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Warrant system begins Thursday

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

RESTONSBURG — In April, Kentucky Attorney General Conway was rolling out announcements about the development and implementation of eWarrant systems across the state, Floyd County officials said at the

time local law enforcement and court officials would not yet have the benefit of the new technology. That was then.

Now, Floyd County Attorney Keith Bartley said that, as of Thursday, June 16, Floyd County will be included among the nearly 50 other rural counties across the state that will utilize and have full

advantage of the system.

The eWarrants system, an electronic warrant management system, is being implemented by Conway's office through a \$3.9 million grant from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). Kentucky received funding in 2009.

The system itself facilitates

information-sharing among all law enforcement agencies, concerning active warrants in jurisdictions throughout the state. It replaces the manual protocols for processing warrant information with an electronic method for making warrants available via the Law Enforcement

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COURT ADJOURNS



Floyd County District Judge James R. Allen spoke before a crowd in his courtroom in Prestonsburg Friday afternoon, offering thanks to those present for his retirement celebration. Allen will retire in August from his long-held position on the bench.

Allen steps down from bench

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

RESTONSBURG — It was only a year-and-a-half ago that Floyd County District Judge James R. Allen filed to run for another term in the May primary, after 15 years on the bench and a dozen years before that as the county's commonwealth's attorney.

Now, 18 months after winning his bid for another year on the bench, Allen gave brief comments during an impromptu luncheon to honor the veteran judicial servant on his upcoming retirement.

"It has been an honor to serve Floyd County and to work with you all," Allen said in his widely recognized low-key voice, before receiving a

plaque from his co-workers for his years of service.

Allen's retirement plans became official on the morning of that luncheon, with court officials saying he will take leave until August and then enter into full retirement after that time. In the meantime, former Floyd County Circuit Judge Danny P. Caudill, who himself retired nearly two years ago to travel the state as a senior judge, will fill the vacancy until an appointment can be made to replace Allen.

When filing to run for reelection last year, Allen said "he just decided to run" because he enjoyed his job and had enjoyed being a public official.

When interviewed by The Times shortly after he filed for

what has now proven to be his final term in office, the long-time public servant had detailed what he hoped to achieve.

"I will continue to be fair, honest and to use common sense in every case that comes before me. I am aware that the decisions we make in the courtroom affect every citizen, not just those in the court. I take my responsibility very seriously," Allen said then. "My daddy told me as a young boy that a man's reputation arrives before he does. My dad is gone now but I have always remembered that advice. I value my reputation of fairness and honesty. I will conduct myself in manner my dad would have been proud of so that at the end of my term my reputation will be intact."

PC player drowns at Breaks

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

PIKEVILLE — Foul play is not suspected in the drowning death of a former Pikeville College basketball player who died Friday.

Ewan Linton, who graduated from the school this past fall, died in the Russell Fork of the Big Sandy River at the Breaks Interstate Park while visiting the location with friends. Those friends gave statements to the Pike County Coroner's office that Linton was swimming and then dipped beneath the water, drowning.

Pikeville Coach Kelly Wells addressed Linton's death in a statement in the days following, referring to Linton as "a member of my family."

"Losing Ewan is like losing a member of my family, because he had been with me for the last four years in some capacity," Wells

(See DROWNING, page 7)

Suspects sought in Lancer beating

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

LANCER — Investigators have yet to release new information about a brutal beating of two people that took place in a Floyd County parking lot last week.

Police said Johnni Watts, 23, and Mark Horne, 30, were attacked and beaten in the Village parking lot at Lancer on Wednesday, June 9, of last week. As of Tuesday, there had been no new information released.

According to statements from Prestonsburg

(See BEATING, page 7)

CADA to stage concert in P'burg Saturday

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

RESTONSBURG — Since forming, the Prestonsburg organization Communities Against Drug Addiction (CADA) has shown no signs of slowing down, staging events, meetings and generally pushing its message in any way possible.

The most recent manifestation of that continuing commitment will be a spring concert planned for Saturday, June 18, at 6 p.m.

The concert, featuring Morgan

George "Lyrical Preacha" and Trinu, will take place in the Prestonsburg City Parking Lot just across from city hall.

This event, like many others held by CADA and a key point at any of their meetings, is the belief by members that perhaps the biggest step in seeing the drug epidemic in Eastern Kentucky eradicated is recovery through rehabilitation.

The concert's slogan is "Drug Abuse Kills, Recovery Heals" and holds true for at least one of the

(See CONCERT, page 7)

SUMMER SCOOTER FUN



Grace Owens, 9, of Prestonsburg, took some time out during the recent milder weather Tuesday to take a ride along South Central Ave.

photo by Sheldon Compton

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Obituaries

Catherine Runyon Absher

Catherine Runyon Absher, age 84 of Prestonsburg, passed away Monday, June 13, 2011, at the UK Medical Center in Lexington.

She was born July 21, 1926, the daughter of Thomas Isaac and Bessie Goodman Runyon.

Catherine was a former telephone company operator and homemaker. She was previously married to Jack Andrew Absher.

Catherine is survived by her son, Jack Andrew Absher Jr. of Prestonsburg; one brother, Tommy Dale Runyon, of Detroit, Mich.; one sister, Janice Gayle Runyon West, of New York City, N.Y.; and five grandchildren, Jack Andrew Absher III, John George Absher II, Robert Joseph Absher, James Michael Absher and Laura Catherine Absher.

In addition to her parents, Catherine was preceded in death by one son, John George Absher; five brothers, Eddie Runyon, Bobby Runyon, Billy Runyon, Jimmy Runyon and John Runyon; and one grandson, Michael James Absher.

Funeral services for Catherine Runyon Absher will be held Saturday, June 18, at 11 a.m., at the Community United Methodist Church, Burke Street, in Prestonsburg, with Pastors Charlie Gearheart, Jeff Lambert and M. Sloce officiating. Burial will follow in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, at Ivel, with Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements. Visitation will be held Friday from 6 to 9 p.m. at the church.

Pallbearers: Grandsons Jack Andrew Absher III, John George Absher II, Robert Joseph Absher and James Michael Absher.

Ralph Bryant Jr.

Ralph Bryant Jr., 56, of Prestonsburg, died June 11, 2011, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born on September 29, 1954, in Pike County, he was the husband of Shelia Johnson Bryant and the son of the late Webster and

Edna Hamilton Bryant. He was a disabled coal miner and a member of the Wheelwright Masonic Lodge #889.

He was preceded in death by two brothers: Roger Dean Bryant and Orville Bryant.

He is survived by two sons: Ralph Joseph Bryant and Timothy Ryan (Kim) Bryant; both of Beaver; grandson: Maddox Bryant; special niece: Mariah Ratliff; brothers and sisters: Thomas Bryant and Alonzo Bryant both of Pikeville; Earnest Dale Bryant of Detroit, MI; Jimmy Dean Bryant of Flint, MI; Timmy Dean Bryant of Harold, Grethel Inman of MI and Bethel Martin of Teaberry and a host of many other family and friends.

Funeral services will be held on June 15, 2011, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in Martin with Gary Compton and Jerry Manns officiating. Visitation will be after 6 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Burial will follow at Johnson Cemetery at Beaver.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Ukle Augustus "Gus" Curry

Ukle Augustus "Gus" Curry, 78, of Melvin, died June 8, at Community Hospice Care Center in Ashland.

Born on June 3, 1933, in Bypro, he was the husband of Ethel Adams Curry and the son of the late Ukle L. and Bretha Adams Curry. He was a welder, a painter and a member of the Church of Christ at Melvin.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Dawson Curry and Bruce Curry and one sister: Gloria Shroyberry.

He is survived by two daughters: Donna (Stewart) Henson of Bypro and Beth (Terry) Clemons of Bevinville; two brothers: Ellis Guy of Bypro and Chet Curry of Coleman, GA; three sisters: Orangie Curry of Bypro, Melba Pippin of Winchester and Mary Lee Crase of Florence and three grandchildren: Ashley Elizabeth,

Joshua Pearl and Kerry Dean Augustus.

Funeral services were held June 12, 2011, at Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church with Eddie Hughes officiating.

Burial followed at the family cemetery at Bypro.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home were in charge of arrangements.

Gene Ray Hinton

Gene Ray Hinton, 66, of Allen, died June 12, 2011, at Patsy B. Hall Medical Center.

Born on February 9, 1945, in Prestonsburg, he was the son of the late Sally Hinton Hunt. He was a retired truck driver and a member of the Hager Hill Church of Christ.

He is survived by sons and daughter: Kenneth Hinton, Auxier, Ky.; Jimmy Hinton, Mulberry, Florida; Michael Hinton, Detroit, Michigan; Cindy Kennedy, Louisville, Ky.; brothers and sisters: Billy Frank Hunt, Knott Co. Ky.; Odell Wallen, Allen, Ky.; Shannon Wallen, Mt. Sterling, Ky.; Bonnie Hunt, Knott Co. Ky.; Hazel Hale, Blue River, Ky.; Betty Porter, and Linda Woods, Both of Allen, Ky.; 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held June 15, 2011, at 12 noon at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in Martin with Jim Smith and Buddy Ousley officiating. Visitation will be after 6 p.m. at the funeral home.

Burial will follow at Ousley Cemetery at Spurlock in Prestonsburg.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Edna Grace Marshall Holton

Edna Grace Marshall Holton, 68, of Prestonsburg, died June 13, 2011, at her home.

Born on August 9, 1942, in Floyd County, she was the wife of the late Larry Gordon Holton and the daughter of the late Earl and Ronnie Young Marshall. She was a homemaker.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by one daughter: Nora Lynn Holton; brothers and sisters:

John Earl Marshall Jr., William Moore Marshall, Robert Ray Marshall, Betty Jo Johnson, Ruth Ann Marshall and Phyllis Sue Marshall.

She is survived by three sisters: Myrtie Frasure of Harold, Kentucky, Wilma Blair of Denver, Kentucky and Ruby Burns of Tutor Key, Kentucky; A host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Funeral services will be held June 15, 2011, at 2 p.m. at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in Martin with Tom Blackburn and Henry Lewis officiating. Visitation will be June 15 at 6 p.m. at the funeral home.

Burial will follow at Ford-Mayo Cemetery at Lancer.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

Jayden Thomas Keathley

Jayden Thomas Keathley, age 2, of Betsy Layne, son of Zackery Dale and Kayla Lambert Keathley, died Friday, June 10. He was born September 30, 2008, in Pikeville.

