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Obituaries

For the Record

Michael Wayne "Jackel" Blevins - Michael Wayne "Jackel" Blevins, 60, of Prestonsburg, husband of Violet Ann Grace "Bonnie" Blevins, died Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2012, at his residence.

Born Oct. 26, 1951, in Fayette County, to the late Michael and Mary Etta Pelphrey Blevins, he was a retired coal truck driver.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Michael Wayne Blevins Jr., of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Elizabeth Ann Blevins Moore, of Eastern; two brothers, Dean Blevins, of Prestonsburg, and Ikie Blevins, of Ashland; a sister, Mickey Mary Sherman-Hindes, of York, Ohio; eight grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Johnny Blevins, and a sister, Zepora Patricia Blevins Haywood.

Funeral services for Michael Wayne "Jackel" Blevins will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 11, at the House of Prayer, at Brush Fork at Hippo, under the direction of Benny Stone, Freddie Johnson and Wade Martin Hughes. Burial will follow in the family cemetery, at Hippo.

Visitation will be held all day Friday, at the church.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, of Martin, is in charge of arrangements.

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com

Elizabeth Newsome - Elizabeth Newsome, 57, daughter of the late Darwin and Mary Francis Spradlin, died July 28, 2012.

Born June 13, 1955, she is survived by a daughter, Michelle Kidd; six brothers, Theodore Ellis Spradlin, James Robert Spradlin, Phillip Ray Spradlin, Bobby Spradlin, Jeffery Spradlin and Elzie Edward Spradlin; three sisters, Christine Ousley, Lois Dean Cornette and Leetha Diana Laferty; and three grandchildren.

Kennedy Danielle Kidd, Shelby Madison Grace Kidd and Ronnie Michael Lee Kidd, 1.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, John Thomas Spradlin.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, of Martin, was in charge of arrangements.

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Glen Ramey - Glen Ramey, 60, of Hindman, died Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2012, at Hazard ARH Regional Medical Center.

Born Dec. 2, 1951, in Lima, Ohio, to the late Glen Gibson and Ethel Ramey, he was a diabled laborer for Star Craft.

He is survived by two sons, Glen Ramey Jr., of Garrett, and Daniel Edward Ramey, of Clear Creek; a brother, Dewey Thomas Mullett, of Venedocia, Ohio; two sister, Lodiina Childers and Juanita Fox, both of Venedocia; and two grandchildren, Joshua Ramey and Clou Ramey.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Randy Mullett.

Funeral services for Glen Ramey were held Thursday, Aug. 9, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Bethel Bolen officiating. Burial followed at the Al Conley Cemetery, at Rock Fork.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, of Martin, was in charge of arrangements.

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CIVIL SUITS - Assett Acceptance, LLC v. Crystal Lafferty - contract. Assett Acceptance, LLC v. Debra Jeffrey S. Young - contract. LVNV Funding LLC v. William E. Boyd - contract. Central Financial Services INC v. Kelly Knott - contract. Central Financial Services INC v. Jeffrey S. Young - contract. Pikeville Radiology PLLC v. Jerry A. Pinson - contract. Capital One Bank v. Adam Mullins - contract. Capital One Bank v. Kathy Osborne - contract. Capital One Bank v. Michelle Slonge - contract. Capital One Bank v. Betty Dutton - contract.

Capital One Bank v. Jerry R. Gibson - contract. Community Trust Bank v. Ted Hamilton - contract. Community Trust Bank v. Matthew Zemo - contract. Fifth Third Mortgage Company v. Lora Lee Little, et al - contract. First Garanty Bank v. Jennifer Dunlap - contract. Midland Funding LLC v. Ledis Hamilton - contract. April Jane Reed v. James Edward Reed - dissolution of marriage.

CHARGES FILED - Patrick Lee Hall, 30, of Melvin - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. Donald Lee Goble, 49, Eastern - second degree burglary.

Steven Dwayne Jackson, 37, Prestonsburg - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. David Hamilton, 43, Prestonsburg - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. Donna J. Jewel, 52, Prestonsburg - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. Ronnie Joe Endicott, 32, Prestonsburg - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. Brian L. Kidd, 40, Harold - making false statements to receive benefits over \$100. Lisa L. Huff, 35, Prestonsburg - operating a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs/alcohol, no insurance, no/expired plates, leaving the scene of an accident.

reputation among readers of Appalachian literature based on a relatively small number of literary works.

"The Hills Remember" honors the late writer with the first comprehensive collection of his short fiction.

The book includes all of Still's previously published stories and 10 previously unpublished works.

The Clark Symposium honoring Still's life and work will be hosted by Lexington Mayor Jim Gray and moderated by Educational Television's Bill Goodman.

Kentucky writers Garney Norman, director of the University of Kentucky Creative Writing Program, and Crystal Wilkinson will be featured speakers at the event, as well as Olson, who previously edited of a book of Still's poetry, "From the Mountain,

Event honors Appalachian literary legend

LEXINGTON — The Thomas D. Clark Foundation and the University Press of Kentucky will host a symposium to honor the life and literary legacy of James Still.

The Thomas D. Clark Medallion Symposium, which is free and open to the public, will be held 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, at the Carnegie Center for Literacy and Learning, located at 251 West Second St.

The symposium will celebrate Still's posthumous collection of short stories, "The Hills Remember: The Complete Short Stories of James Still," winner of the Thomas D. Clark Medallion Book Award.

Each year, the Clark Foundation chooses a book which highlights Kentucky history and culture to be honored with a Clark Medallion.

From the Valley: New and Collected Poems." The University Press of Kentucky is the scholarly publisher for the Commonwealth of Kentucky, representing a consortium that now includes all of the state universities, five private colleges, and two historical societies.

Led by Director Stephen Wrinn, its editorial program focuses on the humanities and the social sciences.

Offices for the administrative, editorial, production and marketing departments of the press are found at UK, which provides financial support toward the operating expenses of the publishing operation.

For more information or to purchase "The Hills Remember" from University Press of Kentucky visit the press online at www.kentucky-press.com.

receiving benefits; • Signing up for or changing direct deposit; and • Much, much more.

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If you happen to be a golfer (or any other person) who loves tradition and hates to try new things, here's a thought. 2012 is the 100th anniversary of the birth of three of golf's legends — Ben Hogan, Byron Nelson, and Sam Snead. All of these golfing greats were quick to adapt to the newest golfing innovations of their day — and you should, too. Just go online to www.socialsecurity.gov and take a look at what we offer.

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Social Security services can be found online

Jennifer Hopkins - Claims Representative, Social Security Administration

For many retirees (and near retirees), there is nothing that they look forward to as much as a day on the golf course. The game recently has been made more pleasurable by the use of computers and GPS technology. A handheld electronic unit acts just like a personal caddie, providing quick and accurate yardage information — and much more. It saves time, as well as mental and physical effort.

So golfers should be among those retirees (and near retirees) to recognize the value of technology in other aspects of life, such as Social Security's online services. Just by logging onto your computer at www.socialsecurity.gov, you can handle such important Social Security business as:

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Community Calendar

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

Final Dwale Homecoming

Saturday, Sept. 1, the annual Dwale Homecoming Reunion will take place at the Dwale shelter, beginning at 10 a.m. This will be the last Dwale Homecoming.
 Memorial service starts at noon. Dinner will be served at 1 p.m. There will be no Friday night events.
 All food will be provided by the Dwale Homecoming Committee.

Prestonsburg High School Majorette

There will be a very important meeting and rehearsal, Saturday, August 11, from 1 to 3 p.m., at Prestonsburg First United Methodist Church gymnasium. If you plan to participate in the upcoming reunion, October 12-13, during the Jenny Wiley Festival, please plan to attend.
 Prestonsburg High School Majorette Alumni meet at 1 p.m., the second Saturday of each month, at the First United Methodist Church gymnasium, in Prestonsburg. For more information, contact Carol Jo May at (606) 226-2565.

UFike registration

University of Pikeville fall registration will take place Aug. 16 and 17, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., in the Record Memorial Building, Level 5. Call (606) 218-5251 to enroll.
 Classes begin Aug. 20. Call (606) 218-5251 to enroll.

ABC workshop

The Alzheimer's Association will present ABC Workshop, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Wednesday, August 22, at the Pikeville Public Library, 119 College Street, Room 124. This program is for those who have a friend or family member who has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia. This two-hour workshop is designed to educate new caregivers on dementia and safety issues. Registration is required; e-mail infok@alz.org or call 1-800-272-3900.

Late stage caregiver connection symposium

This Alzheimer's Association will present information about the later stages of Alzheimer's disease and caregiving. It will also offer an opportunity to reflect and gain a new perspective on your caregiving issues. The symposium will take place on Wednesday, August 22, from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Pikeville Public Library, 119 College Street, Room 124. Registration is required; call 1-800-272-3900 or e-mail infok@alz.org.

Free underground mine foreman class

FCTC is offering a free underground Mine Foreman course made available through Kentucky Coal Academy scholarships. Course will begin Monday, August 13 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in Room 223 of the Industrial Education Building located on the Technical Campus. Vance Arnold is the instructor.
 Pre-registration is required. Contact Dianna Handshoe to register at 606-487-3292.

Quit smoking

Are you ready to kick the tobacco habit for good? The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking can help! Classes are ongoing at Saint Joseph - Martin on Mondays, at 10:30 a.m., in the Seton Complex Lower Level Conference Room.
 For more information, call 285-6692.
 The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking Program is made available to Kentuckians through the Kentucky Cancer Program and its partners.

PHS class of 2002 reunion

Ten-year reunion planning is underway for the Prestonsburg High School class of 2002. For more information, please contact Zach Stone at (606) 205-1371.

Communities Against Drug Addiction

Floyd County Communities Against Drug Addiction meets at noon the third Tuesday of each month, in the third floor conference room of the Floyd County Health Department. Lunch is provided.
 For more information, contact Mike Vance at (606) 226-2075, Leslie Howell at (606) 263-4370 or (606) 339-7358, or Carol Jo May at (606) 226-2565.

Floyd County Job Club

The Floyd County Job club meets every Thursday, from 11 a.m. until noon, at the Floyd County Public Library, in Prestonsburg. This free job club is sponsored by Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program, Big Sandy Area Community Action Program and the Office of Employment and Training. At the club, you will get job leads, job search advice and networking opportunities that will help you get hired. All are welcome and first-time visitors are encouraged to come 30 minutes early for a new member orientation. Call (606) 886-2948, for more information.

Allen VFD membership drive

Allen Volunteer Fire Department is now holding a

membership drive. Meetings are held every Monday night, at 6:30 p.m., at the station. Please stop and help your volunteer fire department or call Asst. Chief Bill Jarvis at (606) 671-6601.

