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briefs

Robinson back on board

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

Sherry Sue Dings Robinson appears to once again be the District 5 representative for the Floyd County Board of Education. Not counting absentee ballots, Robinson received 1,024 votes to claim the seat. James Blackburn, the other candidate for District 5, received 961 votes.

The District 5 seat was vacated by Douglas Hopkins in February of this year. In May 2009, Attorney General Jack Conway filed a suit to remove Hopkins, alleging that relatives of Hopkins were working for the school district, which made it illegal for him to serve on the board. Hopkins remained on the board until the end of February by appealing the suit.

Dr. Chandra Varia, who was unopposed in the race for District 2, received 1,492 votes. Linda Gearheart, who was also unopposed in District 1, received 1,668 votes.

wens likely to win write-in campaign

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

With absentee votes still being counted as of press time, it would appear that Hattie Owens had done what few candidates have managed — winning an election as a write-in candidate.

With all precincts reporting and

Goble, Akers fend off challenges

absentee votes uncounted and the long process of examining individual write-in only just begun, there had been 1,462 write-in votes cast, most of those presumed to be for Owens. Marie Martin-Holbrook saw 1,038 votes cast for her across that district.

Were Owens to win, she would retain her late husband Jackie Edford Owens' seat as District 2 magistrate on the Floyd County

Fiscal Court. She was appointed to the position by Gov. Steve Beshear in April.

With a 16 percent margin of victory, Owens would have to see either enough write-in votes discounted, which can happen, for example, if her name were mis-

(See MAGISTRATES, page 6)

WAITING TO VOTE



A little over 42 percent of the 27,893 registered voters in Floyd County turned out to cast ballots yesterday, though in some polling places residents lined into hallways to make their picks.

W'wright mayor in danger

Fannin, Woods coast to wins

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

In the three mayor races across the county, two went as most might have expected, while a third saw a longtime serving mayor unseated.

In the race for Wheelwright's top political office before absentee votes had been counted, Andy Akers, who has long served on the city's commission, edged out long-serving incumbent Mayor Marlee Sammons. Akers gar-

(See MAYORS, page 5)

Paul wins Senate race

Rogers; Stumbo, Collins easily hold on to seats

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

Media outlets were designating Republican Rand Paul the winner in Kentucky's race for the U.S. Senate while at press time he was leading his opponent, Kentucky Attorney General Jack Conway, 55 percent to Conway's 45 percent with 47 percent of the vote counted.

However, in Floyd County, Conway

(See PAUL, page 5)

Voters shuffle faces on council

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

The Prestonsburg City Council may have a new look in 2011, as Timothy Cooley, David Gearheart and Bob Carpenter appear to have won election to the council.

Cooley received 496 votes, Gearheart received 612 votes, and Carpenter received 482 votes.

Freddie Goble, Roy D. Roberts, Don Willis, B.D. Nunnery and Harry A. Adams all appear to have won reelection to their seats.

According to the results of the election without the absentee votes, Council Member Gorman Collins Jr., who has been vocal

(See COUNCILS, page 5)

Family loses everything in Wheelwright blaze

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

WHEELWRIGHT Donations are still being accepted for the Wheelwright family who lost their home to a fire Friday that left two of their children injured.

Donald Carter, of Wheelwright, said he had been cleaning the house Friday when he believes the fire started somewhere in the wiring.

The home was gutted by flames, but not before Carter, his girlfriend and their four children

were able to make it out.

In that process, the couple's twin 4-month-old babies were injured, suffering burns to their legs, and were later hospitalized in Lexington at the University of Kentucky Chandler Medical Center.

The twins spent days in the hospital being treated for the burns, but have been since been released. Family members say they are doing fine now.

In addition to the Wheelwright

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Donald Carter, his girlfriend and their four children lost everything after this house in Wheelwright caught fire Friday. The couple's twin babies were burned in the fire, but have since been released from the hospital and are recovering from their injuries.

photo by Sheldon Compton

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Natural gas costs little changed this winter

FRANKFORT — With wholesale natural gas prices holding steady over the last year, Kentucky customers will see little change in their heating costs this winter, the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) says.

"Natural gas prices have stabilized considerably since the large fluctuations of recent years," PSC Chairman David Armstrong said. "Furthermore, with gas supplies increasing, there is reason to think that prices won't change greatly for the next few years."

On average, Kentucky customers can expect to pay about 7 percent more this November than last if they consume 10,000 cubic feet of natural gas. But the average total bill - including base rates - is still 35 percent lower than in November 2008.

Changes in individual ratepayer bills will vary by company and customer usage.

Wholesale costs this year are, on average, only 2 percent higher than a year ago. Four of Kentucky's five large natural gas distribution companies have received base rate increases in the last year.

Wholesale prices over the last year have remained at less than half the peak prices seen in 2008. Wholesale costs make up the largest portion of retail gas bills during the heating season. They are passed through to consumers on a dollar-for-dollar basis by local distribution companies.

The amount of natural gas in storage for use during the winter is at above-average levels, according to data from the federal Energy Information Administration. That suggests adequate supplies and stable prices through the heating season, unless there is widespread and extreme cold weather.

Weather is always the largest factor in determining the amount of energy that consumers use to heat their homes and thus the size of their heating bill. Armstrong said. Improvements in energy efficiency and conservation are the only way to permanently lower energy bills, he said.

"Consumers should not

count on energy prices to remain low for the long term," Armstrong said. "It is always wise to invest current savings from lower heating costs to make permanent improvements in weatherization and other steps to reduce energy consumption."

After a sharp spike in wholesale natural gas prices in 2008 and an equally abrupt decline last year, wholesale natural gas prices have stabilized.

By federal law, natural gas prices are not regulated at the wholesale level and generally fluctuate with supply and demand. Under Kentucky law, gas companies are entitled to recover the wholesale cost of the gas delivered to customers, including the fees they pay to interstate pipelines to transport the gas to their retail distribution systems. Companies are not allowed to earn a profit on their gas commodity costs. The companies' gas cost adjustments are reviewed by the PSC to make sure they accurately reflect the wholesale cost of gas.

About half of the natural gas used for winter heating is put into storage in the summer. The price at which it was purchased is the price passed through to consumers. Until the last decade, natural gas prices typically were considerably lower in the summer than in the winter. That gap has narrowed in recent years, due in large part to the increased use of natural gas to generate electricity.

Kentucky's five major natural gas distribution companies expect their adjusted wholesale cost this November to be, on average, \$5.70 per 1,000 cubic feet (mcf). That is up \$.09 (2 percent) from an average of \$5.61 per mcf a year ago.

In August 2008, the average adjusted wholesale cost peaked at \$15.17 per mcf. In November 2002 the average adjusted wholesale cost was \$4.90 per mcf.

The wholesale cost of natural gas accounts for about three-fourths of a typical consumer's winter bill. A typical Kentucky customer using 10 mcf next month will pay a total monthly bill of \$98.19, up \$6.11 - or 6.6 percent - from the \$92.08 average bill a year ago.

That increase is an average for Kentucky's five major local natural gas distribution companies as of November. It will change as companies make further wholesale cost adjustments throughout the heating season.

The five major natural gas distribution companies in Kentucky are Atmos Energy, Columbia Gas of Kentucky Inc., Delta Natural Gas Co. Inc., Louisville Gas and Electric Co. and Duke Energy Kentucky Inc. Together the five companies serve more than 750,000 customers in

Kentucky and deliver about 176 billion-cubic feet of gas annually.

Atmos Energy, Delta Natural Gas, Duke Energy Kentucky and Louisville Gas and Electric all have received their base rate increases in the last year. The base rates reflect a utility's day-to-day operating costs, including the cost of delivering gas, as well as a return on equity for company shareholders.

About 44 percent of Kentuckians heat their homes with natural gas. Those who heat with propane (10 percent) and fuel oil (3 percent) will see higher costs than last year.

The 39 percent of Kentuckians who use electric heat are likely to see somewhat higher bills on average this winter, largely because of base rate increases granted to three of Kentucky's largest electric utilities in the past year. The cost of coal - used to generate more than 90 percent of

Kentucky's electricity - has remained relatively stable in recent years.

Fuel prices have stabilized in large part because the sagging economy has reduced demand, Armstrong said. The ongoing economic slump means that many Kentuckians will continue to have difficulty paying their heating bills, he said. Heating assistance is available from utility companies and local community action agencies, but funds are limited and sometimes run out during the heating season, he said.

"Do not delay looking for assistance until a difficulty has become a crisis," Armstrong said. "Now is the time to take the necessary steps if you think that you may need help paying your heating bill this winter."

A briefing held today on natural gas prices will be available for viewing at a later time in streaming video format in the PSC's

video library, at <http://psc.ky.gov/Home/Media>. A video of the briefing also will be available for download on the PSC's FTP site, <ftp://162.114.3.167/>.

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Worth Repeating ...

"The inherent vice of capitalism is the unequal sharing of blessings; the inherent virtue of socialism is the equal sharing of miseries."

— Winston Churchill

Guest View

No surprise in coal industry's suit against EPA

It was no big surprise to us that the Kentucky Coal Association, or the Commonwealth of Kentucky for that matter, has decided to file suit against the EPA. From the rumblings coming from Frankfort and the Eastern Coalfields, it's been coming for some time, and solely in regard to what is being referred to as "arbitrary" benchmarks for water quality, we tend to agree with the coal association.

It was in April, on April Fool's Day no less, that the EPA issued a guidance detailing water quality measures for discharges near coal mining sites in central Appalachia. A part of that guidance detailed the measure of water conductivity, or the amount of dissolved solids in the water, would be no greater than approximately 300 to 500 microsiemens per centimeter. We actually tend to wonder where this figure comes from:

According to the EPA's own website, the nation's rivers generally range from 50 to 1,500 microsiemens per centimeter. The site goes on to note that studies have indicated that "streams supporting good mixed fisheries have a range between 150 and 500" microsiemens per centimeter.

So, apparently, the federal government is looking out for fisheries. That's all well and good, but when other organizations, such as the Annis Water Resource Institute in Michigan, note that regular old drinking water can have a conductivity of anywhere from 50 to 1,500 microsiemens per centimeter, why is it that fish are more entitled to good water than humans? Shouldn't the federal government also be concerned with quality of water people drinking every day, say from bottled water sources?

It's a silly question to be sure, but the EPA's conductivity guidance is an even more silly answer, especially when the region's miners are going out of work because of it. Just ask a group of miners in Letcher County whose last day of work is coming up next month.

No one is saying we shouldn't protect the waters of the Commonwealth, and we should continually hold these coal "companies" feet to the fire, but when is too much simply too much?

All things considered, there is little wonder the Obama Administration is facing such a backlash this November.

— The Hazard Herald



Guest Column

A legislative perspective

by REP. GREG STUMBO
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

When it comes to flying the friendly skies - or making the equipment that gets us there - few states can match Kentucky.

In the 107 years since the Wright Brothers made history at Kitty Hawk, our state has played pivotal roles in getting the country into the clouds and beyond.

Consider Lee Atwood, who was known as the "Dean of the Aviation Industry" for much of the middle portion of the 20th Century. This native Kentuckian helped engineer many of the aircraft that gave the United States the needed edge during World War II, and he followed that up with pioneering work on the rockets that put man on the moon.

Another leading aviation icon of World War II - Rosie the Riveter - was also born in Kentucky, while one who was later famous in the thoroughbred industry - C. V. Whitney - served as chairman of the now-defunct Pan American Airways when it was leading the way in international travel.

Kentuckians were there near the beginning of flight and are leaders in space exploration as well. Captain Solomon Lee Van Meter, for example, saved countless lives when in 1916 he patented the basic design of the parachute that is still in use today. Astronaut Story Musgrave, meanwhile, is the only person to have flown on all five space shuttles and was at one time the oldest person to orbit the Earth.

Earlier this year, the General Assembly recognized another group of groundbreaking Americans when my colleagues and I dedicated the state's entire stretch of Interstate 75 in honor of the Tuskegee Airmen.

These soldiers - a dozen of whom had strong connections to Kentucky - were a group of African-American men who helped to lead the way in integrating the Armed Forces during World War II. Together, they destroyed more than 1,000 enemy aircraft and earned more than 150 Distinguished Flying Crosses.

Another heroic group to serve the nation - the 101st Airborne Division - also got its start during that war, and for more than 50 years now has been based at Fort Campbell. The Screaming Eagles have more than lived up to the words of their first Commanding General, who said that they would always be called into action when the need was "immediate and extreme."

Kentucky's leadership roles in the aerospace and defense industries reach into the factory as well. Last year, this particular workforce ranked third among the states in the value produced per employee, and civilian aircraft, engines and related parts accounted for a fifth of all state exports in 2008. Because of our reputation, employment in this industry has jumped 68 percent during the past decade, according to the Kentucky Cabinet for Economic Development, while the nation saw a slight decline over the same period.

In recent weeks, the General Assembly has begun taking a closer, look at one facet of the industry that has faced especially tough times this decade: Our commercial airports.

Because of the economy, sky-rocketing fuel costs and airline mergers that have directed planes to other hubs, Kentucky has seen its number of passenger boardings drop by almost half since 2000. Much of that decline has taken place at the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky airport, which has suffered steep cutbacks.

On the bright side, Louisville's airport continues to be a leader in moving packages because of UPS, which has spent hundreds of millions of dollars upgrading its facilities. Only two North American airports shipped more cargo in 2008.

A 2009 University of Louisville study estimated that the economic impact of that airport - plus a nearby general aviation airport - was more than \$6 billion and the source of 64,000 jobs. An earlier study by the University of Cincinnati, done before the number of passengers began declining significantly, estimated that the Northern Kentucky airport had an impact topping \$4.5 billion.

Not surprisingly, our community airports also have a major economic impact. There are nearly 60 of these publicly owned airports across the Commonwealth, plus more than 100 private airports. All told, these airports contribute about \$1.75 billion annually.

Because we have so many connections to the aviation industry, there is every reason to believe that our future is at least as promising as our past. Once the economy recovers, we will be perfectly poised to take advantage of that.

