009 A Son, Ethan Scott Cantrell, to Courtney & Branden Cantrell, of Salyersville.3 |
|  | Dec. 15, 2009 A Son, Skylar Franklin Clarence Ray  |  |

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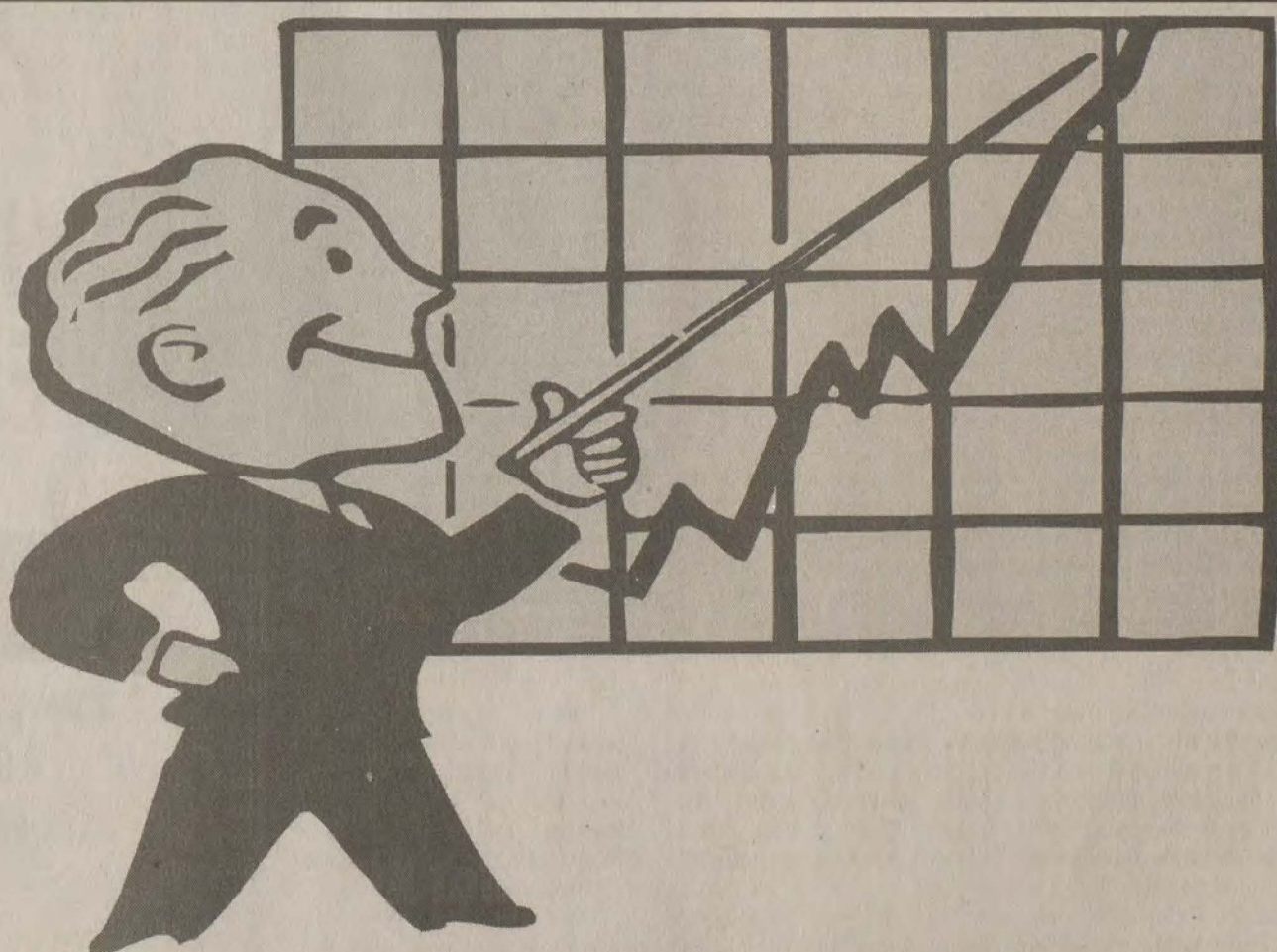
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 Notice is hereby given that Deborah Slone is directed to come forward and present any defense to the Complaint regarding the above-described property she claims, or be forever barred.  