In addition to his parents he is survived by one brother, Eyan Keathley, of Betsy Layne; his paternal grandparents, Joe Newsome, of Grethel, and Daisy Allen, of Betsy Layne; maternal grandparents, Tabitha Hatfield, of Phelps, and Bill Handshoe, of Eastern;

maternal great grandmothers, Brenda Gail Jones, of Printer, and Betty Handshoe; maternal great grandfather, Michael Kanable; maternal great grandmothers, Eula Stumbo, Dovie Bailey and Sarah Handshoe; maternal grandparents, Brenda Handshoe and Josie Newsome; paternal grand-

parent, Joseph Hatfield.

Funeral services for Jayden Thomas Keathley were held Tuesday, June 14, at 1 p.m. in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Tracy Patton officiating. Burial followed in the Keathley Family

Cemetery, Betsy Layne, with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Pallbearers: Parick Keathley, Shane Turner, Zack Keathley, Randy Lambert and Mike Compton.

Card of Thanks

The family of Atha Stephen Damron would like to sincerely say Thank You to all of our wonderful friends and neighbors who helped to comfort us during this difficult time. Those who sent flowers, food, or came by to share our loss. A special thanks to Clergman Jim Adams officiating for his comforting message, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. We will always remember all the expressions of love and kindness to our family.

THE FAMILY OF ATHA STEPHEN DAMRON

Card of Thanks

The family of Therman Collins would like to extend their appreciation to those who helped comfort them during the time of sorrow. Thank you to all those who sent flowers or just spoke kind words, all your acts of kindness will never be forgotten. We would like to send a special thanks to the Regular Baptist Ministers for their comforting message, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. All your love and support will never be forgotten.

THE FAMILY OF THERMAN COLLINS

Card of Thanks

The family of Rebecca Ruth Conley Patton would like to sincerely say, "Thank you", to all of our friends and family who helped to comfort us during this very difficult time. Those who sent flowers, food, or just came by to share our loss. A special thanks to the Dean Hall, Johnny Collins and other for their comforting message, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. All your love and support will always be remembered.

THE FAMILY OF REBECCA RUTH CONLEY PATTON

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State parks in running for trees

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Jenny Wiley State Resort Park and other parks in Kentucky are hoping to benefit this year from Odwalla Incorporated's "Plant a Tree" initiative.

Odwalla is an American food product company that sells fruit juice, smoothies and food bars, founded in Santa Cruz, California in 1980.

For the past three years, the company has made a commitment to state parks, by donating money to help plant trees.

"It's a process, company representatives say it's "pretty simple." They provide the trees, and local organizations, counties and states get to decide how much support each initiative receives.

In Floyd County, and across the state, votes can be cast in support by visiting the website www.odwalla.com/plant-a-tree/.

Each vote represents one dollar that will help plant trees at Kentucky State Parks.

Kentucky currently has

more than 2,000 votes and is ranked 5th among all states.

To learn about the local push to take part in the effort those interested can

contact Trinity Shepherd, park naturalist at Jenny Wiley State Report Park by calling (606) 889-1790, extension 2750.

Card of Thanks

The family of Heath Adam "Buddy" Adkins would like to express our appreciation and love to all of you for the compassion shown during the loss of our beloved "Buddy." Words cannot express how much each of you touched us by words, flowers, food, cards, prayers, or a hug. Special thanks to Dr. Verma, Dr. Smith-Means, and the staff of St. Joseph-Martin. Sheriff John K. Blackburn, Dr. Ken Lemaster, Pastor, and the Christ United Methodist Church, the special tribute from the Kinzer Family for the half-mast flag; Derwin Merion of Merion Bros. Monument, and the Hall Funeral Home. Again, thank you all and God Bless.

THE FAMILY OF HEATH ADAM "BUDDY"

Card of Thanks

The family of William T. "Bill/Bess" Wohlford would like to sincerely say Thank You to all of our wonderful friends and neighbors who helped to comfort us during this difficult time. Thank you to everyone that sent flowers, food, said a prayer, or came by to share our loss. A special thanks to Brother Randy Osborne and Bobby Neil Osborne for their comforting message, Zach Bragg for the beautiful songs, Auxier DAV, John W. Hall, Masonic Lodge #950, and the Eastern Kentucky Veterans Center for all their care and compassion. We would also like to thank all the Pallbearers, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. We will always remember all the expressions of love to our family.

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Blue Moon fest offering half-price tickets this week

PRESTONBURG — The Blue Moon Mountain Bluegrass Festival announced last week that they will offer half-price tickets five-day passes and five-day camping passes the week of June 13-19.

The five-day passes, normally priced at \$100, will be discounted to \$50, and five-day camping passes, normally priced at \$175, will be \$75. Bluegrass and country fans alike are encouraged to take advantage of

the special prices for the five-day festival, to be held July 27-31, at the Prestonsburg Equine Center at Stonecrest. The Blue Moon Mountain Bluegrass Festival earlier announced an all-star roster of

artists for the festival, including J.D. Crowe, Marty Raybon, The Roys, Don Rigsby, CJ the DJ, Melvin Goins, Bluegrass Mountaineers, Tyler Stephens, Vince Combs, Blue Moon Rising and Dale Anne Bradley,

with even more acts to be announced at a later date, along with an announcement of sponsors. For more information, visit the festival's website, www.bluemoonmountain.com

End-of-course school exam details shared with lawmakers

FRANKFORT — Members of the Education Assessment and Accountability Review Subcommittee heard details of the coming school year's implementation of end-of-course assessments at their first meeting of the 2011 interim today.

Senate Bill 1, passed in 2009, authorized statewide end-of-course exams to measure students' achievement in core courses. Those exams will take place for English II, Algebra II, biology, and U.S. history courses beginning with the 2011-12 school year. All students must take those courses for high school graduation.

Under the plan, districts may choose to use student exam results as part of the course grade, but any district that chooses not to, or that values the exam results

as less than 20 percent of the student's final grade, must explain their choice to the Kentucky Department of Education. "Teachers all over the commonwealth told me students needed to have some accountability in this," Education Commissioner Terry Holliday said.

The exams will come in two parts: 35-38 multiple-choice questions that can be taken electronically or with pencil and paper, and 1-3 written response questions that must be taken the old-fashioned way.

Around 98 percent of all schools have the capability to administer the multiple-choice part electronically, Holliday said. State education officials said that ACT, Inc., the exam designers, cannot administer the written portion online.

Electronic responses can be graded and returned to students within a day or so, said Rhonda Sims of the Education Department's Division of Support and Research. Pencil-and-paper responses will have a two-week lag.

"Ten days is not very long, unless it's the end of the school year," said Sen. Vernie McGaha, R-Russell Springs. The exams will be given at the end of the course, whether in a block, trimester, or traditional calendar.

"We will continue to work with ACT to see if the timeline can be improved," Sims responded. The original bid process asked for a five-day lag, but ACT's 10-day time frame was the shortest submitted, Sims said.

The benefit of the new

testing scheme, school officials said, was that students statewide will face the same exams, setting a firm measure for all students. In addition, the results can be compared to students taking similar tests in other states, and because ACT Inc. is helping design the exams, they will have some predictive value for students' performance on the PLAN and ACT exams that measure college readiness. The end-of-course exams are "backward-engineered," Sims said, beginning with expectations for college and career readiness and working from there. The state's new core curriculum standards have also been designed with students' future needs in mind.

While the state's English II and Algebra II standards are already in line with

ACT's pre-packaged exams, and biology standards are largely the same, the U.S. history exam will be adjusted somewhat to account for high school students' focus on post-Reconstruction history, American history up to the Civil War is covered in middle school, Sims said. The more customized the exams are to Kentucky standards, however, the less they can be compared to other states' test results.

Sims also addressed the concern of Rep. Bill Farmer, R-Lexington, that teachers will focus on the test instead of core stan-

dards, a problem cited with the state's former testing system. "The test questions will be changed throughout the year and not frequently recycled so that teachers can focus on the broader knowledge base rather than expected exam questions."

"It's a new and exciting path, and we expect there to be some growing pains," Sims said.

4 indicted in murder of man found in burned trailer

by JULIA ROBERTS GOAD
WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS

PIKEVILLE — Four people have been indicted by the Pike County Grand Jury for the murder of a man whose body was found in a burned trailer at Hatfield.

Jeffery Michael Lowe, 41, and Randy Thomas, 44, both of Turkey Creek, and Cynthia Ryan, 45, of Chattahoo and Shannon Renae Turner, 22, of Williamson, were indicted for capital offense murder and first degree robbery.

The victim, 65-year-old Millard Clay Thornhill, was found in a burned trailer in Hatfield near the Nolan Bridge, May 19. The official cause of death has not been released by authorities.

Ryan was picked up by the Mingo County Sheriff's Department on a fugitive-from-justice warrant out of Pike County. Ryan was taken into custody while in Family Court and transported to Magistrate Court to be arraigned by Magistrate Pam Newsome.

Ryan is being held in the Southwestern Regional Jail until an

extridiction hearing is scheduled before Chief Judge Michael Thornsbury.

At an arraignment hearing held Monday in Pike County District Court before District Judge Darrell Mullins, Thomas, and Lowe pleaded "not guilty" to the charges in connection with the May death of Thornhill.

Judge Mullins set a \$2 million full cash bond for each suspect. They both remain lodged in the Pike County Detention Center.

No information regarding an arrest of Turner was available at presstime.

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Guest View Bush tax cuts: 10 years of economic disaster

by DR. WILLIAM BARCLAY

This month marks the tenth anniversary of the first of the two tax cuts sought by the President George Bush. The Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act was enacted in 2001 to be followed, in 2003, by the Jobs and Growth Tax Relief Reconciliation Act. Ten years later, it is time we assess the actual results of these tax cuts, looking at economic performance rather than political promises. The results have been a disaster for the US economy and for almost all of the American people. We have experienced very slow income and employment growth for the vast majority of families, an extremely unequal distribution of the direct financial benefits from these measures, and, very slow growth in the economy as a whole.

As someone who has personally received these tax cuts during the past 10 years, I feel it is my responsibility to speak out.