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KSP asks motorists to 'leave more space'

FRANKFORT — The KSP Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division kicked off the 2010 Ticketing Aggressive Cars and Trucks (TACT) campaign last week in an effort to crackdown on motorists driving recklessly around commercial trucks and on trucks violating traffic laws. The first wave of the campaign will run through December and focus on routes heavily traveled by commercial trucks throughout the Commonwealth.

KSP will partner with Louisville Metro Police Department, Lexington Police Department and Boone County Sheriff's Office to accelerate the implementation of the campaign.

"We are determined to reduce both fatal and non-fatal crashes on our highways," said KSP Commissioner Rodney Brewer. "Our agency will work alongside local law enforcement partners to provide increased patrols where commercial truck crashes are predominant." Officers will look for aggressive driving behaviors such as following too close; unsafe lane changes; speeding and not leaving

enough space when passing large trucks.

Brewer said that most people simply don't understand the dangers of big rigs. "A car traveling 80 miles per hour only needs 160 feet to stop," explained Brewer. "A commercial truck driving at that same rate of speed behind that car would take somewhere between 800 and 1200 feet to stop."

"Highway safety is a shared responsibility. This enforcement blitz will boost efforts to prevent tragedies on Kentucky's main arteries of transportation and serve as a reminder that all motorists need to think about their driving habits each time they get behind the wheel," added Brewer.

The TACT program is funded and administered through the Federal Motor Carriers Safety Administration (FMCSA). Kentucky joins Alabama, Georgia, Indiana, Montana, Nevada, North Carolina, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Texas and Washington as one of the FMCSA selected states for the TACT project. Crash statistics from KSP indicate that 70 percent of fatal crashes involving large trucks are caused

by passenger vehicles. Last year Kentucky had over 8,000 crashes involving commercial vehicles resulting in 114 deaths.

Brewer said Education is a key component to the success of the campaign.

"Public service announcements, radio spots, specially-wrapped trailers, road signs, fuel pump advertising and social media will all be used to convey the safe driving messages for TACT," remarked Brewer.

"For motorists who travel Kentucky interstates each day, a crash involving a tractor trailer can cause extensive travel delays, especially when the crash is fatal for a driver or passengers. We want to reduce travel delays by reducing the number of crashes between passenger cars and commercial vehicles," he noted.

Citizens can contribute to highway safety by reporting erratic drivers to the Kentucky State Police toll-free at 1-800-222-5555. Callers will remain anonymous and should give a description of the vehicle, location, direction of travel and license number if possible.

Paul

came away with the majority of votes when the final counts were in Tuesday night — 57 percent to Paul's 43 percent, excluding absentee votes, which were still being counted late Tuesday night.

Both candidates had made several stops in Prestonsburg and other areas throughout the Big Sandy region in the weeks leading up to the election, with Conway, Kentucky's current Attorney General making stops along the way at his office in Prestonsburg.

Paul made a couple of stops in Floyd County before the election, one brief layover at Reno's Restaurant en route to a rally being planned in neighboring Pike County and another at Billy Ray's

Restaurant last month. As many polls predicted, Kentucky Speaker of the House Greg Stumbo handed Republican challenger Alan Williams a solid defeat to keep his seat in the Kentucky House of Representatives for the 95th District.

The former Floyd County magistrate garnered 3,017 votes throughout the county while Stumbo, a former Kentucky Attorney General with more than 20 years of public service in Frankfort, saw 6,963 votes cast for him throughout the day Tuesday.

A state race that raised eyebrows and had remained a topic of interest since this past spring was when former Paintsville High School basketball coach Bill Mike Runyon tossed this hit in

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against veteran state representative Hubert Collins in the 97th district race, which covers all of Johnson County and Martin County, and parts of Floyd and Pike counties.

With over half of the counties across the Fifth District reporting, it appeared that U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers would retain his long-held position against his Democratic challenger James Holbert. With more than half of the votes in, Rogers was leading with 79 percent of the vote to Holbert's 21 percent.

Councils

In his opposition to Mayor Jerry Fannin, did not win reelection to the council, receiving 445 votes. Donna Blackburn Wells, who is also a current council member, did not retain her seat with 446 votes. Also in the race for Prestonsburg City Council, James K. Allen received 398 votes, Danny H. Hamilton received 429 votes, Carolyn W. Ford received 446 votes, Ben Ferguson received 194 votes and Sheila Bryant received 329 votes.

In Martin, all six candidates who were on the ballot have been elected to the city council.

Deborah L. Bentley received 57 votes, Judith K. Stumbo received 55 votes, Eulene H. Ratliff received 71 votes, Bobby Dingus received 71 votes, Mahendra R. Varia received 59 votes and April L. Gayheart received 64 votes.

According to the current results, the Wheelwright City Commission will be made up of Don "Booty" Hall, who received 183 votes, Joe Stewart, who received 159 votes, Vernon Smallwood, who received 173 votes and Lonzie Tackett, Jr., who received 201 votes. Lucille Gayheart Tackett, the only candidate to not win election to the commission, received 140 votes.

In a close race for the Allen City Commission, the winners appear to be Pauline T. Bentley who received 36 votes, Deborah Porter Lumpkins, who received 35 votes, Clyde Woods, who received 43 votes and Jessica Woods Crumpler, who received 26 votes. The other two candidates, Cindy Bentley Parsons and Kevin R. Robbins, received 23 and 16 votes, respectively.

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In another close race for the Wayland City Commission, the winners appear to be Tim Shippers, with 51 votes, Kathy Mills, with 54 votes, Teri Dalton Howell, with 50 votes and Linda Castle Spurlock, with 57 votes. The other candidates were Mary Murphy, who received 43 votes, Tom Murphy, who received 44 votes and Thomas Robinson, who received 32 votes.

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nered 161 votes to Sammons' 130 votes in that race.

In a Prestonsburg race for mayor that saw incumbent Jerry Fannin again face challenger Philip "Doc" Simpson, Fannin cruised to a win taking 69 percent of the vote, with 815 cast for him and 372 votes cast for

Simpson. In the last of the opposed races for mayor throughout the county, Allen Mayor Sharon Woods retained her position taking 61 percent of votes cast for that position against her single opponent Ernestine "Tina" Burchett-Hall. Woods came away with 43 votes to

Burchett-Hall's 28. Jerry Fultz was the only candidate who filed to run for Wayland's mayor and will now serve as that city's top political officer.

The Floyd County Clerk's office started counting absentee votes at approximately 8 p.m. last night.

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St. Joe - Martin introduces 'no-wait' ER

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

MARTIN - Long waits in hospital emergency rooms are a common complaint from many patients, but Saint Joseph Hospital in Martin is introducing a new "No Wait ER" that promises to have a patient examined within five minutes and visited by a doctor within 30 minutes.

"This new timeframe

will allow the hospital to provide a better experience for patients, while continuing to deliver the same high-quality care that patients expect from Saint Joseph - Martin," said Kathy Stumbo, president of the hospital. "Through looking at our registration and care processes in the emergency department, we were able to better streamline our resources to meet these new goals. Our staff couldn't be

more excited to introduce our revamped 'No Wait ER' to patients." According to information provided by the hospital, "A patient is seen by a nurse, who begins the treatment needed within five minutes of arrival. For example, if someone brings in a child who has injured his arm, the nurse can order X-rays. If a patient has certain symptoms of a particular illness, the nurse can order lab tests.

All of this happens even before the doctor sees the patient within 30 minutes." "We are seeing patients enter our ER who are very sick and who may not have access to primary care," said Melinda Stumbo, nurse manager of the emergency department. "Now, our waiting room will not be overcrowded and patients will be comforted to know they will see a nurse within 5 minutes of their arrival."

Hospital officials announced the introduction of the "No Wait ER" on Monday. "Part of our mission at Saint Joseph - Martin is to offer person-centered care," Kathy Stumbo added. "That means we partner with our

patients and their families, treating them with dignity and respect, to deliver health care that will lead to the best outcomes. Reducing our wait times in the ER will not hamper care, but enhance the patient's experience."

Fire

Fire Department and city officials gathering up donations of clothes and other items for Carter and his family. Residents of Wheelwright have taken the initiative to do the same.

Carter himself has said that it was a terrible thing to have lost his material possessions in the fire, but that he came away with the most important thing, his family. To find out more about

what you can do to help with donations, contact Wheelwright City Hall at (606) 452-4202 or the Wheelwright Volunteer Fire Department at (606) 452-4400.

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City of Allen, Rescue Squad received Homeland grants

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

The Floyd County Rescue Squad and the city of Allen will be upgrading their equipment, thanks to a grant in the amount of \$23,700 from the Kentucky Office of Homeland Security.

The grant provides \$1,400 for radios and \$9,000 for mobile data computers for the city of Allen. The Floyd County Rescue Squad will receive \$13,300 for rescue squad dry suits.

"Homeland Security grants are a vital component in helping keep the commonwealth safe and secure," said Gov. Steve Beshear. "They provide funds that enable our first responders to have the latest and best tools needed in their critical missions."

Awards are from U.S. Department of Homeland Security-approved equipment for law enforcement, fire and emergency services, plus event-burdened search and rescue agencies. Items funded included mobile and

portable radios, base stations, mobile-data computers, radio repeaters, community warning systems, bomb squad accessories, water-rescue apparatus, hazardous-materials response gear, surveillance devices and medical equipment.

"The dry suits these funds purchase is crucial to our first responders in Floyd County," said State Sen. Johnny Ray Turner, of Drift. "Our first responders put their lives in danger whenever they go out on a rescue mission. It is important that

their gear be up-to-date and at the optimum operation level. Lives could depend upon it."

In all, 262 applications requesting \$31.7 million were received for this funding cycle. The Kentucky Office of Homeland Security funded 140 projects for a total of \$6.4 million throughout the state. Before the projects receive final funding, multiple compliance assurances must be met, along with inspections and guarantees for each dollar allocated.

Magistrates

spelled by the voter, or see Martin-Holbrook take the majority of the absentee votes to lose her seat on the court.

Holbrook won in the primary election with 627 votes, but saw at that time 1,078 votes cast for the late Jackie Edford Owens, whose name remained on the ballot for that election.

In the District 1 magistrate race,

with all precincts in last night, incumbent John Goble fought off Republican opponent Floyd Skeans. Goble took 53 percent of the votes with 1,982 while Skeans, who is no newcomer to the political arena, saw 1,730 votes cast for him throughout the district.

In District 4, Ronnie Akers won handily against Republican opponent Martin "MJ" Meade, taking 1,713

votes to Meade's 655 for a total of 72 percent of the votes for his district.

The only unopposed seat on the fiscal court, excluding that of judge-executive, was the seat that will soon be vacated by current District 3 Magistrate Donny Daniels. Daniels lost to challenger Warren Jarrell in the May primary. Jarrell will take office after the first of the year.

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Energy audits: Many local utilities offer home energy audits at little or no cost to consumers. These audits can identify energy-wasting trouble spots and provide information on how

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Weatherization: Consumers can do a number of things to reduce inflows of cold air and leakage of warm air, particularly around windows and doors. Some basic weatherization steps include:

- Use caulk or weatherstripping to seal cracks around windows, doors, pipes and other points where cold air can enter the home. This alone can

reduce heating costs by 10 percent or more.

- Federal and state tax credits are available for installing energy-efficient doors and windows.

- Add insulation in attics, crawl spaces and walls.

- Cover windows, especially those with single-pane glass, with storm windows or plastic sheeting before the onset of cold weather.

- Clean or replace furnace filters monthly to improve airflow and efficiency.

Advice on conserving energy, including links to a wide range of information, also is available from the Kentucky Department for Energy Development and Independence on the Web at <http://energy.ky.gov/efficiency/>.

Weatherization assistance for low-income families is available in Kentucky. Many utilities offer weatherization assistance in conjunction with local social service agencies. Local social service agencies also offer assistance through a state program administered by the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services. For information on weatherization assistance, also go to <http://tinyurl.com/29getyx>. Low-income consumers may qualify for assistance with their heating bills through the Low-Income

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Rogers to announce ARC mini-grants Nov. 5

SOMERSET — U.S. Rep. Harold "Hal" Rogers is scheduled to award \$89,500 in federal grant funding from the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) to communities or organizations in Southern and Eastern Kentucky on Friday, Nov. 5, at a strategic planning summit and awards luncheon at The Center for Rural Development in Somerset.

Rogers will join Lonnie Lawson, president and CEO of The Center, in announcing the 11 recipients chosen to receive ARC mini-grants ranging up to \$10,000 to help advance community strategic planning efforts throughout the region as part of the latest round of funding support awarded by The Center's Developing and Implementing Community Strategies Program.

The event, set to begin at 10:30 a.m. EST, also will include presentations by six former grant recipients who will share their success stories and give brief updates on their completed strategic plans or community development projects.

"The Center's mission is to provide leadership that stimulates innovative and sustainable economic development solutions across the region, and these grants target communities that

have the ideas but lack the resources to move them forward," Lawson said. "This funding will assist those communities to develop and further plans and strategies that will help fuel positive and tangible economic and community development activity in our region for years to come."

Representatives from Tri-Cities Heritage Development, Letcher County Convention and Tourism Commission, City of Prestonsburg, Wayne County Fiscal Court, City of Stanton, and Harlan County Fiscal Court who were awarded ARC mini-grants earlier this year during the first of two funding cycles will also share an overview of their projects and strategic planning efforts.

In February, The Center presented \$54,300 in ARC mini-grant funding to these communities or organizations for either the successful creation of a strategic plan or the implementation of priority community development projects identified in existing strategic plans. Applicants also were encouraged during this funding cycle to incorporate the use of technology solutions in implementation and execution of their plans and projects.

"These award recipients are making a real difference in their home

communities and throughout the region," Lawson said. "The Center and ARC are working together to create new opportunities for Southern and Eastern Kentucky, and these ARC strategic planning mini-grants are one of the first places where we can start to help communities and organizations plan for their future."

Individual project awards range from \$5,000 up to a maximum of \$10,000. All projects must be completed within a six-month period. For more information about the ARC Summit or the Developing and Implementing Community Strategies Program and to RSVP for the Nov. 5 event and luncheon at The Center, please contact Patti Simpson at The Center for Rural Development at 606-677-6110, or via e-mail at psimpson@centertech.com.