 Signed,  
 A. David Blankenship  
 Warning Order Attorney  
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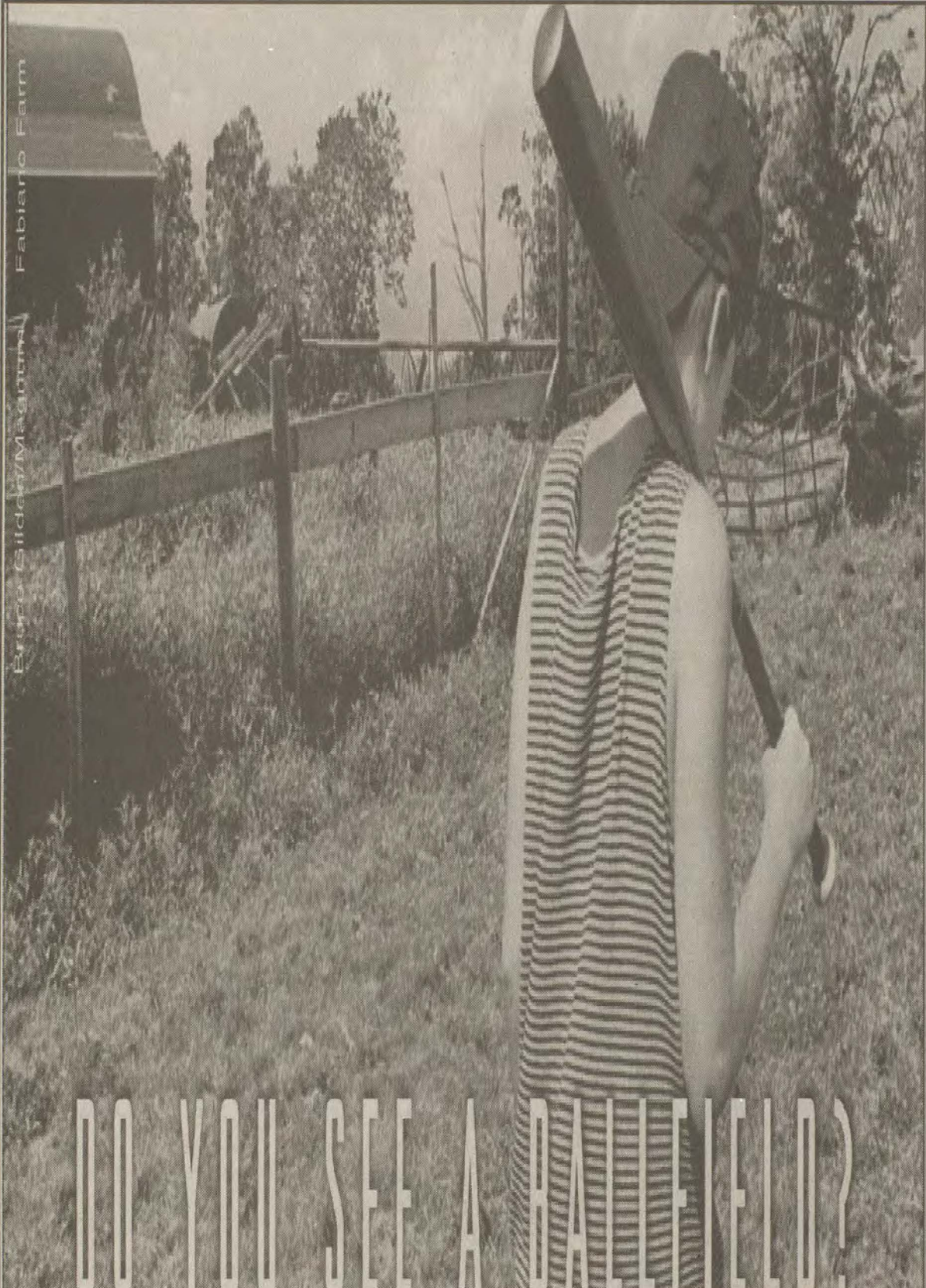
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 Interested parties are requested to contact Danny Smith, Project Manager, P.O. Box 820, Salyersville, KY 41465; phone/fax: 606-884-4353. Cell: 606-205-8315. E-mail: smtdann@aol.com  
**Music Construction, Inc.**