Volunteer mentors wanted

Mentoring for a Second Chance is a jail-based service program designed to help reduce recidivism and promote positive growth, by linking nonviolent offenders with a mentor from the local community. M2C is looking for local men who are motivated to make a difference in the life of an individual while having a positive impact on the community.
 If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a mentor, contact mentor coordinator Joshua Kinzer, (606) 886-4439, (606) 339-8878, or JKinzer@MICComp.org.

Veterans service office

VFW Post 5839 in Lancer will have a service officer available every Wednesday, from noon until 4 p.m. Some services offered will be initial claim filing, upgrades, appeals, permanent and total claims and others.
 Contact (606) 886-9428 or (606) 297-1973 for more information.

Autism Awareness & Support Group

Calvary's of each month, Lancer, (6-7 p.m.). Contact: Billie Chain, eastkyautismawareness@gmail.com

Autistic Children Support Group plans monthly meeting

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

Non-profit agency needs foster parents

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

Auxier Learning Center offers home repair aid

Need help with home repairs? The Auxier Lifetime Learning Center can help. We are now taking applications for home repairs. If you

or someone you know are low income and need help with repairs on your home, please call 606-886-0709 for your application, or stop by the office at 21 South River Street, Auxier. Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00-4:00. Must provide proof of income and ownership.

FCHD offers Body Recall exercise classes

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

Become a volunteer with Victim Services

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

OutPatient Drug Treatment Program and Education

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

Auxier Community Center

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

Free Bible Lessons

Write to: Bible Way Outreach Ministry, P.O. Box 3371, Kingsport, TN 37664. Lessons completely free of charge to all interested.

Need help with addiction?

Lifeline of Floyd County "Conquer Chemical Dependency" is a Christ-centered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live 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.
 Mondays, family support group, for families that have been hurt by addiction, Methodist First Baptist Church, 7 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.
 Sundays, "Stepping into Freedom" group, McDowell First Baptist Church, 7 p.m.
 For more information, call Libbi Hall at (606) 377-2930.

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8-4.

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

The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m., at Prestonsburg City Hall.
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 on Thursdays, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at Reno's Roadhouse. For additional information, contact Paula Howard, 263-3229, or Tommie Layne, 886-4585. Everyone welcome.

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Viewpoint

Worth Repeating ...

A liberal is a man who is right most of the time, but he's right too soon.

— Gregory Nunn

Amendment I

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

Our View A servant is called home

We were saddened Thursday to learn of the passing of someone whose legacy is the very definition of leading by example.

Father Ralph Beiting came to visit Appalachia in 1946, and his heart would not allow him to leave for long. He returned in 1950 to lead an unbuild church, and he went on to do so much more.

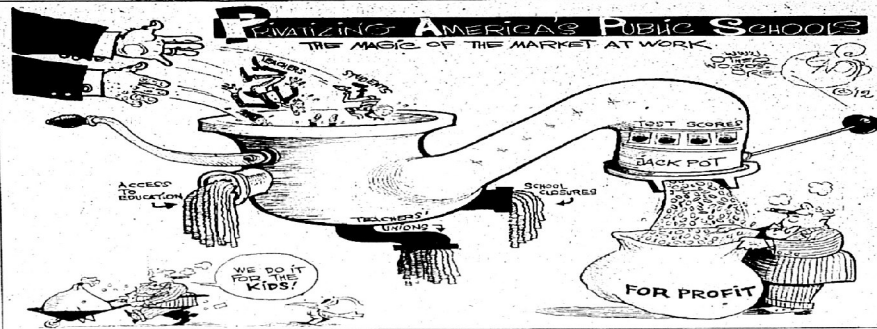
The impact Father Beiting has had on Eastern Kentucky becomes clear when attempting to list his accomplishments — founder of Christian Appalachian Project, founder of Father Beiting Appalachian Mission Center, builder and founder of 20 churches in Eastern Kentucky, founder of Mountain Christian Academy, founder of the Maytown Center, founder of Point of Hope, and the list goes on.

Father Beiting was never shy about attempting to fill a need, and when he looked at Appalachia, he saw a lot of needs to be filled.

Although he would become an icon for the region and for the spirit of charity and volunteerism, he was never one to seek glory for himself. He would stand front and center, when the time called for it, but only to urge others to join him in meeting the physical and spiritual needs of those he served.

Each of us can pay tribute to his memory by reaching out to a neighbor in need. We have a feeling he would like that.

— *The Floyd County Times*



The Usual Eccentric Four-out-of-five dentists agree

Will E. Sanders
Creators Syndicate

Somewhere in dental school there is a deep-rooted belief being taught that normal individuals can hold a conversation with someone while their entire fist is crammed squarely down someone's throat. Or maybe it's not a fist; let's say a dozen or so razor sharp instruments. The result is still the same.

So how many dentists believe this? Four out of five dentists surveyed agree.

My dentist is under the firm stance that foreign objects in my mouth — in no way whatsoever — interfere with my ability to discuss the weather.

"Kes, ka leather kis koveley," I usually manage to hack out, which roughly translates to, "Yes, the weather is lovely, now will you please take your hand out of my mouth so I can tell you all about my day, too?"

Now for the better part of a decade I wrote dentists off entirely. Then my father got dentures. That was a wake-up call. I decided then and there to exercise proper tooth care because I enjoy eating apples, taffy and apple-flavored taffy too much to let dentures

stand in the way. (This paragraph has been brought to you by the folks at Polygrip, America's most valued dental adhesive.)

That's right, after neglecting my teeth for so long I required serious dental intervention, and as you can obviously tell I have started renting out advertising space in my column to pay for the work.

Which reminds me: Pepsi, Doritos, Meow Mix and Preparation-H.

The first time I went to the dentist as an adult several years ago, my mouth was in such disarray the dentist died exactly two days later.

Since then, things have been going fine in the teeth department, and that's the honest truth. Well, until the other day when my second dentist (who thankfully is still alive and kicking) informed me that I have an extremely elongated uvula.

Uh, what exactly is a uvula? Don't worry; at first I thought it was a dirt word, too. That couldn't be farther from the truth. A uvula is that annoying fleshy nuisance that hangs down from the back of your throat and apparently my uvula is ridiculously long

and freakish. Those weren't my dentist's exact words, but it's an awfully close description.

Either way, it left me with a bad taste in my mouth.

During my last routine cleaning, my dentist was looking this here gift horse in the mouth when he suddenly stopped, peered into my cake hole with great focus and furrowed his brow.

"By God," he remarked, "that's the longest uvula I have ever glimpsed in my entire life."

"Khat's ka kuvula?" I queried with little success, wondering if the dentist was paying me a compliment or an insult.

So impressive was my uvula that the dentist called over his assistant to have a look for herself. When she did, she agreed with the dentist, who then called over another dental assistant to get a third opinion. The second dental assistant shrieked in horror, I drew the line when the dentist called on everyone in the waiting room to take a gander as well.

Think about it for a second. My dentist is an older gentleman and an accom-

plished dental technician. He has probably witnessed thousands of uvulas from his clientele over the years, not to mention from dental books exclusively featuring medical abnormalities. When a dude like that says something like that you tend to sit up straight and listen. But I couldn't. I was in the dentist's chair.

But none of this surprises me in the least. My record-setting long uvula is nothing but the latest example and confirmation of how deformed my entire body is. When it comes to my body, everything that should be short is long, and conversely, everything that should be long is short.

What a complete rip-off. Thanks a lot, life!

After I got home from the dentist I started to grow concerned. I began investigating the Internet in order to answer the age-old question of, "What purpose does a uvula serve?"

The long and short of it is a uvula does nothing at all. Four out of five dentists agree.

To contact Will E. Sanders email him at wills@willesanders.com.

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Guest View Raising minimum wage good for Main Street

Margot Dorfman
CEO, U.S. Women's Chamber of Commerce

The U.S. Women's Chamber of Commerce supported the last increase in the federal minimum wage on July 2009 and we believe another raise is overdue. The business owners I talk with every day say that, far from hurting their businesses, raising the minimum wage in fact helps small businesses and the broader economy.

The number one problem for our member businesses is weak customer demand. Too many people forget that workers are also consumers. Consumer spending drives 70 percent of our economy, and we must reverse consumer spending — backed by adequate wages rather than unaffordable debt — if we are going to repower our economy, create jobs and rebuild our middle class.

Raising the minimum wage puts dollars in the pockets of workers who are by necessity most likely to spend them immediately at the grocery store, the pharmacy, the auto-repair shop and other local businesses. Raising the minimum wage boosts the economy from the bottom up, which is exactly what we need.

The U.S. Women's Chamber of Commerce has over 500,000 members across the nation. Women are more likely to own businesses in the services sector — such as in retail, health-care, education and personal services. Raising the minimum wage reinforces their business strategies.

Many of the women business owners who belong to the U.S. Women's Chamber left the workforce to start

their own businesses because they felt they were not being fairly paid.

The migration of women from the workforce into business ownership has been one of the great economic achievements of the American dream. Women now own over 30 percent of American farms and are using their decision-making authority to effect positive changes in the workplace.

Women business owners understand and value security for families. And they know that when businesses invest in their workforces with decent compensation, they enjoy the benefits of a dedicated workforce with less turnover, higher productivity and better customer service.

Our members know that the typical low-wage worker is an adult woman. Think of your waitress at Applebee's or the cashier who rings you up at Walmart or the health aide who helps your mother or grandfather.

Our members know that the federal minimum wage of \$7.25 an hour — just \$7.25 as long as they can get away with it. They often hide behind false claims about minimum wage and unemployment. In fact, the most comprehensive and rigorous studies of the impact of actual minimum wage increases show they do not cause job loss. See the studies published in the *Review of Economics and Statistics* and the journal *Industrial Relations*, for example.

I'm tired of hearing from well-paid business lobbyists who would keep minimum wage at the poverty wage of \$7.25 as long as they can get away with it. They often hide behind false claims about minimum wage and unemployment. In fact, the most comprehensive and rigorous studies of the impact of actual minimum wage increases show they do not cause job loss. See the studies published in the *Review of Economics and Statistics* and the journal *Industrial Relations*, for example.

In our experience, workers who are paid poverty wages work overwhelmingly for the big chains, not for Main Street businesses. In fact, the big chains count on responsible employers and taxpayers to subsidize them by providing food stamps and public health assistance to their workers who can't make ends meet on poverty wages.

The reality is that my members and other Main Street businesses have a lot in common with low-wage workers: both are being squeezed by the national chains. Raising the minimum wage to a more realistic amount helps level the playing field for businesses that believe in treating their workers fairly and investing in the communities they are rooted in.