Counties eligible to apply for ARC funding support through The Center include: Bath, Bell, Breathitt, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Cumberland, Estill, Floyd, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Lawrence, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Lincoln, Magoffin, Martin, McCreary, Menifee, Monroe, Morgan, Owsley, Perry, Rockcastle, Russell, Wayne, Whitley, and Wolfe. Cities within those counties may also apply.

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Modern gun season set to open Nov. 13

Proper deer carcass disposal urged

TIMES STAFF REPORT

FRANKFORT — With modern gun season opening statewide on Nov. 13, hunters must know the proper way to dispose of their deer carcass after processing. Leaving the remains on the property

where you harvested the deer is the best disposal method. If you are hunting on another person's property, ask the landowner where you can dispose of the deer's carcass and offer to bury it. Respect the landowner's wishes. Deer hunters should never throw deer remains alongside the road or onto someone else's property without permission. Check local laws to see if you can dispose of the carcass through garbage collection. Some counties or municipalities allow it, some don't.



RUNNIN' REBELS

Allen Central cruised past neighboring Knott County Central 58-6 Friday night in a non-district game that served as the regular-season finale for both teams. The Rebels will visit Hazard Friday night for an opening round game in the Class State Playoffs. Mickie Parsons (5) is pictured rushing the football for the Rebels.

Bobcats level Jenkins, 56-12

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

BETSY LAYNE — The Betsy Layne Bobcats wrapped up the most successful regular season in school history Friday night with a convincing 56-12 win over non-district foe Jenkins. Betsy Layne, surging in the second half of the regular season, won its fifth game in six outings.

Betsy Layne rolled up 390 rushing yards en route to posting the win. The seven wins is a school record.

Casey Adkins paced Betsy Layne offensively, rushing 11 times for 225 yards and one touchdown. Austin Hall added 120 yards and one touchdown via eight carries.

Chris Akers also rushed for a touchdown in Betsy Layne's win.

Betsy Layne senior quarterback Nathan Martin completed 8-of-12 passes for 140 yards and four touchdowns.

Dylan Hamilton, showcasing his versatility, completed 2-of-4 passes for 60 yards and one touchdown. Hamilton also rushed five times for 25 yards and hauled in one 10-yard reception.

Receiver Landon Tackett ranked as Betsy Layne's top target. Tackett collected three receptions for 80 yards and two touchdowns.

Dylan Maldonado and Ryan Lawson also produced one touchdown reception each.

Adkins also led Betsy Layne on the defensive side as he registered eight solo tackles and six assists. Hall (four solo tackles, five assists), Hamilton (three solo tackles, seven assists) and Lawson (three solo tackles, seven assists) followed Adkins in the tackles department for host Betsy Layne.

The Bobcats outscored opponents 363-213 during the regular season.

Betsy Layne will host Pineville on Friday, Nov. 5 in the opening round of the Class A State Playoffs. Kickoff for the Betsy Layne-Pineville game is set for 7:30 p.m.

Volleyball: Pikeville slips versus Asbury

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — Asbury University came to town on Thursday night and left with the treat it desired — a 3-0 win over Pikeville College on the volleyball court.

While the rest of the county was enjoying a night of trick-or-treat, the Eagles — the top team in the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletics Conference — picked up wins by scores of 25-11, 25-13, 25-11.

The Bears have one more home contest this season, a match next Wednesday at the Pikeville College Gym against Cincinnati Christian University on which they will celebrate Senior Night.

On Thursday, Pikeville got

(See PIKEVILLE, page two)



Prestonsburg junior quarterback Adam Crisp (14) prepared to call an offensive play against Pike Central Friday night. Prestonsburg will host Knott County Central in the opening round of the Class 2A State Playoffs.

Blackcats drop regular-season finale to surging Pike Central

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — Much-improved Pike Central gained some momentum Friday night, defeating the host Prestonsburg Blackcats 31-24 at Josh Francis Field on Senior Night. The loss snapped a Prestonsburg six game win streak. Pike Central claimed its third straight win following a disappointing 18-34 loss to district foe Beltry on Oct. 8.

Pike Central concluded the regular-season 8-1 while Prestonsburg finished 8-2.

The Hawks limited Prestonsburg on the ground. Prestonsburg was held to 49 rushing yards. Junior Joseph Jamerson was the leading rusher for Prestonsburg as he took four attempts for 16 yards and one touchdown. Grant Anderson, Kain Collins and Bryson Williams also rushed for positive yardage in the non-district game.

Prestonsburg junior quarterback Adam Crisp completed 20-of-39 passes for 270 yards and one touchdown. The Prestonsburg signal-caller threw two interceptions in the setback.

Bryson Williams reeled in a team-high seven receptions for 96 yards. Jamerson netted six catches for 86 yards and one touchdown. Anderson, Collins and Tyler Keens also had multiple catches for the Blackcats.

The Prestonsburg defense allowed Pike Central to pick up over 400 yards. The Hawks rushed for 210 yards. Jamerson registered an interception and recovered a fumble for the Blackcats. Alex Griffith led Prestonsburg with 5.5 solo tackles and 8 assists.

Prestonsburg — a Class 2A State Semifinalist last season — will host Knott County Central on Friday, Nov. 5 in the opening round of the Class 2A State Playoffs. Kickoff for the Prestonsburg-Pike Central game is set for 7:30 p.m.



Above: Junior Joseph Jamerson (6) looked for open running room against the Pike Central defense. Below: Alex Griffith (9) was one of the seniors honored prior to Prestonsburg's home game versus Pike Central.



Bears fall to Kentucky in exhibition

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — In the end, the records will show the University of Kentucky posted a 97-66 win over Pikeville College on Monday night in an exhibition game at Rupp Arena.

What may be forgotten is that with 14:20 left, senior Andre Thornton scored on a tip-in to pull the Bears within 12 at 52-40 before things got out of hand.

The game was played before 21,127, the largest crowd to ever see a Pikeville College basketball game.

"You've got to give Pikeville credit," said Kentucky Coach John Calipari. "They're a senior-level team with a lot of experience who plays hard. I was impressed with them."

A pair of NCAA Div. I transfers paced the Bears in the game. Senior Vance Cooksey, the point guard from Youngstown State, finished with 15 points and three steals, while senior Quincy Hankins-Cole, who came to Pikeville from Nebraska, had 11 points and seven rebounds, four of them coming off the offensive glass.

Kentucky, playing their first exhibition of the pre-season, put four players in double figures on Monday. Freshman Brandon Knight had 22 points and three assists to lead the Bears in both categories.

Junior Darius Miller, who played on a state championship team at Mason County coached by Pikeville head coach Kelly Wells, had a monster game against his former coach. He finished with 21 points and 10 rebounds to go with three assists, two blocks and a steal.

Junior DeAndre Liggins finished with 19 points and seven rebounds, while freshman Doron Lamb tossed in 16 while grabbing five rebounds.

The big story of the game was free throw shooting. While the Bears bumped the line 19 times, hitting 14, Kentucky lived at the stripe, hitting 44-of-56 thanks to 37 fouls being whistled against the guests.

Neither team handled the ball very well. Pikeville had

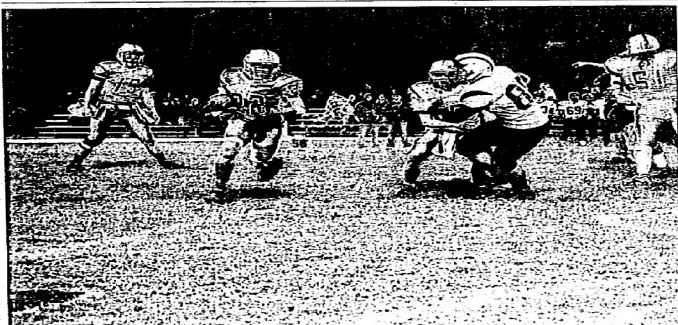
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FLOYD COUNTY C-TEAM CHAMPS

Allen captured the Floyd County C-Team championship after winning the Right Classic and Stag Campbell Tournament titles earlier in the season. The Lady Eagles were the Floyd County Conference champions. Allen finished the season 20-3.

The Allen B-Team (not pictured) finished runner-up in the Floyd County Tournament.



Pikeville

seven kills from sophomore Brittany Hodge. Junior Shelbi White followed with five and, on defense, added 11 digs. Senior Kayla Hatton led the team with 13 digs in the loss. Sophomore Brooke Parrott led the Bears with nine assists, while freshman Kelsey Prevot chipped in with seven.

All was well with the Bears on Friday. They shot 51.1 percent from the field, had a 2:1 turnover ratio (22 assists, 11 turnovers) and finished with 18 steals in the easy win, during which they held a 49-28 lead at the break.

For Temple Baptist, Ontiwon Primus led the way with 12 points and added seven rebounds. He was the only player in double figures in the scoring column for the Rams. Pikeville got a double-double from senior Quincy Hanks-Cole. The transfer from Nebraska had 10 points and 10 rebounds, four off the offensive glass, and had three steals.

Three Bears had 11 points in the win. Senior Vance Cooksey, a transfer from Youngstown State, who led the team with five assists in the win. Senior Ryan Whitaker hit all three of his three-point shots for 11 and added four assists, while junior Kane Belcher was 5-of-6 from the floor for 11 points and pulled down six rebounds. The solid numbers were all

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Senior Carlos Woodard, in his first game after transferring from Indiana Tech, had eight points and eight rebounds, while senior Andre Thornton added eight points and six boards.

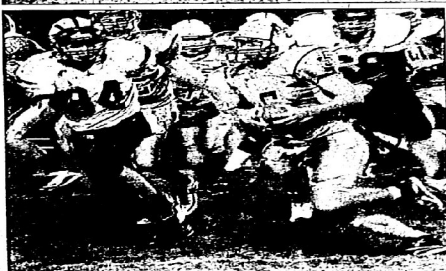
Five different Bears had at least four rebounds. Three players — senior Justin Hicks, junior Kyan Hines and Hanks-Cole — had three steals apiece.

Pikeville College men open season with victory

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — All 14 players in uniform played at least nine minutes and all scored as the Pikeville College Bears opened the 2010-11 season with a 107-62 win over Temple Baptist College Friday night at the East Kentucky Expo Center.

Five players reached double figures in the win but none had more than 11 points for the Bears.



ALLEN CENTRAL will face familiar foe Hazard in the opening round of the Class A State Playoffs. Hazard eliminated Allen Central from the postseason in 2009, defeating the Rebels in the second round.

Seth Jarrell (above) and Mickie Parsons (left) are pictured rushing the football for the Rebels.

Bears

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17 turnovers and five assists while Kentucky gave it up 17 times with seven assists. Pikeville will be back in action this weekend when they travel to Rio Grande, Ohio, to play in the Giovanni's Classic. On Friday at 6 p.m., the opponent will be Bethel (Ind.) College; on Saturday, the

Bears will play at 2 p.m. against OJ-Chillicothe. Kentucky will continue preseason action on Friday night, playing host to Dillard University. The Blue Devils are coached by former Cat and interim-head coach at Pikeville College Dale Brown. That game tips off at 7 p.m.



VERSATILE junior Joseph Jamerson helped to lead Prestonsburg in the home game versus Pike Central.

Prestonsburg High School Football
Coach: John DeRossett
Class: 2A
Region: 1
District: 7
2010 Schedule/Results
Aug. 20 at Belfry, 21-6 (W)
Aug. 27 at Paintsville, 63-7 (W)
Sept. 3 at Breathitt County, 21-49 (L)
Sept. 10 at Bath County, 48-13 (W)
Sept. 17 Pikeville, 35-13 (W)
Sept. 24 Sheldon Clark, 20-6 (W)
Oct. 1 Matewan, W.Va., 34-28 (W) (OT)
Oct. 8 Morgan County, 49-6 (W)
Oct. 22 at Shelby Valley, 56-34 (W)
Oct. 29 Pike County Central, 24-31 (L)
Nov. 5 Knott County Central, 7-30 p.m. (Class 2A KHSAA Commonwealth Gridiron Bowl)

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Kentucky punter Tydlacka named candidate for Ray Guy Award

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — University of Kentucky punter Ryan Tydlacka has been named a candidate for the 2010 Ray Guy Award, which identifies the nation's best punter, the Augusta Sports Council announced.

The junior from Louisville has been impressive for Kentucky this season, averaging 45.4 yards per punt, ranking him third in the Southeastern Conference and 16th nationally. Tydlacka has pined opponents inside their own 20-yard line nine times. He had a great game against Ole Miss, launching a 73-yard punt and averaging a career-high 50.5 yards per punt against the Rebels. For his performance against Ole Miss, Tydlacka was named the National Punter of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards.

The list of candidates will be narrowed to 10 semifinalists to be named on Nov. 12. Following the semifinalists announcement, a national body of Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) sports information directors, coaches, media representatives and previous Ray Guy Award winners will vote for the top three finalists, who will be identified on Nov. 22. The voting body will then cast ballots to select the winner. The presentation of the Ray Guy Award will be featured on The Home Depot College Football Awards live on Thursday, Dec. 9, at 7 p.m. ET on ESPN.

Kentucky-Vanderbilt game slated for 12:21 p.m. ET Kickoff. The University of Kentucky football game vs. Vanderbilt on Nov. 13 has been selected for live telecast by the SEC Network. Kickoff time is set for 12:21 p.m. EST at Commonwealth Stadium.

Morehead State falls to Jacksonville in Homecoming game

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MOREHEAD — The Morehead State University football found out Saturday that sometimes there is truth in advertising.

Jacksonville's NCAA-leading offense was as good as advertised, racking up 565 yards in a 61-17 Pioneer Football League win over the Eagles. The Dolphins had nine touchdowns, eight of which came through the air.

"They are definitely the real deal, they are legitimate," MSU Coach Matt Ballard said. "They're a very talented football team, tremendous speed and quickness and just too much horsepower for us today."

