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Race organizers, tourism director at odds

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

The arm-drop drag races hit the track again this week, with muscle cars, tuners and grocery-getters firing off the mark. But the real grudge match is taking place off the track, between race organizers and Prestonsburg tourism officials. Tension has been bubbling under the surface since organizers began putting on the races, and overflowed this week when event organizer Kent Rose called out Prestonsburg Tourism Director Freddy James.

"I expect to say, 200 times or more, during the race that Prestonsburg

Tourism has absolutely nothing to do with this race. I will repeat that over and over and over," Rose said in a story published in *The Daily Independent*. The race will be held this weekend at the Paintsville-Prestonsburg Combs Airport.

Rose told Times staff that the organizers of the arm-drop drags are doing tourism's job, by promoting the city and bringing people into the region, but have received no cooperation from Prestonsburg Tourism.

"He (James) has never supported Arm-Drop Drags, or any of the burn-outs," said Rose.

James said he is aware of his director. "He ignored us when we were racing on the streets, ignored what we did at the MAC, and he is ignoring us now."

James said he is aware of Rose's verbal attacks. According to James, during the May event, which he attended to hand out fliers and take pictures, he took such a verbal beating from Rose over the PA system that he finally left.

Rose says he brought some organizers to a tourism board meeting, "some of the best and most successful business people," and that they were treated terribly by James, and were told tales full of James'

"smoke and mirrors." "The board is not being kept informed by its director," Rose said. "This man has a job to do, a responsibility."

According to James, the tourism board is willing to work with Arm-Drop Drags, but Rose's negative remarks about him and board members have caused a rift. "We're all for it, and want to support it," James said. "He's just forced us into an impossible position."

According to Rose, James blames Mayor Jerry Fannin and the city council for why there isn't more support from tourism. "We wanted to work hand-in-hand with tourism, but if

he (James) can't take credit for it, he don't want to have anything to do with it," Rose said.

When asked about the relationship between the city and tourism, Fannin said the tourism board determines how to spend its money. "It doesn't have anything to do with us," Fannin said.

According to James, a \$42,000 donation made last year by Paintsville tourism has put him in a tough spot, because Rose expects Prestonsburg Tourism to be able to match it.

James said he and the board have reviewed their budgets, and that for the time being will have to content with what support they

can offer. "Prestonsburg Tourism has looked at their request, and due to lack of funds, will have to support Arm-Drop with our advertising and marketing funds."

All proceeds from the \$5 admission fee and the \$25 race fees are reinvested into the airport and future events.

The Arm-Drop Drag race takes place Friday and Saturday. Driver registration begins at 2 p.m. Friday and 11 a.m. Saturday. Friday is "Test and Tune" day, with gates opening at 4 p.m. Bracket racing gets underway Saturday, with gates opening at 1 p.m. For more information, visit the Hill-billy Arm Drop Drags page on Facebook.



Shawn Cordle was released this week, after a plea deal in the child abuse against him resulted in a one-year sentence. Monday marked one year that Cordle had been in jail since being arrested.

Father released from jail after plea deal in abuse case

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

PRESTONSBURG — Shawn Cordle was released from jail this week, after a plea agreement was reached with Commonwealth's Attorney's Office in one of last year's most notorious child abuse cases.

Last year, Cordle, and his wife, Amber Cordle, both of Prestonsburg, were arrested after police were dispatched to the couple's home, where they found five children living in filth. The Cordles were both charged with two counts

of unlawful imprisonment, five counts of endangering the welfare of a minor and five counts of first-degree criminal abuse of a child 12 and under.

On Monday, Floyd Circuit Judge John David Caudill sentenced Shawn Cordle to one year in prison, or time served, as the defendant had already served his year. Cordle received one year for each of the unlawful imprisonment charges, and one year for each of the endangering the welfare of a minor charges. His sentences were to be served concurrently. The

charges of first-degree criminal abuse were dismissed.

Commonwealth's Attorney Arnold Brent Turner said Shawn Cordle's crime was not so much abuse as it was more acute neglect. Turner said it is worse Cordle who called for emergency help, because he had one child who needed to go to the hospital and couldn't leave the others.

"He was pretty much in a situation where he was overwhelmed," said Turner. "It was not intentional."

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Woman killed in crash

Ralph B. Davis
Managing Editor

SALT LICK — A Hueysville woman was killed Monday in a single-car accident on Route 7.

Larrel Duncan, 63, was driving north around noon near Route 2929 when she lost control of her car. Corner Greg Nelson said it appeared her vehicle left the roadway, went into a ditch and struck a rock embankment.

She was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident. Nelson said Duncan was wearing her seatbelt at the time of the crash.

Other passengers in the car were treated for injuries. Kentucky State Police Trooper Bradley Watson is investigating the accident.

Gas station target of latest robbery

Ralph B. Davis
Managing Editor

COAL RUN — A recent spate of robberies continued Monday, when a Pike County convenience store was robbed.

Kentucky State Police report that a white male walked into the Cowpen Double Kwik around 11 p.m. Monday, brandishing a firearm and demanding money. He was wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, camouflage mask, white tennis shoes, blue jeans and gloves.

After receiving an undisclosed amount of money, the man fled the store in an unknown direction. KSP Det. Jason Merlo is investigating the crime.

The robbery is just the latest in a string that began with two of bank robberies last week. A masked man robbed the Allen branch of Citizens National Bank on Aug. 20, and two men robbed the South Williamson branch of U.S. Bank the following day.

Police are puzzled over what is behind the recent surge in crime.

"You can put it on the economy or whatever, but there's no way of really knowing," said KSP Public Information Officer Shaun Little.

Police are asking anyone with information on any of the heists to report it to KSP Post 9, in Pikeville, at (606) 433-7711 or (800) 222-5555.

Floyd County male life expectancy dropping

Ralph B. Davis
Managing Editor

Floyd County men are dying sooner.

Statistics compiled by the University of Washington's Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation released earlier this year show Floyd County males born today can expect to live to the age of 69 — more than seven years earlier than the national average.

They are dying sooner than their counterparts in some Third World countries. According to statistics from the United Nations, Floyd County men have a shorter life expectancy than men in Iran, Syria, Colombia and Nicaragua.

But even more troubling for local health officials is that the life expectancy for Floyd County men has been falling over the past decade. Men in Floyd County can now expect to live nearly 11 months shorter than they did 10 years ago, and

nearly 16 months shorter than they did five years ago.

Floyd County women have seen a smaller decrease in their life expectancy. Figures show Floyd County females can expect live 76.4 years on average, a drop of 0.3 years over the past decade.

The findings are the most grim indicator of local health, following a tidal wave of reports in recent years that show that Floyd County has some of the worst rates for obesity, heart disease, diabetes, smoking and sedentary living.

The bad news is not limited to Floyd County. While life expectancy rose 2.1 years nationwide over the past decade, an analysis released last week by the Daily Yonder, a national rural news website operated by the Whitesburg-based Center for Rural Strategies, shows that 85 percent of rural and exurban counties across the country did not match that improvement. In 158 of those counties, life expectancy declined.

Floyd County had the 10th-sharpest decrease in life expectancy, and that trend played out around the region. The analysis by the Daily Yonder reveals a cluster of shrinking lifespans in the Big Sandy region. Perry County had the second-highest drop, in the country, with 2.1 years, trailing only the 2.2 years posted by Grundy County, Tenn. Neighboring Pike County and McDowell County, W.Va., were in the top five, losing 1.1 years, while Johnson and Martin counties each lost a year.

Thursa Sloan, director of the Floyd County Health Department, said the findings are not surprising. "I think it goes back to the environment we live in," Sloan said. "It's our lifestyle."

Sloan said high rates of smoking, obesity and sedentary lifestyles are taking a toll on public health, resulting in a higher incidence of heart disease, cancer and diabetes.

And high rates of poverty in the

region do not help. Sloan said there is a direct correlation between poverty and health.

"A lot of it is economics," Sloan said. "A lot of people can't afford to eat healthy. They've got to make decisions. Do we buy medicine? Do we eat bologna?"

Sloan said she does not see things getting better. She expects to see continued declines in coming years. "The answer for us is to have a better economy, and I don't see that happening around here," Sloan said.

Floyd County Coroner Greg Nelson agreed with Sloan's assessment, but he also suspects another culprit in the trend: "I'm going to say a lot of that [decline in life expectancy] can be attributed to drug overdoses, if I had to guess."

Nelson said his office sees an average of 50 overdose deaths each year, mostly striking people between the ages of 18 and 40. And he said that number is probably low.

"That doesn't sound like a lot, but that's just Floyd County, and that's just cases where they've called the coroner to the scene," Nelson said.

William Heisel, a media relations staffer with IMHE, said his department evaluates death data all across the country in making its estimates. He said the usual reasons behind drops in life expectancy have one thing in common: They are all preventable.

Heisel cited tobacco use, high blood pressure and obesity as common factors behind a drop in longevity. He said he did not know whether 50 overdose deaths would make a significant difference in a county the size of Floyd, but he suspected not. However, he said widespread drug abuse would play a role in decreasing the community's overall health.

"You'll see a lot of the same factors all over the country, but you also have individual factors at play in different areas," Heisel said.

Obituaries



Dewey Calhoun

U.S. Veteran Dewey Calhoun, of 7925 E. 1050 S., South Whitley, Ind., passed away Sunday, Aug. 28, 2012, at 11:55 a.m., at his residence at the age of 85.

He was born March 16, 1926, in Prestonsburg, to Joe Calhoun and Rosa (Worrix) Calhoun. He was married June 2, 1951, to Deliah Rose, who survives.

Dewey was a farmer and also ran his own sawmill. The Calhoun Lumber Company was located in Fort Wayne, Ind., and operated by Dewey and his sons. The family remains involved in the wood industry today.

He honorably served in the U.S. Army for two years during the Korean Conflict. He was a resident of Kosciusko County, Ind., since 1953, and a member of Free United Baptist Church, in Piercetown, Ind.

He will be lovingly remembered by his wife, Deliah Calhoun, of South Whitley, Ind.; six sons, Don Calhoun, of Piercetown, Ind., Rob (wife Janet) Calhoun, of Fort Wayne, Ind., Wayne (wife Kim) Calhoun, of South Bend, Ind., Dean (wife Sandy) Calhoun, of Coldwater, Mich., Joe (wife Teresa) Calhoun, of Sidney, Ind., and Denver Calhoun of Wolcottville, Ind. Also surviving are eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mae Sizemore, of Ada, Ohio, and Fay Gray and Mary Alice Miller, both of Prestonsburg.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, one sister and his parents.

His funeral service was conducted on Thursday,

Sept. 1, 2011, at Free United Baptist Church, in Piercetown, Ind., officiated by Pastor Essie Allen. Burial followed with military rites at Hillcrest Cemetery, in Piercetown, Ind.

Online condolences may be sent through the funeral home's website at www.redpathrufffuneralhome.com.

Estill Lee Fannin

Estill Lee Fannin, 76, of Van Lear, died Aug. 25, 2012, at Prestonsburg Health Care.

He was born March 28, 1976, in Floyd County, to the late George Walter Fannin and Louisa Burchett Fannin.

He was preceded in death by his brothers and sisters, John Denver Fannin, Edmond Fannin, Easton Fannin, Arthur Fannin, Southie Fannin, Eugene Fannin, George Jr. Fannin, Martha Fannin and Mary Fannin.

Funeral services were held Tuesday Aug. 28, 2012, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin. Burial followed the service at Gettsamane Gardens, in Prestonsburg.

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

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com

John Ferrell

John Ferrell, 84, of Banner, died Thursday, Aug. 23, 2012, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 30, 1928, to the late Lack and Blanche McCoy. Fortell. He was a coal miner and a member of the Baptist faith.

He is survived by a special niece, Lois Hunter, and a great niece, Jennifer Carroll.

Funeral services were held Monday, Aug. 27, at Little Salem Regular Baptist Church in Dana. Burial followed the service at Tommy Carroll Cemetery in Printer.