We need strong minimum wage laws that guarantee to taxpayers that businesses are playing fair and compensating workers at responsible levels. That will help us stop the downward spiral we see across America. That will help level the playing field between small and big businesses. That will help us rebuild our economy and sustain job creation for the long term.

Senator Tom Harkin and Rep. George Miller have proposed increasing the minimum wage in three gradual steps to \$9.80 by 2014. If that sounds like a lot, think about this: if the minimum wage had kept up with inflation since its highest level in 1968 it would be \$10.55 today.

Let's raise the minimum wage and move our economy forward instead of backward.

Margot Dorfman is CEO of the U.S. Women's Chamber of Commerce.

Floyd natives named to MSU board

MOREHEAD — Todd Q. Thacker and Margo Hunt are new members on the Morehead State University Board of Regents.

Elected by the staff, Thacker is the fourth staff regent on the Board.

He holds the position of building maintenance superintendent in the Office of Facilities Management.

He replaces coworker Terry White, construction manager, who served from 2009.

A native of Garrett, Thacker received a diploma in industrial electricity from Mayo State Vocational Technical School, an Associate in Arts degree from Prestonsburg Community College, a Bachelor of Science degree and a Master of Science de-

gree from Morehead State University.

He joined the staff in 1990.

On campus, Thacker served 16 years on Staff Congress, in which he served as chair for two terms, as well as many university standing committees, such as the Employee Benefits Committee, Intercollegiate Athletic Committee, Job Classification Appeals Committee, Service Committee and Green Committee just to name a few.

He also teaches residential and commercial electricity for the Department of Applied

Morehead State University has named Floyd natives Todd Thacker and Margo Hunt to the Board of regents

Engineering and Technology as an adjunct instructor. He is married to Marsha A. Thacker, a Sandy Hook native who is also an MSU alumnus. They have one daughter, Kinsey, who attends Rodburn School.

Hunt, the new student regent, is a Floyd County native with a double major in history and public relations/pre-law.

She was elected president of the Student Government Association in the spring and has served that organization

as a Housing Representative.

In the 2011-12, Hunt was entertainment events coordinator for the Student Programming Board.

She also founded the MSU chapter of Up 'til Dawn, an organization that raises funds and awareness for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, where her life was saved as a baby battling liver cancer.

Hunt is involved with various other campus organizations such as

Delta Gamma sorority, Order of Omega Greek honor society, Phi Alpha Theta history honor society, MSU Historical Society, and Students Advocating Gender Equality.

She also served as a Freshman Orientation Leader for the past three years.

She completed the Springtime in Paris Spring Break Study Abroad Program in 2012.

Hunt has earned many awards and honors such

as being named the 2012 Greek Woman of the Year, a member of the 2011 Homecoming Court, and recipient of the 2011 George T. Young Memorial Fund Award.

MSU's 11-member governing board is comprised of eight citizens appointed by the governor and elected representatives of the faculty, staff and students.

All new members will be officially sworn in at the Aug. 23 Board meeting.

Goodman named director of districtwide services

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

A new director of districtwide services was appointed this week in Floyd County Schools.

Superintendent Henry Webb issued a statement Wednesday announcing that Tonya Goodman had been selected as Director of District Wide Services.

"Ms. Goodman has been the principal at Duff Elementary for three years and her leadership has been instrumental in their dramatic increase in attendance as well as maintaining good test scores," said Superintendent Webb.

Webb says that Goodman's primary duties will be to oversee Floyd County's alternative program, the Renaissance Learning Center, as well as the counties newest program, the Floyd County Early College Academy (FCECA).

Tonya Goodman previously worked as principal of Duff Elementary, is beginning her 23rd year in education. Goodman has served as a teacher, curriculum specialist, and assistant principal and has worked with all grade levels.

"The board team and I welcome Ms. Goodman to our team in her new role and expect her leadership and knowledge to help the kids of Floyd County Schools."

Crowe's farewell tour brings him to MAC one last time

Ralph B. Davis
Managing Editor

PRESTONSBURG — Bluegrass performer J.D. Crowe will be retiring soon, but not before playing one last show at the Mountain Arts Center.

And true to form, that

last appearance will be a benefit concert.

Crowe is headlining the "Bluegrass through the Years" concert Sept. 29, with his band, The New South. They will be joined by The Boxcars and Pike and Floyd County natives Coaltown Dixie.

Tickets to the event are

\$21 in advance and \$26 the day of the show. Tickets can be purchased at the MAC box office, by calling 606-889-9125, or by visiting macarts.com.

Proceeds from the concert will benefit Cedar Creek Assisted Living and Good Shepherd Community Nursing Center.

Second annual Coal Miners Appreciation Week begins Sunday

FRANKFORT — Coal miners across Kentucky will receive an official state thank you next week as the Commonwealth celebrates its second annual Coal Miners Appreciation Week.

The event is held during the third week each August. It was established by the 2011 Kentucky General Assembly with the passage of House Bill 269, sponsored by State Rep. Rick Nelson of Bell County.

Nelson, an educator who is the son of a coal miner, said the annual event recognizes coal mining businesses and all Kentuckians to thank coal miners for producing enough fuel to power more than half of the electricity used in the U.S.

"Our miners are the reason why energy is still affordable for many consumers in the U.S.," said Nelson. "They are the reason why most of us—and nearly every person in Kentucky—can turn on a lamp, power on a computer or watch TV at an affordable rate. And we need to thank them for that."

Over 90 percent of the electricity produced in Kentucky is generated by coal, according to the Institute for Energy

Research, which credits coal-fired electricity for keeping Kentucky's electricity affordable at around 6.5 cents per kilowatt hour.

Recent data from the federal Energy Information Administration shows that Kentucky has the third lowest average retail electricity costs in the nation.

Coal is also a major employer in Kentucky, employing 23,340 people directly and indirectly providing three additional jobs for every miner employed in an average year, based on state data from 2009. The average weekly wage for coal miners in Kentucky was \$1,214 in 2009, according to the data.

Coal Miners Appreciation Week starts this Sunday, August 12.

KING'S DAUGHTERS WELCOMES

Orthopedic & Spine Surgeon

James Rice, M.D.

KDMC welcomes orthopedic and spine surgeon James Rice, M.D.

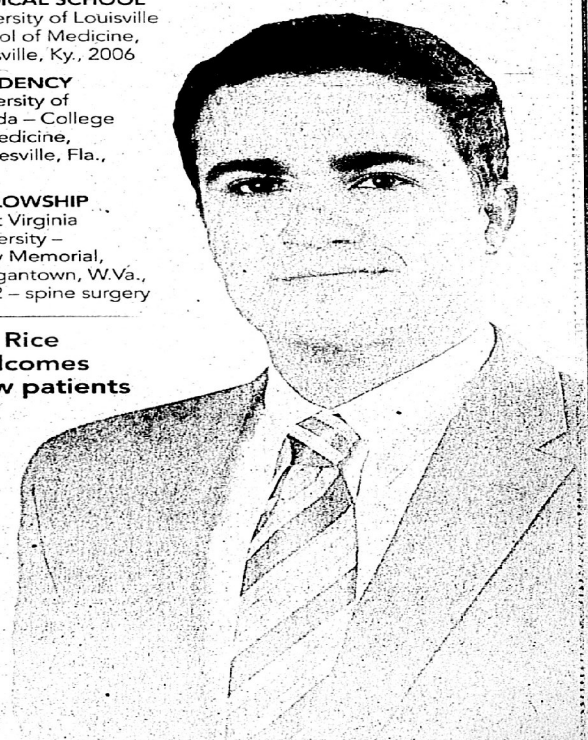
Dr. Rice is teaming up with orthopedic surgeon Kevin Kulwicki, M.D., and sports medicine physician Andy Gilliland, M.D. Dr. Rice is originally from Russell, Ky.

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of Medicine,
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2011

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University -
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CINEMA 3
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CINEMA 4
Total Recall (PG-13) "held over"
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CINEMA 5
CLOSED

CINEMA 6
DIARY OF A WIMPY KID: DOG DAYS (PG)
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CINEMA 7
THE CAMPFIRE (R)
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CINEMA 8
THE DARK KNIGHT RISES (PG13)
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CINEMA 9
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CINEMA 10
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Fri 4:15
Sat-Sun 2:00 - 4:15

THE WATCHER (R) "held over"
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Fri 7:15-9:30
Sat-Sun 7:15-9:30

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MADRID 10
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Cinema 2
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Sun (1:30-4:00) 7:50-9:50

Floyd County Devotional Page

This devotional and directory is made possible by these businesses who encourage all of us to attend worship services.

Devotional Spotlight



Maytown 1st Baptist Church
Rev. Robert (Bob) Varney
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 a.m.
 Wednesday 6:00 p.m.

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

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

First Assembly of God, Martin, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Lorie Vanuice, Minister.
 In Victory Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg, Sunday School, 10:00; Worship Service, 11:00 & 6:30; Wednesday Evening 6:30; Gary Stacey, Pastor.
 New Bethel Assembly of God, Burning Fork Rd., Salyersville, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; (Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Arthur (Sam) Smith, Minister.
 Praise Assembly, 1 mile S. of Prestonsburg, intersection of Rt. 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.; Midweek Thurs., 7:00 p.m.; J.M. Sloce, Minister.