It looked good early for the Eagles, thanks to a mistake by JU on its first offensive drive. A miscommunication caused quarterback Josh McGregor to handoff to a runner that wasn't there. McGregor attempted to salvage the play with a lateral, but the swarming Eagle defense caused an errant flip and a fumble, which MSU's Thaddeus Winston jumped

on. The Eagles drove 61 yards in six plays for a 28-yard Rainer Duzan field goal. JU went three and out after the field goal, but scored touchdowns on long pass plays on the next two possessions, the first a 34-yard toss to Ruddle Small, the second a 49-yard strike to Rodney Sumter.

They were the first two of seven scoring passes for McGregor, who totaled 347 yards through the air. Combined the two teams threw for 659 yards spread across 19 different pass catchers. Eight different receivers caught passes for the Dolphins, but the Eagles topped that with 11 different receivers, led by Ronnie McDermott's game-high seven catches for 121 yards. Zach Lewis was 21-for-38 for MSU for 223 yards.

The Eagles forced another JU three and out at the start of the second quarter with a big sack for a nine-yard loss by Kameron Scott on third down. The Eagles couldn't hold on to the punt though, and the Dolphins recovered the loose ball with a short

field. Three quick plays and 26 yards later, McGregor completed a pass to Josh Philpart for four yards and a touchdown.

"If we had played smarter, more disciplined, made fewer mistakes, the margin and big plays would have been as big as they what they were," Ballard said. "We didn't play as well as we're capable of doing, and that's what's disappointing. We had our chances early, we had plenty of opportunities, we just didn't take advantage of them."

JU scored its final first-half touchdown following a seven-play, 63-yard drive that was capped by a seven-yard pass from McGregor to Small. The Dolphins scored again on a long pass play on their first drive of the third quarter, when McGregor threw to Elliott Finkley for a 69-yard touchdown.

MSU responded with a rushing touchdown to finish a nine-play, 75 yard drive. Ryan Smart scored on a two-yard plunge into the end zone. Smart's run was set up by a 41-yard bullet pass from Lewis to McDermott.

JU put the game out of reach with a pair of touchdowns from McGregor to Finkley and Philpart. The Dolphins added two more scores in the fourth quarter on passes from McGregor to Philpart and Erik Stapleton. Philpart had the most scoring plays of a non-quarterback, catching three TD tosses.

Morehead State got one of those back when quarterback Evan Sawyer entered in relief and hooked up on a 37-yard pass to Michael Galick. It was Sawyer's first appearance of the 2010 season. The touchdown pass was his only completion in three passes Saturday.

The Eagles hit the road for the last time this season, traveling to San Diego on Saturday, Nov. 6 for a Pioneer League Football game against the Toreros.

"I fully believe and expect [the team] will do a great job in our process and preparation in getting ready for San Diego," Ballard said. "The Eagles are resilient, our guys are strong and will bounce back from this."

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HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL STATE PLAYOFFS SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, NOV. 5

CLASS 6A

Henderson County has a bye into the second round
Marshall County at Fern Creek
Apollo at Male
Southern at Graves County
Paul Laurence Dunbar at Meade County
North Hardin at Lafayette
Nelson County at Clay County
Bryan Station at Central Hardin
Seneca at St. Xavier
Butler at Ballard
Pleasure Ridge Park at Trinity Eastern at Manual
Madison Central at Ryle
Campbell County at Clark County
Conner at Henry Clay
Tates Creek at Simon Kenton

CLASS 5A

Barren County at Christian County
Madisonville at Bowling Green
Ohio County at Warren Central
Grayson County at Owensboro
Jeffersonstown at John Hardin
Doss at Oldham County
Waggoner at Anderson County
South Oldham County
Woodford County at Highlands
Dixie Heights at Montgomery County
Covington Scott at Johnson Central
Ashland Blazer at Covington Catholic
Perry Central at Pulaski

County
Lincoln County at Clay County
Mercer County at Harlan County
Whitley County at Southwestern

CLASS 4A

Warren East at Lone Oak
Calloway County at Franklin-Simpson
Allen County-Scottsville has a bye into second round
Russell County at Hopkins Central
LaRue County at Western Valley at North Bullitt
Breckinridge County at Collins
Marion County at Fairdale
West Jessamine at Holmes
Harrison County at Lexington Catholic
Bourbon County at Boyle County
East Jessamine at Franklin County
Boyd County at Bell County
Rockcastle County at Lawrence County
Madison Southern at Rowan County
Greenup County at Knox Central

CLASS 3A

Butler County at Paducah Tighman
Webster County at Edmonson County
McLean County at Russellville
Hart County at Union County
Spencer County at Central Moore at Henry County
North Oldham advances to second round on forfeit from Shawnee
Western Hills at Elizabethtown
Magoffin County at Somerset
Garrard County at Estill County
Wayne County at Breathitt County
Powell County at Casey County

East Ridge at Mason County
West Carter at Bell
Fleming County at Sheldon Clark
Pike Central at Russell

CLASS 2A

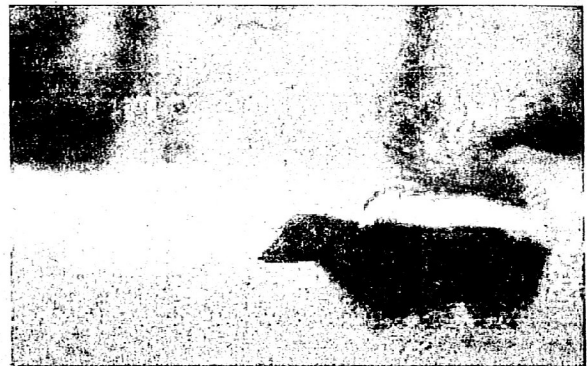
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PSC sets public meetings in East Kentucky Power rate case

FRANKFORT — The Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) will hold public meetings in Somerset, Morehead, Nicholasville and Bardonia to receive comments on the request for a rate increase by the East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. (EKPC) and the resulting pass-through rates to the 16 electric distribution cooperatives which own EKPC and to which it provides electricity.

"These meetings will allow the PSC to hear directly from the public as it prepares to consider whether the proposed new rates are fair, just and reasonable," PSC Chairman David Armstrong said.

The EKPC application, pass-through rate applications for the distribution cooperatives and related documents are available on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov. The case numbers are 2010-00167 for EKPC and 2010-00168 through 2010-00183 for the distribution cooperatives. (A list of cooperatives and estimated rate impacts is attached.)

EKPC is proposing to increase its wholesale rates by 5.27 percent in order to generate additional annual revenue of \$49.4 million. Once passed through to the distribution cooperatives, the proposed higher wholesale rate would increase the typical residential customer's monthly bill by \$4.60 to \$5.67, depending on the cooperative.

The amounts vary because of differences in the operating conditions and customer base of each cooperative.

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In response to public input at previous rate case meetings, the PSC has changed the format for public meetings.

The EKPC meetings will begin with a presentation by the utility, followed by an opportunity for the public to ask questions. The parties

intervening in the case — the Kentucky Office of Attorney General and Gallatin Steel Co. — also will have an opportunity to make presentations and answer questions.

Members of the public then will be invited to make comments to the PSC.

Written comments will be accepted at the meeting. Written comments also may be mailed to the PSC at P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, KY 40602, faxed to 502-564-9625 or e-mailed from the PSC website.

The evidentiary hearing in the cases will be combined into a single proceeding, to be held at the PSC offices at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort on

Tuesday, Nov. 30, beginning at 10 a.m. EDT. The hearing will be open to the public, but there will be only limited opportunity for public comments. Written comments will be accepted through the conclusion of the hearing.

The evidentiary hearing may be viewed live on the PSC website.

The PSC is an independent agency attached for administrative purposes to the Energy and Environment Cabinet. It regulates more than 1,500 gas, water, sewer, electric and telecommunication utilities operating in Kentucky and has approximately 100 employees.

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Celebrity of the Week is legendary broadcaster WALTER CLYDE DINGUS, who is with AL CAPONE, a three-year-old male Pomeranian mix. Al Capone is one of six healthy and intellectual Pomeranians at the shelter, of which five were recently rescued from a local home.

The Floyd County Animal Shelter is located at Sally Stephens Branch in West Prestonsburg. Phone 886-3189

PMC holds groundbreaking for new hospital additions

PIKEVILLE — Pikeville Medical Center hosted a groundbreaking ceremony for the Medical Office Building and Parking Garage on Oct. 26.

The event was open to the public and the crowd was estimated to be at more than 250. Noted people in attendance included: U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers, Speaker of the House Greg Stumbo, and representatives from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Thomas Fern and Katherine Belcher.

"Pikeville may be a small town, but Pikeville Medical Center is a big-city hospital," said Rogers.

The new additions will be built with funds allocated from USDA. According to Belcher, the loan PMC received was one of the largest loans given from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, commonly referred to as the "stimulus bill." The Medical Office Building will house nine floors of office and clinical space for outpatient treatment, surgery, exam rooms and primary and specialty care physicians. The parking garage will hold 930 parking spots. Construction has an estimated completion date of 2013.

Walter E. May, CFO and president of the board, quoted Theodore Roosevelt in his speech, saying, "Far and away the best prize that life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing."

Pikeville Medical Center is dedicated to offering the high quality care to those in the surrounding communities. With the ever-growing population and health care industry, the new addition to the hospital will enable PMC to accommodate more patients and make for a more comfortable visit.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Big Sandy Area Development District is hosting a meeting with the Floyd County Regional Preparedness Committee to discuss the update of the Big Sandy Regional Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan. The purpose of this meeting is to address the Big Sandy Regional Preparedness planning efforts since the adoption of the original hazard mitigation plan and to review and make recommendations regarding the current plan update. The current plan was adopted by FEMA on August 17, 2006 and will expire on August 17, 2011. The plan is required by FEMA in order for all counties and cities within the Big Sandy region to be eligible to apply for federal disaster assistance.

The meeting will be held on the 22nd day of November 2010 at the Big Sandy Area Development District, Prestonsburg, Kentucky at 1:00pm. Public attendance is encouraged in order to make sure that the public and private sector are represented during this update.

For further information, please contact Jeff Sizemore at the Big Sandy Area Development District at (606) 886-2374.

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The operation is located 0.90 miles southeast of Printer in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 0.90 miles east from KY Route 973's junction with Tinker Fork Road and located 0.90 miles east of Big Mud Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell and Pikeville USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangles.

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VS. GREGORY A. SPARKS ANGIE D. SPARKS COUNTY OF FLOYD UNKNOWN DEFENDANT, SPOUSE OF IRENE SPARKS ON MARCH 21, 2002 DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 13TH day of August, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$72,643.10 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of November, 2010, at 9:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit:
 Property Address: 74 Nathan Carroll Drive, Grethol, KY 41631
 Beginning at a large rock marker at Syrvella Sparks line at the line running 110 feet South Easterly direction to Ronnie Allen's line; thence running up the branch in a Westerly direction 50 ft. five feet from existing driveway; thence back North 85 ft. to the lane; thence back down the lane Easterly direction 80 ft. to the rock at the beginning. Being the same property conveyed to Gregory A. Sparks and Angie D. Sparks, by Deed of Correction from Irene Sparks, dated March 21, 2002, recorded March 25, 2002, in Deed Book 470, Page 587, in Floyd County Clerk's Office. For further source of title see Deed Book 464, Page 159, dated September 24, 2001, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Also conveyed with this property is a 2001 manufactured home of unknown make or model.
 A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.
 B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds. If properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.
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An associates in Early Childhood Education or a degree with at least 30 hours in Early Childhood Education is required. A CDA certificate and one year experience working with preschool age children is preferred.

The successful candidate must possess knowledge of preschool education principles and practices, assist in ensuring parent involvement in program planning, maintain classroom records, assist in the developmental learning of young children, and maintain good relationships with parents. Candidate must have the ability to see, hear, and communicate with children, ability to lift up to 45 pounds, physically interact with children through running, chasing, bending, stooping, lifting, climbing, and standing. Candidate may be required to ride the school bus to provide assistance to the children and bus driver.

Qualified applicants may submit a resume and letter of application to: Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. ATTN: Human Resources Manager, 230 Court Street, Paintsville, KY 41240. Closing date for application is Friday, November 12, 2010, at 4:30 p.m. An equal opportunity employer.

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WILLIAM HENEGAR; TRACY HENEGAR; and COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF FLOYD, BY AND ON RELATION OF JONATHAN MILLER, SECRETARY OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION CABINET DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Default Judgment, Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 28th day of July, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property for the sum of for the sum of \$151,206.13 (2006 Bill #10731) having on each amount \$47,153 as of date of purchase on December 28, 2007; 2007 Bill #10117 having a face amount of \$319.25 as of date of purchase on June 1, 2008; and 2008 Bill #10160 having a face amount of \$469.35 as of date of purchase on September 16, 2009; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of November, 2010, at 9:30 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to wit:
Property Address: Lot 1169-1170 and Residence, Wayland, Kentucky
Beginning at a point on North edge of concrete walk on a line midway between House 1167-1168 and House No. 1169-1170; Witnessed: S 61:30 W 18.02 feet to the north east corner of House No. 1167-1168 and S 51:10 E 18.02 feet to the northwest corner of House No. 1169-1170; thence with line midway between House No. 1167-1168 and House No. 1169-1170, S 5:10 W 76 feet to a stake; thence S 84:50 E 57 feet to a stake; thence N 5:10 E 76 feet to a point on North edge of concrete walk; thence with North edge of concrete walk N 84:50 W 57 feet to beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to William Henegar and Tracy Henegar, husband and wife, from David Ray Crager, single, Thomas McIntire and Linda Sue McIntire; Millard Waugh and Clara Jane Waugh; Bud Salsbury and Edna Louise Salsbury; and Tommy Robinson and Marlene Robinson, by Deed Book 373, Page 317, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office. A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$3,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit of thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.

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Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master Commissioner

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Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission is accepting sealed proposals for the following:

Janitorial Services at the Main Office Building of the Commission located at 2560 South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg. Proposals will be for the period November 15, 2010 through November 14, 2011.
A complete listing of the services to be performed may be picked up at the offices of Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission at 2560 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; telephone (606) 886-6871.

Proposals will be accepted through 3:00 p.m. on Friday, November 12, 2010, at which time the sealed proposals will be opened. The winning proposal will be announced as soon as possible after Commission management has examined all bids.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed as follows:

Mr. David M. Ellis, Superintendent
Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission
2560 South Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
Attention: Janitorial Services

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT

DIVISION NO. 1

C.A. NO. 10-CI-00279

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.