Robert's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Irene Gayheart

Irene Gayheart, 81, of Pinellas Park, Fla., died

Aug. 25, 2012. Survivors include her husband, Elisha; sons, Bobby (Judy), Douglas (Kathy); seven grandchildren, Angela (Darren), Julie, Terri (John), Jeffrey (Heather), Melissa, Michael (Crystal), Stephen; 14 great-grandchildren: Katelyn, Joshua, Garrett, Teghan, Wesley, Ryleigh, Meargan, Amanda, Zachrey, Jacob, Julia, Abigail, Nathanael, and Chloe. She was preceded in death by her parents, Day and Cora Hamilton Howell, and her brother, Samuel Howell.

Clinton Webb Hager

Clinton Webb Hager, 62, of Jeffersville, died Sunday morning, Aug. 26, 2012, at his residence.

He was born Sept. 12, 1949, in Prestonsburg to the late Ruth Hager.

Clinton was a Floyd County native and moved to Montgomery County in 1984. Clinton was a cattle farmer and retired from Bluegrass Stockyards, a member of the Montgomery County Coon Hunters Club and the Cattlemen Association. He was also a "professional" tonk player and was known for being a joker; he loved the outdoors and most of all his family. He will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

Survivors include a son, Steve Hager (Jennifer), of Jeffersonville; three daughters, Debra Johnson (Robert), Lisa Hager and Teresa Overbee, all of Mt. Sterling; his former wife and friend, Sue Hager, of Mt. Sterling; one brother, Ralph Hager (Sue), of Prestonsburg; four sisters, Phyllis Fragis (Angelo), of Lexington, Dolores Click (Ron), of Harrodsburg, Judy Fields, of Winchester, and Freida Justice (Millard), of Prestonsburg; seven grandchildren, Emilee and Lillie Hager, of Jeffersonville, J.P. Logan and Devin Johnson, of Mt. Sterling, and Morgan and Alivia Overbee of Mt. Sterling.

The funeral will be at noon, Wednesday, Aug. 29, at Gateway Christian

Church. Burial will follow at Machpelah Cemetery. Pastor Bill Kilgore and Bro. David Gay will be officiating.

Guestbook at coffman-adamsfuneralhome.com

Arrangements under the direct care of Coffman-Adams Funeral Home & Crematory.

Brenda Kay Howell

Brenda Kay Howell, age 59, of Richmond, passed away Thursday, Aug. 23, 2012, at the Pattie A. Clay Hooper, Richmond.

She was born Sept. 29, 1952, in Martin, the daughter of Mary Howell Mosley and the late Johnny Howell.

In addition to her mother, Brenda is survived by a daughter, Crystal (Kevin) Picklesimer, of Richmond; five step-children: Cheryl (Beverly) Mosley, Dennis (Cheri) Mosley and Freddie (Colleen) Mosley; six sisters, Dottie (Carmel) Newman, of Richmond, Linda Sue (Wendell) McCoy, of Richmond, Anna Rose (Bill) Jenkins, of Lynchburg, Va., Carol Lynn McGlothen, of Printer, Beverly Kaye (Jeff) Hall, of Lexington, and Kimberly (Kenny) Little, of Wheelwright; a step-sister, Kathy Witty; and five grandchildren: Matt, Jeremy, Christopher, Noah and Haley.

She was preceded in death by her father, Johnny Howell, and a sister, Katherine Howell.

Funeral services for Brenda Kay Howell were held Sunday, Aug. 26, in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Chuck Hall officiating. Burial will follow in the Newman Cemetery, at Hi Hat.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made on behalf of the family to the Hall Funeral Home, P.O. Box 868 Martin, KY 41649.

Justin Curtis Jones

Justin Curtis Jones, 31, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, Aug. 20, 2012, in Claypool, Ind.

He was born Dec. 19, 1980, to Sonny Jones and his wife Karen Jones, of Melvin, and the late Patricia Johnson Jones.

He is survived by two brothers, Jeffrey Jones and Clayton Jones II, and two sisters, Jennifer Blazo and Carmon Blackmon.

Funeral services were held Monday, Aug. 27, at Wheelwright Free Will Baptist Church, at Bypro, with Louis Ferrari officiating. Burial followed the service at the Johnson Family Cemetery, in Prestonsburg.

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

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com

Gervie Moore Stumbo

Gervie Moore Stumbo, 98, of Paintsville, died Saturday, July 28, 2012, at her residence.

She was born April 8, 1914, to the late Hawk Moore and Samantha Chafins Moore. She was the wife of the late Erman Buck Stumbo. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her sons, Dickie Stumbo, of Paintsville, and Donnie Mac Stumbo, of Prestonsburg; daughters, Susan Stumbo Jones, of Paintsville, and June Hopkins, of McDowell; brother, Alton Jack Moore, of Marion, Ohio; sister, Ida Wetzig, of Lebanon, Ohio; daughter, Elizabeth, of Matt, of Martin; special niece, Georgetta Cook, of Paintsville; grandchildren, Barry, Greg, Debbie, Diana, David, Daniel, Jerry, John, Samantha and Bucky; and step-grandchildren, Steven, John, Nikki, Charlie, Charles and Britney.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 31, at Jones-Preston Funeral Chapel, with Slade Preston acting minister. Burial followed the service at the Stumbo Family Cemetery, at Minnie.

Harvey Watson

Harvey Watson, 85, of Martin, husband of Gertie Short Watson, died Aug. 25, 2012, in his residence.

He was born Aug. 16, 1927, in Knott County, to the late Noah and Victoria Slone Watson.

He was the coal miner, a member of the UMW, a US Army veteran and a member of the Cold Springs Regular Baptist Church

(Caney Fork), in Martin. He was preceded in death by two sons, Clared Windell Watson and John Watson; two brothers, Hobert Watson and Hassell Watson; and three sisters, Velva Hall, Delta Watson and Nola Watson.

He is survived by a son, Cline Douglas (Nadine) Watson, of Independence; two daughters, Patricia Carol Watson, of Martin, and Marcia Lynn (Joe) Goins, of Cross Plains, Ind.; a brother, Frank Watson, of Pippa Passes; six grandchildren, and six great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, Aug. 28, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Garden.

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

James Robert Thacker

James Robert Thacker, 80, of Martin, died Saturday, Aug. 25, 2012, at his residence.

He was born March 1, 1932, to the late Noah and Rosa Click Thacker. He was the husband of the late Roby Coleman Thacker and retired purchaser for Bank One.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Samuel Thacker, Noah Thacker Jr. and Marion Thacker; and sisters, Delores Mulkey and Geniva Rose Crisp.

He is survived by his son, Robert (Laura) Thacker, of Virginia Beach, Va.; daughter, Angela Wright (Namon), of Indianapolis, Ind.; grandchildren, Chelsea, Mercedes, Porsha, Alisha and Stephanie; and step-grandchildren, Namon Jr. Andrew, Ashley and Austin.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, with Bruce Coleman officiating. Burial followed the service at Miami Valley Memorial Gardens in Springboro, Ohio.

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

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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 of News located at 262 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: fcfeatures@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.

1940s PHS reunion

Those who graduated from Prestonsburg High School in the 1940s will have a reunion Sept. 8, at May Lodge, in Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. The reunion will begin at 10 a.m. in the Lakeview Room. For more information, contact Garnett Fairchild, at (606) 886-2601.

Breathe Easy Coalition

The Breathe Easy Coalition will meet at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 4, at the Floyd County Library. The group will be discussing its upcoming push to ensure clean indoor air for all Floyd County workplaces. Sandwiches will be served.

Appalachian Bike Tour

The 19th annual Appalachian Bike Tour will take place Sept. 29, at Yatesville Lake. Registration begins at 8 a.m. at the marina shelterhouse with the ride beginning at 9 a.m. Entry fees are \$15 in advance, \$20 the day of the tour. Rain or shine.

Appalachia Day Crafter and Musician Registration

The annual Appalachia Day Homecoming will be held Oct. 13 on the campus of Alice Lloyd College, located in Pippa Passes. If you are interested in bringing your handmade crafts to this festival or if your band is interested in playing, please register today. For more information, contact Tiffany Owens at (606) 368-6055.

Justice reunion

The Henry "Chunk" Justice and Jim E. Teacher Justice family reunion will be held Saturday, Sept. 1, at Archer Park, beginning at 11 a.m. Please bring pictures to share. Lunch will be served 1 to 4 p.m. Please bring a side dish and/or dessert.

Parsons family reunion

The descendants of Isaac Parsons will meet on Sunday, Sept. 2, on Parsons Branch, off Route 979 at Big Mud Creek. Family and friends will meet, greet and eat from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Food will be served at 1 p.m. For more information, contact Deana Parsons Porter, at (734) 732-8424.

Floyd County Retired Teachers

The Floyd County Retired Teachers will meet at 11 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 6, at May Lodge, in Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

Floyd County Job Club

The Floyd County Job club meets every Thursday, from 11 a.m. until noon, at the Kentucky Career Center Office of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation 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 one hour early for a new member orientation. Call (606) 886-2948, for more information.

Final Dwale Homecoming

Saturday, Sept. 1, the annual Dwale Homecoming Reunion will take place at the Dwale shelter, beginning at 11 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 Alumni

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.

Please note the following dates and times of meetings/practices in preparation for the upcoming Jenny Wiley Festival Parade:

- Sundays - Sept. 9 and 23 at PHS at 3 p.m.
- Tuesdays - Sept. 4, 11, 18, and 25 at PHS at 6:30 p.m.
- Saturday - Sept. 8 at First United Methodist Church, Prestonsburg at 1 p.m.

Bring your baton if you plan to perform, but plan to attend even if you don't. For more information, contact Carol Jo May at (606) 226-2565.

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 infokly-in@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 meet and gain a new perspective on your caregiving issues. The symposium will take place on Wednesday, August 29, from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Pikeville Public Library, 119 College Street, Room 124. Registration is required; call 1-800-272-3900 or e-mail infokly-in@alz.org.

Quit smoking

Are you ready to kick the tobacco habit for good? The Cooper/Clayton Methodist, 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 285-6992. The Cooper/Clayton Methodist to Stop Smoking Project 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.

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) 791-6601.

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@M2C.org.

Veterans service officer

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

2nd Monday of each month, Calvarys Call Church, 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

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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, Auxler. 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 886-2785 for more information.

Become a volunteer with Victim Services

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

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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.drugso.com

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Worth Repeating ...

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— Gregory Nunn

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Guest View Genocide by suicide

328.5 days.
That is how many days fewer a Floyd County boy born today can expect to live, compared to one born 10 years ago.
For girls born today, the figure is 109.5 days.
That, quite simply, is an indictment of our community.

For years, we have been writing in these pages about the declining health of our county and our region, hoping to raise awareness of the very real problems we see unfolding before our eyes. We have done so not in an attempt to highlight our weaknesses, but rather to point out areas where we can improve. Our hope has been to see things get better.

But they're not getting better. They're getting worse, and people are dying because of it.

And Floyd County is by no means alone, as the trend is taking place throughout the Big Sandy region. There are a host of reasons for the decline, but foremost among them are common unhealthy behaviors, such as smoking, poor diet and lack of exercise. Those three factors are a direct cause of outrageously high rates of heart disease, cancer and diabetes, which in turn trim years from our lives.

The simple fact is we are killing ourselves, in wholesale numbers. We are sacrificing birthdays and Christmases, and for what? One more Big Mac? One more episode of "Real Housewives"?

Everyone has a stake in this problem, whether it be in making positive personal changes or reaching out to help those we love do the same.

It is a personal issue, because, ultimately, each person is responsible for his or her own health.

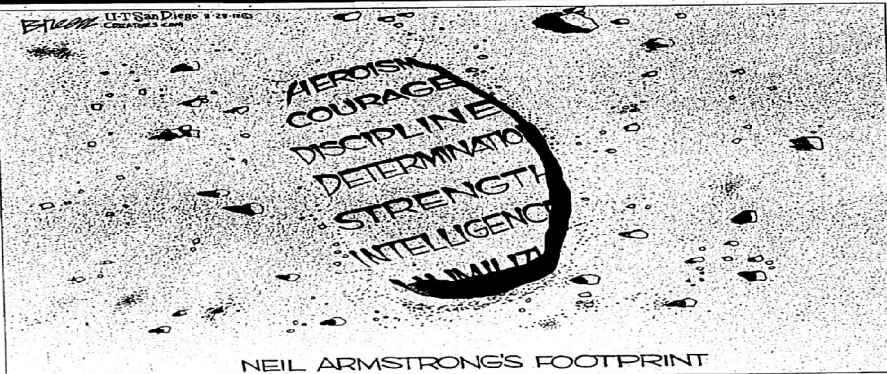
It is a parental issue, because children take the lessons they learn from their families with them throughout their lives.