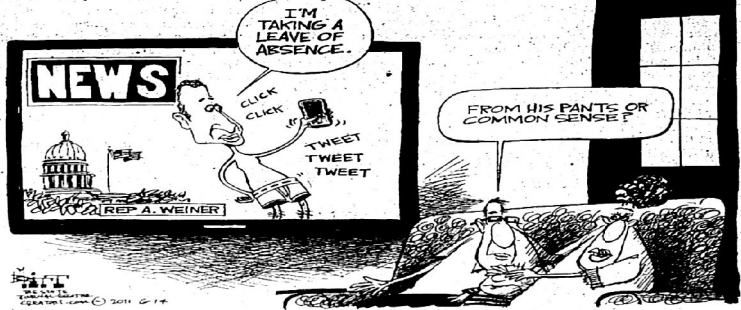
Supporters of tax cuts for high income households, such as House majority leader John Boehner, argue that wealthy people are the "job creators" and that tax cuts will encourage them to create jobs and that these new jobs will, in turn, increase employment opportunities and improve the wages of the remainder of the population. Did any of these benefits occur after the Bush tax cuts? The quick and accurate answer is, no, they did not. Adjusted for inflation, the median weekly earnings of working Americans actually fell by 2.3% from the end of the 2000 - 01 recession to the onset of the Great Recession. This is unique in the post WWII period. Further, the recovery from the 2000 - 01 recession was the slowest of any post WWII recession to date, requiring 39 months before the number of employed Americans reached the pre-recession level. Where is even a scintilla of evidence that tax cuts such as those passed in 2001 and 2003 generate income and employment growth for the vast majority of the population?

A significant part of the failure of the Bush tax cuts to generate jobs and income growth flows from the top-heavy distribution of the benefits conveyed by these measures. The vast bulk of the reduced taxes were reaped by a very small number of families. In 2011, the average tax reduction to families receiving an income of \$1 million or more (about 321,000 families) will be \$139,199. For less than 0.5% of all families this is a reduction in taxes of \$860 million/week. Compare these tax benefits to the yearly savings proposed by cutting the WIC program: \$833 million. An obvious question is, why can't this very small group of extremely high income families give up just one week of their tax cut to provide nutrition for the tens of thousands of women and children that benefit from the WIC program? More significantly, in light of the deficit hysteria gripping Washington D.C., the combined impact of the 2001 and 2003 Bush tax cuts has been the addition of more than \$2.6 trillion to the federal debt. This included more than \$400 billion in interest payments on the debt necessary to pay for the cuts.

Of course, one might forgive these policy failures if the promise of economic growth had been fulfilled. On this measure, however, the record is even worse. The 2000 - 01 recession ended in the fourth quarter of 2001, just in time for the first Bush tax cut to take effect. From the end of the recession until the onset of the Great Recession, the economy grew at a slower rate than in any other post recession period since WWII. Thus, despite promises from the advocates of the tax cuts, the reality was slower growth rather than faster growth. The additional tax cut in 2003 did nothing to increase the pace of economic growth.

In sum, the Bush tax cuts were a bad idea at the time and are an even worse idea today. Ending these cuts for incomes over \$250,000 would generate over \$100 billion/year in additional revenue. If we also created additional tax rates for very high-income families (e.g. at \$500,000, \$1,000,000, \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000) we could increase federal revenue by more than double that amount and put us on the road to reducing deficits and debts.

Barclay worked for 22 years in financial service before retiring in 2004. He is an adjunct professor at the University of Illinois at Chicago in the Liouaud Graduate School of Business and is a member of Wealth for the Common Good.



Guest Column A legislative perspective

by REP. GREG STUMBO
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Earlier this year, The Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky asked more than 1,600 Kentuckians a simple question: What do you think is the most pressing healthcare issue for our citizens? The answer given most often was a word no one wants to hear: Cancer.

There's good reason why it's the top health concern, because in the Commonwealth it's the leading cause of death among women and a close second behind heart disease in men. Unfortunately, it's also more prevalent here than in other states.

A little more than two decades ago, the state rededicated its efforts to see what we could do to turn the tide, and the result has been ground-breaking research in our labs, more preventive measures in our communities and access to better care in our hospitals and doctor's offices.

In 1990, for example, the General Assembly set aside money for breast cancer screenings — more than 258,000 mammograms have been provided at local health departments since then — and it also authorized the Kentucky Cancer Registry to be the state's official clearing house on the disease. In 2000, legislators called for the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville to work together on lung cancer research over the next 20 years, focusing our best minds on a type of cancer that causes 50 percent more deaths here than the national average.

In 2008, the legislature established a colon cancer screening program, with a focus on those without insurance, and this past February First Lady Jane Beshear and many others

encouraged more Kentuckians to donate to breast cancer research and prevention efforts by setting aside a small portion of their income tax refund. More than \$268,000 have been donated this way over the last six years.

Earlier this year, the Cabinet for Health and Family Services released their latest annual reports on breast and colorectal cancers, and there were some positive signs in both areas.

It's projected that one in eight American women will develop breast cancer within their lifetime. Here in Kentucky, we were below the national average in the percentage of new cases between 2003 and 2007, and in the middle when comparing mortality rates among the states.

The news is not as good for our colorectal cancer rate, which is the second-worst in the country. This was not always that way; in fact, during the mid-1970s, we were above the national average. That began to change in the mid-1980s, however, and over the next two decades the gap widened, even as the number of cases declined significantly both here and across the country.

About 2,500 Kentuckians are diagnosed with colorectal cancer annually, and it affects men and women almost equally. Most cases involve those over the age of 50, but many are below that age as well.

Like most cancers, early detection is key. Indeed, if everyone had proper check-ups, catching potential problems in their early stages, we could cut the mortality rate for colorectal cancer by as much as 90 percent. With that in mind, the General Assembly set aside \$200,000 in coal severance money last year to further this goal. This money is going to prevention efforts in Floyd, Martin, Letcher and Pike counties.

Many Kentuckians are taking prevention to heart, because the number of colonoscopies and the related sigmoidoscopies

nearly doubled between 2001 and 2008. In 2009, there were 78,000 colonoscopies performed in our hospitals, up from less than 52,000 just two years earlier.

On the research side, we're seeing some literally ground-breaking work. U of researchers, for example, played a leading role in the world's first 100 percent effective cancer vaccine, which was designed to reduce future cases of cervical cancer.

Last month, meanwhile, Kentucky scientists had an experiment on the space shuttle Endeavor to see how zero gravity affects a deadly form of brain cancer; a similar experiment will fly this summer on Atlantis, NASA's last shuttle mission.

Last fall, the Appalachia Community Cancer Network — which is based at UK — was awarded \$6.5 million to try to fight obesity through outreach to churches, which are recognized for the positive impact they can have on our health; altogether, 20 churches throughout five states will be targeted, and any success will be used in other areas as well. Obesity may not be thought of as a precursor to cancer, but the U.S. Surgeon General's Office and the American Cancer Society say it can be a factor in colon, gall bladder, pancreas and prostate cancers.

In many ways, lowering cancer rates in Kentucky is entirely in our hands. With a greater focus on prevention and early screenings, we can see our numbers continue to improve and, hopefully see our rankings against other states rise. That's certainly our goal.

On a personal note, I want to thank those who took part this month in Relay for Life activities. These events raise both awareness and money for research, and they serve as a poignant reminder of the toll this disease takes on our families and communities. The work of our volunteers deserves to be recognized and preserved.

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OUR YESTERDAYS

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

20 Years Ago (June 12, 1991)

Prestonsburg High School will hold commencement exercises Friday, June 14, at 7 p.m., in the Prestonsburg Fieldhouse. Diplomas will be awarded to 133 graduates.

A Halo man was indicted for murder Monday by a Floyd County Grand Jury for the 1978 shooting death of a Letcher County man. A murder indictment against Wendell Ray Newman was returned with 64 criminal indictments Monday morning, by the grand jury. Twelve sealed true bills were also issued concerning juveniles and domestic violence cases.

Mayor Ann Latta's tie-breaking vote Monday, resolved a city council deadlock and ended a heated debate on Prestonsburg's city budget for the 1991-92 fiscal year. Councilman Billy Ray Collins questioned Latta's authority to vote on the budget issue after his motion to table the second reading of the budget ordinance drew a 3-3 vote from the council. City Attorney Larry Brown advised the mayor could vote to break the tie.

The first bank robbery to take place in Prestonsburg in several years happened before the bank was even built. Late last Wednesday night, copper tubing worth more than \$100 was taken from the construction site of the First Guaranty Branch Bank in Prestonsburg. The alleged culprit was caught and jailed the following morning as a result of an investigation by Prestonsburg Police officers Ricky Conn and John Hunt, and detective Jeff Stumbo.

Wheelwright High School will confer diplomas to its graduating class of 42 students at commencement exercises to be held at the high school on Thursday, June 13, at 7 p.m.

A decision by the Floyd County Board of Education, Tuesday night, to reject bids for four contract bus driver routes could result in a significant savings to the county schools. Bids for contract driver runs for Daniels Creek, Ivel, Prater Creek and Little Mud Creek cost the board \$73,220 last year, finance officer Russell Frazier said Thursday.

Floyd County District Judge Harold Stumbo is back at home recovering from an angioplasty procedure to unblock an artery. Judge Stumbo's wife, Pluma, said Thursday, that Judge Stumbo returned home Wednesday from Atlanta and is "doing wonderful." She said Judge Stumbo will be returning back to work after a short rest.

Scenes from the Roaring '20s and special guest, Cawood Ledford, will open Jenny Wiley Theatre as Arthur Laurent's Tony award winning musical, "Gypsy."

premiered Friday, June 21.

One of the original members of the restructured Kentucky Court of Appeals, Judge Harris Stephens Howard, died Wednesday morning as the result of an apparent heart attack.

There died: Jakey Kent Horn, 19, of Prestonsburg, died Saturday, June 8, at the home of his grandparents, Jake and Lucille Cobb in Richmond, East Clayheart, 75, of Beaver, Friday, June 7 at his residence; Sara Martin Gibson, 64, died Wednesday, June 5, at her residence; Legatha (Stigma) Lewis, 50, of Banner, Tuesday, June 11, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Denzil F. Prater, 48, of Crestline, Ohio, formerly of Hueysville, Wednesday, at the Fulton County Health Center, Wauseon, Ohio, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident; Cora Thompson Smith, 98, of Churchhill, Tennessee, formerly of Prestonsburg, Sunday, at Life Care Center of Churchhill, Tennessee; Alice Bentley, 87, of Robinson Creek, Monday, at her residence; Elsie M. Burke, 73, of Windsor, Ohio, formerly of Hueysville; Earl Garrett, 82, of Banner, Friday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Jesse James Thacker, 53, of Stafford, Virginia, formerly of Pike County, Tuesday, at his residence; Bertie Waddles Hall, 84, of Kite, Wednesday, at her home; Harris Howard, 62, of Prestonsburg, Wednesday, at his residence; Carol Little Endicott, 42 of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Weeksburg, Tuesday, at Columbus, Ohio.