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**  
 Pursuant to  
**Application Number 836-0362**  
 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Laurel Mountain Resources LLC, 1801 Watergap Road, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation, affecting 296.6 acres, and will underlie an additional 304.9 acres, located 1.8 mile southeast of Grethel, in Floyd County.  
 The proposed operation is approximately 0.15 mile southeast from Frasure Branch Road junction with KY Route 979, and located in Frasure Branch of Mud Creek.  
 The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour strip and highwall/auger methods of mining. The surface area is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company LLC, Laurel Mountain Resources LLC, Shelby and Gwen Jones, Nora Lou Jones, Forrest Dean Hall, Denzil and Donna Hall, Charles and Teresa G. Conn, Christopher Mitchell and Janet Hall, Anna Spradlin, Vernon Hall and Randall Dean Hall, Delmar and Oma Frasure, Ray and Dollie Williams, Willis and Joyce Newman, Jason and Marlene Brenda Bryant, Veronia Moore, William J. Hall Heirs, Iva Howell, Johnny and Annetta Hamilton. The operation will underlie surface area owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company LLC, Laurel Mountain Resources LLC, Shelby and Gwen Jones et al., Forrest Dean Hall, Denzil and Donna Hall, Charles and Teresa G. Conn, Christopher Mitchell and Janet Hall, Anna Spradlin, Vernon and Randall Dean Hall, Delmar and Oma Frasure, Ray and Dollie Williams, Willis and Joyce Newman, Jason & Marlene Brenda Bryant, and Veronia Moore.  
 The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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**Number 836-5458,**  
**Amendment No. 1**  
 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co, Inc. 439 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.5 miles southeast of Banner in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 5.08 surface acres and SEQ CHAPTER 17 r 1 of which 2.22 acres overlies currently permitted underground area for a total area within the permit boundary of 119.80 acres.  
 The proposed operation is located 0.4 miles east of Hall Branch Road's junction with State Route 1426 and located 0.30 miles east of Prater Creek.  
 The proposed operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by the Michael Keith Hall Estate and Hazie Boyd.  
 The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.



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# Pikeville College announces fall Dean's List

PIKEVILLE — Pikeville College Dean and Vice President for Academic Affairs Thomas R. Hess has released the names of the top students for the fall 2009 semester. To qualify for the Dean's List, students must receive a grade-point average of 3.5 (B+) or better.

## Pikeville

Joshua N. Adams, Sarah B. Blackburn, Alexandra N. Boyd, Davina N. Bryan, Bradley G. Bryant, Elizabeth Quinn Buckley, Jason L. Campagna, Cathy S. Coleman, Amanda L. Combs, Whitney M. Compton, Clyde M.

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## Pike County

Michael C. Rutherford of Belfry; Brittany K. Stanley of Canada; Adam N. Adkins, Sumner M. Anderson, Danielle L. Bailey, Wesley G. Childers, Lindsay L. Fields, Nicholas A. Gibson, Zachary H. Goins, Sarah E. Ratliff, Caitlin M. Rowe, Benjamin W. Runyon, Megan L. Smith and Elisha Taylor of Elkhorn City; Seth P. Bowling and Cassie B. Justice of Freeburn; Jocelyn A. McCown of Huddy; Ashley B. Walters of Kimper; Erica P. Edmiston of McAndrews; Amber D. Perkins of Myra; Lacey K. Ferrell of Phelps; Andrew K. Belcher, Jodi D. Fuller and Amber R. Stepp of Phyllis; Jennifer L. Moore of Raccoon; Heather N. Dotson of Ransom; Kingdra P. Tackett of Regina; Cortney M. Bentley and Richard T. Estep of Robinson Creek; Jeffery L.H. Brashear, Jessica C. Newcomb and Robert J. Walker of Shelby; Leah B. Robinson of Shelby Gap; Erin Hope Robinson of Sidney; Charles Bevins, Stephanie M. Bevins and Nicole A. Meade of South Williamson; Lisa D. Fuller of Steele; Amy M. Reed of Stone; Rebecca M. Rice of Stopover; and Danielle R. Adams, Kayla L. Johnson, Gary T. Smith, Anthony R. Stewart and Patrick R. Tackett of Virgie.

## Floyd County

Jeffrey T. Hall, Emily A. Holbrook and Joshua N. McKinney of Allen; James E. Boyd of Banner; Brittany Rogers, Markayla B. Stevens and Samantha P. Stewardson of Harold; Tara D. Burchett of Ivel; Christopher D. Baker, Julia D. Burchett and Kimberly N. Williams of Prestonsburg; and Lara M. Neeley, Archita Patel and Paul D. Sullivan of Stanville.