It is a business issue, because our workforce depends on people, and unhealthy people ultimately lead to unhealthy businesses.

It is a government issue, because the health of our people plays a direct role in our success as a community.

Everyone has a stake. Everyone has a part to play. And the time for action is yesterday.

— The Floyd County Times



A legislative perspective

Rep. Greg Stumbo
Speaker of the House

For a state known around the world for its horses, there has been one thing missing for quite some time: We don't know how many of them call Kentucky home.

That's about to change, however, thanks to a survey now being done by equine programs at the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville and the Kentucky Horse Council, with help from the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture and the Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy.

The need for an accurate census is there, since the last one was 35 years ago. Final figures are expected by the end of the year, with data on the horse industry's full economic impact due in early 2013.

While we wait for the details, there is no question that they will be significant. One estimate pegs the number of horses at 350,000, while the economic impact will be measured in the billions of dollars. Horse-related sales alone last year topped \$700 million, which was just below cattle sales and fourth among the state's leading agricultural commodities.

It didn't take long after Kentucky

became a state in 1792 before other areas of the country recognized the quality of our horses. There were some major ups and downs during the 1800s — with the Civil War setting us back considerably — but our fortunes were on the upswing by the time the Kentucky Derby ran its first race in 1875.

Interestingly, Kentucky established ties to the third leg of the Triple Crown just a decade later, when August Belmont — for whom the Belmont Stakes are named — moved his operations from New York to Central Kentucky, setting the stage for other wealthy horsemen to follow.

For a time in the early 1900s, racing was largely illegal in the country except here and in Maryland. This proved to be an opportune time for Kentucky, however, as it gave us a chance to solidify our reputation as the "Horse Capital of the World."

Last year, the General Assembly's Program Review and Investigations Committee took a closer look at a key aspect of that title — the Thoroughbred breeding industry — and found that, in many ways, little has changed over the last century.

In 2010, for example, Kentucky had

43 percent of the Thoroughbred mares bred in the country, which was almost as many as the next nine states combined. The percentage of foals registered each year, meanwhile, has grown significantly; we had 19 percent of the country's total in 1991 but 43 percent in 2010.

Overall, the committee found, the state's Thoroughbred breeding industry is directly and indirectly responsible for 17,600 jobs, with earnings exceeding \$350 million.

This breed may be one of the first to come to mind when we think of horses in Kentucky, but only 20 percent of the state's horses are dedicated to racing, according to the Kentucky Horse Council. Saddlebreds are also popular, and last week were the focus of the World's Championship Horse Show, which is held annually in conjunction with the Kentucky State Fair.

It goes without saying that horses have played an integral role in making Kentucky what it is today. Whether that was helping to settle the land, plow a field or find a finish line faster than horses from anywhere else, their contributions helped to make us who we are — and they're poised to continue that long into the future.

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Rep. Hubert Collins

Last fiscal year was expected to be a banner year for sales at the Kentucky Lottery, with a total of \$817.7 million in sales projected from both the lottery's online and instant games.

Most of that money (historically 60 percent) will be paid to the winners, with retailers and operating expenses also getting their share. But the state treasury will get some, too—hundreds of millions of dollars, in fact.

Year-to-date sales for the Kentucky Lottery as of May 31, 2012 totaled \$704 million, with the State of Kentucky earning 28.3 percent of that total, or around \$198.4 million, for merit based scholarships, need based grants and literacy development. That is on par with the 27 percent of proceeds—or \$3.69 billion—that the Kentucky Lottery Corporation has transferred to the state since the lottery began selling its tickets and games in April 1989.

Lottery winners have received the largest payout from the lottery so far this year (59.8 percent of total sales), with the percentage earned by the Commonwealth coming in second, followed by payouts to retailers (6.6 percent) and the lottery's marketing or operating costs (5.3 percent).

One question that state lawmakers have been asked by other citizens throughout the state over the past 20 years is, where does the lottery money go? Many doubt it is going for education, as specified by state law, and want the cold, hard facts.

Well, here they are.

The Kentucky Lottery has earned more than \$3.5 billion for the state's treasury since 1989. Through June 2011, those proceeds have gone to the state's General Fund (\$1.75 billion, including \$214 million for guaranteed base fund for schools); merit and need-based scholarships or grants, and reserve funds for the merit scholarship program, known as "KES" (\$1.66 billion); \$36 million for literacy development; and \$20.8 million between fiscal year 1999 and fiscal year 2003 for the state's Affordable Housing Trust Fund (AHTF) to help build over 2,770 homes for citizens in need. AHTF dollars have come from fees on new mortgages, recorded deeds and 21 other records kept by county clerks since 2006.

Let's break this down a little more. The merit-based KES program (that stands for Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship) and need-based College Access Program (or CAP) and Kentucky Tuition Grants Program have received \$1.74 billion from

the Kentucky Lottery Corporation since fiscal year 1999. More than 1.3 million college scholarships and grant awards have been made thanks to this funding, which in turn has convinced many of Kentucky's "best and brightest" high school students to pursue a postsecondary education here at home.

Now, let's take an even closer look at where the lottery money goes by reviewing the Kentucky Lottery Corporation's report on proceed distribution for fiscal year 2011.

Besides the \$1.7 billion that has funded college grants and scholarships for Kentuckians and funding provided by the lottery for the AHTF in the past, literacy funding from lottery proceeds has helped develop the successful Kentucky Early Childhood Reading Incentive Fund, the Kentucky Read to Achieve program, and the state's Collaborative Center for Literacy Development. I would be careless if I left out the fact that \$32 million in lottery proceeds were allocated by the Kentucky General Assembly in the early 90s to provide one-time bonuses for Kentucky Vietnam veterans. Then there was the \$214 million earmarked for elementary and secondary education by the General Assembly in 1993 and 1994, and more than \$1.5 billion in lottery proceeds allocated over

the years for a number of programs paid for from the state's General Fund.

In other words, the Kentucky Lottery has done a lot for our state, and we have the numbers to prove it.

Lottery officials who shared much of this information at a legislative meeting in June said the Kentucky Lottery Corporation is always looking for new ways to improve sales and, in turn, increase the state's proceeds.

And, of course, the best way to increase sales is to find new ways to encourage people to buy lottery tickets and games.

That said, the Kentucky Lottery is implementing a rewards program this fall called "Points for Prizes"—a program that will allow players to enter non-winning ticket numbers on the Kentucky Lottery web site and earn points for merchandise and prizes. Once it is fully implemented in Kentucky, Points for Prizes is expected to add another 2 to 4 percent to lottery sales (or an increase of \$16 million to \$34 million in proceeds) by effectively making every player a winner in one way or another.

I hope this has been an informative look at the Kentucky Lottery for citizens in our community, and I'll share more of the news in Frankfort with you next time. Have a good week.

Calendar

From Page A3

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?

Lifetime 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. Five 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, McDowell 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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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, 263-1225, or Tommie Layne, 886-4585. Everyone welcome.

'Earn While You Learn'

The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its "Senior Training Program." You must be 55 or

older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 789-6515; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

Looking for a support group?

Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group - The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center holds meetings each Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meetings are free of charge. Call 886-6025 for more information.

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

Overeaters' Anonymous - Meetings held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., at the old Allen Baptist Church, located at Auxier, just past red light. Call 889-9620 for more info.

US TOO! Prostate Cancer Survivors Support Group - For all men with prostate cancer and their families. Group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month, at 6 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, Paintsville.

Community Weight Loss Support Group - Meets Thursdays at 6:30 p.m., at the Martin Community Center. For more info., call 377-6658. Those who have had gastric bypass surgery most especially welcome to attend. Meetings being offered as support to anyone needing extra support in dealing with weight loss.

Domestic Violence

Hotline - 24-hour Crisis services office, 1009 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg. Domestic Violence counselors from 6-8 p.m. Childcare will not be provided. For more information, contact Debra Slone, adoptive parent liaison, at 432-4110 or 422-7927, or email to: doslone@eastky.net.

Disabled? - You may be eligible for grant money to assist in your daily living! An application or more information, call 886-4326.

A.S.K. (Adoption Support for Kentucky) - Support group for adoptive parents (public, state, international, and ashsp care), foster parents and others interested in adoption. To be held the first Monday of each month, at the Department for Community Based

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

886-1280, or 888-872-7227 (toll free).

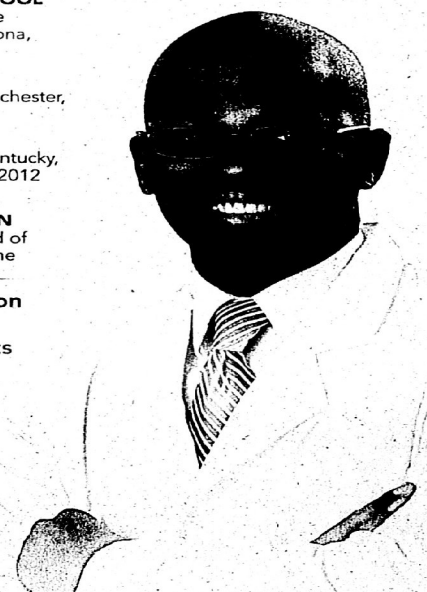
East Kentucky S.T.A.R.S. Home-schoolers - Will hold monthly meetings at the Paintsville Recreation Center. For more information, call Trudy at 889-9333, or 287-5147. Everyone welcome.

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

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Elk tours offered at Jenny Wiley, Buckhorn

FRANKFORT — Two Kentucky State Parks in Eastern Kentucky will offer guests a unique wildlife viewing opportunity this fall and winter — elk viewing tours.

Visitors to Jenny Wiley and Buckhorn Lake State Resort Parks can choose a weekend, stay at a state park lodge or cottage and arrive early to enjoy one of these unique tours. Participants should bring their cameras — there should be great photography opportunities. The largest elk herds are located on privately owned lands that are normally closed to the public.

This is one of the best opportunities available to the public to see the greatest number of elk.

The return of elk to this region is considered to be one of Kentucky's biggest success stories. The animals, after being gone from the state for 150 years, were returned in 1997. They now number around 10,000.

Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg
 Fall 2012 dates: Sept. 15 (Elk Night), 16, 29, 30, Sept. 22-23 Under the Stars with the Elk Camping; Oct. 20 (Buffalo Night), 21, 27,

Nov. 3, 17, 24; Dec. 1, 12, 19, 26 (Buffalo Night), 27, Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23; March 2, 9

Jenny Wiley State Resort Park is sponsoring elk tours at a cost of \$30 per person or \$15 per child 2 and under. This fee includes your transportation to and from the viewing sites, a continental breakfast. The park also offers packages that include lodging. Because these tours fill up quickly, registration is required. Special group packages are also available. The Sept. 22-23 trip II feature a campout that includes meals. Call 1-800-5-0142 for information and reservations.

Buckhorn Lake State Resort Park, Buckhorn
 Fall 2012 dates: Sept. 15, 22; Oct. 3; Nov. 17; Dec. 1.

Winter 2013 dates: Jan. 12, 26; Feb. 9, 23; March 9, 16.

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Local author to be at Wayland's Heritage Days

Scrapy Barnes

Sarah Gayheart is a 32-year-old, stay-at-home mother, who resides at Beaver. Her father, Thomas Tucker, was a retired coal miner, and her mother, Billie Carroll Tucker, was a stay at home mom as well.

Growing up she wanted nothing more than to become an author and she has worked her entire life to accomplish that goal. She started writing short stories and poetry when she was only 12 years old. Loving nothing more than getting someone to read something she had made up entirely in her mind.

In 1997 while attending South Floyd High School she had the opportunity to write for the school newspaper and realized through her writing that the one thing she truly wanted was for her work to be put out there for the whole world to read. Whether it be the ramblings of a small child or the work of an over-imaginative woman she hopes to keep writing for as long as she possibly can.

Now married with two children of her own that dream has not dimmed it has only gotten bigger. She accomplished that dream in June of 2012, when Broken Dreams, her first novel hit the book shelves. "A childhood game is something meant for fun, well that is what one would assume. However when the hardships of life get in the way, it can become a lot more. A game can be the very reason for your existence. It can become almost magical. The very thing that can lead you to what you truly crave the most True Love."