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30 Years Ago (June 17, 1981)

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Vaughan, 71, of Prestonsburg, at Veteran's Hospital in Lexington; Osie Compton Shepherd, 81, of West Prestonsburg, at Louisa Community Hospital; Magdalene Ferrell, 48, of Martin, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

40 Years Ago (June 17, 1971)

Commissioner of Highways B.E. King announced last Thursday, that contract for construction of 3.357 miles of four-lane US 23 from the Mountain Parkway at the mouth of Katy Friend Branch to Water Gap has been awarded.

Camp Shawnee will open Sunday for three one-week camp sessions. Some 300 Scouts from southeastern Kentucky and southwestern Virginia are expected to attend.

Prestonsburg police have within the week made more arrests on major offenses than all other officers operating in the county, jail records show.

Three changes in Floyd county pastorates were made at the Kentucky Conference of the United Methodist Church, held in Morehead last week. They are, H. E. Pennington, to Community Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, succeeding J. A. Dickerson, who goes to Pennington's former, pastorate of Tilton and Mt. Tabor churches, in the Maysville district; R. K. Ratcliffe, Dvale, succeeding

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Woodrow Branhäm; Clark Lafferty, Wheelwright, transferred from Pike county.

Two Floyd Countians—Paul Stephen Combs, of Prestonsburg, and W. Grady Stumbo, of McDowell—received the Doctor of Medicine degree, June 5, at special commencement ceremonies for 75 graduates of the UK College of Medicine. Faye Gibson Allen, wife of Quentin Allen, formerly of Prestonsburg, was the 400th

graduate of the college to receive her M.D.

John William Sutherland, Jr., was graduated from the University of Louisville School of Medicine, last week.

There died: Gertrude Mabel Branhäm, 75, of Prestonsburg, Friday in the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Tim Bentley, 83, of

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Yesterdays

Ligon, Friday at the McDowell Hospital; James Madison Parsley, 92, of Prestonsburg, at last Wednesday.
 Prestonsburg General Hospital, Harold M. Bell, 24, of Beckwith, W. Va., Sunday at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home here; Elder George Cook, 72, of Dry Creek, Saturday at the Jenkins Clinic; Noah M. Porter, 78, of Auxier, Monday at Prestonsburg General Hospital; Hiram Salisbury, 90, of Printer, Thursday at the Prestonsburg Hospital; Leonard Combs, 45, of Houston, Texas, formerly of Hindman, June 5; Jim Johnson, 80, Tuesday at his home at Risner.

50 Years Ago (June 15, 1961)

Contract on construction of the lodge at Jenny Wiley State Park is scheduled to be let July 20, Marvin Music, secretary of the Kentucky Parks Board, said here this week.

The Tuesday night break into the office of Circuit Clerk Henry Stephens had no connection with absentee ballot records stored in the office vault, was the theory expressed Wednesday morning.

The special grand jury investigating the May 23 primary election and events leading up to it, produced four indictments naming five men in a report Wednesday morning to Judge Edward P. Hill.

The Rev. Orrin M. Simmerman was returned for the second year to the pastorate of the First Methodist Church.

Calvin P. Herrick, of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company, was recently elected president of the Kentucky Junior

Chamber of Commerce. The Dewey Lake Game Refuge will be opened to quail hunting this season for the first time.

The Betsy Layne High School valedictorian was Patricia Hinchman, of Tramp, and the salutatorian was Joetta Stratton, granddaughter of Floyd Conn, of Justell.

Co-valedictorians of Martin High School are Betty Jean Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Has Stone, and Daryl Gayl Luxmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luxmore. Virginia Sue McDavid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDavid, is salutatorian.

There died: Webster Harvey, 45, of New London, O., formerly of this county, Saturday in New London; Geneva Page, 82, last Thursday at her home at Bevsinsville; W. T. Bradley Sr., 79, at his home in

Catlettsburg; Bruce Colvin, 66, June 1 at the Paintsville Hospital; Lucy Burchett, 74, of Salineville, O., formerly of Buffalo Creek, June 7; Charles E. Jennings, 55, of Drift, Friday at the McDowell Hospital.

60 Years Ago (June 14, 1951)

The Floyd Fiscal Court, Tuesday, signed a contract with the Rural Highway Administration under which the county is to receive \$64,979 as its rural highway allotment for the fiscal year.

Owners of the Brandy Keg boat dock on Dewey Lake announced this week a policy which they hope will curb reckless or dangerous operation of boats on the reservoir; the policy is to refuse to rent a boat to any person who is under the influence of an intoxicant. Floyd County Sheriff A.

B. Meade has received a letter from the director of the Kentucky Office of Price Stabilization, asking for help in preventing black marketing in meat.
 Ed Hall pitched hitless ball for Allen through the first five innings of Sunday's game with Indian Creek, and over the entire distance allowed only three safeties, as his team defeated the visitors, 4-2, to keep Allen's unblemished season record intact.

There died: Epp Hall, 79, at the Weeksbury home of his daughter; Nalissa Bridgeman, 52, of Price, after an illness of five years; Beulah Mattingly Tackett, 34, a victim of tuberculosis; L. C. Stone, 45, of injuries sustained in a mine of the Inland Steel Company at Wheelwright; Winifred Meade, 28, of Meade Branch of Abbott Creek, drowned

after his auto plunged into Dewey Lake; David Eugene Belcher, almost three, drowned in the Big Sandy, near Auxier.

70 Years Ago (June 12, 1941)

Prestonsburg's banks—The First National and The Bank Josephine—will be hosts Saturday to the annual meeting of Group Seven, Kentucky Bankers Association, which includes banking institutions of 13 eastern Kentucky counties.

Organized a few weeks ago, the Prestonsburg Lions Club received its charter from the Lions International last Thursday evening; and celebrated the occasion with a banquet at the Auxier Hotel.

Floyd County's tax on whiskey and beer for the next fiscal year was fixed by the fiscal court in special session

here Monday. The license for whiskey dealers was placed at \$100 a year; beer license, at \$20.

Drift remained in a tie with Prestonsburg for first place in the Big Sandy league baseball standings by staging a seven-run uprising in the seventh Sunday, to defeat Clear Creek, 8-2.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Reed, of Hippo, a daughter, May 23.

There died: Malinda Jane Hamilton Mellon, 93, formerly of Prestonsburg, Friday at Catlettsburg; Carl Adkins, former Floyd County officer, Friday at Nevada, Mo.; Mrs. Lee Spencer, 48, of Minnie, Monday at the Beaver Valley Hospital; John Cathoun, 81, of Abbott Creek, June 5 at Prestonsburg General Hospital; Malissa Sexton Reed, 75, June 7 at her home on Salt Lick Creek.

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RAM clinic treats hundreds over weekend

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

BUCKLEY'S CREEK — What started just over a few years ago as a possible one-time visit has now become an annual event along Buckley's Creek in Pike County. The Remote Area Medical (RAM) clinic once again flooded Pike Central High School with medical professionals and volun-

teers this past weekend. The free clinic stop offers medical, dental and optical services to area residents who might not otherwise be able to afford, especially those without any medical insurance of any kind.

Hundreds of residents visited the location this weekend taking advantage of the event, which opened doors at 6 a.m. each morning and stayed until as

many visitors as possible were attended. In total, nearly 900 residents were given medical assistance during the free clinic.

This year marks four times RAM has set up shop in Pike County, but it is not only Pike Countians who have taken advantage of the medical help. Organizers said people commuted from other areas of Kentucky, as well as West Virginia, Virginia and Tennessee.

The next area RAM plans to set up in will be Wise County, Va. next

month and then Pulaski County in September. Officials with the organiza-

tion have already committed to returning to Pike County again next year.

Concert

ideas the organization was founded upon.

New state statistics released last month revealed that there are some 80 overdose deaths in Kentucky each month, with overdoses responsible for

taking more lives than car accidents.

Members of CADA use proceeds from events such as the concert and other events such as motorcycle rides for efforts such as improving education

among area youth and sponsoring addicts who may not be able to afford rehabilitation.

For more information about this most recent concert contact Carol Jo May at (606) 285-6692.

Drowning

said. "Ewan was a great young man who has impacted everyone he's been around. It is very sad to lose him at such a young age. Shawne and I are devastated and our prayers are with his

family at this time."

Linton was a 6-9 forward from Kingston, Jamaica, who played with the Bears in 60 games during the 2007-08 and 2008-09 seasons. During that time, he

had career totals of 638 points, 427 rebounds, 63 blocks and 55 steals, while shooting just over 61 percent from the field.

Funeral arrangements have yet to be announced.

Beating

Det. Bryan Hall given shortly after discovery of Watts and Horne, the man and woman were found in a bloodied section of the parking lot at Jenny Wiley Liquor at Lancer, "nearly beaten to death," Little said.

In addition, investigators have said there was at least one witness questioned and that Watts and Horne may have known their attacker

or attackers. He said that one of the two said a baseball bat had been used during the beating.

Both Watts and Horne were transported to Cabell-Huntington Hospital, where they were listed then as being in critical condition. There has been no word since on their current condition.

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- **Pantry possibilities:** Toasted almonds or other nuts, canned tuna, cannellini or black beans, marinated artichoke hearts, chickpeas, roasted red peppers, garlic croutons, artisan vinegars, extra virgin olive oil.
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Citrus-Ginger Grilled Steak Salad with Kiwifruit

Serves 4

- 1 package Fresh Express Fancy Greens
- 1/2 cucumber, peeled and diced
- 1/2 red bell pepper, seeded and diced
- 2 ripe kiwifruit, peeled and sliced
- 1 boneless strip steak, marinated in Citrus-Ginger Marinade, grilled
- 1 Ginger Vinaigrette (recipe below)

Place greens, cucumber, bell pepper and kiwifruit in large shallow bowl. Drizzle Ginger Vinaigrette over and toss gently. Divide salad among four dinner plates; arrange sliced steak atop each salad and serve immediately.