PLAINTIFF

VS.

SHIRLEY L. THOMPSON, UNKNOWN SPOUSE

OF

SHIRLEY L. THOMPSON, and

FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY

DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Default Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 12th day of August, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$7,659.44 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of November, 2010, at 9:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to wit:
Property Address: 395 Stumbo Hollow, Prestonsburg, KY
Beginning at a stake at the property line of Lorin Stumbo and the County Road; thence running down the hill to the branch approx. 150 feet with said property line (Stumbo) to a metal stake; thence running up the branch approx. 250 feet to a metal stake; thence running approx. 130 feet to a metal stake (in the right of way of) the County Road; thence running down the County Road approx. 297 feet (back) to the point of beginning.

Along with a mobile home currently situated on the real property described as a 2007 Giles Mobile Home, Serial No. G132422.

Being the same property conveyed to Shirley Thompson by deed dated 2/28/07, of record in Deed Book 539, Page 415, in the Office of the County Court Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for sixty (60) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
DIVISION NO. 1
C.A. NO. 09-CI-00628
ONEWEST BANK, FSB
PLAINTIFF
VS.
WILLIAM G. PARKER
DEFENDANT
NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 24th day of August, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$95,984.45 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 4th day of November, 2010, at 9:45 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to wit:
Property Address: 3838 Ky. Rt. 122, Printer, KY 41655
A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Left Beaver Creek, containing one lot, bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at a stake in the Jake Akers Branch, a corner to the land of the grantors herein, and being thirty (30) feet from the center of Kentucky Highway No. 122, and said stake is witnessed by a cross on the head wall of the culvert (discharge end) upon the highway draining the Jack Akers Branch, bearing S 79-16 W, 17.5 feet, said cross is witnessed by a cross on the headwall (discharge end) of the first culvert above Jake Akers Branch bearing S 02-52 E 352.09 feet; thence leaving the highway and running down the Jake Akers Branch with the line of the grantors herein N 79-16 W 235.20 feet to a stake in the Jake Akers Branch; thence S 54-27 E 81.76 feet to a stake in the Jake Akers Branch; thence leaving the branch and running S 05-12 E 117.00 feet to a stake in the bottom; thence running back across the bottom S 84-48 W 913.00 feet to a stake in the highway right of way line witnessed by a cross in a headwall at the discharge end of the Jake Akers Branch, bearing N 05-06 W, 146.03 feet; thence leaving the land of the grantors herein and running with the right of way of the Highway N 01-37 E, 149.24 feet to the beginning.
Subject to any and all easements, restrictions, conditions, and legal highways of record and/or in existence.
Being the same property further conveyed from Lavonne Lafferty, an unmarried widow, to Donald Parker, single, and William Parker, single, by virtue of a deed dated 05/26/2004 and recorded 06/03/2004 at Deed Book 499, Page 162, of the Floyd County, Kentucky real estate records.
Being the same property further conveyed from Donald Parker, single, to William Parker, single, by virtue of a deed dated and recorded 07/13/2006 at Deed Book 525, Page 674, of the Floyd County, Kentucky real estate records.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

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For sale by owner- 167 Lakeview Village, Jenny Wiley State park, 4 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms, many extras. Close to Prestonsburg and Paintsville. Call Sam 789-1230.

Land (Acreage)

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For sale or lease by owner next to Walmart and McDonalds at Prestonsburg Village. Approx 11 1/2 acres on US 23. Utilities on property. Call Sam at 789-1230.
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Miscellaneous
Boat for sale! 1994 17' 4 winds w/10 HP. Inboard/outboard motor. Fishing or pleasure use. Excellent condition. Call 874-9456.
For sale: 2005 Electric golf cart has 4K on side. KY blue mag wheels. \$2,500. Call 874-8931 or 226-3811.

For Sale: Walker Coonhound pups. Call 358-3064.
For sale: 1997 Chrysler \$500. Also bicycle \$65.00. Call 866-3849 for more info.
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If you are looking for a bargain the come to The Bargain Basement. New & used misc items located on the 2nd street at Cliff Rd. on Hibiscus Court Call 886-2080 or 886-3080. for any questions.

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LEGAL NOTICE
The Big Sandy Area Development District will receive applications to provide services through the following funding sources: Title III Older American's Act, Kentucky Adult Day Care, and Kentucky Personal Care Attendant Program. Services shall be provided to eligible persons in the Big Sandy Area for Fiscal years 2012-2014.
This project is funded in part, under a contract with the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, from the Administration on Aging of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Applications will be released electronically between the hours of 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., on November 15, 2010.
Interested applicants must notify the BSADD of intent to apply in writing on or before November 12, 2010.
The Big Sandy Area Development District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, or disability, and provides upon request, reasonable accommodations including auxiliary aids and services necessary to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in all services, programs, and activities of the agency.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-8043 Renewal #5
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that N F C Mining, Inc., 439 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a coal processing facility located 1 mile east of Lancer in Floyd County. The proposed operation will affect 16.94 acres.
The operation is approximately 0.5 miles southeast from State Route 1428's junction with State Route 3 and located 0.1 mile south of the Levisa Fork.
The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by N F C Mining, Inc. and CSX transportation, Inc.
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office; 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director; Division of Permits; #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5552, Transfer
In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 77, Ivel, Kentucky 41642, intends to transfer permit number 836-5494 to FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41560. The new permit number will be 836-5552. The operation disturbs 5.18 surface acres and will underlie 268.00 acres. No new acreage is affected by this transfer.
The operation is located 1.51 miles east of Ivel in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 1.39 miles southeast from KY Route 1428's junction with Arkansas Creek Road and located 1.29 miles southeast of Beaver Creek. The operation is located on the Harold USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangle.
The 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 must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5559, Transfer
In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 77, Ivel, Kentucky 41642, intends to transfer permit number 836-5492 to FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41560. The new permit number will be 836-5550. The operation disturbs 4.61 surface acres and will underlie 905.84 acres. No new acreage is affected by this transfer.
The operation is located 0.90 miles southeast of Printer in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 0.90 miles east from KY Route 979's junction with Tinker Fork Road and located 0.90 miles east of Big Mud Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell and Pikeville USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangles.
The 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 or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-9021 Renewal #4
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that N F C Mining, Inc., 439 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a refuse disposal coal processing facility located 1 mile east of Lancer in Floyd County. The proposed operation will affect 14.98 acres.
The operation is approximately 0.5 miles southeast from State Route 1428's junction with State Route 3 and located 0.1 mile northeast of Big Branch.
The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by N F C Mining, Inc.
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office; 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director; Division of Permits; #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-9021 Renewal #4
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that N F C Mining, Inc., 439 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a permit for a refuse disposal coal processing facility located 1 mile east of Lancer in Floyd County. The proposed operation will affect 14.98 acres.
The operation is approximately 0.5 miles southeast from State Route 1428's junction with State Route 3 and located 0.1 mile northeast of Big Branch.
The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by N F C Mining, Inc.
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office; 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director; Division of Permits; #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by N F C Mining, Inc.
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office; 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director; Division of Permits; #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5059, Renewal No. 5
In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Premium Elkhorn Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 1028, 131 Big Bridge Road, McDowell, KY 41647, has filed for renewal of a permit for a crusher, washer, coal processing facility, refuse disposal site, and underground mining operation located approximately 3.10 miles southeast of McDowell in Floyd County. The operation will disturb 51.20 surface acres and will underlie an additional 620.00 acres for a total permitted area of 671.20 acres.
The operation is located approximately 1.5 miles southeast from KY 1929's junction with Head Fork Road and approximately 0.5 miles northwest of Signal Knob. The latitude is 37 degrees 24 minutes 20 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 41 minutes 22 seconds.
The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Orville Hamilton, Hazardous Waste, Opal Moore, Barzell and Versie Brown, William Blankenship, Sam Hamilton, Jeff Henson, Moses Frasure, Bobby Holson, Ray Hall, Mike Kinney, Ed Mosley, Eugene Frasure, Otis Frasure and Wade Frazier.
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601-4321.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5534, Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Mason Coal, Inc. P.O. Box 1002, East Mountain Parkway, Salyersville, Kentucky 41465, has applied for a renewal to an existing underground coal mining operation located 2.2 miles East of Emma in Floyd County. The operation affects approximately 3.67 surface acres and approximately 1008.37 acres of underground mining area making a total area of 1008.37 acres within the permit boundary.
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Interested persons should respond with a letter of interest by November 5, 2010. At that time a packet of documents which will contain all pertinent information and forms needed to submit your proposal will be sent to you.
All final proposals must be received at the office of the Housing Authority by 4:00 PM, November 19, 2010, in order to be considered. Please address your letter and proposals to Ms. Rhonda Burchett, Executive Director, Housing Authority of Prestonsburg, 12 Blaine Hall Street, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 or email at pha_rhonda@bellsouth.net.

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Pikeville seniors get information at 'Scam Jam'

FRANKFORT — About 145 Pikeville-area seniors learned how to recognize and avoid investment fraud last week at a Senior Scam Jam seminar.

The Senior Scam Jam is designed to raise awareness about the techniques con artists use, so seniors can recognize the tactics and protect themselves from fraud. During the first half of the program, participants chose two of three workshops covering mail fraud (presented by the U.S. Postal Inspection Service), insurance fraud (presented by the Department of Insurance) and loan fraud (presented by the Department of Financial Institutions, or DFI). After lunch, the entire group heard presentations covering investment fraud (DFI and AARP) and identity theft (Kentucky Attorney General's Office). All participants received free handouts and materials, including a contact sheet so seniors would know who to call with questions.

"Since 2003, statistics show Americans lose an estimated \$300-600 billion each year to fraud," said DFI Commissioner Charles Vice. "We hope to prevent future scams from taking place by helping seniors identify red flags and find out where to get help."

On Tuesday, participants learned to recognize these common "red flags" of fraud:

- Special guarantees
- Promises of no risk with high rewards/returns
- Offers for a "limited time" only
- Offers for YOU only
- Pressure by the salesperson to give an immediate response
- "Cash only" accepted
- Promises to get you the paperwork "later"
- The company or a representative cannot be reached if you have questions
- The offer sounds too good to be true

The following are some steps seniors learned to take to avoid falling victim to fraud:

- Take your time
- Do your homework before signing any contract or paperwork
- Read the fine print
- Check out the source
- Be skeptical of unsolicited calls
- Have a plan to get off the phone
- Have a "buddy" - someone to help get you out of a situation where you



Bill Harned of AARP presented information about investment fraud to seniors

feel pressured

- Don't trust testimonials

According to AARP Executive Council volunteer, Bill Harned, "When seniors leave our Scam Jams, they are better prepared to protect themselves from con artists that prey on older, vulnerable adults. Educating consumers about today's frauds and scams is the best prevention."

On the evaluation forms, attendees rated the overall program highly, and many commented that the seminar was very informative and could keep them from becoming a victim in the future.

"There were things brought out that I hadn't heard about," wrote one participant.

"This is a need for people of all ages. Thank you for including us in this event and coming to Pike County," wrote another.

Before investing, check with DFI, Kentucky's state securities regulator, to verify if the investment opportunity is registered and if the seller is licensed. Call 800-223-2579 or visit www.kfi.ky.gov/public/inv est.htm.

The Senior Scam Jam is funded by a grant from the Investor Protection Trust (IPT). The IPT is a nonprofit organization devoted to investor education. Since 1993 the IPT has worked with the states to provide the independent, objective investor education needed by all Americans to make informed investment decisions. www.investorprotection.org

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EVERYBODY'S SCIENCE

Could you ever love a drip?

by SANDY MILLER HAYS
AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE

Let's face it: "Drip" just isn't a word in the English language that inspires warm and fuzzy feelings.

There's that annoying faucet drip that keeps you awake at 3 a.m. There's the IV drip in the hospital room—not a happy image. There's the human "drip" from next door who invades all your parties (regardless of the glaring lack of a invitation), tells horrible, pointless jokes and picks all the cashews out of the party mix.

But on the other hand, the all-American symbol for "love" is the heart—and studies funded by the Agricultural Research Service (ARS) are now indicating that one of the best ways you can show love for your heart could well be ... a drip.

Of course, they're not talking about your bathroom faucet or the guy next door. They're talking about how you should consume plant-derived sterols and stanols, which sound complicated but are nothing more than heart-healthy compounds derived from plants. You've probably already met at least some of these, because margarine products are often enriched with plant sterols.

This isn't just a marketing gimmick by the margarine manufacturers. Research has shown that when plant sterols and stanols are consumed in amounts greater than those found naturally in foods, these compounds have the ability to lower your cholesterol levels.

Numerous clinical studies have shown that consuming foods enriched with at least 0.8 grams and up to 3 grams of plant sterols or stanols daily lowers blood plasma low density lipoprotein—that's the dreaded LDL or "bad" cholesterol.

But what's the best way to get those heart-healthy stanols and sterols? Does this mean we should just go at the margarine tub with an ice cream scoop?

Hardly! The recent ARS-funded study has found that the LDL "bad" cholesterol is lowered most when the plant sterols are consumed in smaller amounts—more of a drip, drip, drip—throughout the day, rather than in one big daily dose. But the margarine spreads or orange juice enriched with these beneficial compounds are most often consumed just once a day, as part of breakfast.

This study compared the effect on blood cholesterol levels of giving volunteers the plant sterols only once in the morning versus three smaller doses throughout the day.

In the first phase of the study, the volunteers ate a precisely controlled weight-maintenance diet, with no plant sterols. During Phase 2, the volunteers ate the same diet, plus 1.8 grams of plant sterols in margarine with breakfast.

For Phase 3, the volunteers again ate the same diet, but with the 1.8 grams of plant sterols divided into three equal doses served up at each of the day's three meals. Between study phases, the volunteers ate their regular diets for two weeks.

The bottom line? When the group ate the plant sterols in three smaller doses throughout the day, the participants' LDL cholesterol levels dropped by 6 percent. This decrease was attributed to a substantial reduction in cholesterol absorption, compared with the control phase of the study when they didn't eat any extra plant sterols.