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Danielle R. Dials of Paintsville; James K. Bass of Staffordsville; and Casey M. Keathley of Van Lear.

## Knott County

Megan D. Mosley of Emmalena; Alisha D. Caudill of Garret; and Arthur D. Fletcher of Leburn.

## Magoffin County

Emily N. Helton of Salyersville.

## Adair County

Kenneth N. McAlpine of Columbia.

## Boyd County

Shannon L. Comette and Jessica Limberis of Ashland and Andrea Carter of Catlettsburg.

## Breathitt County

Justin M. Lamb of Jackson.

## Christian County

Prentice K. Robertson of Hopkinsville.

## Greenup County

Corey M. Huston of Flatwoods.

## Kenton County

William R. Jones of Erlanger; and Arthur J. Elliott and Kayla R. Morgan of Independence.

## Letcher County

Shawna M. Kelly of Burdine; Jeremy P. Wright of Jackhorn; Lauren N. Revis, Justin S. Smith and Deborah J. Wright of Jenkins; Tyler J. Little of Neon; Tia M. Smith of Premium; and James Baker, Shelby Chaney and Victoria Paige Chaney of Whitesburg.

## Perry County

Robert Zachary Hurt of Bulan; Ryan A. Brashear of Hazard; and Lillie E.F. Brock of Viper.

## Scott County

Kayla G. Hatton of Stamping Ground.

## Out of state

Chelsea E. Gilliam of Pecatonica, Ill.; Emily A. Witt of Grand Rapids, Mich.; David R. Bishop of Grandville, Mich.; Nicole E. Burke of Sturgis, Mich.; Adam D. Barnett of Mount Olive, Miss.;

Kyan Hines of Green Brook, N.J.; Kimberly A. Yioulos of Rochester, N.Y.; Ashley N. Crutcher of Batavia, Ohio; Christopher D. Hollis of Canal Winchester, Ohio; Ashley N. West of Columbus, Ohio; Mark K. Allen of Mason, Ohio; Demetrious R. Swinger of Anderson, S.C.; Rebecca A. Sulligan of Greer, S.C.; Travis M. Pruett of Flower Mound, Texas; Maranda J. Elswick of Big Rock, Va.; Ashlee S. Looney of Grundy, Va.; Jenna C. Stiltner of Vansant, Va.; Amy S. Owens of Haysi, Va.; Joseph L. Cooperstein of Big Stone Gap, Va.; Tobin A.G. Erhardt of Mercer Island, Wash.; Adam P. Simmons of Huntington, W.Va.; William H. Dempsey of Delbarton, W.Va.; and Hannah L. May of Matewan, W.Va.

## Part-time students

Taneisha L. Wallen of Dungannon; Scottie Adkins of Elkhorn City; Hagan E. Bush, Valerie L. Gibson, Courtney M. Hurley, Maecdea D. Jones, Anthony D. Kelly, Marjorie Danielle Kelly, Samuel D. Lane, Paula H. Martin, Jessica D. Pinson and Shikha Sachdeva of Pikeville; Melissa L. Lowe of Raccoon; Kristal D. Daniels of Stanville; and Cesilee N. Newsome of Teaberry.

## Rogers Scholars, ELI application deadline Jan. 31

by SHARON DODDSON  
THE CENTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

High school students in Southern and Eastern Kentucky must apply by Jan. 31 for the 2010 summer sessions of Rogers Scholars and Entrepreneurial Leadership Institute (ELI) youth programs sponsored and hosted by The Center for Rural Development.

Applications for both programs have been posted online and may be downloaded and printed from the Rogers Scholars Web site at [www.rogersscholars.com](http://www.rogersscholars.com) or The Center for Rural Development's Web site at [www.centertech.com](http://www.centertech.com), where visitors can find the application form for ELI.

All applications must be printed on paper, completed, and mailed to The Center for Rural Development at 2292 South Highway 27, Suite 300, Somerset, Ky. 42501.

Rogers Scholars and ELI focus on developing business and entrepreneurial skills, and encourage participants to ultimately use those skills in positions of leadership in Southern and Eastern Kentucky.

Rogers Scholars is an intensive one-week summer session for rising high school juniors in The Center's primary 42-county service area. The program emphasizes the development of technology skills and builds in participants a sense of leadership, an entrepreneurial spirit, and a commitment to rural Kentucky.