Citrus-Ginger Marinade: In medium jar with tight fitting lid place 5 tablespoons olive oil, 1 teaspoon grated fresh ginger root, 1 tablespoon white wine vinegar, 1/4 teaspoon orange juice, 1 teaspoon honey, 1/4 teaspoon salt and pinch of black pepper; secure lid and shake jar well to blend.

Citrus-Ginger Marinade

Makes about 1 1/3 cups, enough for 1 pound of strip steak, or other beef loin steak

- 2/3 cup fresh orange juice
- Grated zest of one orange
- 2 tablespoons freshly grated ginger root
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 tablespoon coarsely grated black pepper
- 1/4 cup vegetable or peanut oil

In small bowl whisk together orange juice, zest, grated ginger, soy sauce, vinegar, mustard and pepper. Slowly add oil, whisking to blend well. Use immediately to marinate steak before grilling. Place one strip steak in large self-sealing bag, pour marinade over and refrigerate for 6 to 8 hours, or overnight. Remove steak from marinade, pat dry with paper towels and grill over direct heat to desired doneness. Allow steak to rest 5 minutes before slicing thinly to arrange atop salad.

Mediterranean Salad with Feta and Watermelon

Serves 6

- 1 package Fresh Express 5-Lettuce Mix
- 4 to 5 cups cubed watermelon, from one small seedless melon
- 1/4 medium onion, sliced 1/4 inch thick
- 6 small radishes, trimmed and thinly sliced
- 12 pitted ripe, dry-cured olives, such as kalamata
- 1 1/4 cups (5 ounces) feta cheese, crumbled
- 1 Honey Garlic Vinaigrette (recipe below)

Place lettuce, melon, onion, radishes and olives in large salad bowl; drizzle with vinaigrette and toss gently but thoroughly. Portion salad onto six salad plates; top each salad with feta.

Honey Garlic Vinaigrette: In medium jar with tight-fitting lid place 1/2 cup olive oil, 3 tablespoons honey, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 teaspoon white balsamic vinegar, 1 minced garlic clove, 1 minced shallot, 2 tablespoons chopped parsley, 1 teaspoon salt and 1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper; secure lid and shake jar well to blend.

Medicaid managed care plan reviewed by lawmakers

FRANKFORT — A legislative hearing on a Medicaid cost containment report quickly turned to the upcoming transition to managed care for Medicaid recipients last week.

Cabinet for Health and Family Services officials were on hand to respond to a Program, Review and Investigations Committee report with recommendations for improving the state Medicaid program. With cost containment and fraud prevention a key component of the report — and with the Medicaid budget the subject of a special session earlier this year — lawmakers on the panel

were interested in plans for managed care implementation statewide.

Acting Medicaid Commissioner Neville Wise said that proposals are currently being reviewed with negotiations with prospective managed care organizations to come in the next few weeks. He said he expected contracts to be signed by July 1.

The request for proposals allows different groups to join together to separately provide primary care, pharmacy, and other services, as long as there is a "seamless" experience for Kentucky's 820,000 Medicaid recipients, Deputy CFHS Secretary Eric Friedlander said. The RFP required prospective managed care organizations (MCOs) to submit details on a statewide network as well as networks for specific

regions of the state.

Passport Health Plan currently runs a similar program for 165,000 Medicaid recipients in and around Louisville. "We've all learned something from Passport, some positive and some negative, that we can use," Wise said.

Once managed care largely replaces the current fee-for-service model, as many as half of all Medicaid staff could shift all or part of their responsibilities toward administrative oversight and related duties, Wise said, although Medicaid eligibility will still be controlled by state workers and not MCOs.

"It would seem we've just added another layer" of bureaucracy rather than cutting costs, said Senate President Pro Tempore Katie Kratz Stine. R-Southgate.

Friedlander pointed out managed care's traditionally lower costs as another cost savings to the commonwealth at a time of strained budget resources, while CHFS budget director Beth Jurek said Kentucky's low administrative over-

head would help keep costs low.

The report cited the lower administrative costs as a potential negative if proper oversight is to be maintained over MCOs. In some cases, proper cost-benefit analysis for pro-

grams, has not been conducted, and statutorily required reports to the legislative branch have not been adequate, it said. "It would seem the best internal protocols are what we need in place," Sen. Stine said.

10 killed on state roads

Preliminary statistics indicate that ten people died in nine separate crashes on Kentucky roadways from Monday, June 6, through Sunday, June 12, 2011.

Nine of the fatalities involved motor vehicles and six of the victims were not wearing seat belts. Single-fatality crashes occurred in Boone, Grant, Laurel, Menifee, Monroe, Pendleton, and Wolfe counties. Alcohol was a factor in the Menifee, Monroe and Wolfe county crashes.

A double-fatality motor vehicle collision occurred in Butler County and neither victim was wearing a seat belt.

One ATV involved fatal crash occurred in Whitley County and the victim was not wearing a helmet.

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have been added but not yet figured in the past two months, said Conway, who expects warrant services rates to increase upwards of 80 percent with the eWarrant system over the long term.

The eWarrant program is being offered to Kentucky's rural counties at no cost to local communities.

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Twice Monthly	\$640	\$1,134	\$1,420	\$1,775	\$2,019	\$2,312	\$2,607	\$2,901	+\$295
Monthly	\$1,678	\$2,288	\$2,957	\$3,440	\$4,038	\$4,626	\$5,213	\$5,802	+\$589
Annual	\$20,147	\$27,214	\$34,281	\$41,348	\$48,415	\$55,482	\$62,549	\$69,616	+\$7,007

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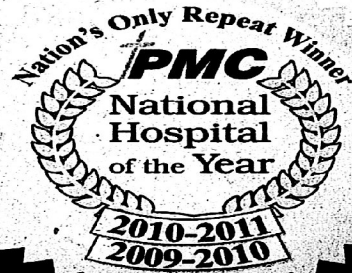
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Brown wins Food City StoneCrest Invitational

Prestonsburg attorney captures second title

by STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — Larry Brown captured the 2011 Food City StoneCrest Invitational last week, winning the golf tournament's Championship Flight. The 11th Annual Food City/StoneCrest

Invitational featured 95 participants and over \$15,000 in prizes. After turning in a 76, Brown finished strong. The Prestonsburg attorney shot a 70 for a 146 on his way to claiming the championship. Brown claimed his second StoneCrest tournament title. He finished out in front to win the event in 2006.

Brown was quick to compliment his competition. "The tournament featured some very good players," Brown commented.

Among the participants in the Prestonsburg course's invitational tourna-

ment was Pikeville's J.P. Newsome, a Charleston Southern University golfer fresh off of a fourth-place finish in the State Amateur.

An attorney from Prestonsburg, Brown balances his work and golf by playing in the evenings.

"I usually play most evenings, four-to-five times per week," confided.

Brown will compete in the upcoming Paintsville Invitational. He has also qualified to play in the State Mid-Amateur.



LARRY BROWN

(See BROWN, page 3)

Pikeville signs Wofford transfer Nathan Parker

by STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — The University of Pikeville men's basketball program has announced the signing of 6-6 junior Nathan Parker, a transfer from NCAA Division I member Wofford College.

As a sophomore at Wofford, due to injury, Parker played in only 12 games. He averaged 2.1 points and 2.2 rebounds per game during his stint with the Woodford College men's team. As a freshman, Parker played in 26 games.

Parker excelled in the prep ranks. He led Knoxville's Bearden High School to a 25-3 record as a senior as his team earned the No. 1 ranking in the state of Tennessee and ranked 26 nationally.

Parker averaged 12.1 points, 4.6 rebounds and 2.3 assists per game for Bearden High School. He earned All-District and All-Region honors as both a junior and senior. Parker was named All-State by the Tennessee Sports Writers Association.

Pikeville, under the direction of head coach Kelly Wells, captured the NAIA national title earlier in the year.

Dreamer: O'Neal nabs win at Eldora

TIMES STAFF REPORT

ROSSBURG, Ohio — Veteran driver Don O'Neal finally has a victory in a crown-jewel dirt Late Model event.

Ending a frustrating career-long pursuit of a signature triumph, O'Neal surged forward from the 12th starting spot to capture Saturday night's DIRTcar UMP sanctioned Dream XVII at Eldora Speedway.

O'Neal, 46, of Martinsville, Ind., passed Billy Moyer of Batesville, Ark., for the lead on lap 87 and held on the remainder of the 100-lap distance to earn the MasterSbilt house car team a whopping \$100,000 — the largest first-place payoff offered anywhere in the

(See DREAM, page 3)

LITTLE LEAGUE



photos by Jamie Howell

The Orioles (pictured above) captured the 2011 Prestonsburg Little League title.

Right: In a division comprised of younger players, the Reds were facing the Rangers. Prestonsburg Little League All-Star teams announced soon.



(See DRILLERS, page 3)

Sting outlasts Drillers in Ultimate Bowl

TIMES STAFF REPORT

SAGINAW, Mich. — Tommy Jones threw for a UIFL single-game record 10 touchdowns and host Saginaw set a new single-game record for points (86) as the Sting claimed the Ultimate Indoor Football League (UIFL) title with an 86-69 win over the Eastern Kentucky Drillers Friday at the Dow Center.

Saginaw scored on 11 of its 12 possessions, falling short of perfection with a missed field goal in the second quarter. Despite missing one field goal, Sting kicker Chris Kollias tied a UIFL record with a 55-yarder in the fourth quarter.

Jones completed his first 10 passes. The last of those 10 completions gave the Sting a 28-14 lead as Saginaw doubled up the visiting Drillers. Jones finished the game 25-of-36 for a single-game superlative of 346 yards as well as the 10 scoring strikes.

The 40-yard bomb to Zac Nichols was the first touchdown not thrown to LaVaughn Macon. The diminutive receiver hauled in the first three Saginaw touchdowns. He finished the game with six scoring receptions. He wasn't the only player in the game with six touchdown catches. Drillers' receiver Matthew Barbour found the endzone six times as well.

The six trips to paydirt tied Macon and Barbour with Northern Kentucky's Ricardo Lenhart for the single-game mark.