The folks at ARS are looking out for your heart in other ways, too. For example, an ARS scientist at Columbia, Mo., and her university colleagues in Missouri and the Republic of Korea have released two new lines of germplasm for soybeans that produce high levels of oleic acid.

Oleic acid is a monounsaturated fat, and these fats are generally thought to be relatively good for your health. It's believed that foods that

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Tabatha Vanderpool learns welding skills from John McKenzie, welding instructor at the Mayo Campus of Big Sandy Community and Technical College.

SPARKS FLY

Vanderpool's future welded to BSCTC

by DAPHENE KIRK GOBLE

Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSCTC) welding student, Tabatha Vanderpool knows all about making sparks fly. Vanderpool is a third semester welding student on the BSCTC Mayo Campus in Paintsville. Welding comes naturally to Tabatha, who began welding in high school.

The first to attend college in her family, Tabatha makes her home in Salyersville. Raised by her parents, Janet and Harry Davis after her biological father, Johnnie Vanderpool passed, Tabatha states, "I'm really lucky. I've had good parents all of my life. I would not be where I am today, if not for them." Vanderpool will complete her studies at BSCTC in the spring of 2011. Tabatha chose BSCTC because of its superb reputation for welding instruction, ease of access and closeness to home.

Vanderpool explains, "I am currently the only female in the program. In the beginning, I was a bit hesitate about pursuing welding as a career, but Instructor John McKenzie assured me I had the talent and motivation to be successful in the Program. Mr. McKenzie never doubts my zest and passion for welding. He provides the same insight and confidence in my work as he

does with my male counterparts." Vanderpool adds, "Mr. McKenzie is one of the best instructors I have ever had the privilege of studying under. He is a role model to all of the students in the Welding Program. I would recommend the Big Sandy Welding Program to anyone interested in pursuing a career in welding. My hopes and aspirations in life are to secure a good job, purchase a home, and hopefully own my own welding company one day."

BSCTC Assistant Professor, John McKenzie remarked, "When I first met Miss Vanderpool, I knew there was something special about her. She seemed to have an innate passion and quest to learn everything about welding." "I have watched her blossom and grow." Three semesters into her studies and she has hit her stride (i.e.) made the mark—she is one of the top welders in the Program." McKenzie states, "Tabatha Vanderpool will be an asset wherever she works because she has the skills, talent and expertise to deliver unsurpassed services and products."

The Welding Technology Program at Big Sandy provides a strong core curriculum that prepares students with various options for employment. Welding occupations are primarily concerned with joining,

surfacing, fabricating, and repairing structures or parts made of metal and/or other welding materials.

Graduates of the Big Sandy Welding Technology Program are prepared for entry level positions in the welding industry. Coursework includes, oxy-fuel systems, gas tungsten arc welding, blueprint reading, gas metal arc welding, shielded metal arc welding as well as mathematics, computer fundamentals, and other courses.

Admission to the BSCTC Welding Technology Program requires the following:

- Application for admission
 - Be at least 16 years of age
 - ACT scores or equivalent
 - Copy of high school transcript or GED certificate
 - Verification of completion of prerequisite site courses
 - Official transcripts of all post-secondary course work...OR
 - A copy of mid-term grades
- Information about the Welding Technology Program at Big Sandy is available by contacting, BSCTC Assistant Professor, John McKenzie at (606) 788-2823 or by e-mailing john.mckenzie@kctcs.edu.

OUR YESTERDAYS

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70 years ago.)

Ten Years Ago

(Oct. 29, Nov. 1 and 3, 2000)

Described by a faculty member who was on the screening committee as a "gentle soul" with a keen sense of humor, the new president of Prestonsburg Community College was greeted with a show of optimism, enthusiasm and a couple of standing ovations Thursday morning. Dr. George Edwards was in town to meet staff, students and community members before he officially begins his tenure on November 13.

Negotiators for Kentucky-West Virginia Gas and the company striking workers will do something they haven't done since the labor dispute began two weeks ago—sit down to talk. Federal negotiator Ace Wilpp has convinced Kentucky West and the Paper Allied Industries and Chemical Employees Union Local 5-512 to come together for talks, Tuesday, at the Ramada Inn in Paintsville.

Amid rumors and apprehension, a special personnel committee meeting was held at Prestonsburg City Hall on Friday. Members attending were Trent Nairn, Hansel Cooley, Billy Ray Collins, Gorman Collins, Robert Allen II and Mayor Jerry Fannin. Prior to the meeting being called to order, some tension seemed to exist between committee members and certain members of the Prestonsburg Fire Department.

Joseph Lee Wells, 27, of Miami, Florida, was located in a bar at approximately 1 a.m. on October 27, by Det. Steve Bowman of the Kentucky State Police and officials from the Mingo County Sheriffs Office.

A Floyd County grand jury has indicted Dwayne Earl Bishop, 40, of Teaberry, on a charge for allegedly killing his estranged wife and leaving her body at an abandoned strip mine. He was indicted on a charge of capital murder in connection with the stabbing death of his estranged wife, Carolyn Ann Bishop, 32, of Beaver.

The Country Music Highway Road Rally made its stop at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg, Saturday, for lunch and entertainment.

The group of classic cars began the day in Greenup and traveled the length of US 23 before making a detour to Whitesburg yesterday evening for a tour of Appalachia. John West, 23, of Grethel, came to court, Monday, feeling a little nervous about what the day's proceedings might hold for him. He was in court to answer charges of second offense DUI, driving on a suspended license, possession of a revoked license and failure to wear a seatbelt. Attorney Vickie Ridgeway and Attorney Carolyn Howard were both present to represent him. Judge Eric D. Hall presided over the district courtroom.

Tarah McCann, 20, of Spring Hill, Florida, accused of acting as an accomplice in an armed robbery that occurred last week at Lee's Famous Recipe in Prestonsburg appeared in court, yesterday, for a preliminary hearing held before Judge Eric D. Hall.

A Harold woman's lawsuit against the City of Prestonsburg and a City Police officer was settled shortly after attorneys in the case began presenting it to a jury. Kathy Spradlin of Harold had filed suit against the city and officer Anthony "Harpo" Castle in May 1999, alleging that Castle had wrongly told her that her daughter was dead and that her son-in-law was the prime suspect in her death.

Shortly, after the attorneys presented their opening arguments to the jury, the two sides reached an agreement which will pay Spradlin \$40,000.

No serious injuries were reported following an accident involving a school bus after Monday afternoon. According to bus driver, Ella Burke, as the bus was traveling along Dodson Branch at Watergap, in front of Wells Ready Mix, she met a camaro "driving in the middle of the road."

Ray Shubinski, director of the East Kentucky Center for Science, Mathematics and Technology, was in Brescia during the week of October 22-30. He taught an astronomy course to Italian students that enabled them to practice their English-

speaking skills

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Thirty Years Ago

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Twenty Years Ago

(Oct. 31 and Nov. 2, 1990)

Poll watchers expect a tight to medium turnout next Tuesday at Floyd County's 27,332 registered voters, despite a general election ballot that offers something for everyone.

On Tuesday, voters will cast ballots at 44 locations throughout Floyd County instead of the usual 47, because three precincts were merged last year.

Litigation filed on behalf of Brenda Stone, in Floyd Circuit Court, October 18, alleges that the death of her husband last year in a Floyd County mine, was the result of negligence on the part of Prestonsburg Contracting and The Fort.

Seven Floyd County schools will be honored for raising student attendance and lowering student dropout rate by the Kentucky Department of Education and the Kentucky Educational Foundation at its Flags of Excellence/Progress ceremonies next month in Frankfort.

The Floyd County Litter Task Forces campaign to target eyesores throughout the county caught the attention last week of one Allen resident who, along with the Allen Volunteer Fire Department, saw it as a perfect opportunity to benefit both groups and play a part in cleaning up the county.

The site of a new Prestonsburg High School has become an eleventh-hour issue in the race for the District I seat on the Floyd County Board of Education and the debate is expected to be an element in the outcome of the hotly contested race.

Floyd County Democratic leaders and supporters gathered at the Floyd County Courthouse Thursday to welcome and show support for Democratic senatorial candidate Harvey Stone.

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The new beans contain more than 80 percent oleic acid. Here's to your healthy heart!

The Agricultural Research Service is the chief in-house scientific research agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. You can read more about ARS discoveries at www.ars.usda.gov/news.

Science

contain monounsaturated fats can help reduce more of the dreaded LDL "bad" cholesterol.

Monounsaturated fats also can help food producers avoid having to resort to hydrogenation to turn liquid oils into a solid fat. Hydrogenation helps to improve shelf life and product quality. But it also generates trans fats, which alter

the body's blood cholesterol levels, producing more of the LDL "bad" cholesterol than the HDL "good" cholesterol.

Since soy oil accounted for 70 percent of all edible oils and fats consumed in America in 2008, a new soy oil that's high in oleic acids is definitely good news. And compared with soy oil's typical 20 percent oleic acid,

the new beans contain more than 80 percent oleic acid. Here's to your healthy heart!

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The WarmWise Natural Gas Appliance Rebate program is available to active Columbia Gas of Kentucky customers. Rebates will be provided with proof of purchase and installation of eligible natural gas appliances. Funds are limited, and rebates will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis while funds remain available. See rebate application for program details. This program is administered by Helgeson Enterprises, an independent contractor of Columbia Gas of Kentucky.

Roadshow Comes to Pikeville Next Week!

By Jason DeLong
Treasure Hunters Roadshow
STAFF WRITER

Clean out your attics, closets and lock boxes, because the Roadshow is coming to Pikeville. Roadshow experts will be in town examining antiques, collectibles, gold and silver.

While the Roadshow will accept anything that's old, they will be focusing on gold and silver coins made before 1964, military items, toys and trains, musical instruments, pocket and wrist watches. Scrap gold is expected to be a popular category this week due to soaring gold prices.

"U.S. coins made before 1964 are most sought after by collectors. Coins made before 1964 are 90% silver and valuable because of the silver content or could be worth even more if one happens to be a rare date."

Expert buyers for the Roadshow have noticed a tremendous increase in the amount of gold coming to the Roadshow and for good reason: Record gold prices have Roadshow guests cashing in on broken jewelry or jewelry they don't wear anymore with our "fair and honest" purchase offers.

Got Gold? Next week, visitors can cash in on antiques, collectibles, gold, silver, coins or just about anything that is old.

The Roadshow encourages anyone planning a visit to take a minute and examine their jewelry box or their lock box at the bank and gather anything that's gold. If a guest is not sure if something is gold, bring it anyway and the Roadshow staff will test it for free.

Other gold items of interest include gold coins, gold ounces, gold proof sets and dental gold.

Other types of items Roadshow experts hope to see include old toys and train sets. Archie Davis, roadshow toy expert spoke about some of the top toys getting great offers. "Old tin windup toys from the late 1800's through the 1960's are in great demand now," said Davis. "Especially those that are character related. Mickey Mouse, Donald Duck, the Flintstones or any character toys are sought. Old Buddy L toys from the 1920's to 1960's

are in demand." Basically any toys made before 1965 are wanted. Train sets made by Lionel, American Flyer, Marklin and others have the potential to fetch high prices. Davis also stressed, "Toys with boxes and in mint condition bring sensational

prices. Most of the toys that come to the Roadshow are not in perfect shape but can still bring good prices from collectors."

When expert Tom Fuller was asked what he enjoyed most about working at the Roadshow, he was quick to answer "Old

coins and paper currency. For as long as I can remember I have been fascinated with collecting coins. I would go through the change in my parents grocery store looking for rare dates and errors. Once, I found a silver quarter that I sold for \$300.00. Not bad for an 8 year old."

Fuller went on to explain that any U.S. coins made before 1964 are most sought after by collectors. Coins made before 1964 are 90% silver and valuable



Above - A Gentleman sits with Mike DeLong with anticipation as the Roadshow Expert examines his collectibles.

"If you go to the Roadshow, you can cash-in your items for top dollar. Roadshow representatives will be available to assess and purchase your items at the Hampton Inn, next Tuesday through Saturday, in Pikeville."

because of the silver content or could be worth even more if one happens to be a rare date. "We help people sort through their coins for unique dates. We buy all types of coins at the Roadshow from wheat pennies to buffalo nickels, which are valuable from one coin to an entire truckload. See you at the Roadshow," said Fuller.

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Most pre-1964 bisque, china, paper mache, wood, and wax dolls are considered desirable by collectors. If your doll has original clothing, wigs, shoes and undergarments, that increases its value.

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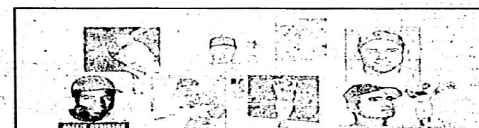
The Roadshow is featured next week at the:

Hampton Inn
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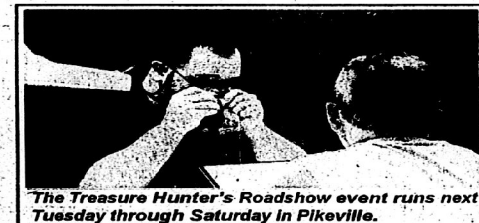
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- Gather items of interest (as explained below) from your attic, garage, basement, etc. There is no limit to the amount of items you can bring
- No appointment necessary
- If interested in selling, we will consult our collector's database to see if a buyer exists. 90% of all items have offers in our database
- The offer is made on the spot on behalf of our collectors making the offer
- If you decide to accept the offer, we will pay you on the spot and ship the item to the collector. The collector pays all shipping and handling charges.
- You get 100% of the offer with no hidden fees



All sports memorabilia is in high demand including: Pre 1970's baseball cards; autographed baseballs, footballs & basketballs; jerseys; signed photos; etc.



The Treasure Hunter's Roadshow event runs next Tuesday through Saturday in Pikeville.

Gold and Coin Prices High, Cash In Now

"It's a modern day gold rush," said Roadshow President, Jeff Parsons. Gold is now trading near 40 year highs, and you can cash in at the Treasure Hunters Roadshow. All types of gold are wanted, including gold coins, Kruggerminds, Maple



Leafs, and other gold bars, etc. All gold jewelry, including broken jewelry is accepted. Anything gold and silver is wanted.