"Broken Dreams" Is now available worldwide, on amazon as well as by contacting 606-587-2303 or by email @ sarahgayheart@hotmail.com. A book signing will take place at the Heritage Days Celebration 2012 on Saturday September 1 in Wayland beginning at 10 a.m.

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McDowell Elementary School
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A project overview will be given at 6:15 p.m. and 7:15 p.m.; however an informal meeting format will be used (stop by anytime between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.)

This meeting is to get input from the public about the curve revision on KY 22. Handouts containing information about the project, comment sheets and displays will be available at the meeting. Representatives from the KY Transportation Cabinet and their consultant will be available to answer questions. Written and oral comments will be accepted during the meeting.

Written comments will be accepted, and information made available, up to 15 days after the meeting at the District Twelve Office address listed below. Written and oral comments from this meeting will become a part of the official record for the project. Once compiled, the meeting record will be made available for review and copying only after an Open Records Request has been received and approved. All Open Records Requests must be submitted to the Office of Legal Services, Transportation Cabinet Office Building, 200 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40622.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if anyone has a disability and requires assistance, please notify Diana Elswick, no later than Wednesday, September 12, 2012. Please call 606-433-7791 or mail your request to the address listed below.

Please address any questions regarding this meeting or project to:
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Leaders discuss how to reach out to potential college students

PAINTSVILLE — Big Sandy Community and Technical College welcomed a host of individuals to a workshop entitled, "Understanding and Engaging Under-resourced College Students" August 24, in the Mayo Auditorium, on the Paintsville campus.

The event was directed by BSCTC Professor, Dr. Patsy Jackson. Dr. Jackson introduced keynote speaker, Dr. Bethanie H. Tucker of North Carolina. Dr. Tucker, a professional educator since 1972 has served as a classroom teacher, a resource teacher, a teacher of gifted students, program coordina-

tor, grant-funded project director and is currently a professor of education at Averett University in Danville, Virginia. While teaching at Averett, she researched and developed Tucker Signing Strategies for Reading—a decoding method using sight, sound and movement that has been highly successful with struggling readers nationwide, and in some foreign countries. An experienced consultant, Dr. Tucker presents numerous workshops for aha! Processors, Inc. These workshops include: A Framework for Understanding Poverty, Researched-Based Strat-

egies, Under-resourced Learners, Reading by Age of 5 and many others.

Dr. Tucker explained that more and more college students are entering college with fewer resources, hence making the transition to college difficult and problematic. College culture requires students to conform and meet traditional standards. By understanding the challenges and struggles of under-resourced college students: faculty, staff and administration create the conditions that make success achievable—not merely accessible. Dr. Tucker expounded upon this process by

stating, "In order to help students be successful, we must understand the hidden rules of poverty and middle class. We must teach students the hidden rules of college and we must learn to communicate with them better." Dr. Tucker further elucidated, "As institutional representatives, we must work back-and-forth between formal and casual registers in our communications with students. We must help students clarify their needs and difficulties in sustaining and staying in college." Additionally, Tucker remarked,

"Students that self regulate, have a better chance of succeeding in college." The event included a host of individuals, including P-16 Council members as well as BSCTC faculty, staff and students. Attendees learned the transformational process—the "what and why" of under-resourced college students and the "how-to" teaching and program design strategies to help students succeed. Moreover, participants learned the following:

- Teaching strategies to build student cognitive ability
- Developmental tactics encouraging abstracting thinking and planning
- Retention approaches encouraging mutual trust and respect
- Knowledge to improve institutional policy and procedures
- Community engagement strategies
- Program methods to better serve students in poverty

For more about this event and Dr. Bethanie H. Tucker, contact Professor, Dr. Patsy R. Jackson at (606) 886-3863, ext. 64711 or e-mail patsy.jackson@kctcs.edu.

Retired teachers honor fallen cohorts

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

PRESTONSBURG — Former Floyd County Teachers were remembered recently during an Floyd County Education Association luncheon.

Each year the Floyd County Education Association (FCEA) pays honor to those retired teachers who have died during the previous year with a program dedicated to their lives and how they influenced the lives of many children along the way. Fittingly, the program is done in the spring of the year.

This year's Floyd County's Deceased Retired Teachers included Homer L. Hall, Nannie Walters Hall, Charlene Sexton, Wendell L. Martin, Keith W. Stone, Hugo Eckens Miller, Carole Rice, Draxie Hamilton Newsome and Helen Gladys Matthew Jones.

During the program there was a candle lighting, receiving of proclamation and rose and eulogies for deceased members by family, colleagues and students. Other members of the association tell heartfelt stories of the teachers and it makes for a day that teachers are truly

appreciated for the work they do for kids and the community. Sometimes the comments are heart-wrenching.

The site of this year event was the Josie Hoskins school which provided just the right atmosphere for such a service. The Josie Hoskins school is a one room facility that had the very minimum of equipment and supplies and yet managed to turn out people who went on to be of service to their families and communities.

Entertainment was provided by the East Wind Trio—Joan Chaffins, Trish Cieslak, and Libby Hall from the McDowell First Baptist Church. Joan and Libby are retired teachers themselves and know many of the people who are honored each year. These ladies have been providing the entertainment for many years at this function.

After the program everyone was treated to a lunch prepared by members of the FCEA, and more stories and memories were relived.

The FCEA will be having a meeting at 11 a.m., Sept. 6, at May Lodge, in Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. Lunch is provided for newly retired members.

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Southeast Chamber awards businesses at banquet

Julia Goad
Heartland News Service

PIKEVILLE — The Southeast Kentucky Chamber of Commerce held its 55th annual Awards Banquet at the East Kentucky Expo Center, with area business receiving recognition for their contributions to Eastern Kentucky. Jared Arnet, president and CEO of the Chamber, said the Chamber has added 127 new members in the past year, and laid groundwork for more growth. "Our regional concept has found widespread

support," Arnet said. "Regionalism is the trend in economic development throughout the country. We believe the economic future of Eastern Kentucky rests on our ability to unite as a region and become strategic in our planning."

The keynote speaker for the banquet was Bill Graham, President of Graham Corporate Communications. Graham spent 15 years as a theater director and producer, served as Director of Creative Affairs for Proctor and Gamble, creating teams that produced Emmy Award

winning soap operas.

He is an adjunct professor at Seton Hall University, teaching classes in Communication Ethics, Public Relations and Effective Presentations. He teaches Sports Management at George Mason University, and is a regular guest lecturer at Johns Hopkins University, and is a member of the US Chamber of Commerce's Institute for Organization Management.

The awards given by the Chamber at the Banquet were:

- Outstanding Contributions toward Com-

munity Service by an Organization, given to Community Trust Bank, which was represented by Jean Hale. This award cannot be given to an individual, only to an organization or business who makes a difference in the lives of our residents. This year's recipient of this award has been chosen due to their many acts of service for our local communities.

• Service Organization of the Year, given to Relay for Life, represented by Bridgette Beahrs.

• Community Representative with the American Cancer Society. The award for Service Organization of the Year is given to an organization that has shown great support to the communities of Southeast Kentucky. The organization must strongly impact the community and serve its people.

• Chamber Volunteer of the Year, given to Sandy Johnson of The Benefits Firm. The Chamber Volunteer of the Year Award is given to someone who exhibits the qualities of a servant leader and who has invested time and/or support in the Chamber. This person should have helped with multiple organizations within the Chamber or affecting the state of the Chamber.

• Kentucky Chamber of Commerce Executives Award, given to Jean Hale, with Community Trust Bank. This is a new award given at the discretion of the KCCE board to recognize an individual or company who has gone above and beyond to promote the organization as well as local chambers across the state. Jean Hale has been instrumental in the development of the Local Chamber Advisory Board, which incorporated nine

chamber executives from across the state onto the Kentucky Chamber board of directors. She has also been instrumental in helping KCCE become what it is today by stepping up as a Corporate Partner (and maintaining that partnership for seven years) so that we could hire a full time executive director.

• Business Person of the Year was awarded to Dwayne Moore. The Award for Business Person of the Year is given to an individual who to business partners who have demonstrated support for the advancement and leadership development of business and professionals in eastern Kentucky. The recipient not only has the industry of our community at heart but also the further development of the community and serve its people.

• Small Business of the Year Award was given to Lee's Famous Recipe Chicken, accepted by E-Doug Mortimer and staff. The Small Business of the Year award is given to a business who has exemplified entrepreneurship in the region. This business should maintain a responsible and rewarding work place environment, give back to their community through volunteerism, and should be a true representative of the entrepreneurship of the citizens of the community.

• Business of the Year, given to Kellogg's, accepted by John Heilman, Plant Manager. The Business of the Year award is given to a business who has exemplified economic impact and expansion in the region. This business should have a stabilized workforce and an influence on the local, county and state level.

Junior Williamson Ambassador Award, given

to Speaker Greg Stumbo, accepted by Leslie Combs. The Junior Williamson Memorial Ambassador Award has been given since 1991 in honor of the late Junior Williamson. Many will remember Junior Williamson, but many may not know what a true ambassador he was. The recipient of the Ambassador Award for this year deserves this award for sharing the beauty and goodness of our region to those who live outside of its borders.

• Lon B. Rogers Lifetime Achievement Award, given to Jack Sykes. The Lon B. Rogers Lifetime Achievement Award is given to someone who has spent years of their life striving to make the region a better place. The person receiving the Lon B. and Mary Evelyn Rogers Lifetime Achievement Award is someone who has a strong love for the region and has made a significant impact, creating change and progression in the area.

• Athena Award, given to Lynette Schindler, CPA. The Athena Award is new this year. The Athena Award was inspired by the goddess of Greek mythology, known for her strength, courage, wisdom, and enlightenment. This award is presented to a woman who is honored for professional excellence, community service, and for actively assisting other women in their attainment of professional excellence and leadership skills.

The KCCE also presented a check to Shriners Childrens Hospitals to Hillbilly Clan #1. Out-house #2 and designated City and County Officials. The check, for \$82,000, will be used to help that charity.

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Nominations sought for tech awards

FRANKFORT — The deadline to nominate Kentucky students, businesses, schools, and organizations that are promoting innovative uses of technology is quickly approaching as ConnectKentucky, marking its 10th anniversary, will again honor the Commonwealth's tech leaders at its 2012 Tech Day on November 13, 2012. The deadline for nominations is October 1.

The 6th annual awards will be presented at The George and Ellen Rieveschl Auditorium in Griffin Hall at Northern Kentucky University.

ConnectKentucky is soliciting nominations for awards in the following categories:

- Small Business Technology Award goes to a small business that has successfully used broadband technology to broaden its customer reach and provide a positive example of technology use and capabilities in the Commonwealth.
- Large Business Technology Award goes to a large business that

has successfully used broadband technology to broaden its customer reach and act as a leader in technology use in the Commonwealth.

- New and Emerging Business Technology Award goes to a start-up business that has successfully used broadband technology as a vehicle for growth and has acted as a model for other emerging Kentucky businesses.
- Secondary Student Technology Award goes to a Kentucky high school student who has recognized the benefits of using broadband technology and promotes and implements its use in creative and inspiring ways.
- Postsecondary Student Technology Award goes to a Kentucky college student who has recognized the benefits of using broadband technology and promotes and implements its use in creative and inspiring ways.
- School District Technology Award goes to a Kentucky school district that has successfully used broad-

band technology to enhance the educational capacity of its institutions as well as inform students and parents of the value of broadband adoption.

- Postsecondary Institution Technology Award goes to a Kentucky postsecondary institution that has successfully used broadband technology to enhance its educational capacity as well as provide students with an improved educational experience using broadband technology.
- Government Leadership in Technology Award goes to a state or local government that has utilized broadband technology to improve effectiveness and efficiency in areas such as budgeting and service delivery.

Nominations are due by October 1, 2012. For more information about the nominations or to receive a nomination form, contact ConnectKentucky Executive Director René True at rtrue@connectky.org. More information and downloadable nomination forms are available at www.connectkentucky.org.

KDE revamps virtual online learning system

FRANKFORT — The Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) is moving from serving as a provider of online courses offered through the Kentucky Virtual High School (KVHS) to a partner in assisting schools in learning about full- and part-time online learning options available through multiple statewide providers.