BAPTIST

Allen First Baptist, Allen, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Arnold Turner, Minister.
 Auxier Freewill Baptist, Auxier, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Spencer, Pastor.
 Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church, Mousay Ky; Worship Service, 9:30; Every third Sat. and Sun. of each month; Roger Hicks, Pastor; Ralph Howard, Asst. Pastor; Contact Kermit Newsome 606-377-6881 for more information.
 Benedict Baptist, Slick Rock Branch; Cow Creek, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gordon Fitch, Minister.
 Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tracy Patton, Minister.
 Big Sandy Community and Technical College Baptist Student Union, J 102; Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.; Vera Joiner, 886-3863, ext. 67267.
 Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road, Bonanza; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jimmy D. Brown, Minister.
 Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Com Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roger Music, Minister.
 Calvary Southern Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Doug Lewis, Minister.
 Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Paul D. Coleman, Minister.
 Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Nathan Lafferty, Minister.
 Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner; Services: Saturday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 7 p.m.; Henry Lewis, Minister.
 Drift Freewill Baptist, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; Jim Fields, Minister.
 Endicot Freewill Baptist, Buffalo; Sun. School, 10 a.m.;

Church, every Sun. Morning 11:00 a.m.; Wed. evening Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; First Sat. evening Service, All Welcome 7 p.m.; Pastor Mark Hunt, 606-478-2693.
 Faith Bible Church, an independent Baptist church, located on 1428, between Allen & Martin, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Bob Wireman.
 Faith Freewill Baptist, 1/4 mile above Worldview Ept. on Rt. 1428; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Elder Donnie Patrick, Minister.
 First Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Osborne, Minister.
 First Baptist, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Greydon Howard, Minister.
 First Baptist, Prestonsburg, 157 South Front Street; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wed., 6:30 p.m.; Jerry C. Workman, minister.
 Fitzpatrick First Baptist, 1063 Big Branch, P.O. Box 410, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Wednesday Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Tommy Reed.
 Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Grethel Baptist, State Rt. 3379, (Branchman's Creek Rd.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.
 Garrett Regular Baptist, Route 550, Garrett; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Larry Patton, pastor. Phone 358-9610.
 Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; David Garrett, Minister.
 Jacks Creek Baptist, Beinsville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Roger Truist.
 Katy Friend Freewill Baptist, 2 miles up Abbott, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jimmy Caudill, Pastor.
 Lackey Freewill Baptist, Lackey, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Johnny J. Collins, Minister.
 Lanier Baptist Church, 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Bobby Carpenter.
 Left Beaver Regular Baptist Church across from Garth School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.; Gary Compton, Pastor.
 Liberty Baptist, Darwa; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Merle Little, Minister.
 Ligon Community Freewill Baptist, Ligon Worship Service, Sunday, 11:00 a.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.
 Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church of Jesus Christ, (Indian Bottom Association) Services: 1st Saturday & Sunday (every month 9:30 a.m., 3rd Sunday 9:30 a.m., 6th Sunday 9:30 a.m.)
 Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Eastl, Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James (Red) Morris, Minister.
 Martin Freewill Baptist, Martin, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; John L. Blair, Minister.
 Maytown First Baptist, Main St., Maytown; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Bob Varney, Minister.
 McDowell First Baptist, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Slade Stinson, Pastor.
 Middle Creek Baptist, Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; William L. Hunt, Minister.
 Lighthouse Baptist, 2194 KY Rt. 1429, Prestonsburg; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Donald Crisp, Minister. home phone 285-3385.
 Pleasant Home Baptist, Water Gap Road, Lancer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mike Tacke, Pastor.
 Prater Creek Baptist, Banner; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Rock Fork Freewill Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Word Crager, Minister.
 Rock Fork Regular Baptist, Garrett; Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Jerry Manns, Pastor; Willie Crace Jr., Assistant Pastor.
 Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville; Worship Service, 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; Pastor: Allen Chaffins, phone 946-2123.
 Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist, Dana; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.
 Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stephens Branch; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.
 The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Phillip Flamey, Pastor.
 Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23 (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chuck Ferguson, Minister.
 Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist; Cliff Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Youth Service, 6:00 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; No Service the 1st Sunday of each month; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jody Spencer, Minister.
 Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist; Intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 80, Water; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m. and Evening Worship Service 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m., Youth Services 7 p.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.
 United Community Baptist, Hwy. 7, Hueysville; Worship Service, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Carlos Bevely, Minister.
 Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright Junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Loui Green, Minister.

CATHOLIC

St. Martha, Water Gap; Mass: Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Saturday, 5 p.m.; Sunday, Father Robert Darnon, pastor.
 CHRISTIAN
 First Christian, 560 North Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Jim Sherman, Minister.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy J. Spears, Minister.
 Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 86 Hwy. 1428; Worship Service, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Richard Kelly, Minister.
 Harold Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Willie E. Meade, Minister.
 Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Hueysville Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chester Varney, Minister.
 Lower Toler Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Louis Meade, Minister.
 Mare Creek Church of Christ, Starville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.
 Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gary Micholl, Minister.
 Maytown Church of Christ, 66 Turkey Creek Rd., Langley; Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m., Sunday morning worship 10:00 a.m., Wednesday Evening 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Upper Toler Church of Christ, 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.
 Weeksburg Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. John Burke, Minister.

CHURCH OF GOD

Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Judith Caudill, Minister.
 Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Worship Service, 4:11 a.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Bud Crum, Minister.
 First Church of God; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Steve Cosby, Minister.
 Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Family Training Hour - Thursday 7 p.m., Bill B. Tussey, Jr. Pastor.
 Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.
 Little Palm First Church of God, 671 Little Palm Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jeff White, Pastor.
 The Ligon Church of God of Prophecy, Saturday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Ralph Hall, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL

St. James Parish, 560 Wendover Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606) 886-8046; Sunday Coffee Hour, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m. Office Hours: Mon-Fri., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Reverend Stan McGraw, www.lutheran.net/baptists/ Visit us on Facebook.

LUTHERAN

Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Baynes Room Cabbage House Motel, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; WKLV (600 a.m.) 12:05 p.m.; Roland, Minister.

METHODIST

Auxier United Methodist, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Mearl Music, Minister.
 Betsy Layne United Methodist, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Blackburn, Minister.
 Allen Christ United Methodist, Allen; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth Lemaster, Minister.
 Community United Methodist, 147 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neeley St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jeffrey Lambert, Pastor.
 Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.
 Emma United Methodist, Emma; Sunday School 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Pastor David Proff.
 First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m.; Youth Service 6 p.m.; Rev. Jim Adams, Pastor.
 Highland United Methodist, Auxier Road, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Midweek Services, 7 p.m.; Sunday Evening Service held on the 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th, 10th, 12th, 14th, 16th, 18th, 20th, 22nd, 24th, 26th, 28th, 30th of each month at 6 p.m.; Judy Carback, Minister.
 Greaway United Methodist, Rt. 80, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.
 Salsbury United Methodist, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Bobby G. Lawson, Minister.
 Wayland United Methodist, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Jack Howard, Pastor.
 Wheelwright United Methodist, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.
 Vogle Day United Methodist Church, Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Dennis C. Love, Pastor.
 Drift Pentecostal, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ted Shannon, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Church of God, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thurs., 6:30 p.m.; Buster Hayton, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weensburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; John "Jay" Patton, Minister.
 Free Pentecostal Deliverance, Etd. 46 of M.L. Parkway at Hampton; Sunday Services, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Gider, Minister.
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Kentucky Youth Advocates seeking photos of children

Most of us have at least one child or youth in our lives that we care greatly about and cannot help but dote on to others – whether it's our own children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews, or a kid we teach, coach, or mentor. Kentucky Youth Advocates has a free opportunity for you to show off those special children in your life!

We are seeking new photographs of Kentucky kids to use in the 2012 Kentucky KIDS COUNT County Data Book. This annual book documents the condition of children in Kentucky over time, and photos of children – from infants to teenagers – are used to help illustrate the publication.

We need photos that showcase Kentucky children and youth in settings representative of our state, which also highlight diversity in terms of age, race, ethnicity, and ability. For this year's Kentucky KIDS COUNT book, we especially need photos relevant to the topic of education – everything from early childhood education to transitioning into college.

If you have photos that you would like to submit for consideration, please note the following instructions:

Electronic submissions are preferred. Digital photos should be submitted in high-resolution JPEG, TIFF or RAW image formats of at least 240 dpi (no GIF files). Please email photos to: aswann@kyyouth.org.

Hard copy photo prints are accepted by mail but will not be returned to the sender. Photos can be mailed to: Amy Swann, Kentucky Youth Advocates, 11001 Bluegrass Pkwy, Suite 100, Jefferson-town, KY 40299.

All photo submissions must be accompanied by a photo release form. The form must be signed by the subject(s) of the photograph, or by a parent or guardian if the subject is a minor.

If a photo release form is not sent in at the same time as the photos, then the following information must be provided with the photos so we can keep track of submissions and ensure we secure a release form before using the images:

- Number of photos submitted
- Photographer's name
- File names with descriptions of photo(s)
- Names of subjects in photo(s)
- Mailing address
- Telephone number
- Email address

The deadline for photo submissions to be considered for the 2012 Kentucky KIDS COUNT County Data Book is Wednesday, August 15, 2012. Questions? Contact Amy Swann at aswann@kyyouth.org or 502-895-8167 x115.

MSPR giving away festival tickets

MOREHEAD — Morehead State Public Radio (WMKY 90.3 FM) wants to send a few lucky winners to the 2012 Mandolin Farm Bluegrass Festival during Labor Day weekend, Aug. 31-Sept. 2.

The event is a fun-filled weekend with bluegrass music on a 60-acre farm in the heart of Fleming County.

More than 15 bands including Doyle Lawson and Quicksilver, Joe Mullins and The Radio Ramblers, Nothin' Fancy, Billie Renee and Cumberland Gap, Shadow Ridge, Heart Town, Sammy Adkins and The Sandeek Mountain Boys, Mountain Melody, Dover Creek and Wildwood Valley Boys will perform. Head band for the weekend will be Mandolin Farm's Weary Jammers.

Register to win a one-day pass (\$30 value) or a week-end pass (\$85 value) good for one person during the 2012 Mandolin Farm Bluegrass Festival (www.facebook.com/mandolinfarm).

The Mandolin Farm Bluegrass Festival is located off Route 32 and just four miles from Flemingsburg on a farm with fishing, children's playground and a covered pavilion near the stage area.

The farm also features golf cart trails, nearly 300 campsites with water and electric hook-ups, shower house, free firewood for campers and 24-hour on-site security.

To register send an email, postcard or letter to MSPR with your full name, home address and daytime phone number.

Participants may sign up by email at wmky@moreheadstate.edu.

Letters or postcards can be sent to: Mandolin Farm Bluegrass Festival, "Ticket Giveaway," Morehead State Public Radio, 132 Breckinridge Hall, Morehead State University,

MORE INFO

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or mail to:

• Mandolin Farm Bluegrass Festival Ticket Giveaway, Morehead State Public Radio, 132 Breckinridge Hall, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY 40351

The deadline for entries is 10 a.m. Monday, Aug. 27.

The prize drawing will be held during classical music and the winners will be notified by phone on the same day.

Morehead State Public Radio employees and their families, MSPR Community Advisory Board members and associates of MSPR are not eligible for this contest.

Morehead State Public Radio broadcasts 24-hours a day from the campus of Morehead State University. MSPR serves more than 40 counties in Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia.

Morehead, KY 40351. Contest entries by phone, fax or social media (Facebook and Twitter) will not be accepted and a person

must be at least 18 to enter. Limit one registration per household. MSPR reserves the right to refuse any contest entries.

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Urologist Sonia Chopra, M.D.