We represent many of the world's top numismatic coin collectors. We have been directly involved in millions of dollars worth of rare cash and coin sales over the past 15 years.

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Top Five Items To Bring

- Gold Jewelry
- Silver Coins
- Gold Coins
- Sterling Silver
- pocket Watches

Cash in with the power of the International Collectors Association. Members are looking for the following types of items!

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- **GOLD & SILVER PRICES AT 40 YEAR HIGH!** for platinum, gold and silver dates. This event Broken jewelry, dental gold, old coins, pocket watches, Kruggerminds, Gold bars Canadian Maple Leafs, etc.
- **JEWELRY** - Gold, Silver, Platinum, diamonds, rubies, sapphires and all types of stones, metals, etc. Rings, bracelets, necklaces, all others including broken jewelry. Early costume jewelry wanted.
- **WATCHES & POCKET WATCHES** Rolex, Tiffany, Hublot, Omega, Chopard, Cartier, Philippe, Ebel, Waltham, Swatch, Chopard, Elgin, Bunn Special, Railroad, Illinois, Hamilton, all others.
- **TOYS, TRAINS & DOLLS** All types of toys made before 1965 including: Hot Wheels, Tonka, Buddy L, Smith Miller, Nylint, Robots, battery toys, Mickey Mouse, train sets, all gauges, accessories, individual cars, Marklin, American Flyer, Lionel, Hafner, all other trains, Barbie Dolls, GI Joe, Shirley Temple, Characters, German, all makers accepted.

• **MILITARY ITEMS, SWORDS** Civil War, Revolutionary War, WWI, WWII, etc. Items of interest include swords, badges, clothes, photos, medals, knives, gear, letters, The older the swords, the better. All types wanted.

• **ADVERTISING ITEMS** Metal and Porcelain signs, gas companies, beer and liquor makers, automobile, implements, etc.

Community Calendar

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

Editor's note: To announce your community event, you may hand-deliver your item to *The Floyd County Times* office, located at 263 S. Central Avenue, Prestonsburg; or mail to: *The Floyd County Times*, P.O. Box 390, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; or fax to 606-886-3603; or email to: features@floyd-countytimes.com. Information will not be taken over the telephone. All items will be placed on a first-come, first-serve basis as space permits.

Tussey Reunion
The Tussey reunion will be held Saturday, November 6, at the Pines Building at Jenny Wiley State Park. For information, call: Don Tussey, 886-3338; Cheryl Tussey Shepherd, 886-8863; Brenda Tussey Gray, 886-1249; or Bill Tussey, 886-0076. Festivities begin at 11:00 a.m.

Foster parents needed
Non-profit in need of foster parents in your area. Singles/couples welcome. Benefits: potential compensation up to \$5,000 monthly (rates vary w/circumstances); \$500 startup bonus (n/a for transfer families); mileage reimbursement; free/flexible trainings; 24/7 emergency support; and, an opportunity to change a child's life. All foster children receive free school lunches, medical cards, clothing vouchers, etc. Contact us: @606-886-0163 or @ www.benchmarkfamily-services.org

Groundbreaking for the Greasy Creek Community Center
Groundbreaking for the Greasy Creek Community Center in Pike County will be held Thursday, October 28, at 10 a.m., at the site on Greasy Creek. Call 606-432-6247 for more information.

Christmas Open House
You're invited to a Christmas Open House. Sweets, door prizes, unique shopping, gingerbread house, and decorating contest on Tuesday, November 23, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (Located in the Old Post Office Building). Contact Chamber (606-886-0364).

The Fair Haven Quartet to present concert
The Fair Haven Quartet will be presenting a concert at the Auxier Free Will Baptist Church during the six o'clock evening service on Sunday, November 7. The pastor, Rev. Bobby Joe Spencer, invites the public to attend.

The Fair Haven Quartet is a featured Southern Gospel singing group with Paul Heil's "The Gospel Greats" which is a best known and widely-respected Southern Gospel music radio program, presently airing on nearly 200 great radio stations across the country each week. They can now be heard each Saturday evening at seven thirty on the WYMT-TV program, The Brush Harbor Jubilee.

Harvest songfest
Auxier United Methodist Church, October 30, at 6 p.m. Featuring: Crystal Collins, Pat Coleman and Mountain Harmony. Free to all refreshments served in fellowship hall after singing.

Floyd County Retired Teachers to hold Potluck dinner, Nov. 4
The Floyd County Retired Teachers will be having a Potluck dinner on November 4, at the Wayland Historical Building, in Wayland. The time will be at 11 a.m. Bring a wrapped Christmas ornament and a covered dish. Mead and drinks will be provided.

Prestonsburg Woman's Club GFWC KFWC is accepting new members
Prestonsburg Woman's Club GFWC KFWC is now in the process of considering new members. Our club is a volunteer based organization that works diligently to improve our community. This is a very active club where everyone is expected to participate in club activities. Meetings are held September thru May on the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Members pay annual dues. For more information, please call: Thelma Laferty, 606-886-9364.

Free Parenting Classes:
To determine eligibility, call John 791-9887.

ACHS Fall Bash 2010 November 19-20
Stephen Allen has come up with the idea that everyone that attended Allen Central High School Fall Bash 2010, November 19-20, at Jenny Wiley Convention Center. Everyone wanting to attend, please respond: ASAP. I will be collecting info for the Class of '91. jenni.sammmons@hotmail.com or I can also relay any info from other classes or contact Stephen Allen: steveallen@bellsouth.net

Foster parents needed
Foster parents are needed in your area. In special need of families willing to take adolescents and siblings groups. Foster families are financially compensated. You will receive

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Autism Awareness & Support Group
2nd Monday of each month, Calvarys Call Church, Lancer, Ky. (6-7 p.m.). Contact: Billie Chain, eastkyautismawareness@gmail.com

Autistic Children Support Group plans monthly meeting
Support group for Guardians of Autistic Children will meet the first Thursday of every month at the Haven of Rest, 1601 Airport Road, Incz. Call 606-298-0520 for information.

Non-profit agency needs foster parents
Non-profit agency in need of foster parents in your area. Financial compensation/bonuses, free foster parent trainings, mileage reimbursement, and 24-7 support are available. All foster children get a medical card, free school lunches, and clothing vouchers/other reimbursements. Call for more information, at 606-886-0163 or visit our website at: <http://www.benchmarkfamily-services.org/>

Auxier Learning Center offers home repair aid
Need help with home repairs? The Auxier Lifetime Learning Center can help. We are now taking applications for home repairs. If you or someone you know are low-income and need help with repairs on your home, please call 606-886-0709 for your application, or stop by the office at 21 South River Street, Auxier. Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00-4:00. Must provide proof of income and ownership.

Free Tax preparation available in Big Sandy
Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is once again offering FREE help for eligible tax filers in preparing and electronically filing tax returns. The service, made possible through funding from Community Action Kentucky and the Kentucky Domestic Violence Association, is available in Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, Floyd and Pike Counties. BSACAP has IRS-certified staff to prepare and file tax returns, and offers the service free to low-income residents in the Big Sandy area. To schedule an

appointment, call (606) 789-3641.

Benchmark Family Services family care support
Benchmark Family Services is a private, non-profit therapeutic foster care agency seeking caring and compassionate foster parents in eastern Ky. Free flexible training schedules, 24-7 support monthly financial bonuses, and mileage reimbursement available. Call: 606-886-0163. www.benchmarkfamily-services.org

FCHD offers Body Recall exercise classes
The Floyd County Health Department offers Body Recall gentle exercise classes every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 9:30 a.m. at May Drive, just off 1428, and at 10:30 at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg. Classes are free and open to the public. Call 886-2788 for more information.

Become a Volunteer with Victim Services Program
You are more likely to be hurt by someone whom you know rather than be assaulted on Kentucky's streets by a total stranger. Learn to assist victims of sexual assault, child abuse and domestic violence by becoming a Volunteer with Victim Services Program. Call today to receive an application for our free training program. Call the Volunteer Coordinator at (606) 886-4323 for further information or to request an application. (The Victim Services Program is a program of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center.)

OutPatient Drug Treatment Program and Education
Narconon warns parents that abuse of addictive pharmaceutical drugs with youth is on the rise with deadly consequences. Learn the signs of drug abuse. Call Narconon for a free brochure on the signs of addiction for all drugs. 877-379-0208. www.drugsn0.com

Higher education begins here
The Kentucky Adult Education Learning for Life program offers GED, Adult Learning, Tutoring and College Preparation classes. These classes are managed by Big Sandy Community & Technical College. All classes are free to anyone 16 years old or older.

Along with GED preparation, we offer adult learning, tutoring and college preparation for people who have high school diplomas or GED equivalent who want to continue their education. The (GED) classes are offered at various locations throughout Floyd County five days a week, from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Evening classes are also available from 5-8 p.m. at some locations. There are no registration fees; all classes and materials are free.

For more information about the times and locations of these classes, call 606-886-7397, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Information about home study for your GED is also available. Please call today, our instructors are waiting to assist you!

Reunion/Memorial to be held in 2010
Old House Hollow, "Bristle Buck", East McDowell, to be held in 2010. For information, send a post card to 47 Frasure Creek Road, McDowell, KY 41647, or e-mail: patria466@hotmail.com; also Post Card, P.O. Box 431, McDowell, KY 41647.

Auxier Community Center
Free GED classes, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 10 a.m.-12.

Free Bible Lessons
Write to: Bible Way Outreach Ministry, P.O. Box 3371, Kingsport, TN 37664. Lessons completely

free of charge to all interested.

Have an 'Out of this World' birthday party!
The East Kentucky Science Center is now offering a fun and distinctive party venue for kids of all ages. The Birthday Party package includes rental of a classroom and admission to exhibits and planetarium programs. Must be booked two weeks in advance; limit 40 guests. Call 889-8260 for more information.

Need Help With Home Repairs?
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Democratic Woman's Club meets at May Lodge
The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at the May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Need help with addiction?
Lifeline of Floyd County "Conquer Chemical Dependency" is a Christ-centered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live (See CALENDAR, page 5)

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TAXPAYER'S NOTICE

The 2010 Property Taxes are now due and payable. The collection schedule is as follows:

2% Discount	11/01/10 - 11/30/10
Face Amount	12/01/10 - 12/31/10
5% Penalty	01/01/11 - 01/31/11
21% Penalty	after 01/31/11

Please be sure to bring or mail your tax bill when making payments. The tax bill is needed to give you faster service. When paying by mail, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope, if you want a receipt. If you have any questions concerning your taxes, you may call my office at 886-8965.

Board Elections Set for Big Sandy Area Community Action Program

In accordance with the By-Laws of the Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, an election is held each year to appoint low-income representatives to serve on the agency's Board of Directors. These elections are held in each of five counties served by BSACAP. To be eligible to nominate candidates and to vote in this election, you must meet the 200% poverty income guidelines. Representatives do not necessarily have to be low-income themselves, but will serve as a voice for the low-income residents in their county.

The low-income representative election will be held as follows:

Floyd County
November 12, 2010, 2 PM
BSACAP Weatherization Services Office
60 Court Street
Allen, KY

All low-income residents are encouraged to attend. If you would like more information, call (606) 886-2929.

Calendar

drug-free lives. The support group meets on the following schedule:
 Mondays, at Minnie (beside pharmacy), from 7-8 p.m.
 Mondays, at Little Mud, Spruce Pine School, from 7-8 p.m.
 Tuesdays, in Prestonsburg, in the Van Ark Building, from 2-3 p.m.
 Tuesdays, at David, The David School, from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
 Wednesdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.
 Thursdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.
 For more information, call Shirley Combs at (606) 434-8400, or Tom Nelson at (606) 478-2836.

Hope in the Mountains
 Hope in the Mountains will host public meetings on Mondays, at 9 a.m., at the junction of U.S. 23 and Rt. 80, on Water Gap Rd., behind the Trimble Chapel Church.
 Meetings focus will be to offer information in regard to community resources available to women seeking freedom from drug abuse. Family members are also welcome to attend. The Hope initiative proposes to help women break free from addictive lifestyles to become self-respecting contributing members of society.
 Call 874-2008 or 788-1006 for more information.

Prestonsburg Rotary Club
 Prestonsburg Rotary Club meets, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at Made From Country at Heart. For additional information, contact Chris Daniel, 886-7354.

UNITE.
 The UNITE coalition of Floyd County will meet on the fourth Thursday of each month, at 5:30 p.m., at the New Allen Baptist Church. All interested persons welcome to join UNITE's fight against drugs:
 •"Living Free" - A support group sponsored by the Floyd County UNITE Coalition. Group will meet weekly at the old Allen Baptist Church, on US 23 N., between Allen and Banner, on Tuesdays, at 1:15 p.m.
 •Living Free is a faith-based 12-step support group open to all who are searching for recovery. There is no fee to attend. For more info., contact Shirley Combs at 874-3388 or 434-8400.

'Earn While You Learn'
 The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its "Senior Training Program." You must be 55 or older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 789-6515; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

Senior employment program
 Are you a senior citizen on a fixed income struggling with soaring medical bills and living expenses? Could you use some extra spending money but don't know how to get back into the workforce?
 If you are at least age 55, the Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) may be able to help. Earn extra money, learn new skills, and help your community at the same time! To find

out more, call: 886-2929

Looking for a Support Group?

•**Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group** - The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center holds meetings each Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meetings are free of charge. Call 886-6025 for more information.
 •**Overeaters Anonymous** - Meetings held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., at the old Allen Baptist Church, located in Allen, just past red light. Call 889-9620 for more info.

•**Domestic Violence Support Group** - The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center holds meetings each Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meetings are free of charge. Call 886-6025 for more information.

•**Prostate Cancer Survivors Support Group** - For all men with prostate cancer and their families. Group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month, at 6 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, Paintsville.
 •**Community Weight Loss Support Group** - Meets Thursdays at 6:30 p.m., at the Martin Community Center. For more info., call 377-6658. Those who have had gastric bypass surgery most especially, are encouraged to attend. Meetings being offered as support to anyone needing extra support in dealing with weight loss.