An initiative of KDE and the Council on Postsecondary Education (CPE) called the Kentucky Virtual Campus for K-12 (KYVC4K12) provides easy access to the state providers and their courses. KYVC4K12's website — <http://www.kyvc4k12.org> — will provide expanded e-learning opportunities for Kentucky students.

Beginning this school year, KDE also will provide lists of digital learning resources that schools, classrooms and districts may use to offer multiple e-learning options to students through blended learning. Support and guidance also will be provided to help schools and districts make the best choices regarding the use of digital content and online courses.

KDE has identified three online course providers accessible through <http://www.kyvc4k12.org> or directly through these links:

- Barren Academy of Virtual and Expanded Learning (BAVEL)
- Jefferson County eSchool
- Kentucky Educational Television (KET)

Cost of natural gas to decrease for Columbia customers

Price now 37 percent lower than this time last year

LEXINGTON — Columbia Gas of Kentucky has received approval from the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) for its most recent Gas Cost Adjustment (GCA). Effective August 28, Columbia Gas of Kentucky's gas supply cost will be \$3.5459 per Mcf (1,000 cubic feet), a 4.7 percent decrease from its current price of \$3.7230 and a 37 percent decrease from the September 2011 price of \$5.6418. The new price will remain in effect until the next scheduled Gas Cost Adjustment in December 2012.

Columbia Gas of Kentucky typically adjusts its prices quarterly to reflect current market conditions. Natural gas distribution companies do not earn a profit on their gas commodity costs and Columbia

Gas of Kentucky passes the cost along to customers without markup.

A customer's monthly bill is comprised of two primary components: the gas supply cost and delivery costs. The delivery charges cover the cost of delivering the gas to the customer's home or business through the company's pipeline infrastructure, as well as line inspection, repair, 24-hour emergency service, etc. The gas supply cost includes the commodity cost, interstate pipeline charges and storage costs. The gas supply cost charges typically account for about half of a customer's monthly bill.

Despite low commodity costs, Columbia still encourages customers to enroll in the Budget Payment Plan. The Budget Payment Plan spreads winter heat-

ing costs throughout the year and allows customers to pay the same amount every month. The Budget Payment Plan begins in May of each year, but customers can enroll at any time by calling 800-229-9345 between 8am and 5pm, Monday through Friday.

Columbia Gas of Kentucky also offers a series of residential energy efficiency programs, called WarmWise, to help customers save energy. WarmWise includes furnace replacements for eligible low-income customers, free home energy audits for customers who own single-family homes with natural gas heat, and natural gas appliance rebates for a variety of high-efficiency natural gas heating,

water heating and hearth products.

Columbia Gas is partnering with Community Action Council and its weatherization program for its WarmWise furnace replacement program. To determine if they are eligible for a free furnace replacement and to register for the weatherization program, customers should call Community Action Council at 800-244-2275.

To request a free WarmWise home energy audit, customers should call 800-300-8709 or complete the online request form at www.columbiagas.com/warmwise. Efficiency requirements and other details about the appliance rebate program are also available at the company's website.

Jail

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al abuse, but more extreme neglect."

When emergency medical service crews arrived at the Cordles' residence, they found three children with blisters and rashes, and two more children were found upstairs, trapped in a room, lying in feces and urine. All five children were taken to Highlands Regional Medical Center, where they were all admitted. Two children reportedly had severe infections from diaper rashes.

Turner said Amber Cordle is expected to be sentenced to two years in prison for her role in the neglect of the children. He explained she hadn't been home in weeks, and had more or less abandoned the children to her husband. "Between the two of them,

the evidence shows that she was more culpable," Turner said.

According to Turner, social service groups had made numerous visits to the home and had reported nothing that would suggest the children had been living in those conditions for an extended period of time.

"This was a gentleman who was overwhelmed," said defense attorney Emma Jones. "I'm really happy to see him go home."

Cordle was released from jail Monday. Turner said Cordle may be able to regain some of his privileges with his oldest child. All of the Cordles' children were taken into custody by social services.

Amber Cordle's sentencing is scheduled for September.

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Amy Ashley, Norman Bishop and Tiffany Owens were recently hired by Alice Lloyd College.

Alice Lloyd College announces new faculty, staff members

PIPPA PASSES — As Alice Lloyd College begins another exciting semester, the College is proud to announce the arrival of two new staff members and one faculty

member for the Fall 2012 academic session.

Norman Bishop, of Midwest, Wyoming, will be an Assistant Professor of Education for the College. Mr. Bishop received

his B.A. in Elementary Education with a focus in Secondary Social Studies and English and his M.A. in Special Education from the University of Wyoming. He is expected to graduate with his A.B.D. in Education Leadership from Northern Arizona University the winter of 2013.

Amy Ashley, of Pine Top, Kentucky, was recently appointed the new Cashier/Student Receivables Clerk for Alice Lloyd College.

Tiffany Owens, of Mousie, Kentucky, has recently been appointed the new Director of Marketing and Communications for Alice Lloyd College. Ms. Owens received her B.A. in Business Administration from ALC and M.B.A. from the University of Kentucky.

Alice Lloyd College is a private, four-year, liberal arts school located in Pippa Passes, Kentucky, in Knott County. Alice Gaddes Lloyd founded the College in 1923 to educate mountain students for positions of leadership and service in Appalachia. ALC offers a quality education with tuition guaranteed to any student in its 108-county service area.

Harold Rogers to speak at 2012 entrepreneurial awards program

SOMERSET — U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers is scheduled to be the special guest speaker at the 2012 Excellence in Entrepreneurship Awards program on Monday, Sept. 10, at The Center for Rural Development in Somerset.

Rogers has been invited to deliver the keynote address at the regional awards program and luncheon, set to begin at 11:30 a.m., which will celebrate the success and accomplishments of some of the region's top small business owners, entrepreneurs, and nonprofit organizations in Eastern and Southern Kentucky.

The top three finalists in each of the five EIEA award categories will be publicly recognized with a short video profile that will air during the luncheon. The program will culminate with the announcement of the award recipients and on-stage award presentations by EIEA sponsoring partners.

The deadline to register for the EIEA awards program and luncheon is Sept. 4. For more information or to register, call The Center for Rural Development at (606) 677-6000 or register online at <http://crdev.us/eiea2012>.

The 2012 EIEA award finalists and their respective business categories are:

For-Profit Business: Bob and Tom Hutchison, McDonald's of East Kentucky, Paintsville; Anthony and Julie Roberts, Owens, Servpro of Pulaski and Laurel counties, London; and Masato Sugimura, Lincoln Manufacturing USA, LLC, Starford.

For-Profit Small Business: Jeff Parmelee PT and Terry Randall PT, Total Rehab Center, Somerset; Shane Baker and Dr. Patrick Heist, Owners, Fern Solutions, Inc., Danville; and Sarah Culbreth and Jeff Enge, Owners/Potters, Tater Knob Pottery, Berea.

Start-Up Business: Nick Noble and Nate Noble, Park Mammoth Resort, Park City; Scott Mackey and Shane Richmond, Wildcat Harley-Davidson, London; and Troy Lay, Daniel Tolson, and Michael Carpenter, Own-

ers, Alternative Energies Kentucky, LLC, Danville.

Not-For-Profit Entity: Bobby W. Grant, President and CVO, Twin Lakes Family Wellness Center, Albany; Jeff Rubin, Executive Director, and Jerry K. Palmer, Ph.D., Board Secretary, Recall Inc, Berea; and Grace Community Health Center, Gray.

Young Entrepreneur: Jared Sizemore, Owner, Juggling Jared, Pineville; Todd Leuff, Owner, LowGap Outfitters, LLC, Hindman; and Hong R. Zhang Durandal, Owner, and Peter H. Hackbert, Mentor, Energy Hunters LLC, Berea.

Other honorees to be recognized at the EIEA awards luncheon are 2012 Entrepreneurial Leadership Institute (ELI) first-place winning team members and high school students Savannah Noe, Lee County; Raelynn Harrison, Clay County; Ethan Call, Pulaski County; Madison Lee, Casey County; and Kimberly Brown, of Knox County; and 2012 Collegiate Business Concept Challenge winner and Eastern Kentucky University student Bettalinda Sinda Mbala and her business advisor Dr. Weiling Zhuang.

The EIEA program—celebrating excellence since 2001—is sponsored by Eastern Kentucky University's (EKU) College of Business and Technology, Kentucky Highlands Investment Corporation, Southeast Kentucky Economic Development Corporation (SKED), and The Center for Rural Development.

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Court services to shut down statewide Tuesday

FRANKFORT — Judicial centers will be closed statewide and all court services will be unavailable Tuesday, Sept. 4, as the Kentucky Judicial Branch shuts down for the second of three fur-

lough days in 2012. The court system also will be closed on Monday, Sept. 3, to observe the Labor Day holiday.

This will be the first time since Kentucky's modern

court system was formed in 1976 that the Judicial Branch must close judicial centers to balance its budget.

The furloughs will affect only non-elected court personnel, who will be off work without pay as part of the Judicial Branch's Fiscal Year 2013 Budget Reduction Plan. The entire court system shut down Aug. 6 and will be closed again on Tuesday, Sept. 4, and Monday, Oct. 15. This includes the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Circuit Court, District Court, Offices of Circuit Court Clerk, the Administrative Office of the Courts and all court services, including Pretrial Services, Drug Court, the Court Designated Worker Program, Court Interpreting Services, the State Law Library and driver license branches.

The Supreme Court of Kentucky has approved two orders that provide guidance on how the statewide court closures are to be implemented.

Public Notice

Pursuant to KRS 65.055 and 65.070, Big Sandy Regional Industrial Development Authority, Inc., a special district of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, provides notification of the location of its books of account available for public inspection at Big Sandy Area Development District office, 110 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

The names and addresses of its board members are as follows:

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SPORTS



Bobcats too much for South Floyd in home opener



Prior to hosting county rival South Floyd, Betsy Layne held a ribbon cutting ceremony for its new turf field.

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

BETSY LAYNE — After struggling in a season-opener on the road six days earlier, Betsy Layne claimed its first win Friday night. In a home opener on its new turf field, Betsy Layne pulled away to beat county rival South Floyd 48-28.

Visiting South Floyd couldn't contain Betsy Layne running back Michael Henson. A new star in the Betsy Layne backfield, Henson took seven carries for 245 yards and three touchdowns. Betsy Layne junior quarterback Dylan Hamilton, now in his second season as Betsy Layne's lead signal-caller, completed 11-of-14 passes for

204 yards and two touchdowns. Peyton Case proved to be Hamilton's top target, reeling in four catches for 90 yards and one touchdown.

The versatile Henson also hauled in two receptions for 46 yards and a touchdown.

Blake Spencer (two catches, 37 yards) and Dustin Rogers (one catch, 32 yards) aided the Betsy Layne aerial attack as well.

Josh Salisbury ranked as Betsy Layne's second-leading rusher. Salisbury picked up 67 yards and scored one touchdown via a team-high 11 carries. "This was a great win," Betsy Layne Coach Jonathan Parsons said. "The boys played really well. We had some boys step up. We still have a lot of work

to do but we are on the right track." Defensively, Blake Boudle and Houston Hall led Betsy Layne with nine tackles apiece.

Blake Spencer added eight tackles for the Bobcats.

Weston Little carried the South Floyd offense, rushing nearly 30 times for over 200 yards.

Betsy Layne has this week off. The Bobcats will host Allen Central on Friday, Sept. 7.

South Floyd will entertain Jenkins this Friday night. Rejuvenated Jenkins is 2-0 after posting wins over Phelps and Allen Central.

Kickoff for the South Floyd-Jenkins game is set for 7:30 p.m.

Rebels overcome slow start, shake Belfry

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

EASTERN — The Allen Central volleyball team started slow but finished strong Thursday evening, defeating visiting Belfry 3-1 (16-25, 25-16, 25-16, 25-17) at J.E. Campbell Arena.

Belfry jumped out to a quick first set win, besting the Rebels 25-16. However, Allen Central demonstrated why it has the No. 1 ranking in the 15th Region, taking the next three sets, 25-16, 25-16, 25-17.

"We were sluggish getting our game going but pulled together and went after it the last three sets," Allen Central Coach Larry Maynard commented.