While the Saginaw offense was running with extreme efficiency, Eastern Kentucky was doing all it could to keep pace. Two empty first-quarter possessions, both missed field goals, forced Eastern Kentucky to be in comeback mode for the duration of the

Newcomb outlasts Morris to win Appalachian Wireless State Am

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — Not many championships are won with a final round at even par but that's all it took for Benton's Patrick Newcomb to hold off his closest challengers and claim

a title on Thursday at the 2011 Appalachian Wireless Kentucky State Amateur Championship at Kearney Hill Golf Links.

Newcomb, a member of the Murray State University men's golf team, held at least

a share of the lead in every round throughout the 100th anniversary of the state's top amateur championship. His seven under-par total of 209 bested the competition by two shots. Another collegiate player, Chris Morris from

Centre College, made the most of his chances when he came from behind midway through the last round and took a one stroke lead, but saw it slip away with a double bogey on the 16th hole. Morris is the reigning NCAA

Division III champion.

Tournament host Kearney Hill Golf Links has been the site of several national, regional, state and city championships and is also among the list included as stops for the PGA Senior Tour.

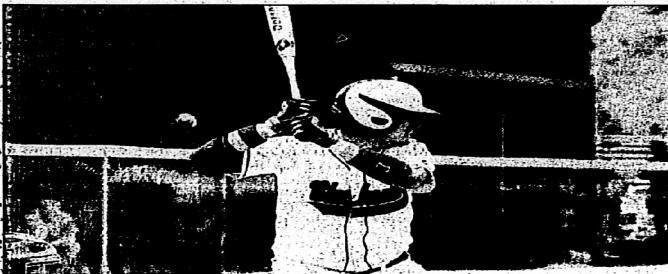


JOHNSON CENTRAL

UNIVERSITY OF PIKEVILLE BASEBALL

SCARBERRY SIGNS WITH UPIKE: Johnson Central High School graduate Jonathan Scarberry signed with the University of Pikeville during a ceremony held last week. The University of Pikeville competes in the Mid-South Conference.

INSIDE, PAGE B4: Johnson Central's Tyler Keatner signs with UPIKE.



PRESTONSBURG BLACKCATS

The Prestonsburg High School baseball and softball programs both competed in 2011 15th Region tournaments held at StoneCrest Park.

Prestonsburg's Kyle Chaffin (above) and Halsey Howell (right) are both due to return to the field in 2012.



Former Pikeville coach Brown leaves Dillard for Meridian

TIMES STAFF REPORT
MERIDIAN, Miss. — Former University of Kentucky player and Pikeville College mentor Dale Brown has left one college coaching job for another. Brown is leaving Dillard University after a three-year run to coach at Meridian Community College.

Brown had a brief stint in the NBA with the Sacramento Kings before playing professional basketball in Europe. In an early coaching gig, Brown was interim head coach at Pikeville College during the 2005-06 season. He took over the head coaching reins at Moss Point in 2007-08, leading his team to a 32-6 record and a state semifinal berth. Brown also coached the Mississippi Gulf Coast Bandits in the NBA developmental league, taking third place with a 20-11 mark. Brown coached 15 players who ultimately made it to the NBA.

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17th Annual Kentuckiana Pro Am set for July 7-10 in Owensboro

by STEVE LEMASTER SPORTS EDITOR
LOUISVILLE — The 17th Annual Kentuckiana Pro Am Basketball Tournament will be held July 7-10 at Brescia University in Owensboro. There event will feature pro (cash prize) and college/men's open divisions. Teams from New York, Wisconsin, Maryland, Tennessee, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Michigan have already entered the pro division. The tournament is highly-competitive and also serves as showcase type event for players wanting to gain pro exposure. Numerous former NBA players have competed in the Kentuckiana Pro Am Basketball Tournament. NBA veterans Andre Owens, Jabari Smith and Donte Smith have claimed MVP awards in the pro-am event, which started in 1995. Teams can enter until June 30 by contacting director Michael Stinnett at michproa@aol.com. Complete information can be found online at www.kyproam.com.

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Indiana completes sweep of Kentucky All-Stars

by STEVE LEMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

INDIANAPOLIS — Indiana pulled away for a 94-82 win in Consco Fieldhouse on Saturday to complete a two-game sweep over the Kentucky All-Stars.

Cody Zeller led Indiana with 26 points and 15 rebounds. Michigan State recruit Brandon Dawson added 23 points for the host team.

Ryan Taylor paced Kentucky with 24 points and 10 rebounds. Remy Abell added 16 points.

The Kentucky All-Stars managed to hit just 28-of-83 field goals and 16-of-31 free throws in the game.

Indiana now holds an 85-42 lead in the all-time series. Indiana 105, Kentucky 103:

Indiana edged the Kentucky All-Stars 105-103 on Friday after McDonald's All-American Marquis Teague connected on a last-second shot at Bellarmine University's Knights Hall.

Teague finished with 18 points. Andrew Smeathers led Indiana with 21 points. Michigan State signee Brandon Dawson added 17 points and 13 rebounds.

Nic Moore chipped in 16 for Indiana, which hit 33 of 70 shots.

Remy Abell added 12 points, two assists and two steals for the Indiana All-Stars.

Anthony Holmes, who is headed to LSU, led the Kentucky All-Stars with 19 points, eight assists and six steals. Western Kentucky University signee George Fant added 13 points. Western High's Ryan Taylor chipped in 17 points and seven rebounds for the Kentucky team.

Holmes head coach Jason Booher served as an assistant coach for the Kentucky All-Stars. Booher guided Shelby Valley to the 2010 state championship.

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Drillers

contest.
Eastern Kentucky quarterback Allan Holland finished the game 23-of-46 for 280 yards, nine touchdowns and one interception. His favorite target, Barbour, finished with 12 catches for 153 yards to go along with his six scoring receptions. The 12 receptions

tyed Barbour with four other players for a UIFL single-game season-high.
Nichols led Saginaw with nine catches for 176 yards. Andrew Beaver added 52 yards on six receptions for the Sting.

Saginaw linebacker John Jacobs finished with seven

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tackles, one interception, a forced fumble and a pass break-up. Defensively for Eastern Kentucky, Jason Conner had five tackles and four pass break-ups. David Jones paced the Drillers with seven tackles.

Lorenzen named UIFL MVP; Kranz earns executive award

TIMES STAFF REPORT

CANTON, Ohio — The Ultimate Indoor Football League has announced the All-UIFL honors for the 2011 season. Each team received two votes, one for the owner and one for the head coach. Three members of the league office were also given votes.

Jared Lorenzen, who finished tied for first-team quarterback with Saginaw's Tommy Jones, earned the league's Most Valuable Player award. Jones picked up the Offensive Player of the Year award. The two quarterbacks remained atop all the league's passing categories throughout the season. While Lorenzen led the league with a 256.6 yards per game average, Jones was the league leader with 76 touchdowns and a pass efficiency rating of 107.1 heading into Ultimate Bowl I.

River Monsters defensive lineman Thomas McKenzie claimed the UIFL's Defensive Player of the Year honor.

Northern Kentucky leads the way with eight first-team selections, including four on offense. Saginaw and Eastern Kentucky had three first-team

honorees each.

The UIFL also honored the behind the scenes members of the league's respective organizations. Eastern Kentucky's Rick Kranz was named the Marketing Executive of the Year. Huntington's Daniel Fisher and Northern Kentucky's Jayson Ameer Rasheed shared Public Relations Executive of the Year honors. The Best Front Office award went to Huntington's Northern Kentucky earned the Best GameDay Experience and Saginaw was awarded the Best GameDay Environment. Cujo the Cougar (Canton) and D-Lion (Johnstown) were named the league's Best Mascot.

UIFL announces Tupelo, Miss. as' fourth expansion team for 2012

FORT MYERS, Fla. — The Ultimate Indoor Football League (UIFL) has announced that Tupelo, Miss. will be the fourth expansion team for the 2012 season. Tupelo will play in the newly-

formed Southern Division of the UIFL, beginning play in March 2012. The team will play its home games at the 7,000-plus seat BancorpSouth Arena in Tupelo, Miss.

The UIFL will hold a formal press conference over the summer to announce the team name, logo, ownership and more.

Single game tickets will start at \$7. Season tickets will start at \$42. The team will play seven home games at the BancorpSouth Arena during the 2012 season.

Tupelo, Miss. joins three other 2012 expansion teams — Rome, Ga., and Fort Myers, Fla. and Danville, Ill. — in the UIFL. Additional teams in the UIFL Southern Division will be announced over the next few months.

For more information about the Ultimate Indoor Football League, visit the league website at www.theuifl.com or call 877-500-UIFL (8435). The UIFL recently finished the 2011 season with all six original teams: Canton, Ohio, Johnstown, Pa., Huntington, W.Va., Pikeville, Ky., Highland Heights, Ky., and Saginaw, Mich.

Dream

country for a dirt Late Model event in 2011.

"What a long time coming," said O'Neal, expressing relief over his coveted win in a major race. "This is pretty awesome. I drove the wheels off this thing for a hundred laps and finally we got 'er done at the end."

A former DIRTcar Summer Nationals champion known for his hard-charging style, O'Neal crossed the finish line 0.700 of a second in front of the legendary Meyer, who swept last year's Dream and World 100 at Eldora and was bidding to become the first driver to win three of the track's marquee events in a row. Meyer started second and led laps 1-86 in his Victory Circle car.

Polesitter Darrell Lanigan of Union, made several strong attempts to overtake Meyer for the lead during the race's middle stages but was hampered later by an engine skip and settled for third place in a Rocket mount. Dream rookie Will Vaughn of Crane, Mo., placed fourth after starting third in a

Warrior and Eddie Carrier Jr. of Salt Rock, W.Va., registered a career-best Dream finish of fifth after starting one spot better in a Rocket. Driving a Jay Dickens-powered car sponsored by Magnaflow Exhaust, O'Neal ran the race of his life to become the 11th different winner of the Dream and the second driver from the Hoosier State to capture the event.

"I talked to (mechanic) Ronnie Stuckey before the feature and he said, 'Just remember, about lap 60 we need to be up there in striking condition,'" said O'Neal, whose best finish in eight previous Dream starts was third, in 2002. "That's what we done."

"I started off and held my own, and for probably 20 or 30 laps I didn't know if I had a car (to win) or not. Then when I started picking up the pace 40, 50 laps in, I kept thinking, Well, we might have a shot here. I just kept getting one car at a time every few laps. I finally got up there in the top five (on lap 31), and

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then third (passing Vaughn on lap 64), and then second (overtaking Lanigan on lap 79). I thought, I'm gonna win this race."