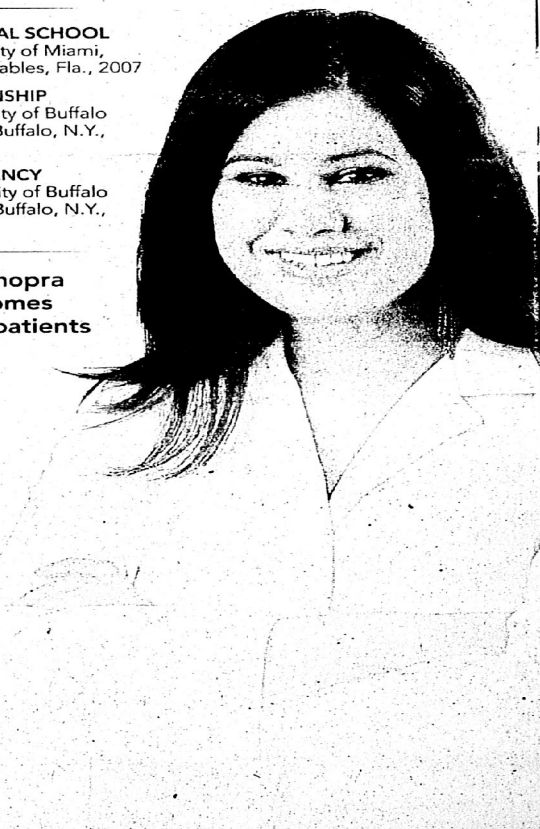
Dr. Chopra has joined King's Daughters Medical Specialties - Urology, which features fellow urologists William Boykin, M.D.; Tim Dixon, M.D.; James Krick, D.O.; and Charles Thorndyke, M.D.

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Small biz center offers exporting workshop

PAINTSVILLE — Morehead State University's East Kentucky Small Business Development Center in Paintsville will host "Basic Guide to Exporting for Your Small Business," program Thursday, Aug. 30.

The workshop will be held in two sessions. The first slated from 2 - 4 p.m. while the second will be held from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at the Center, 224 Main Street.

The event is for business owners that have wondered if they have a product or service that could be exported to international markets. Current owners that would like to know more will be guided through the basics of exporting.

Information will be provided on exporting basics, how to identify markets for your products/services, financing available for exporting transactions, best methods for handling orders and shipments and more.

"Exporting can be a business growth strategy if

you have the right product or service for the international market. Exporting can also increase competitiveness of the businesses leading to job creation and vibrant growing of economies in our region," said Michelle Spriggs, SBDC consultant. "This is an excellent and affordable opportunity for individuals to learn about exporting and how the SBDC can assist them in developing a growth plan for exporting."

The workshop is free for all participants; however, seating is limited and advance registration is recommended.

Training programs,

sponsored or co-sponsored by SBDC, are available to all individuals without regard to race, color, sex, creed or national origin. Special arrangements will be made for those with disabilities if requested in advance.

For a list of upcoming events, you may visit the MSU SBDC website at www.moreheadstate.edu/sbdc.

Additional information and preregistration are available by contacting Spriggs at the Paintsville Small Business Development Center at 606-788-7272 or by email at m.spriggs@moreheadstate.edu.

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Betsy Layne blanks Magoffin County, Perry Central

Steve LeMaster
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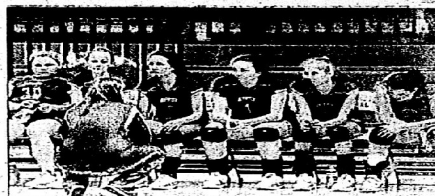
BETSY LAYNE — Betsy Layne, ranked second in the KVCA (Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association) Preseason 15th Region Top 5 Poll, defeated Magoffin County 3-0 on Tuesday night in a season-opener. The Ladycats remained in the win column one night later, defeating Perry County Central 3-0 to improve to 2-0.

Betsy Layne was back on the court Thursday

evening, visiting 15th Region rival Pike County Central. The Betsy Layne-Pike County Central match ended too late to make this edition. More on Betsy Layne's two wins follows. Betsy Layne's Magoffin County 0 (25-10, 25-14, 25-17): Betsy Layne dominated in its season-opener on Tuesday night, topping Magoffin County 3-0. The Ladycats won the three sets convincingly, 25-10, 25-14, 25-17. Emily Kidd, Alex Hunter, Paige Watkins, Allie

Meade, Katie Williams, Cecelia Ray and Kourtney Watkins all contributed for the Ladycats. Meade had 10 kills and 16 service aces for Betsy Layne in the win. Ray registered 18 service aces while Hunter added 11 for the Ladycats. The productive Ray led Betsy Layne in both service aces and assists. Ray recorded 13 assists for the Ladycats. Betsy Layne 3, Perry County Central 0 (25-14, 25-8, 25-8): The 15th Re-

gion runner-up in 2011, Betsy Layne improved to 2-0 on Wednesday night following an impressive 3-0 victory over visiting Perry County Central. Cecelia Ray delivered 26 service aces and Kourtney Watkins added 13 for the Ladycats. Ray also registered 15 assists in the victory. Allie Meade added a team-high 10 kills for the Ladycats, Paige Watkins and Ray finished with six and five kills, respectively.



Betsy Layne Coach Christina Crase talked with her team during a match in the Allen Central Preseason Invitational Tournament/Referee Clinic on Saturday. The Ladycats are 2-0 following wins over Magoffin County and Perry County Central.



Brandon Greene has signed with the University of Pikeville men's basketball program.

Pikeville adds Greene to 2012 recruiting class

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE — University of Pikeville Men's Basketball Coach Kelly Wells has added yet another impact player to his 2012 recruiting class.

Brandon Greene, a 6-6 forward from Baltimore, Md., has inked with the Bears and will have two seasons of eligibility remaining. Greene, who played two seasons of competition at Cecil (Md.) College, was originally a Texas Southern University signee.

While at Cecil, Greene posted averages of 12.6 points and 10.1 rebounds per contest while shooting 50 percent from the field. Greene helped lead the 2010-2011 Seahawks to a 26-5 record and a No. 6 NJCAA Div. 2 national ranking.

"Brandon brings a lot of toughness to the court," said Wells. "He really runs the floor well, and fights for every rebound and loose ball. Brandon's a team-first player who is always willing to do whatever it takes to help us get a win. Coming from Cecil, he is used to winning and we are excited for him to bring that winning attitude to UPIKE."

As a prep, Greene attend-

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Danielle Tackett's 1964 Chevrolet Impala SS was awarded the Platinum Certificate at the Music City Chevy Show 2012.

Tackett's 1964 Chevy Impala SS earns Platinum Certificate

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

NASHVILLE — Danielle Tackett's 1964 Chevrolet Impala SS earned a Platinum Certificate at the Music City Chevy Show 2012 on July 15 in Nashville. The father-daughter duo of Danielle and Danny Tackett have a long, successful history with the 1964 Chevrolet Impala SS.

Tackett's car, which was grouped in the 1964 Trailered Custom Class, ranked as the only entry to receive 1,000 points. Classic Chevy International presented Tackett with the certificate of excellence. The show was hosted by Chevy Classics State Representatives.

The highly-competitive show included cars from as far away as California. Danny Tackett touted the show, saying, "this is as good as it gets."

Danielle Tackett, a South Floyd High School graduate who works and goes to college, attends numerous local shows and several invite-only shows. Her 1964 Chevrolet Impala SS has also been in shows in Columbus, Ohio, Bristol, Tenn. and Charlotte, N.C. The car is consistently recognized and honored.



University of Kentucky's single-game tickets available

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON — University of Kentucky single-game football tickets for home games at Commonwealth Stadium went on sale Tuesday. Tickets are priced at \$46 for Southeastern Conference games and \$41 for non-conference games. Groups of 25 or more should call the UK Ticket Office for group seating and pricing options.

All tickets may be purchased: Online at www.UKathletics.com/tickets or www.ticketmaster.com; Statewide Ticketmaster outlets; By calling Ticketmaster at 800-745-3000; By calling the UK Ticket Office at 800-928-2287 or in person at the Joe Craft Center Ticket Office.

Kentucky's seven-game home schedule features a pair of teams which have been in preseason top-10 rankings, South Carolina and Georgia.

Here is the home schedule:

- Kent State, Sept. 8 (Heroes' Day)
- Western Kentucky, Sept. 15 (Hall of Fame Day)
- South Carolina, Sept. 29
- Mississippi State, Oct. 6
- Georgia, Oct. 20
- Vanderbilt, Nov. 3
- Samford, Nov. 17 (Senior Day)

Allen Central defeats East Ridge in season-opener

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

EASTERN — Allen Central shook a slow start on Tuesday night, defeating visiting East Ridge 3-1 in a season-opener for both of the Kentucky high school volleyball teams.

East Ridge excelled early, edging Allen Central 27-25 in the opening set. Allen Central, under the guidance of veteran head coach Larry Maynard, battled back to win the next three sets, prevailing 25-22, 27-25 and 25-21, respectively.

Ciara Jones had 12 kills on 316 hitting for defending 15th Region champion Allen Central.

Katie Kendrick pounded in nine kills and hit .409 for the Rebels in the win. Kendrick also contributed 11 digs and eight blocks for the winning team.

Setter Courtney Hodge had 34 assists, 11 digs, one block, one block assist and two aces for the Rebels. Sarah Grindrod, in her first varsity start as part for the Allen Central volleyball, slapped in eight kills and registered three digs.

Laken Tackett turned in four blocks, two block assists, four digs and three kills for the Rebels.

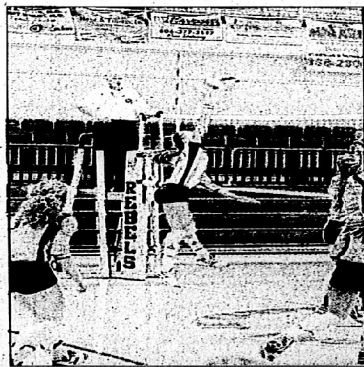
Rachel Moore also aided Allen Central in the win, finishing with eight kills, five aces, 10 digs and one block.

Libero DeShea Elliott dug up 19 in 44 attempts for the Rebels. Elliott also slapped in three service aces and recorded two kills.

Preseason 15th Region favorite Allen Central will return to the court on Tuesday, Aug. 14 when it hosts Perry County Central.

Allen Central ranked first in KVCA 15th Region Top 5: The Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association has released its Top 5 polls for each of the state's 16 regions. Reigning champion Allen Central occupies the top spot in the preseason 15th Region poll. Three of the poll's top-5 teams hail from Floyd County.

The KVCA Preseason Region 15 Top-5 shapes up as follows: 1. Allen Central, 2. Betsy Layne, 3. East Ridge, 4. South Floyd, T5-Johnson Central, T5-Pikeville.



Allen Central's Ciara Jones went for a kill in the season-opener against East Ridge.