For the match, Allen Central served a blistering 96 percent with senior Lakon Backett leading the team with four service aces, Rachel Moore and DeShea Elliott landed three aces each for the Rebels.

Allen Central pounded in 46 kills on .840 hitting. Freshman Katie Kendrick notched a season-high 15 kills, committing only one attack error in 20 attempts.

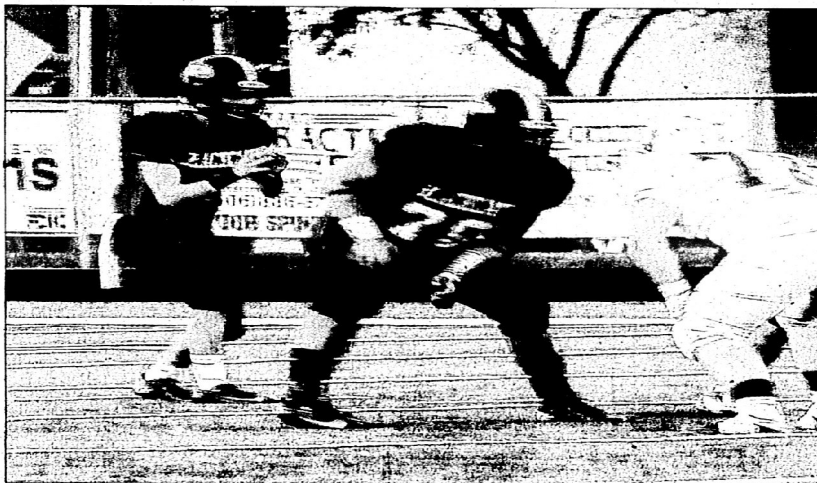
"I am proud of the way our players responded after a tough first set," Maynard added.

Kendrick led a balanced attack as senior Liam Jones and junior Rachel Moore posted nine kills each and senior setter Courtney Hodge dished out 24 assists to complement her seven kills and one service ace.

Elliott, a junior libero, led the defensive effort with 14 digs. Hodge had 11 scoops for the Rebels. Kendrick notched a season-high eight blocks and Backett had five stops at the net.

Moore dug up nine without an error.

The Rebels returned 115 of the 134 Pirate point attempts and earned 49 digs in 59 attempts.



Sophomore quarterback Jarredd Jarrell (1) led Prestonsburg to a non-district win over visiting Sheldon Clark Friday night. Senior lineman Kinsey VanDine is also pictured for the Blackcats.

Blackcats shun Sheldon Clark

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

PRESTONSBURG — Call Prestonsburg Coach John DeRossett's latest team the Comeback Cats. For the second straight week, Prestonsburg overcame a two-touchdown deficit on its home field. In its latest outing, Prestonsburg shook a slow start to beat visiting Sheldon Clark 48-40 at Josh Francis Field Friday night.

Prestonsburg moved to 2-0 in 2012 after concluding the 2011 season 5-6. The Blackcats used a late defensive stand to fend off their latest opponent.

The latest meeting in the Prestonsburg-Sheldon Clark football rivalry turned into a shootout.

In Week 0, Prestonsburg battled back to beat Class 5A foe Perry County Central 27-24. Prestonsburg was also limited early on in its game versus Perry County Central.

On Friday night, Prestonsburg faced an early two-touchdown deficit for the second time in as many weeks. Undeterred, Prestonsburg went to work on its second come-from-behind victory.

Sophomore quarterback Jarredd Jarrell led the way for the Blackcats. Jarrell completed 12-of-20 passes for 272 yards and two touchdowns. The sophomore signal-caller also rushed 13 times for 136 yards.

Senior Bryson Williams led Prestonsburg in receiving, grabbing

three catches for 89 yards and one touchdown.

Fellow senior Adam Griffith hauled in one catch for an 88-yard score.

Junior Grant Anderson rushed seven times for 30 yards and one touchdown. Anderson also hauled in five receptions for 62 yards.

Defensively, Anderson and Alex Kidd each had an interception for the Blackcats.

Senior running back Tyler O'Connor led the Cardinals.

After defeating Harrison County in a season-opener, Sheldon Clark fell to 1-1.

Prestonsburg will visit Lawrence County this Friday while Sheldon Clark hosts Casey County Saturday.

Tallman signs to bowl

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE — What began as an effort to help out a family member — and continue her love of the hot dog — has resulted in a spot on the roster of the defending national champion.

Fallon Tallman, a freshman from Canton, Ohio, has signed a scholarship agreement with the women's bowling team at the University of Pikeville.

Tallman started her bowling career 11 years ago, and admits it was only as a

favor. "I only did it because my cousin needed another bowler on the team," she said. "Plus, they had 50 cent hot dogs."

Now she will attempt to help the Bears repeat as NAIA national champions.

Tallman has an average of 195 and has posted a high game of 279 and high series of 742. She participated in the Junior Gold tournaments in both Las Vegas and Indianapolis.

When not bowling, Tallman enjoys golf, basketball and lacrosse.



Fallon Tallman signed with the University of Pikeville women's soccer program during a ceremony held recently.

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Strong second half lifts Bears over Bluefield

Times Staff Report

BLUEFIELD, Va. — Three consecutive second-half touchdowns broke open a halftime tie and led the University of Pikeville to a 42-28 win over a game Bluefield College on Saturday at Mitchell Stadium.

The Bears are now 2-0 in season openers under Coach Dudley Hilton, and 2-0 all-time in August after playing their earliest regular-season contest since the program began play in 2001. The Bears are now 7-5 in their

first games of the season.

The Rams, playing their first football game since November 20, 1941, experienced a lot of success in the first half of the game. That led to the first score of the game — an 11-yard pass from junior quarterback Greg Hampton to freshman tight end Matt Hollandsworth — to give the Rams a 7-0 lead with 3:03 left in the opening period.

The Bears tied it on the first play of the second when Senior Trevor Hoskins hit junior Jordan Amis from 57 yards out. The career leaders in those categories,

the duo set the stage for Grayson Quick to tie the game with an extra-point. Less than two minutes later, junior Jeremy Hill gave the Bears their first lead of the season when he returned a punt 38 yards for a 14-7 lead.

The Rams weren't quite ready to die, however, and when Hampton found freshman Rodrell Smith from 33 yards out with 9:49 left in the half, the game was even at 14.

The teams traded scores one more time before recess. Pikeville got its touchdown on an 80 yard interception return by sophomore trey Bartlett, while Josh Wells

scored on a seven-yard run for the Rams to send the teams to the break deadlocked at 21.

The Bears, however, took control in the second half. After a perfectly-executed fake punt by sophomore Jared Harris, the Bears took the lead for good when Hoskins hit sophomore Shawntez Johnson, who broke a tackle and eluded the help to go 40 yards for a score. Set up by a big third-down sack by senior Chris Watson, the Bears took a 35-21 lead with 43 seconds left on a one-yard run by sophomore Seth Millar.

Pikeville got the ball back early in the fourth and kept it on the ground, slowly moving downfield on the ground on a drive that ended with a one-yard score by junior Hunter Adams to make it 42-21 with 6:55 left.

The Rams scored the final points of the game when Hampton hit Smith for their second scoring strike of the day, this time from 16 yards out.

Pikeville (1-0) will play at Campbellsville on Saturday, Sept. 1, in a 6 p.m. The Rams will remain home to face No. 4 Georgetown College next Saturday at 1 p.m.

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Estill joins UK men's basketball staff

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON — University of Kentucky head coach John Calipari has announced the addition of former UK forward Marquis Estill to the 2012-13 men's basketball staff as an undergraduate student assistant coach.

Estill, who is currently finishing his undergradu-

ate degree at UK, will assist pre-, during and post-practice and primarily focus on working with UK's forwards.

"I'm really excited about joining the staff this season," Estill said. "I'm very grateful that Coach Cal is giving me this opportunity. He is a great coach, and I look forward to working with him and

this talented team." Per NCAA rules returning former players who are working toward their undergraduate degree can be used as on-court staff. With that opportunity Estill, who was a part of two Southeastern Conference title teams at UK, will join a list of former Wildcats and Calipari assistants and former players who have returned to their schools to finish their degrees.

Estill finished his career with 936 points, despite playing only three seasons. He was named Second Team All-SEC in 2003, his junior season while also earning All-NCAA Regional team honors as well as SEC All-Tournament team honors.

"I am so happy to bring back Marquis as an under-

graduate assistant on our staff," Calipari said. "One thing I always tell our players is that they are always welcome back here, especially to get their degree. This is a players-first program, and we will always be here for them in whatever capacity they need. I applaud Marquis for coming back to finish his degree, and I encourage all of our former players to do the same."

"It's great that we get to help guys like Marquis or Wayne (Turner) or Tony Delk or Scott Padgett - all guys who are members of our family - to get a start in coaching and help them pursue their goals," Calipari said.

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Hamlin wins IRWIN Tools Night Race Staff

Times Staff Report

BRISTOL, Tenn. — Denny Hamlin started Saturday night dancing his way to a \$10,000 donation for his foundation during pre-race driver introductions for the IRWIN Tools Night Race. He ended the evening by surviving a slugfest among NASCAR's elite at Bristol Motor Speedway.

Hamlin's victory marked the 200th victory for car No. 11, a number that has had much success at Bristol with drivers like Darrell Waltrip and Cale Yarborough. Much like the hardnose Waltrip and Yarborough before him, Hamlin had to fight his way through a race filled with action and 13 caution flags.

Winning the prestigious IRWIN Tools Night Race is something every driver longs to do during his career. Hamlin can now mark it off his list. "I can't even tell you," Hamlin said as he described the feeling of his first win at Bristol. "This is such a great feeling. Darian (Grubb) came with a different set up and it hauled the mail. It has been a long time since we have been competitive at Bristol. This is the biggest crowd I have seen in forever. This is a big day. This is a big win. I don't know how else to explain other than it is the night race at Bristol."

"The only thing you could do was just job someone... you still had the old Bristol here. It is one line. You still had to knock someone out of the way to make a move. Our car was strong around the bottom all day... Big day; big win."

Hamlin said no matter what else is accomplished in his career, the Night Race victory

is one that he always will remember.

"You count down the laps," he explained, "and you start to think about it with 10 to go about what it would mean to win, while hoping you will see the white flag. You struggle to say what it means. You grow up watching this race. This is a milestone type of race you want to win. It is one of the best trophies of all the tracks. It will be one of my prized possessions and it is my biggest win."

It was interesting. It was a different type of racing. You had to be very aware of what was behind you before you attempted to pass the guy. You had to have two car lengths behind you before you could work the guy. It was a constant freight train of cars. The best car won; no doubt about it. At any given point, it was hard to get around the car in front of you...It is a different kind of racing. We were in a line and waiting on the guy in front to screw up to get around. It was like the old Bristol."

When asked why he considered a win in the IRWIN Tools Night Race more important than even a win at his home track, Hamlin easily described his reasoning.

"You are in front of a bigger crowd," he said. "It is the Night Race at Bristol. If you talk to a causal fan and they ask someone where to go, everyone says the Night Race at Bristol because the most eyes are on us. It is the most exciting track on the circuit as far as competition is concerned. It is one race my mom and dad loved to watch. We couldn't wait to get home Saturday night to see the race. What makes it so special is

I watched the race so many times."

Saturday evening's event wasn't without a few controversial moments, the most notable occurring as Tony Stewart and Matt Kenseth raced hard for the lead on lap 334. The two drivers slid together coming off the fourth corner, with both ending up against the inside wall. Kenseth was able to drive away, but Stewart was unable to continue.

Once he was out of his damaged machine, Stewart waited on Kenseth to make his way down pit road. As he passed by, Stewart used his best throw to nail Kenseth's car with his helmet and HANS device. Stewart was able to rejoin the race a few laps later. "I checked-up twice to not run over him," Stewart said, "and I learned my lesson there. I'm going to run over him every chance I've got from now until the end of the year. Every chance I've got."

Danica Patrick, who drives for Stewart, also was involved in contact with another driver during the event. After contact with Regan Smith, Patrick's machine tagged the inside wall hard, taking her out of the event. Patrick walked to

the edge of the track, pointing at Smith to show her displeasure.

It was a tough night for the Stewart-Haas crew, as the final team car of Ryan Newman was involved in accident on lap 192. Newman made contact with Juan Montoya, which sent Newman spinning in to the path of Jeff Burton.