Graduates of Rogers Scholars are eligible to apply for college scholarships from 13 participating Kentucky colleges and universities.

High school freshmen, sophomores, and juniors with a specific interest in business and entrepreneurship can apply for a one-week summer session of ELI. The program promotes creativity and teamwork, and building business and leadership skills.

Members of ELI's first-place business concept team are eligible to receive a Presidential Scholarship to Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, Ky. The winning team also will be recognized at the 2010 Excellence in Entrepreneurship Awards (EIEA) program scheduled for this fall at The Center in Somerset.

Lodging, meals, and program expenses (excluding transportation costs to and from host site) for both programs are provided free of charge to participating students.

The dates for 2010 Rogers Scholars sessions are June 27-July 2 and July 11-16. ELI will be held during the week of June 13-18. Both programs are held on the grounds of The Center.

For more information or to schedule a school visit to discuss either Rogers Scholars or ELI, please contact Jessica Melton, associate director of education and training, at 606-677-6000 or via e-mail at [jmelton@centertech.com](mailto:jmelton@centertech.com).

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The Kentucky Heart Institute is pleased to welcome the following heart specialists to King's Daughters Medical Center.

### Kentucky Heart Institute members are:

**Cardiothoracic Surgeons of Kentucky Medical Plaza B, 613 23rd St., Suite 210 (606) 326.9847**

Robert Fried, M.D.  
Juan MacHannaford, M.D.  
Marcos Nores, M.D.

**Comprehensive Heart & Vascular Associates 2201 Lexington Ave., Suite G10 (606) 329.1997**

Arshad Ali, M.D.  
Ghassan Dalati, M.D.  
Ahmad Elesber, M.D.  
Roger Klein, M.D.  
Bipin Nagra, M.D.  
Hullukunte Shivaprasad, M.D.  
Sriharsha Velury, M.D.

**Kentucky Heart & Vascular Physicians Medical Plaza B, 613 23rd St., Suite 230 (606) 324.4745**

Richard Ansinelli, M.D.  
David Bush, M.D.  
Zane Darnell, M.D.  
Chris Epling, D.O.  
David Glassman, M.D.  
Richard Paulus, M.D.  
Vaughn Payne, M.D.  
Arley Peter, M.D.  
Lynn Preston, D.O.  
Terence Ross, M.D.

### Kentucky Heart Institute Locations

<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>Ohio</b>
Ashland	Burlington
Flatwoods	Ironton
Grayson	Jackson
Inez	Portsmouth
Louisa	Waverly
Morehead	Wheelerburg
Pikeville	
Prestonsburg	
Salyersville	
Vanceburg	



#### David Bush, M.D.

Cardiologist David Bush, M.D., has joined the staff of Kentucky Heart and Vascular Physicians. Dr. Bush has been practicing in the area for more than 15 years and sees patients in both Ashland and Portsmouth. Call (606) 324.4745 for more information.



#### David Glassman, M.D.

An electrophysiologist, Dr. Glassman specializes in caring for patients with cardiac arrhythmias and has joined Kentucky Heart and Vascular Associates. Dr. Glassman completed his cardiology/electrophysiology fellowship at Brown University in Rhode Island. Call (606) 324.4745 for more information.



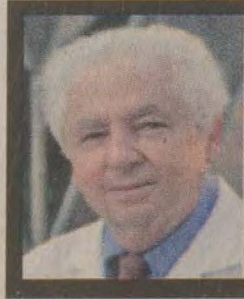
#### Bradley Keller, M.D.

Pediatric cardiologist Bradley Keller, M.D., is now seeing patients in the Heart and Vascular Center at King's Daughters. Dr. Keller is associated with Pediatric Cardiology Associates in Louisville, Ky. For more information, call 1.800.334.8635.



#### Juan MacHannaford, M.D.

Dr. MacHannaford is a cardiothoracic surgeon with Cardiothoracic Surgeons of Kentucky. He completed his cardiothoracic surgery fellowship at Rush University Medical Center in Chicago and a second fellowship, in endovascular aortic surgery, at the Cleveland Clinic. Call (606) 326.9847 for more information.



#### Robert Solinger, M.D.

Pediatric cardiologist Robert Solinger, M.D., is seeing pediatric heart patients in the Heart and Vascular Center at KDMC and is associated with Pediatric Cardiology Associates in Louisville, Ky. For more information, call 1.800.334.8635.

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