Laken Tackett registered a block for the Rebels.

College GameDay returns to Rupp Arena

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON — ESPN College GameDay is coming back to a Kentucky men's basketball game. For the fourth time in program history the ESPN College GameDay tour will visit Kentucky's historic Rupp Arena for a weekly installment of the popular college basketball preview show. ESPN has selected the Missouri at Kentucky matchup on Feb. 23, 2013 to highlight during the upcoming season.

The conference game between Kentucky and Missouri is slated for a 9 p.m. tip on ESPN. The show will air live at 11 a.m. and again later that night at 8 p.m., leading into the opening tip.

Since GameDay's inception during the 2004-05 season, ESPN has featured the Wildcats seven total times including this year's upcoming appearance. This will mark Missouri's second overall appearance

in its school's history.

GameDay last visited Rupp Arena during the 2009-10 season during head coach John Calipari's inaugural season with the Wildcats. The Kentucky faithful set a new single-show attendance record with more than 22,000 fans in attendance for the 11 a.m. airing. The Blue and White own a 3-0 record on days when it is featured by the GameDay crew under Calipari's direction.

The show stopped in Nashville, Tenn., a season ago to feature Kentucky's matchup with Vanderbilt in early February. In three of UK's six previous appearances the Wildcats have faced Florida, with the other meetings coming against Vanderbilt (2012), Tennessee (2010) and Mississippi State (2005).

2012-13 ESPN College GameDay Schedule

- Jan. 19 Indianapolis - Gonzaga vs. Butler
- Jan. 26 Raleigh, N.C. - North Carolina at NC State
- Feb. 2 Bloomington, Ind. - Michigan at Indiana
- Feb. 9 South Bend, Ind. - Louisville at Notre Dame
- OR Cincinnati, Ohio - Pittsburgh at Cincinnati
- Feb. 16 Lawrence, Kan. - Texas at Kansas
- Feb. 23 Lexington, Ky. - Missouri at Kentucky
- March 2 Los Angeles - Arizona at UCLA
- March 9 Washington, D.C. - Syracuse at Georgetown
- OR Chapel Hill, N.C. - Duke at North Carolina



Callisha Johnson and Jayme Jackson are the newest signees for the University of Pikeville women's basketball program.

UPIKE signs pair from Motlow State

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE — The University of Pikeville has signed a pair of transfers from a junior college in Tennessee. Callisha Johnson and Jayme Jackson will play basketball at the school after signing scholarship agreements with Coach Bill Watson's club. Both played last season at Motlow State Community College in Lynchburg, Tenn.

Johnson is a 5-9 forward from Shelbyville, Tenn. She averaged 12.0 points and 3.1 rebounds a game for the Bucks a season ago. The graduate of Shelbyville Central also averaged 1.4 steals, 1.4 assists and blocked 15 shots.

Jackson is a 5-5 point guard from Princeton, Ky. She averaged 4.3 points and 2.3 assists a game last season. She added 1.7 rebounds and 1.9 steals while sinking 79.3 percent of her free throw attempts.

Motlow State finished 11-13 on the season and went 8-10 in the Tennessee Community College Athletics Association.

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Greene
From Page B1 — was selected as a member of the Baltimore Sun First-Team All-Metro team. He helped lead Towson Catholic to their second straight MIAA A Conference championship.

ed Towson Catholic High School in Baltimore, Md. As a senior, Greene averaged 13 points, 11 rebounds, and three blocks per game and

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MSU finalizes, releases men's basketball schedule for 2012-13 season

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD — Morehead State University has finalized its 2012-13 men's basketball schedule. The 31-game slate features 13 dates against postseason teams from a year ago, including eight-time NCAA national champion Kentucky. Game times will be announced via MSUEagles.com in the near future.

"We definitely have our work cut out for us with this challenging schedule, but that's OK," MSU Coach Sean Woods said. "My teams at Mississippi Valley State played

very tough schedules — and that won't change at Morehead State."

The Eagles have eight non-conference games against 2012 postseason squads, including NCAA Tournament participants LIU Brooklyn (Nov. 9), Kentucky (Nov. 21), Norfolk State (Nov. 26) and Southern Mississippi (Dec. 28).

The night before Thanksgiving, MSU faces the defending national champions at Rupp Arena. Then, three days after Christmas, the Eagles welcome former Head Coach Donnie Tynndall and his assistants

back to Johnson Arena. Morehead State's non-conference campaign includes trips to Atlantic Coast Conference foe Maryland (Nov. 12) and a to-be-determined site for the annual Bracket-Busters game (Feb. 23).

The Eagles also have dates with 2012 postseason participants Marshall (Nov. 28), North Dakota State (Dec. 5 and 21) and Indiana State (Dec. 8) prior to the Ohio Valley Conference season.

"I talk about playing anyone, at any time, using any location — and that's what we're doing," Woods said. "Our strong

non-conference schedule will help our RPI and prepare us for a very tough OVC slate. There's a lot of work to be done between now and November, but we're excited."

The OVC schedule continues to feature 16 games for all member schools. Morehead State opens the league slate with home affairs against SIU Edwardsville on Jan. 3 and Eastern Illinois on Jan. 5.

MSU, a member of the East Division, faces home-and-home scenarios with division opponents Belmont (Jan. 24 and 31), Eastern Kentucky (Jan. 12 and Feb. 9), Jackson-

ville State (Feb. 2 and 14), Tennessee State (Jan. 26 and Feb. 28) and Tennessee Tech (Feb. 16 & March 2).

The Eagles also battle West Division foes Austin Peay (Jan. 9), EIU, defending OVC champion Murray State (Feb. 20), SIUE, Southeast Missouri (Jan. 17) and UT Martin (Jan. 19) once each.

"We have a solid mix of quality returning players and accomplished newcomers," Woods added. "I'm confident we will

play a fast-paced and entertaining brand of basketball. I call it organized chaos. We're looking forward to seeing lots of Eagle fans throughout the season."

Morehead State, which has played in the postseason three of the past four years, finished 18-15 overall and 10-6 in the conference in 2011-12. The Eagles have won 86 percent (50-8) of their home games over the past four seasons, including 91 percent (32-3) in league play.

KVCA releases preseason volleyball poll

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON — The Kentucky Volleyball Coaches Association released its preseason high school volleyball poll today. Reigning state champion Assumption is ranked first, Sacred Heart, Mercy, Henry Clay and DuPont Manual round

out the top-five. Nine of the state's 16 regions are represented in this year's KVCA Preseason Poll, which follows.

KVCA Preseason Poll: 1. Assumption; 2. Sacred Heart; 3. Mercy; 4. Henry Clay; 5. DuPont Manual; 6. Holy Cross (Louisville); 7. St. Henry; 8. North Old-

ham; 9. Notre Dame; 10. Ryle; 11. Newport Central Catholic; 12. Bates Creek; 13. Greenwood; 14. Eastern; 15. Central Hardin; 16. Lone Oak; 17. Presentation;

18. Butler; 19. Holy Cross (Covington); 20. Christian Academy of Louisville; 21. Male; 22. Lafayette; 23. Dunbar; 24. Oldham County; 25. Owensboro Catholic.

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MSU women to face eight postseason teams in 2012-13 season

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD — Twelve regular-season home games and eight contests against teams that advanced to postseason play last year comprise the 2012-13 Morehead State women's basketball schedule. Game times will be announced via www.MSUEagles.com in the near future. "We are excited and anxious to attack the 2012-13 schedule," said third-year Head Coach Tom Hodges. "Our non-conference slate will certainly challenge

us early and often in the months of November and December." Following a home exhibition contest against Kentucky State on Nov. 3, the Eagles open the ledger in the preseason WNIT at Illinois State. Along with the eight postseason teams MSU is guaranteed to face this year, several other national juggernauts could provide opposition in the WNIT field. Two additional home contests could be added depending on the WNIT bracket as well. "We are set to kick off the year with a tremen-

dously tough Illinois State program that is so well coached and will be bringing back a veteran team," Hodges said. "The remainder of the WNIT field is equally as tough, with many of the participants being favorites to win their respective conference championships." Other non-conference games include Xavier (Nov. 21), Kentucky (Nov. 23), Cincinnati (Nov. 28), East Tennessee State (Dec. 1), Western Kentucky (Dec. 6), Ohio (Dec. 9), Georgia State (Dec. 16), UAB (Dec. 18), Kent State (Dec. 21), Al-

ice Lloyd (Dec. 28) and Wright State (Dec. 31). Among those, the Eagles are set to host ETSU, WKU, KSU and Alice Lloyd at Johnson Arena prior to the start of Ohio Valley Conference action. "All of those games will be extremely challenging but will be exactly what we need to prepare us for the gauntlet of OVC play," Hodges continued. "We have some tremendous home games for our fans. We have put this schedule together to test our young ladies and ultimately make us the toughest and most battle-tested team as we look to contend for the OVC Championship."

The 16-game OVC gamut begins with a Jan. 5 home game against postseason WNIT participant Eastern Illinois and finishes on the road in March against Women's Basketball Invitational qualifier Tennessee Tech. In between, the Eagles will face a four-game road swing in January and host a four-game home stand in February. With the league transitioning to a divisional format in 2012-13, MSU will face its East Division foes Belmont, Eastern Kentucky, Jacksonville State, Tennessee State and Tech) twice in a home-and-home format. The Eagles will

only tangle with the West Division opponents once in the regular season. MSU is set to host EIU, SIU Edwardsville and Murray State and will travel to defending league champion UT Martin, Austin Peay and Southeast Missouri. The OVC Tournament is set for early March at Municipal Auditorium in Nashville, Tenn., and will feature the top eight teams in the regular season standings, regardless of divisions. The Eagles return 10 letterwinners this season after concluding the 2011-12 year fifth in the OVC regular-season standings.