Jimmie Johnson came home second, with teammate Jeff Gordon in third.

"It was a great night," Johnson said after the race. "I wish we could have finished one spot better. 'Tonight was intense,' he said. "To start that deep in the field; when they drop the green flag you are half-a-lap behind. To get going was important for us; I give it to the guys for giving us a good car. At times we had a race winning car; certainly a top three car. It was just a matter of getting to the front and surviving."

While he was concentrating on driving through the field, Johnson's crew did inform him about the confrontation between Stewart and Kenseth.

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game: On Sept. 15, University of Kentucky men's basketball fans will have an opportunity to enjoy some of the top talent to come through the UK men's basketball program in the last two decades when Kentucky hosts the 2012 UK Alumni Charity Game at Rupp Arena.

Set to tip off at 2 p.m., the game will only feature Wildcats currently playing professionally.

Tickets for the game go on sale Friday, Aug. 31 at 10 a.m. All seats are reserved and priced at \$100 (premium lower level), \$40 (lower level) and \$20 (upper level). Tickets can be purchased only at the Rupp Arena box office, online at Ticketmaster.com, at any Ticketmaster Outlet or by phone at 1-800-745-3000. There is a four-ticket limit per person. Online orders and phone orders will have additional fees attached. All proceeds from the game will go to charity.

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PHS class of 1972 holds 40-year reunion

Carol Jo May
Class member

The Prestonsburg High School Class of 1972 graduated on May 29, 1972. Diplomas were presented to the 157 graduating seniors by the late Ronald Hager, Principal, and the late Woodrow Allen, Director of Instruction, Floyd County Board of Education and former principal of the school.

The Class of 1972 came together again on Saturday, July 21, to celebrate their 40-year class reunion with a dinner at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, Prestonsburg. Eighteen classmates and their spouses and guests, including a former faculty member and his wife, came from as far

away as Durham, N.C., and Dayton, Ohio.

Floyd Beecher Allen, former faculty member at PHS, and his wife, Priscilla, joined the class for dinner and he shared some of his very special memories of the class to everyone's delight.

Door prizes, donated by Cathy (Elkins) and Greg Campbell, were awarded throughout the evening to those winning certain trivia questions, such as "Who has the most grandchildren?" and "Who drove the farthest?" and through drawings. For the record, Johnny Huffman won for having the most grandchildren, six, and Sarah and Betty Jo DeRossett won Free Registration to the next reunion because they

drove the farthest, from Durham, N.C.

D.J.'s Unlimited provided the "timely" 1960s and 1970s music and slide presentations throughout the evening. Classmates displayed family pictures and school memorabilia.

Thirteen deceased classmates were remembered with a table display in their honor and the playing of "Friends in High Places," recorded by Mary Wright, classmate, who was unable to attend the reunion. The names of the deceased class members are as follows: Susie Justice Branham, Ronald Collins, Ada Lou Ouseley Combs, Donald Howard, Linda Sue Johnson, Debbie Kendrick, Paul Edward Lemaster, Donna Robinson Goble, Guy "Tiny" Rorrer, Ronald Shepherd, J. Goble Shipman, Clark Slone, and Henry Stone.

Each classmate shared their special memories of

school and a brief look at what they've been doing for the last 40 years. Present to photograph the group and conduct video interviews with each class member was LJ Productions of Prestonsburg. Classmates may purchase DVD's and group photos by contacting them at 886-6324.

Many classmates joined in fellowship the following morning at Allen Baptist Church. The class meets the third Saturday of July every year for lunch at May Lodge from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and it is during those meetings that plans for the next big reunion are made. The next "big" reunion will be the third Saturday in July 2017.

Classmates and their guests who attended are as follows: Johnny and Patty Huffman, Donnie and Tamara Goble, Linda Gunnell Spradlin, and Henry and Belinda Branham Risner,



Those attending the reunion included Freda Music, Sarah DeRossett, Cathy Elkins Campbell, Teresa Hall Snapp, Linda Gunnell Spradlin, Sally Ann Goebel, Sheila Goble Griffith, Carol Jo Clark May, Floyd Beecher Allen, Betty Jo DeRossett, Belinda Branham Risner, David Music, Wayne Worrix, Donald Goble, George Hale, Greg Campbell, Johnny Huffman, Ronnie Lafferty and Henry Risner.

all of Prestonsburg, Greg and Cathy Elkins Campbell, Dwale, George and Barbara Hale, Blue River, Ronnie and Kathy Lafferty, East Point, Sheila Goble Griffith and Carol Jo Clark May and Delano May, all of Allen, Sally Ann Goebel, Louisville,

Wayne Worrix, Lexington, Teresa Hall Snapp and Bill Snapp, Berea, David Music, Georgetown, Freda Music, Dayton, Ohio, Sarah DeRossett and Rodney Alsip, and Betty Jo DeRossett and Frank Heisel, all of Durham, North Carolina.

Everybody's Science

It's the berries!

Sandy Miller Hays
Agricultural Research Service

Ever heard the saying "everything old is new again"? I'm often reminded of that when I walk around today's college campuses, from hairstyles to clothing. I feel like I've time-traveled back to my own college years in the early '70s (but I wonder if young females these days ever "fall off their shoes," as we sometimes did 40 years ago).

Let's see if you can identify the timeframe for these choice bits of slang:

- "A cup of java"
- "Left holding the bag"
- "The real McCoy"
- "What's eating you?"
- "I've got a bee!"
- "The Big Cheese"
- "My dogs are killing me!"

You might think some of those came from the Swinging Sixties, or even from the

World War II era. If so, you're off by a couple of decades; that's "flapper" slang of the 1920s, terminology that the likes of F. Scott Fitzgerald and his exuberant wife Zelda might have tossed out in conversation.

Another favorite of the time was "It's the berries," which means much the same as "It's the bee's knees" (which, for some reason, I've always loved); in other words, it's something great!

If I say that's perfectly appropriate for some recent news from the scientists of the Agricultural Research Service (ARS), especially as the news pertains specifically to two types of berries that are very, very good for you: blueberries and cranberries.

Let's start with the blueberries. The big news there is two new southern highbush varieties, "Gupton" and "Pearl," that produce prodigious quantities of plump, flavorful berries early in the fresh-market season of April and May.

There's always been a limited acreage of southern highbush blueberries because frankly, they're a bit lacking in vigor and can be hard to grow. But the ARS scientists developed new hybrids from southern highbush germplasm that's more amenable to the growing conditions of the southern United States.

The resultant two new varieties are now finding their way into crop fields and nurseries.

In 2012, for the first time, demand for fresh blueberries overtook that of frozen blueberries nationwide. Since then, the fresh berries have never given up their lead, with Americans gobbling up 1.1 pounds per person in 2010, compared to just 0.6 pounds of the frozen berries.

Michigan, Maine, New Jersey and other northern states still lead the nation in production of U.S. cultivated blueberry production, valued at \$590 million, but the year-round demand has opened a window of opportunity for southern growers, especially the early-ripening fresh market. In trials, "Gupton" and "Pearl" flowered in mid to late March and were ready for harvest about 21 days before the earliest ripening rabbiteye varieties, which until now have been the predominant type grown in the South.

Turning our attention to cranberries, these "power fruits" have definitely come a long way since the '60s, when they mostly turned up at the traditional Thanksgiving feast. These days, we're used to tossing dried, sweetened cranberries into our lunch

bags, and with good reason; they're rich in fiber, low in sodium, and a good source of vitamin C and potassium.

They're also full of intriguing natural compounds called phytochemicals, naturally occurring plant compounds that could have health benefits.

ARS scientists are taking a closer look at the phytochemical potential of what's called "pomace"—the stems, skins and pulp that are left when plump cranberries are pressed to make juice or canned products. That's because cranberry processors are interested in finding new, value-added uses for these byproducts.

Among other findings, the ARS scientists have determined that the pomace contains what they describe as "appreciable levels" of flavonols, a class of phytochemicals that includes quercetin, which some studies suggest has anti-inflammatory properties, and myricetin, which might modify levels of LDL "bad" cholesterol, according to in vitro research.

While fresh whole cranberries are known to contain high levels of phytochemicals—more than most other berries and, in fact, more than most fruits and veggies—the ARS research was the first to show that nearly half of the total flavonol content of whole berries went left behind in the pomace, rather than winding up in the juice.

So who knows—based on this research, someday we may be describing cranberry pomace as "the bee's knees"!

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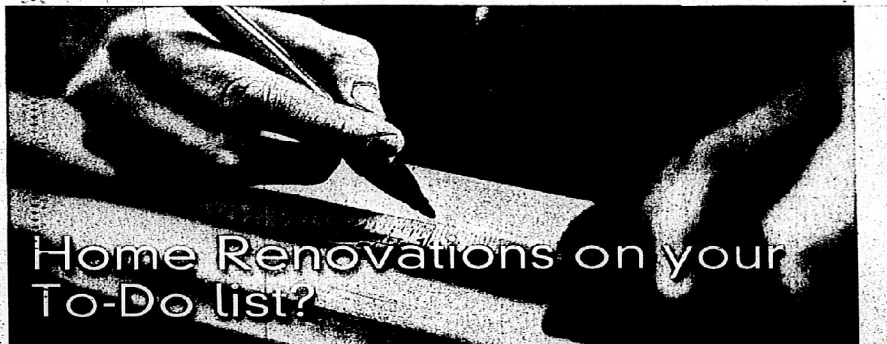
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OUR OBITUARIES

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

20 years ago
(Sept. 2 and Sept. 4, 1992)
A two-month extension, granted by the state to bring the Floyd County landfill into compliance with new regulations expired Sunday, and county officials are asking for more time. By Sunday, the state natural resources and environmental protection cabinet expected the county to have installed a ground water monitoring system, a clay liner and a leachate collection system at the Garth site.

The Floyd County Development Authority has entered into an agreement with Lowe's Home Centers to negotiate the purchase of 12 acres of land near Prestonsburg to provide a permanent home for the Kentucky Opry. Darrell Gilliam, executive director of the development authority, announced the agreement, Tuesday, and he said if the site is purchased it could be used to attract other industrial and commercial facilities.

Two separate traffic accidents Monday morning in less than seven hours claimed the lives of three Floyd Countians, including a 32-year-old woman. Clara Jarvis, 32, of Banner, died after she drove into the path of a Mack utility truck on US 23 at Ivel. The accident happened at 6:55 a.m. In an earlier accident Monday, Harmon W. Goble, 30, of Prestonsburg, and James E. Sword, 24, of Prestonsburg, were killed when the vehicle they were in, collided with a truck on US 23 at Ivel, one mile north of Prestonsburg.

A Floyd County jury, picked to hear a civil case concerning the controversial Left Branch school construction project, listened to opening arguments, Thursday, on the school grounds. The case is to the school site, at HI Hat to get a better understanding of the lawsuit filed by Triple B Corporation against the Floyd County Board of Education and B&J Construction.

There died: Howard Doss Blackburn, 70, of Fayette, Tuesday, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center; Yvonne B. Davis, 60, of Waynesville, Ohio, formerly of Floyd County, Thursday, from injuries sustained in an auto accident; James Edward "Pete" Sword, 24, of Goble-Roberts, Prestonsburg, Monday, on Auxier Road, near Prestonsburg, from injuries received in an automobile accident; Ivis Hall, 69, of Garner, Monday, at the VA

Medical Center, Huntington, West Virginia; Betty J. Osborne, 56, of Hunter, Thursday, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington; Gertrude Holbrook Arnett, 80, of Prestonsburg, Thursday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Harmon Goble, 30, of Allen, Monday, on Auxier Road near Prestonsburg, from injuries received in an automobile accident; Roscoe E. Evans, 32, of Prestonsburg, formerly of Elliott County, Friday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Winfrey Lee, 59, of Marion, Ohio, Thursday, at the Marion General Hospital; Lee Edward Turner, 66, of Wabash, Indiana, July 15, at Parkview Memorial Hospital, Ft. Wayne, Indiana; Palmyra Branham, 84, of Melvin, Friday, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Clara Ellen Jarvis, 32, of Banner, Monday, on U.S. 23, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident; Parthene Rogers, 64, of Robinson Creek, August 29, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Ova Lawrence Thompson, 84, of River, Tuesday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

30 years ago
(September 8, 1982)
With unemployment running around 14 percent here, this is not the time to seek a property tax increase. Asst. Superintendent Ray Brackett advised at a meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education, last week.