•**Domestic Violence Hotline** - 24-hour Crisis Line manned by Certified Domestic Violence counselors. Call 886-6025, or 1-800-649-6605. Remember, "Love Doesn't Have to Hurt."
 •"Disabled": You may be eligible for grant money to

assist in your daily living. For an application or more information, call 886-4326.
 •**A.S.K. (Adoption Support for Kentucky)** - Support group for all adoptive parents (public, private, international, and kinship care), foster parents and all others interested in adoption. To be held the first Monday of each month, at the Department for Community Based Services office, 1009 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, from 6-8 p.m. Childcare will not be provided. For more information, contact Debra Stone, adoptive parent liaison, at 432-4110 or 422-7927, or email to: doslone@eastky.net.

•**PARENTS!** - Contact the Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. to find out about child care services in your area, the STARS for KIDS NOW licensing standards program, and how you can earn an income by staying home with your own children while caring for the children of others. Find out more by calling Cheryl Endicott at 886-1280, or 888-872-7227 (toll free).

•**East Kentucky S.T.A.R.S. Homeschoolers** - Will hold meetings at the Paintsville Recreation Center. For more information, call Trudy at 889-9333, or 297-5147. Everyone welcome.

•**Narcotics Anonymous (NA)** - 24-hour Wednesday, from 7-8 p.m., in the Atrium Conference Room, 2nd floor, May Tower, Pikeville Methodist Hospital. For more info., contact Chris Cook at 606-433-1119, or christophercook@hotmail.com



Jason and Jennifer Shepherd are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Riley Jayde Shepherd. Riley was born Saturday, October 2, 2010. She weighed 10 lbs. 2 ounces and is 20.5 inches long. Riley is the maternal granddaughter of Jim and Judy White, of Prestonsburg, and the paternal granddaughter of Kelly and Patricia Shepherd of Sitka. She has a wonderful big brother named Brayden.



Airman Jerad R. Wright, son of Janet and Steve Johnson, of Prestonsburg, and 2009 graduate of Prestonsburg High School, graduated from Air Force basic military training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio, Texas. The airman completed an intensive eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness and basic warfare principles and skills. Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force. Airman Wright is now beginning his intelligence training at Goodfellow AFB in San Angelo, Texas. Upon completion of his tech school he will begin his apprenticeship in Geospatial Intelligence. Airman Wright is the grandson of Marvin and Charlie Rice, of Auxier, and Louetta and the late Clarence Johnson, of Weeksbury.



Lakien Ruth Stephens, the daughter of Donnie and Jamie Stephens, of Blue River, was named "Baby Miss" winner in the Red, White and Blue pageant. She was also presented with the titles of "Prettiest Smile" and "Natural Beauty" at the event. She is the granddaughter of Barbara and Raymond Carroll, of Blue River, Frank Stone, of Martin, and Monroe and Sandra Stephens, of Bull Creek. She is the great-granddaughter of Charlie and Ruth Nelson, of David, Ernest Ray Stone, of Prestonsburg, and Adam and Marie Amett, of Roann, Ind.

Yesterdays

Forty Years Ago
 (October 29, 1970)

A central printing plant moved here last week to begin the printing of several area newspapers by offset rather than by letter-press.
 "No school, large or small is completely immune to the horrors of drug abuse," educators in session last week at May Lodge, told.
 Orville Hall, 52, of Bypro, was seriously injured, last Friday, at the Price No. 1 mine.
 Arnico Steel Corp. has announced the promotion of Townsel G. Martin, Floyd native, to the post of assistant vice-president, personnel relations.
 Pat Tallent, youngest of the four talented brothers from Maysboro, has been named to an All-American by the All-American High School Yearbook.
 Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Hicks, of Prestonsburg, Oct. 19, a son, Shawn Harold; to Mr. and Mrs. Nick A. England, Oct. 26, at Pikeville; a daughter, Nancy Mahoney; to Mr. and Mrs. Danny Harris, of Bypro, Oct. 19, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Willis R. Hall, of McDowell, Oct. 19, a son.
 There died: Mrs. Millie Mosley Hall, 82, of Topmost, Monday, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home, here; Willard (Hut) Johnson, 80, of Melvin, last Wednesday, at McDowell Regional Hospital; Mrs. Ida Mae Smith, 70, Saturday, at her home at Estill; Mrs. Virginia Hereford Wright, 64, Friday, at Pikeville.

Fifty Years Ago
 (November 3, 1960)

Voting machines will be put into operation in this county at next Tuesday's election for the first time, their proper use concerned the county's three election commissioners this week.
 For the first time, since the 1960 Kentucky Legislature strengthened the law governing strip mining, a mine operator (In Harlan County) has been enjoined in the courts from continuing operations until he has complied with the statutes.
 A move launched by the Drift Woman's Club to effect community beautification in line with the general plan for keeping Kentucky beautiful, resulted Tuesday in the first systematic garbage collection system ever introduced to three Left Beaver Creek communities and the opening of a central garbage dump.
 Coal production in the field represented by the Big Sandy Elkhorn Coal Operators Association is on the increase, it was noted in the October 22, report of the mining group. Production is up this year over the corresponding period last year 7.84 percent, or 729,510 tons.
 There died: Randall Fitch, 17, of Martin, Wednesday; Mrs. Dora Alice Dials, 25, formerly of county, Monday, at Wabash, Indiana; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, 79, of Estill, Friday; James Albert Rice, 57, of Garrett, Tuesday; Mrs. Ethel M. Wallen, 32, of West Prestonsburg, Saturday; Mrs. Margaret Prater, 73, of Goodloe, Saturday; Floyd Layne, 49, formerly of Langley, last Tuesday.

Sixty Years Ago
 (November 2, 1950)

From the Vice-President of the United States lowliest precinct worker, folks were engage this in eastern Kentucky in front-line work in a hot Congressional election or in super-heated school races here and there.
 Floyd election officers were warned through a statement released by the Floyd County taxpayers' League to The Times this week that next Tuesday's election is a federal election and that Tuesday's election is a federal election and that any "fix" will be prosecuted.
 Two wild geese killed at Dewey Lake, Tuesday morning, out of season, cost three Paintsville men a total of \$111 in fines and costs imposed by County Judge Henry Stumbo.
 The coal industry is ready to go into full emergency production without a "conversion time-out," J.H. Mosgrove, safety director of the Big Sandy-Elkhorn Coal Operators' association, told the Kiwanis Club of Prestonsburg, at Thursday's meeting at the Brown Hotel.
 There will be no city election in Martin next Tuesday, so ruled the Court of Appeals, Tuesday, on a suit originating recently in the Floyd Circuit Court.
 Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Webb of Auxier, a daughter, Sandra Lynn, October 12.
 There died: Mrs. May Clemmons Hall, 41, Sunday, at her home at Banner; Mary Ellen Kimbler, 11, of Honaker, Monday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Georgia Alice Hall, 18, Sunday, at Betsy Layne, of tuberculosis.

Seventy Years Ago
 (October 31, 1940)

America's great draft lottery started at noon Tuesday and with the capsule ending number 158, first of the 9,000 to be drawn, two draft registrants were automatically named as the first from this county to be summoned for possible duty. These two holders of the "first" number are Raymond E. Connors of Glo, and Shiela Adams of Brainard.
 Dr. O.T. Stephens and Lon S. Mole's, Prestonsburg's unopposed candidates for re-election to the City Board of Education, this week, issued a statement in which plans for improvements physical and otherwise, in the schools, here were outlined.
 Dr. C.L. Hutsinfiller, president of the Kiwanis Club, Friday, named a nominating committee for the election of officers for the coming year: Woodrow Burchett, Mr. Martin Leete and Dr. Marvin Ransdell formed the committee.
 Coach Walter Price's Wheelwright Trojan football team this week recovering from exhaustion, following Saturday's game in which the boys ran themselves leg weary in defeating the visiting Vicco eleven, 100 to 0.
 Playing without the services of four regulars, Coach Joe Taylor Hyden's Prestonsburg high school Blackcats held the strong Jenkins gridders to a 7 deadlock Saturday afternoon at Jenkins in a Big Sandy Conference encounter.
 There died: Sam Hall, 43, Saturday night, when he fell over a cliff near his home on Jack's Creek; W. A. Stewart, former State Representative, Wednesday, at his home at Maytown; Isaac M. Collins, 71, of Wheelwright, October 10, at the Beaver Valley Hospital; Mrs. Poppie Bradley Flanery, 64, Saturday, at the Beaver Valley Hospital.

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FAMILY FEATURES

From PB&Js to pitas, muffalettas to melts — any way you slice them, sandwiches are one of America's favorite foods. In fact, it is estimated that Americans consume 300 million sandwiches each day.

Making one night a week Sandwich Night is a great way for the whole family to enjoy a nutritious dinner that doesn't take a lot of time. The Grain Foods Foundation has some fun ideas and recipes for making your Sandwich Night special:

- Set up a sandwich bar in your kitchen or on a table with a variety of different breads, meats, cheeses and veggies. Let the kids customize their own creations — you might be surprised by what they make.

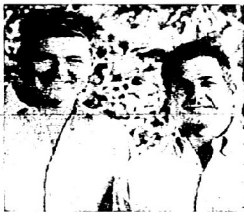
- Designate someone different to be in charge of Sandwich Night each week to get the whole family involved in identifying and putting together healthy choices everyone will enjoy.

- Add some sizzle to your Sandwich Night — set up a Panini press for those who like their sandwich warm and toasty. Or, create theme nights to spark creativity.

These sandwich recipes, created exclusively for the Grain Foods Foundation by Jamie and Bobby Deen, hosts of the Food Network's "Road Tasted" and sons of Paula Deen, will put a smile on everyone's face. Before you know it, your family will be asking for Sandwich Night more than just once a week.

To get more tips and recipes from the Deen brothers and to add your favorite recipe to the Endless Sandwich recipe database, visit www.gowiththegrain.org or GoWithTheGrain on Facebook and Twitter.

The Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommend eating six one-ounce servings of grain foods daily, half of which should come from whole grains. Enjoying a sandwich at dinnertime ensures that you're getting at least two of those six servings.



Jamie and Bobby Deen

The Perfect Chicken Sandwich

4 servings
Total time: 18 minutes

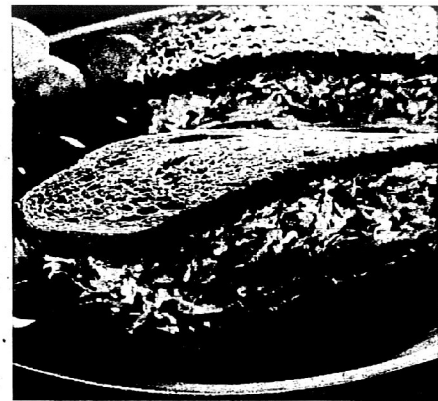
- 8 slices multi grain bread
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 roasted chicken breasts, sliced (use leftover roasted chicken or rotisserie chicken)
- 8 thin slices Gruyere cheese
- 1/3 cup mayonnaise
- 6 basil leaves, finely chopped
- Zest and juice of 1 lemon
- Salt and pepper

In small mixing bowl, stir together mayonnaise, basil, zest and juice. Salt and pepper to taste.

Brush one side of each slice of bread with olive oil. Spread basil mayonnaise on the opposite side of each slice. Top four of the slices of bread (olive oil side down) with chicken. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Add two slices of cheese over chicken and top with remaining four pieces of bread (olive oil side up).

Heat sandwich press and cook sandwiches until golden and cheese has melted.

The Perfect Chicken Sandwich



Roast Beef and Southern Sweet Coleslaw Sandwich



Grilled Bacon Pimento Cheese Sandwich



Crunchy Super Kid's Sandwich

Grilled Bacon Pimento Cheese Sandwich

4 servings
Total time: 23 minutes

- 8 slices white bread
- 1/4 cup butter, softened
- 2 ounces cream cheese
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- Pinch of garlic powder
- 1/2 cup grated Monterey Jack cheese
- 1/2 cup grated sharp cheddar cheese
- 1 4-ounce jar of pimentos, drained and diced
- 1 teaspoon grated onion
- 8 slices bacon, cooked crisp and crumbled
- Salt and pepper to taste

In medium mixing bowl using a hand held mixer, beat cream cheese, mayonnaise and garlic powder until smooth. Add in Jack and cheddar cheese, pimentos and grated onion. Beat until well blended. Stir in crumbled bacon. Salt and pepper to taste.

Butter one side of each slice of bread. Top 4 of the slices with bacon pimento cheese spread. Top with the remaining 4 slices of bread (butter side out).

Heat grill pan or griddle to medium. Grill sandwiches until golden brown on one side.

Flip and cook the other side until golden brown. Serve warm.

Crunchy Super Kid's Sandwich

4 servings
Total time: 13 minutes

- 8 slices raisin bread
- 1/4 cup butter, softened
- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 1 banana, thinly sliced
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1/4 cup granola (use your kid's favorite)

Spread butter on one side of each slice of raisin bread. Spread

peanut butter on the other side of four of the slices. Top peanut butter with thinly sliced bananas and honey.

Sprinkle granola over honey and top with remaining slices of bread (butter side up).

Heat a griddle to medium hot. Grill sandwiches until golden brown on one side. Flip and cook the other side until golden brown. Serve warm.

Roast Beef and Southern Sweet Coleslaw Sandwich

4 servings
Total time: 20 minutes

- 8 slices pumpernickel bread
- 2 tablespoons spicy mustard
- 1 pound thinly sliced cooked roast beef or corned beef

For Coleslaw:

- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- 1 tablespoon brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon apple cider vinegar
- 1/2 teaspoon celery salt
- 2 cups finely shredded green cabbage (about 1/4 head)
- 2 cups finely shredded purple cabbage (about 1/4 head)
- 1 large carrot, grated
- Salt and pepper to taste

In medium mixing bowl, whisk together mayonnaise, mustard, brown sugar, vinegar and celery salt. Add cabbage and carrots. Toss to coat. Salt and pepper to taste. Cover and chill until ready to use.

Spread spicy mustard on one side of 4 slices of bread. Top with roast beef and coleslaw. Place remaining 4 slices of bread over coleslaw. Press together with your hands and serve.

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