In a fast-paced race slowed by a single caution flag (on lap 45 for a turn-four spin by Jimmy Owens of Newport, Tenn.), O'Neal "kept digging" and found a way to sneak by Meyer for the lead rounding turns one and two on lap 87. Passing was difficult on a high-banked, half-mile oval that developed a dominant outside lane, but O'Neal was up to the challenge.

"The way (the track) was (fastest) around the top, there were some slide jobs that developed weren't real great," O'Neal said, describing the strategy necessary to advance forward. "But that was the only way you were gonna get the job done — and I wasn't gonna give up on this one!"

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Nine MSU golfers compete in Kentucky State Am event

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — A Nine Morehead State men's golfers competed in the 2011 Appalachian Wireless Kentucky State Amateur Championship, held last week at Kearney Hill Golf Links. Four of those made the final cut to compete in the finals.

Graduate Alex Misback, redshirt junior Crit Reddick, and rising juniors Sam Zirnheld and Jared Flanery all competed in the

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NC State transfer Harrow enrolls at Kentucky

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — North Carolina State University transfer Ryan Harrow has enrolled for summer classes at the University of Kentucky, head Coach John Calipari announced on Thursday.

A 6-1 guard, Harrow averaged 9.3 points and 3.3 assists as a freshman at North Carolina State last season. He was named the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) Rookie of the Week on Dec. 15 after his performance against USC Upstate where he

came off the bench to score a career-best 20 points on 10-of-13 shooting. He also dished out five assists to zero turnovers and added three steals.

Due to NCAA transfer rules, Harrow will have to sit out the 2011-12 season, but he will have three years of eligibility remaining.

"Ryan has tremendous ball-handling skills and offensive awareness and is a great addition to our team," Calipari said. "It's a great student of the game as well as in the classroom. He'll have a year to grow

in our system and should be ready to be a major contributor in 2012-13."

A graduate of Walton High School in Marietta, Ga., Harrow was a third-team Parade All-American, the Georgia Gatorade Player of the Year and the Georgia 5A player of the year as a senior. He was rated the 19th-best overall prospect and No. 7 point guard by Rivals.com in the class of 2010 and was rated No. 25 and No. 39 overall by Scout.com and ESPN Recruiting, respectively.

Brown

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A recap of the flight winners were (Tee/Flight, Name, First Round, Second Round, Total) follows.

Red: Mary Brescoach, 86, 88-174; Gold 1: Max Fearn, 84, 81-165; Gold 2: Gary Mullins, 94, 82-176; White 1: Tommy Hall, 82, 80-162; White 2: Johnny Webb, 90, 90-180; White 3: Mark Keith, 79, 81-160; White 4: Jason Conlee, 89, 84-173; Blue 1: Anthony Chandler, 74, 73-147; Blue 2: Andrew Forrester, 79, 73-152; Blue 3: Rick Morgan, 88, 76-164; Blue 4: Lyle Blackburn, 90, 85-175; Black 1: Johnny Ray Turner, 84, 75-159;

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RAY WITH WILDCATS: Adams Middle School football player Jordan Ray is pictured with University of Kentucky football players Winston Guy Jr., Dequan Evans and Collins Ukwu during a recent Football University session.

Trevathan, Sneed on Pony Express Watch List

Linebackers locked and loaded for Wildcats
TIMES STAFF REPORT
LEXINGTON
 University of Kentucky football senior linebackers Danny Trevathan and Ronnie Sneed have been named to the pre-season watch list for the inaugural Pony Express Award, which will honor the most dynamic two- or three-player teammate groups for the 2011 college football season.

Kentucky's Trevathan and Sneed are among 48 tandems and trios included in the national watch list. The award, which stems from Southern Methodist University's legendary Pony Express backfield of Craig James and Eric Dickerson, will look at two- and three-player groups from across the nation and ultimately honor the combination whose work ethic, desire, on- and off-field leadership and playmaking ability best fuel their teams.

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Horse Liniment Erases Pain

ALLEATH. An ingredient often used to treat inflammation in racehorse's legs, is now back on the market in its original doctor recommended formula. According to a national drug store survey, the formula at one time became so popular that it rose to the top of pharmacy sales for topical pain relievers. But the company marketing the product at the time changed the formula and sales plummeted. One of the inventors of the original formula has brought it back to the market under the trade name **ARTII ARREST** and says it can relieve pain for millions.
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Golfers

final round of the 54-hole event. Rising junior Matt Logan, Rising sophomores Ian Danis and Tommy Carrico and incoming freshmen Jared Stacy and Eli Carr also competed in the first two rounds. Reddick had the best finish among the Eagles, tying for seventh overall with a 217 (72-72-73). Misback tied for 14th, just one stroke behind Reddick with a 218 (75-72-71). Misback's 71 was the fourth lowest round, and the lowest among the MSU golfers. Flanery shot a 224 (77-

75-72) to tie for 38th overall and Zirnbeck was just one stroke behind Flanery with a 225 (72-75-78), tying him for 43rd overall. Logan's two-day total was 153 (77-76), which tied him for 72nd overall. Danis carded a 153 (79-76) to tie for 91st overall, and Carrico shot a 158 (75-83) to tie for 121. Carr finished with a two-day total of 156 (79-77) to tie for 104th and Stacy shot a 166 (80-86) to tie for 146th overall. Both Stacy and Carr will join the Eagle program in the fall as walk-ons.

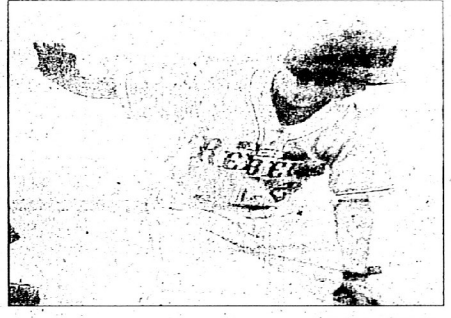


JOHNSON CENTRAL High School
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 ANOTHER GOLDEN EAGLE TO UPIKE: Johnson Central's Tyler Kestner signed with the University of Pikeville during a ceremony last week.

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AT THE PLATE...
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 Freshman shortstop/outfielder Junior Handshoe stood in at the plate for Allen Central during the 15th Region Baseball Tournament at StoneCrest Park.



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 Starting Salary is \$15.79/hour negotiable with additional experience. The position includes a full benefits package, such as health, dental, and life insurance, and retirement, as well as 401K options.
 Applications may be obtained at the Floyd County Health Department or at <http://chfs.ky.gov/dph/lh-dapp.htm>. Completed application and transcript must be returned by close of business June 15th, 2011 to Floyd County Health Department 283 Goble Street, Prestonburg, Kentucky 41663. Resumes will be considered for completed application. Criminal background and pre-employment drug screening required.
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EVERYBODY'S SCIENCE

Bossie busts a move

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 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE

Oh, dear, someone's left the barn door open—but that's probably a good thing.

At least, so say the scientists of the Agricultural Research Service (ARS). They say that when you're talking dairy cows, for example, the best place for those cows, environmentally speaking, is outdoors.

Not that anyone thought you were going to keep them in your living room—but there are dairy operations where the cows are tucked away like hairy collectibles in a nice, snug barn. And yes, that works just fine; in fact, the statistics indicate that a dairy cow inside a barn typically produces more than 20,000 pounds of milk per year (along with a prodigious amount of manure and an interesting array of gases).

In fact, that manure and those gases are leading reasons why some folks think the best place for dairy cows is inside barns. They fear the manure can run off into the environment, then they even blame the cows for greenhouse gases.

So the scientists at ARS decided to take the bull by the horns, so to speak, and use a modeling system to evaluate how different manure systems affect a typical 250-acre Pennsylvania dairy farm actually affect the environment.

They collected a range of field data on grazing systems and manure management and their effects on nutrient loss to the environment. Then they plugged this data into their farm model to evaluate the environmental dynamics of four different dairy farms in all types of weather over 25 years.

One simulation modeled production on a farm that had 85 large-framed Holsteins in the barn, each cow producing 22,000 pounds of milk every year, and 76 replacement heifers. Another modeled production on a farm with 100 moderate-framed Holsteins and 80 replacement heifers in the barn. Each cow in this system produced 18,500 pounds of milk per year.

The third type of farm modeled had 100 Holsteins with average frame size and 80 replacement heifers. But in this system, the cows grazed outside up to 7 months per year. Each cow in this system produced 18,500 pounds of milk annually.

The last farm in the project had a herd of 150 small-framed Holstein/Jersey crossbred cows and 95 replacement heifers, and they all stayed outside all year long, calving in the spring when forage was most abundant, and were rotated from pasture to pasture through the summer. The cows in this system produced almost 9,000 fewer pounds of milk per year than the highest-producing cows in the confinement system.

What about the environmental impact? The model also generated estimates for ammonia emissions from the manure, soil denitrification rates, nitrate-leaching issues, soil erosion, and phosphorus losses from the field runoff.

Here's where the surprise comes: Total emissions of the greenhouse gases methane, nitrous oxide and carbon dioxide were 8 percent less when the cows were outside year-round, compared to the indoor herds. The biggest payoff was in ammonia emissions, which were 30 percent lower with the outdoor herd!

This may defy logic, but here's the explanation: Keeping the cows out of the barns reduces the amount of manure that has to be handled and stored before it's used as fertilizer. That's especially important in summertime, when emissions from stored manure increase.

When fields formerly used for growing feed for the barn-bound cattle were instead converted to perennial grasses for grazing, the atmospheric

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From left, Linda Spurlock, Victim Services coordinator; Jenny Shepherd, victim's advocate volunteer; and Barbara Bailey, victim's advocate volunteer.

CREATING CHANGE

MSU-P'burg social work students complete project to help victims of rape

PRESTONSBURG — Morehead State University at Prestonsburg's graduating senior class worked throughout the area in multiple agencies learning about the social work profession in the region. As part of their senior social work classes, students learn about creating community change. Under the direction Deirdra Robinson, instructor of social work, the students completed a "proposal for change," an assignment which asks the students to develop a project based on the field experience at an agency where they are placed for the semester.

The students were instructed to find out what their agency needed to enhance their work with clients or the community and propose a letter with budget included to a committee on the main campus in Morehead.