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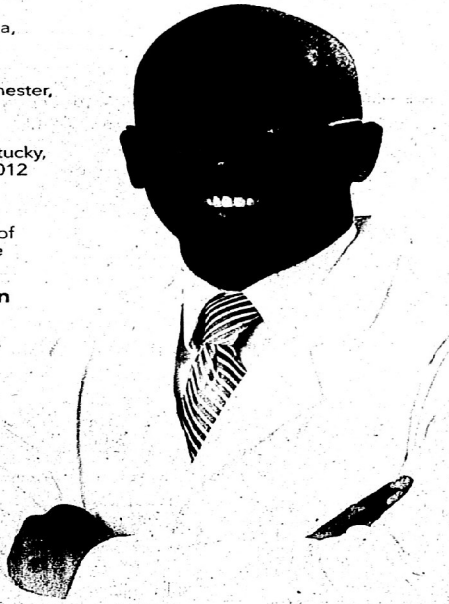
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Kentucky-Notre Dame game time announced

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON — With the Notre Dame-Kentucky men's basketball matchup already selected as a part of the SEC/Big East Challenge, ESPN officially announced the tip for 7 p.m. ET on Nov. 29. The game will air live on ESPN2 on the campus of Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind. The SEC/Big East Challenge will feature 12 schools in the SEC competing against 12 schools from the Big East over a three-day period begin-

ning Nov. 29. The Wildcats lead the all-time series against the Irish, 42-18; however Notre Dame holds an 8-6 advantage over Kentucky in South Bend. UK defeated the Irish in the most recent meeting, 72-58, in Louisville during the 2010-11 season. The last time the two teams met in South Bend, the Irish bested the Cats, 77-67, in the 2009 NIT, ending UK's season. UK will open the 2012-13 season on Nov. 9 at the Barclay's Center in Brook-

lyn, N.Y. The Blue and White will take on Maryland to begin the year. SEC/Big East Challenge Complete Schedule Thursday, Nov. 29 7 p.m. ESPN2 Kentucky at Notre Dame 7:30 p.m. ESPN2 South Carolina at St. John's 9 p.m. ESPN2 Marquette at Florida 9:30 p.m. ESPN2 Seton Hall at LSU Friday, Nov. 30 8:30 p.m. ESPN Tennessee at Georgetown 7 p.m. ESPN2 Georgia at South Florida 8:30 p.m. ESPN Syracuse at Arkansas 9 p.m. ESPN2 DePaul at Auburn Saturday, Dec. 1 3 p.m. ESPN2 Alabama at Cincinnati 5 p.m. ESPN2 Villanova at Vanderbilt TBD ESPN2 Mississippi State at Providence TBD ESPN2 Rutgers at Mississippi

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Laurie Morgan, left, and SBDC consultant Michelle Spriggs.

Small biz center helps woman realize dream

PAINTSVILLE — Laurie Morgan had a dream to provide the residents of Johnson County and surrounding areas with a new venue of fine dining and catering focusing on fresh quality foods with made-from-scratch ingredients. Morgan is an ACF graduate of Mitchell Technical Institute in Mitchell, S.D. She attended their ACF accredited culinary arts training program from 2002-03, with special interest in fine and casual dining, banquet and event catering specialties. Morgan also received her CDM/CFPP national certification in 2010, which provided a professional knowledge base with regards to special nutritional regimens such as diabetic, gluten-free, renal and other common medical conditions that require lifestyle dietary modifications. Morgan decided she wanted to open her own restaurant and catering business to continue doing what she loves — creating new foods from scratch and serving people quality products. In December 2011, Morgan contacted management consultant Michelle Spriggs with the Morehead State Small Business Development Center, inquiring about the proper procedure in starting a business in Kentucky. As plans were discussed, Spriggs provided Morgan with a worksheet to calcu-

late working capital needs, sales potential and overhead costs. In the months to come Spriggs met with Morgan several times to organize her LLC, business license, state and local taxes, develop a business plan, three-year cash flow with financial projections and other paperwork needed to start a business. In addition she guided Morgan in preparing the necessary loan package to submit for a commercial business loan. Morgan was able to receive her business loan through MACED in May. "I am so grateful to Michelle and the SBDC for walking me through this process. I wanted to do things right and she gave me the guidance and insight I needed to do just that. She helped me cover my bases and get a realistic assessment for my business potential for success. She is totally familiar with the MACED process and helped me obtain the financial bridge I needed to get started. I really appreciate the MACED staff as well — they've all been wonderful," said Morgan. On July 3, The Gladstone Grille opened its doors to the public. The official grand-opening and ribbon cutting ceremony was held on July 26 with numerous public officials, Hometown Television, Main Street officials, MACED representatives, Paintsville Chamber members, and a host of friends.

The eatery offer daily lunch specials, bake shop/dessert products, and catering for small and large groups. Summer hours of business are from 7 a.m. — 3 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, serving breakfast and lunch daily. Starting Aug. 10 and 11, "Dinner with a View" will be present on scheduled Friday and Saturday evenings. It will include a limited select dinner menu by reservation. The Gladstone Grille - Catering and Fine Foods is located at the Paintsville Golf Course on Route 1107. For additional information, call 606-792-7329.

Yellow brick road review

Tom Doty
Times Columnist

A team of explorers find out that the "truth may be out there," but maybe it ought to stay put, in this slow-burning chiller.

The story begins with an intriguing premise. In 1940, the population of Friar, N.H., collectively walked down a trail and never came back. A pair of amateur eggheads inherit the coordinates of the path and assemble a team to map it out and hopefully come up with a book deal while solving this mystery. They put mapmakers, medical professionals and a naturalist on their team and set out.

Things start badly when their GPS leads them to a movie theater where the staff is entirely rude (ever notice how jobs that don't come with tip jars attract socially awkward types?). The popcorn lady proves to be an exception and offers to lead them to the path to get out of town.

Things slowly go wrong from this point on, with the GPS leading the way. It begins broadcasting that they are in South America and thus, becomes useless. They all begin hearing music in the distance. Luckily, they thought to bring along a behavioral psychologist. He spends his time testing them individually and documenting the results in order to have a baseline for reading

their collective sanity. He proves to be just as susceptible to the phenomena that begins to exert itself over them all.

Pretty soon, the mapmakers are getting confused and people are fighting over insignificant things. They all begin to experience audio hallucinations accompanied by deafening blasts of white noise. Before you know it one of them flips out and carves up his girlfriend. The others opt to tie him up and head home, but they don't know where that is anymore.

Things degenerate further when the group splits up (a typical horror no-no). Each grouping eventually succumbs to the music, which is apparently urging them to kill. In one case, a victim merely walks off a cliff with absolutely no accompanying scream. The effect of watching someone casually step off a mountaintop is chilling and will stay with you.

This one works because

it gets under your skin slowly and eventually leaves you feeling just as raw and confused as the characters in the film. This is the kind of horror you don't get often but has been made before and very well; I might add. If you like movies that are scary and refuse to conform to standard conventions then this is the film for you.

You might also enjoy a horror film from New Zealand called, "Picnic at Hanging Rock." It also depicted the horror of disappearing into a lush but unforgiving landscape. Most recently "The Ruins" delivered these kinds of chills.

This is a change-of-pace flick and makes me happy that independent filmmakers are starting to turn their attention towards the genre and putting a fresh spin on it.

Best line: "If the music keeps up and we don't find a town soon, then I'm going to do something to you that is unspeakable." 2010, rated R.

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Here's the deal with self-adjusting clutches

Tom and Ray Magillozzi
King Features Syndicate

Dear Tom and Ray:
What's the deal with nonadjustable clutches? I have driven manual transmissions my whole driving life. I own a 2007 Toyota Matrix, and when I started stalling it more often due to the clutch, I asked the dealer if he would adjust the clutch for me. He said, "No, the clutch isn't adjustable." Of course, I'd never heard of such a thing, and wondered if he was just blowing me off as a "woman driver" who didn't know what she was talking about. Why would they make clutches nonadjustable? — Trudy

TOM: They don't make clutches "nonadjustable," Trudy. But they do make most of them self-adjusting these days, which means they can't be adjusted by your mechanic.

RAY: Since you've driven stick shifts all your life, you know that in the old days, clutches routinely had to be adjusted.

TOM: Normally, you always want there to be an inch or so of free play in the pedal. That means for the first inch or so that you depress it, nothing happens. The pedal just tops there. There's no resistance.

RAY: That tells you that the clutch is properly adjusted, and is not riding itself (being partially disengaged) at all times while you drive around. Because a ridden clutch is a not-long-for-this-world clutch.

TOM: Normally, as a clutch goes out of adjustment, the engagement point (the point at which the car starts to move) goes a foot off of the clutch pedal) gets higher and higher. Eventually, all the free play disappears, and then you're riding the clutch all the time without knowing it. It's as if your foot is partially on the clutch pedal, even though it's not.

RAY: Eventually, people

got sick of having to (1) remember to get the clutch adjusted, and (2) replace their burned-out clutches when they didn't remember.

TOM: So, to satisfy their increasing annoyed customer reputations for reliability, manufacturers started using hydraulic, or cable-based, self-adjusting clutches, which do what? They adjust the amount of free play, all the time, by themselves.

RAY: At some point, when there's no more adjustment room left, then it's time for a new clutch. You may be at that point, Trudy.

TOM: If the engagement point for your clutch has gotten too high, that's probably the case.

RAY: But if it's too low, there are two possibilities. One is that some air may have gotten into your hydraulic system through a small leak in the slave or master cylinder. You can have the system bled to remove any air that's in there.

TOM: If it improves after being bled, your next step would be to find and fix the leak.

RAY: The other possibility is that you bought some extra-thick or all-weather floor mats. You can't adjust the pedal to reach all the way to the floor.

TOM: My brother picked up another inch and a half of downing obsession wad by removing the full-pile shag carpet he had in his car.

To everyone but the reader, the choice is clear. Dear Tom and Ray:
A few years ago, I purchased a 1992 Saab 900 turbo from a friend of mine. This car was in beautiful condition with 230,000 miles on the original motor. It was the third Saab I have owned, and I have what some may call a borderline obsession wad with cars. I got engaged about four months ago and sold the Saab back to my friend.

Well, I received a call last week from my friend asking if I wanted to buy back the Saab. Evidently, his wife just found out that he bought the car back (she thought I had left it at their house for four months). I want the car, and badly, but my soon-to-be wife is less than keen on the idea — in fact, she hates it. So, my question is this: Do I buy the car and beg for forgiveness, or give up on my favorite automobile of all time and accept life as a married man driving a boring sedan? — Aaron

TOM: Gee, if you're that obsessed with Saabs, Aaron, why don't you just buy the car? You probably can get it for less than this '92 heap you've been playing ping-pong with.

RAY: Repeat after me, Aaron: "Happy wife, happy life." Now repeat it a few hundred more times, until the answer to your question becomes clear.

TOM: It's not worth risking your marriage for a heap like this, is it? I mean, if it were a '95, maybe.

RAY: No, you have to let it go, Aaron. You've been lucky enough to find someone you want to spend your life with — someone you hope to grow old with, maybe have a kid with, someone who will visit you someday in your nursing home bed and spoon some clear, saltless broth through your dry, cracked lips before taking

your checkbook and heading out for the day with her new boyfriend.

TOM: You'd risk all that for a 20-year-old Saab? Where's the future for you and the Saab, Aaron? You're not going to grow old together — it's already old. It's never going to love you the way you love it. Although, now that I think about it, it might provide a bench seat to sleep on when you ignore our advice and get thrown out of your house.