Winners were Jenny Shepherd of Salyersville and Barbara Bailey of Royalton.

The agency that won was Mountain Comprehensive Care Center/Victim Services. The agency received \$100 to purchase items such as shampoo, body wash, deodorant, toothpaste and toothbrushes. These items will go to survivors of rape who come to hospitals for an exam. Survivors who are raped are not allowed to shower before the exam.

The purchased items will allow the survivors to shower as soon as they are finished with the exam and before they even leave the hospital.

To learn more about the social work program offered, contact Elizabeth Bishop, facilitator for the social work program at MSU Prestonsburg, at 606-889-4829.



Kentucky high school juniors may enter to win scholarship, photo shoot

FRANKFORT — Juniors at Kentucky's public and private high schools may enter to win a \$500 scholarship and a photo shoot at his or her school through the "Promote Your School" scholarship contest, sponsored by the Kentucky Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA).

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munity. The student's name, address and high school should be listed on a cover sheet or at the bottom of the essay. For more information, visit www.kheaa.com/website/contest/intro.

Photos from the winning school will be used in future KHEAA publications and on KHEAA websites.

To enter, mail your essay to KHEAA, Publications Section, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602-0798. You may also e-mail your essay to publications@kheaa.com or fax it to

(502) 696-7574. The winner will be chosen by a committee of KHEAA employees. The deadline for submissions is Aug. 31, 2011.

Students from high schools that have been featured in the past five years — Trimble County, Boyle County, Menifee County, Williamstown and Green County — are not eligible to enter this year's contest. Children of employees of KHEAA or the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation (KHESLC) are also not eligible.

KHEAA is the state agency that promotes college awareness, provides free college planning materials and administers state student aid programs, including the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES).

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com, write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602, or call (800) 928-8926, ext. 6-7372.

Calendar

tered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live 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.
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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.

Democratic Woman's Club meets at May Lodge

The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m., at

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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.

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.

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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 Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at Riverview Manor Healthcare Center. Call the center for meeting times.

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.

Overeater's 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.

US TOO! 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 Thursday's 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 welcome to attend. Meetings being offered as support to anyone needing extra support in dealing with weight loss.

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A.S.K. (Adoption Support for Kentucky) - Support group for all adoptive parents (public, private, international, and kinship care).

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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 Dedra 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 STA.R.S. Homeschoolers - Will hold monthly meetings at the Paintsville, Recreation Center. For more information, call Trudy at 889-9333, or 297-5147. Everyone welcome.

Narcotics Anonymous (NA) - Each 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 christopher-cook@hotmail.com.



Leslie Taylor Hamilton of Pikeville was the recipient of this year's Elizabeth Akers Elliott Nursing Award at Pikeville College. She was selected by the nursing faculty as the student who "best exemplifies the caring compassion and empathy that are the very spirit of nursing." The award also holds special significance for the family of Elizabeth Akers Elliott who established a trust fund to launch a nursing program in her memory. The Elliotts have been faithful supporters of the program since its inception. Pictured from left are: Shanna Elliott, Hamilton and John Elliott, grandson of Elizabeth Akers Elliott.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0379, Major Revision No. 111 in accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that F.C.D.C. Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41650, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.00 miles southeast of Printer in Floyd County, This major revision will add 18.96 acres of surface disturbance and will delete 0.00 acres making a total of 18.96 acres with the revised permit boundary. The proposed operation is located on approximately 0.45 miles east from KY Route 2030's junction with County Route 1142 and located within Gunstock Branch. The proposed major revision is located on the Harold and Martin USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangles. To be affected by the major revision is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC, Abel and Barbara Parsons, Beva Jensen, Robert Greese, Rose Humble, Tomie Michele Cox, Tomie Michele Cox and Paul David Castle, Paul David Castle, Marlene Monson, Willard R. McKinney, Paul and Anna Perkins, Harold Bowling, and Phillip Dale McKinney and Marvin McKinney. The major revision proposes to add 18.96 acres of surface mining area and proposes to delete 18.96 acres of surface disturbance. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of 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, 42 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within 30 days of today's date.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-5550, Renewal No. 5

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that F.C.D.C. Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41650 has applied for a renewal of a permit to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.50 miles southeast of Teaberry in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 4.61 surface acres and will underlie 905.84 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 910.45 acres. The proposed operation is approximately 0.20 miles east from KY Route 979's junction with Trinker Creek Road and 0.20 miles east of Big Mud Creek. The proposed operation is located on the McDowell and Galloway tracts, 7 1/2 minute quadrangles. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Ray and Kelly Stone. The operation will underlie land owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources - Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NUMBER 836-9294, Renewal No. 1

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Frater Creek Coal Corporation, 750 Town Mountain Road, Frater, Kentucky 40601 has applied for a renewal of a permit to an existing coal refuse disposal operation affecting 41.05 surface acres located 1.0 mile south of Ivel in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 1.0 mile south from Ivy Creek in Prestonsburg, KY 41653 and located 0.75 mile south of the Levisa Fork. The proposed operation is located on the Harold USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Frater Coal Corporation, 750 Town Mountain Road, Frater, Kentucky 40601. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources - Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Mine Permits, 42 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of today's date.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-5563 AMENDMENT 2

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that F.C.D.C. Coal, Inc. P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41650 has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 9.6 miles southeast of Printer in Floyd County. The amendment will add 9.6 acres and delete 1.32 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 838.83 acres and delete 0.69 acres making a total of 244.62 acres within the amended permit boundary. The proposed amendment area is approximately 9.0 miles southeast from KY 122 and located 0.2 miles north of Spout Creek. The proposed amendment area is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by F.C.D.C. Coal, Inc. The amendment will underlie land owned by Herman and Thelma Gordon, Ray and Emma Cass, Mary Evelyn Akers, Alie and Gordon Pam and Lucille and Clinton Boyd, Stacy and Shawn Walker, John and Leslie Wain, Jordan and Pam Boyd, Tina and M.J. Conn, Wilford and Lilian Conn, Betty Boyd and Linda Lyda, L.C. Conn, Okie Boyd, Ronnie Conn, Teddy R. and Janice Akers, Michael T. or Brooks Akers, Cheryl Akers, Alan and Sherri Akers, Timothy D. and Lacey Ann Hall, Eddie and Sandi Law, Henry Harvey, Leonard D. Parsons, Johnny Charles, Ted and Tonia Hall, Gregory Kidd, Vernon and Julieanne Case, Lois and Donald Adams, Aaron B. and Mazie Tackett, Joanna Tackett, Linda Yates and Arnold Hunter and Betty Hunter, Brenda G. Hunter, Johnny and Sally Meade, Ivan Ethel Carroll, Michael and Rila Hancock, John and Sandra Meade, Phoebe Case, John C. Phyllis Lawson, The Elk Horn Coal Company, U.S. 127 South, Dale and Marvin McKinney, John and Betty Sue McKinney, Paul and Anna Mae Perkins, Willard R. McKinney, Oscar and Opal McKinney, Luther Jr. and Debra McKnight, Robert Estate, Sonny and Linda Boyette, The operation will use the contour and underground method of surface mining. The amendment has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining, Reclamation, and Enforcement - Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Mine Permits, 42 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within (30) days of today's date.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Action Petroleum Cabinet to construct a 140 sq-ft sub-surface concretepad for the retention of above ground storage tanks located off Main St. in West Prestonsburg, KY near Middle Creek. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to the Kentucky Division of Water, Surface Water Storage Tanks located off Plain Management Section, 200 Fair Oaks Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that AutoZone, Inc. 123 S. First Street, Memphis, TN 38103, has filed an application with the Commonwealth of Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet Division of Water to construct a retail auto parts facility and associated site work. The property is located at the 748 North Lake Drive, east of Interstate 75, north of Levisa Fork and Black Cat Alley just east of Levisa Fork. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Floodplain Management Section, 200 Fair Oaks Lane, Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Highlands Regional Medical Center's Support Care Unit (18 nursing facility beds) will be temporarily closed effective 6/15/2011. Please contact 886-7481 for further information.

LEGAL NOTICE

TO: UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF BURNS DAMRONRE, VANDERBILT MOTOR CREDIT AND FINANCE INC. VS BURNS DAMRONRE Bobby Royal Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 1330, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, has appointed Warming Order Attorney by the Floyd Circuit Court of the Unknown Spouse of Burns Damron of the nature and pendency of this action of a certain lawsuit filed on or about May 6, 2011, in which the Unknown Spouse of Burns Damron was named as a Defendant. Said lawsuit has been filed in Division No. II of the Floyd Circuit Court, and is Civil Action No. 11-CI-466. The basis of this lawsuit is a Complaint against the Defendants for collection of a debt. The Unknown Spouse of Burns Damron should be advised that the Warming Order Attorney does not represent her interest and the Warming Order Attorney is only notifying her of the pending lawsuit.

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ATTENTION: FLOYD COUNTY BID PROPOSALS

Floyd County Fiscal Court is advertising for sealed bids for the fiscal year 2012. Bids for the following items being accepted: 1. Grade placement of concrete curbs & sidewalks. 2. Bridge materials. 3. Road for Floyd County. 4. Construction of concrete bridge. 5. Diesel fuel tank. 6. Oil, grease and other vehicle materials. 7. Double-walled plastic. 8. Double-walled plastic. 9. Heating & Cooling. 10. Park Supplies. 11. Pipe gation baskets. 12. Asphalt and 7. Use of Equipment with hourly rates. Bids should be placed at the front desk of the Floyd County Judge's Executive Robert McShaff's office at 149 South Central. Sealed bids must be placed on or before 05-27-11 and will be accepted on Thursday, June 23rd (Thursday) 2011. The date of the public hearing will be at the 24th (Friday) 2011 at the hour of 10:00 am. All bids must be sealed when dropped off.

Land (Acreage)
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PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Division of Abandoned Mine Lands at 2521 Lawrenceburg Road, Frankfort, KY 40601, has filed an application with the Energy and Environment Cabinet to place two temporary low water crossings in Turkey Creek. The properties are located on Turkey Creek Road at coordinates 82° 47' 32" 37" 29' 41" and 82° 47' 25" 37' 29' 35.2" approx. - mostly 2.7 and 2.9 acres past the intersection with KY 777 along Turkey Creek. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Floodplain Management Section, 200 Fair Oaks, 4th Floor, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

PUBLIC NOTICE
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