RAY: And while sharing your life with somebody else does require certain compromises, maybe the two of you haven't tried hard enough to meet each other halfway on this. Who knows? Maybe she'd be happy to have a more exciting car. Maybe she just wants one that doesn't smell of mildew.

TOM: So, talk to her and go out and find a car together. It'll be good "coupling" practice for you guys. You'll figure out how to make decisions together. Good luck, Aaron. Enjoy your wonderful lives together. Or the '92 Saab, whichever you opt for.

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Rental Central

Tom Doty
Times Columnist

A terrific week for releases saw a little of everything, as television and the cinema unleashed some of their better efforts.

"Dr. Seuss' The Lorax" — Danny DeVito stars as the titular creature in this animated adaptation on the good doctor's cautionary tale of industrialization. The story opens in a modern city made completely of plastic, wherein a young man sets out on a quest to find a rare flower to impress a young lady. Great stuff ensues, but fans of the book won't recognize their old familiar story until the second act.

"The Boogens" — In the 1980s, horror films were basically slasher flicks. Every so often, though, a low-budget film would try a different formula, and this was one of the better ones. You still get young couples who party as the victims, but this time the menace comes from an abandoned mine, in the form of little green misshapen men. Lots of fun and especially appealing to 1950s monster movie fans.

"Jesse Stone: Benefit of the Doubt" — Tom Selleck returns in this film based on Robert B. Parker's series of novels about a detective who is battling the bottle and other demons while working as the sheriff of a small Massachusetts town. Here, he gets his job back when the new sheriff is blown up in his car. Unfortunately, his team has walked off their jobs and he is left to uncover what happened, between sessions with his analyst. Good, deliberately paced drama.

"87th Precinct" — Ed McBain's famed detective novels made for a great 1960s series that only ran for one year. All the characters are here and many of the episodes are adapted from McBain's novels. Robert Lansing and Norman Fell are well cast as detectives Carrella and Meyer. Guest stars include Peter Falk, Dennis Hopper and Robert Culp. Appropriately gritty, with an emphasis on the routines police follow to get results.

Next week belongs to the teens with the release of "The Hunger Games."

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TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) This is a good time for hardworking Bovines to take a break from their hectic on-the-job schedules to bask in the unconditional love and support of friends and family.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Pay attention to what you hear in the workplace. You could pick up some hints about possible changes. Meanwhile, a new infusion of creative energy sets in by week's end.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Try to be more flexible in dealing with a suddenly difficult situation, whether it's on the job or in the home. Others might have some good points to offer. Listen to them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You might think you're not getting the royal treatment you deserve. But be careful not to become a royal pain by complaining about it. Be patient and allow things to work out.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Watch that penchant for being superjudgmental at work. It might create a bad impression with someone whose decisions could determine the course of your career.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You've been your usual busy-bee self,

gathering nectar wherever you can find it. But now's a good time to kick back, relax and just enjoy smelling the roses.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) That pesky personal situation seems to be improving. But change comes slowly, so be patient. Expect someone to bring more positive news by week's end.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Whoa! Ease up on that hectic pace you've been putting yourself through. Take time to recharge your energy levels before going full gallop again.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Try to be intrigued, not intimidated, by the issues you're suddenly facing, and you'll be ahead of the game. Don't be afraid to demand answers to your questions.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) New associates freezing you out of their inner circle? Never mind. Put a warm smile on that friendly face of yours, and you'll soon thaw them all down to size.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your wise guidance helps colleagues agree to compromise and move forward. Meanwhile, there you need to deal with in your personal life.

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Over 2,000 Gallons	7.00	8.34 per 1,000 gallons

MONTHLY BILL AT	MONTHLY PERCENT INCREASE	PERCENT OVER CURRENT
2,000	20.00	24.11
5,000	\$41.00	\$49.13
10,000	76.00	90.83
20,000	146.00	174.23
30,000	216.00	257.63
50,000	358.00	424.43
75,000	531.00	632.93
100,000	708.00	841.43
150,000	1058.00	1268.43
200,000	1408.00	1675.43
300,000	2108.00	2509.43

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by the Southern Water & Sewer District. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that are higher or lower than the rates proposed in this notice.

Any corporation, association, body politic, or person may request leave to intervene, by motion within thirty (30) days after notice of the proposed rate change is given. A motion to intervene shall be in writing, shall be submitted to the Executive Director, Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 616, Frankfort, KY 40602, and shall set forth the grounds for the motion, including the status and interest of the party movant. Copies of the application may be obtained at no charge from the District office at 263 KY Rt. 880 in McDowell, KY 41647. Upon request from an intervenor, the District shall furnish to the intervenor a copy of the application and supporting documents.

Southern Water & Sewer District

PRESTONSBURG HEALTH CARE

147 NORTH HIGHLAND AVENUE
PRESTONSBURG, KY 41663
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Legals

**PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF BOND
RELEASE
PERMIT NO. 898-
0771**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Dusty Diamond Company, Inc., 183 Tollage Creek Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, intends to apply for a Phase III bond release on Increment 32 and Phase I bond release on Increment 33 SA CHARTER 17 on Permit Number 898-0771 which was last issued on January 18, 2012. Increment 32 covers an area of approximately 44.02 acres and increment 33 covers an area of approximately 43.46 acres located 5.70 miles southwest of Pikeville and is situated in both Pike and Floyd County, Kentucky.

The proposed operation is approximately 20 miles southwest from Pike, 1289's junction with KY Route 1426 and located 1.1 mile south of Island Creek.

The bond now in effect for increment 32 is a letter of credit in the amount of \$23,800. One hundred percent of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase III release.

The bond now in effect for increment 33 is a letter of credit in the amount of \$145,200. Approximately sixty percent of the original bond amount is included in this application for Phase I release.

Reclamation work performed for increment 32, SEQ CHAPTER 17 v. includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in October 2002. Results thus far include an establishment of the post-mining land use.

Reclamation work performed for increment 33, SEQ CHAPTER 17 v. includes backfilling, grading and seeding which was completed in October 2002. Results thus far include an establishment of the post-mining land use.

Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference may be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 42 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by September 17, 2012.

A public hearing has been scheduled for Tuesday, September 18, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 1211 S. Evans Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The hearing will be held if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by September 17, 2012.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SERVICES

FINANCIAL

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For Sale or Lease, two buildings and fenced lot just off 80 at Martin. Call 606-285-9317.

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RESORT PROPERTY

EMPLOYMENT

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CATV installers-techs needed. experience preferred but will train the right candidate. Must have a valid drivers license we supply company vehicles and tools company offers a voluntary health benefit package and 401-K plan. Please call Charles at 570-425-9106 EXT 758 or fax resume to 570-517-5033

Dental office is taking applications for the position of Dental Assistant. Prior experience is preferred but not required. Benefits provided. Please send RESUME WITH REFERENCES TO: OFFICE MANAGER P. O. BOX 184 Prestonsburg, KY 41653

Help Wanted- General

Local Market Research Firm
Offering PT Employment Up to \$25.00 Survey
Please contact: Ben Griffith
(800-532-8886 ext 48638)

Prestonsburg Health Care Center currently has openings for a Dietary Manager and an Activity Assistant.
We offer competitive pay and benefits. For more information please call 606-886-2378

Help Wanted- General

HELP WANTED

PREMIER ELKHORN COAL COMPANY, Myra, Ky is now accepting applications for the following position(s):

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Applications will be accepted at:

Kentucky Department for Employment Services
198 College Street
Pikeville, KY 41501
Premier Elkhorn Coal Company is an EOE.

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program
Is seeking qualified candidates for a
Community Services Program Manager.

Responsibilities include:
Planning, coordinating, and implementing Community Service Block Grant (CSBG) related programs for low-income residents.
Providing direction and leadership for individual program components and subordinate staff throughout the five county service area.
Interpreting statutes, regulations and correspondence to develop policies and procedures for service delivery.
Compiling and submitting all required reporting within established deadlines.
Promoting good public relations by serving on boards, committees, and participating in community activities.
Frequent travel throughout the five county service area.

Qualifications
Bachelor's degree in business, social work, or related field is required.
Five years professional experience in leading and directing social programs.
Must possess outstanding interpersonal and community relations skills.
Excellent written and oral communication skills.
Ability to plan, organize, and coordinate resources including staff and services.
Must have a valid driver's license and access to an automobile.

Qualified applicants may submit resumes to: Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, 606-226-3100, ext. 200, 1100 E. Main Street, Big Sandy, KY 41302.

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is one of a network of more than 1,000 Community Action organizations in United States that are committed to fighting poverty by empowering individuals. This project is funded, in part, under a contract with the Corporation for National and Community Service Block Grant Act and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program
Is seeking qualified candidates for part-time positions
in our Weatherization program.

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LICENSED MASTER PLUMBER
Responsibilities include:
Installing pipes, valves, energy efficient water heaters, and plumbing fixtures for residential customers in a five county area.
Certifying installers and repairs meet the requirements of codes and regulations.
Qualifications:
Master Certification in Plumbing from a recognized and accredited post-secondary institution is required.
All certification requirements must be current.
Minimum of two years experience in the plumbing industry.

LICENSED MASTER HVAC TECHNICIAN
Responsibilities include:
Installing or repairing heating and air conditioning equipment and systems for the purpose of providing enhanced and/or upgraded capabilities.
Certifying installers and repairs meet the requirements of codes and regulations.
Qualifications:
Master Certification in HVAC from a recognized and accredited post-secondary institution is required.
All certification requirements must be current.
Minimum of two years experience in the HVAC industry.

Qualified applicants may submit resumes to: Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, 1100 E. Main Street, Big Sandy, KY 41302, ext. 200. Closing date for applications is Friday, August 17, 2012 at 4:30 p.m.

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is one of a network of more than 1,000 Community Action organizations in United States that are committed to fighting poverty by empowering individuals. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

Prestonsburg Housing Authority Section 8 Voucher Program is taking applications for their Rental Assistance program. If you are in need of housing assistance, please stop by our office located at 12 Blaine Hall Street, Prestonsburg, KY, in the Green Acres Complex and complete an application.

Prestonsburg Housing Authority Section 8 Voucher Program is also looking for landlords with rental property located in Prestonsburg/Floyd County. If you have rental property and would like more information in renting your unit through our program, please call Kim Shelton at 606-886-1235.

HELP WANTED

Immediate openings available for **EXPERIENCED TECHNICIANS**. Experienced in either alarm installation, access control, and/or closed circuit TV preferred. Will provide uniforms, paid holidays, and health insurance after trial period. Salary based on experience. Please come by office for application.
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