As a result of a Board of Education decision last week, cheerleaders at the school group will be chosen by students' votes from a list of candidates approved by a screening committee.

The Kentucky Highlands Folk Festival, the 45th in the region, opens for the 17th consecutive year. There died: Nora Lee Hayes, 80, of Huesville, Tuesday, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Hassel Burke, 66, of Wheelwright, Wednesday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Myrtle Stone, 75, of Huesville, Sunday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Mallie Walter Jones, 85, of Harold, Sunday, at his home; Raymond Meade, 55, of McDowell, Monday, at St. Joseph Hospital; Jason Bentley, day-old son of Jack and Lisa Ward Bentley of Wayland, Monday, at Cabell-Huntington Hospital.

40 years ago
(September 6, 1972)
In a scathing denunciation of stripmining practices, Eastern Kentucky, and official neglect of the enforcement of surface mining regulations, Gov. Wendell Ford, last Wednesday, took the strongest stand of any Kentucky governor on the controversial mining subject and at the same time suspended the permits of seven strip-mining operations in Pike County.

Miss Mild Jane Little, 19-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Little, of Melvin, was crowned Miss Floyd County of 1972 last Sunday night.

As of Monday afternoon only two traffic accidents had been reported for the county, despite the usual heavy flow of Labor Day weekend traffic. Bruce Branham was seriously injured in an accident on the Abbott Creek road Saturday, and Ricky Reynolds, of Allen, suffered a chipped vertebra in an accident at the Ball Alley curve near here.

The mowing turn of David may have produced its last car of coal, it was said this week, as all machinery of the Patsy Development Company was being pulled from the works. Closing of the operation idles 90 workers.

Construction is scheduled for completion, next summer, on Boyd F. Reed Hall at Morehead State University. Mr. Reed, executive vice-president of the Turner Elkhorn Mining Co., is being honored for his more than 15 years of service on the MSU Board of Regents and for his civic and business contribution to Eastern Kentucky.

There died: Frank Hammonds, 68-year-old teacher of Water Gap, last Friday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Betty G. Terry, 26, of Castalia, O., formerly of Lackey, last Wednesday, in a Sandusky, O. hospital; Robie Kilgore, 32, of West Prestonsburg, last Friday afternoon, at his home; Ellis Patrick, 69, of Pyramid, last Thursday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Ernest Holstead, 73, of Robinson Creek, last Thursday, at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; Mrs. Bernice Dieters, 80, of Thompson, 45, of West Liberty, formerly of this county, last Friday, at a Morehead Hospital.

50 years ago
(September 6, 1962)
Organized boobyhugging in Floyd County, reminiscent of Chicago's

days of gangsterism, was described by Circuit Judge Edward P. Hill to the grand jury, Tuesday morning, as that body prepared to begin an investigation of crime.

One of the largest and most modern moonshine stills ever found in this county was destroyed, Thursday last week, at Minnie. The 500-gallon still had gas and water line connections for its operation.

Spencer Geddes Lloyd died in the small hours of Tuesday morning in her bedroom, only a few feet removed from her "office" where she had planned and worked through the years for the education of mountain youth at the Caneey Creek Community Center and Caneey Junior College at Pippa Passes.

John James Bailey, 20, of Hippo, died shortly after the car which he was driving collided, Saturday, with another on KY 80, between Garrett and Bosco.

There died: Mrs. Ruby Williams Robinson, 57, of Lima, O., formerly of Wayland, Saturday, at Toledo, O.; James Thomas Snipes, 79, Tuesday, at his home at Bosco; Mrs. Gertrude Bogan, 70, of Weeksville, last Tuesday, at Martin; Mrs. Osa E. Ligon, 77, Friday at her home here.

60 years ago
(September 4, 1952)
Auto insurance rates, locally, jumped 22 to 29 percent.

The county nuptial board was prepared for the possible punting of as many as 4,000 names from the voting lists, but Chairman German Vance announced, this week, that none would be punned.

A U.S. Bureau of Mines report says this week that Kentucky has 263 million tons of recoverable coal. A hydraulic lift for mowing machines, invented by Richard Newman, HI Hat electrician, has been granted a patent. And a calf was born of Cow Creek, on a cat-weaver which he invented.

Six hundred attended the opening here of Loretta's Shoe Store. Married: Miss Nelle Hamilton, of Harold, and Mr. James E. Payne, of Flat Gap, at the Saltville Methodist Church, August 23. There died: John B. Risner, 67, former Floyd man, Saturday, at the home in which he was spending the scene of a fire was wrecked; Edmund

A. Smith, 63, Floyd mining engineer, Saturday, at his home here; Thomas P. Carlton, 63, August 17, as he was being taken from this county to a Huntington hospital; Homer Wright, 34, of Drift, August 28, at a Huntington hospital; Elfre Riser, 42, of Estill, August 30, at a Lexington hospital; Rev. James A. Garfield, Hall, 69, of Honaker, August 28, at a Martin hospital; Tom Turner, 72, September 1, at Wayland.

70 years ago
(September 3, 1942)
A pay increase of \$10 a month is proposed for teachers, this year, by the Floyd County Board of Education. That will bring the base salary up to \$75 a month.

Petitions seeking a local option election will be circulated here within the next few days, it was announced.

Ligon mining properties are being operated by the HI Hat Elkhorn Mining Company.

R. H. Koch, of Prestonsburg, owner of the county's oldest radio repair shop, closed his business, this week, preparatory to leaving for employment in a radio plant. His former assistants, William Dingus and Estill Picklesimer, already are working in airplane factories.

Willie, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hager May, is believed recovering after being unconscious five days. He suffered a skull fracture when an auto hit the bike he was riding near Bonanza.

Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Martin, 56, Jump, have been notified that their son, Sheridan, 25, is missing in action, presumably in the Solomon Islands offensive.

County Auditor R. R. Allen and Atty. Bert T. Combs have received notice that they have passed the CPA examination, and that they will be received this month, for officers' training.

There died: Mrs. Amanda Louise Howard Patrick, 81, wife of Ed. Patrick, Sunday, at her home here; Thomas Patton, 54, Martin native, who in 1908 helped build the fortress of Corcoran; August 24, at a Cleveland hospital; Joe DeMurray, of Wayland, Monday, at a Rochester, Minnesota hospital; Rell Daniels, 39, former Floyd man, Sunday, at Franklin Furnace Ohio.

The Mountain Arts Center Arts Education Program

Providing Classroom Education and Individual Instruction to the people of Eastern Kentucky

The Mountain Arts Center is dedicated to fulfilling its Mission Statement: "To provide and promote the best music, arts, and culture throughout the Mountain Appalachian Community"

FALL TERM 2012

Registration for all classes is currently being held. The last day to register is Friday, September 7th, 2012. Classes begin the week of September 10th, 2012 and end the week of October 15th, 2012. An "Evening of Arts Performances, Exhibit and Reception will take place on Tuesday, October 16th, 2012 at 6:30pm. A schedule of classes is listed in the brochure. All classes are \$25.00 and register early as class space is limited!

The Mountain Arts Center provides arts education programs to the region in the areas of classroom education in music, art, dance, and digital photography and individual instruction in visual arts, piano, voice, violin/hddle, guitar, banjo, drums and mandolin. The arts are expressive and communicate directly to us. Learning to know and use our imagination and learning the powerful resources of the arts is essential to a full life and a shared community. Research shows that kids who study the arts consistently score higher on the SAT test and in the areas of math and science. Therefore, the MAC believes participation in the arts vital to the development of our children and our communities, inspire creativity, and foster communication.

Class Descriptions and Instructors:
Visual Art
Randy Lawson (BA in Studio Art and Graphic Design from Morehead State University)
General Art I (Ages 5-8 years) In this class students will explore different mediums including oil, acrylic, pastel, graphite and charcoal. Creativity and techniques will be explored as students are encouraged to have fun as they learn the basics of art. At the end of the semester there will be an exhibit to display students' artwork. This is a 45 minutes once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
General Art II (Ages 9-12 years) In this class students will explore different mediums including oil, acrylic, pastel, graphite and charcoal. Creativity and techniques will be explored as students are encouraged to have fun as they learn the basics of art. At the end of the semester there will be an exhibit to display students' artwork. This is a one hour once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
General Art III (Ages 13-18 years) In this class students will explore different mediums including oil, acrylic, pastel, graphite and charcoal. Creativity and techniques will be explored as students are encouraged to have fun as they learn the basics of art. At the end of the semester there will be an exhibit to display students' artwork. This is a one hour once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
Advanced Drawing Class (Ages 9-16 years) In this class students will participate in group studio activities as well as individual instruction with the intent of enabling students to create a body of personal artwork. This class is the first in a series of advanced art classes and will focus on drawing skills. This is a one hour once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00

Drama
Terry B. Slayer (Executive Director of the Appalachian Community Theatre, 35 years in the professional entertainment industry, produced over 100 shows and performed in 1,000 shows)
Intro to Theatre Arts (Ages 9-16 years) This class will introduce students to the theatre arts through exploration of stage positioning, ensemble acting, technical skills, make-up and audition preparation. At the end of the semester, students who participate in this class will perform in a skit during the "Evening with the Arts" program. This is a one hour once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00

Music
Susan Scott (BA in Elementary Education from Morehead State University, Member of the Kentucky Opry, former member of the Big Sandy Singers, MAC Voice Instructor)
You-Rhythmic! (Ages 6-8 years) This class will focus on music basics, rhythm and movement as well as vocal techniques such as breath control and pitch in a fun and enriching environment. There will be a performance by students taking this class at the end of the semester. This is a 45 minutes once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00

Art and Crafts
Ramon Alvarado (MA in Education from Pikeville College; MA in Education from Morehead State University, retired school teacher)
Animal Adventures (Ages 4-6) Calling all animal lovers! Join us for story time, songs, games and crafts as we explore the animal kingdom. Each week, we'll learn about a different group of animals - ocean life, farm animals, zoo animals, pets and birds. Little ones will be sure to love this class! This is a 45 minutes once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
Our Mountainal (Ages 5-8 years) In this class, students explore and learn the stories, games, songs and culture of our mountains in Eastern Kentucky. Students will then create arts and crafts projects to go with what they learn. This is a 45 minutes once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00

Photography
Steve Porter (PPA Certified, Master Photographer, CR, KFD, ASP, Owner of Porter Studio - A Master Photographer, A Photographic Craftsman, and a PPA Certified Professional Photographer)
Digital Photography Workshop (Ages 16-Adult) This digital photography class covers the basics of camera operation, and the effects of aperture settings and shutter speeds on photos. So, if you have a digital camera and you're not sure what to do or you want to improve the quality of the pictures you take and make them your own this class is for you! At the end of the course there will be an exhibit of students' work. This is an hour-and-a-half once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
Advanced Digital Photography Workshop (Ages 16-Adult) This advance class builds upon the knowledge learned in the Beginners Digital Photography Workshop and includes basic posing and lighting both indoors and outdoors; sections on composition; image exposure and an emphasis on creating Fine Art Images instead of just snapshots. At the end of the course there will be an exhibit of students' work. This is an hour-and-a-half once-a-week class with a cost of \$25.00
Beginner's Digital Photography Workshop (Ages 16-Adult) - Chorus Room (5:30-7:00pm)
Advanced Digital Photography Workshop (Ages 16-Adult) - Chorus Room (7:15-8:45pm)
Individual Instruction - Various times
Friday Individual Instruction - Various times

Scholarship Information
The Mountain Arts Center does offer scholarships to the Fall Term Program

Please call Khrys Varney, Arts Education Director at (606) 889-9125, Ext. 15 to check for availability or if you need additional information.

Job Corps celebrates National Commencement Day

PRESTONSBURG — Carl D. Perkins Job Corps Center joined the 125 Job Corps centers across the country to celebrate the second annual "National Job Corps Commencement Day" ceremony Aug. 24, to congratulate the Job Corps students who completed the program this year.

Recent Job Corps graduates employed in Kentucky, employer partners, local policymakers, community leaders, family members and many more recognized these students' achievements and the investment they made in their futures and our community.

Carl D. Perkins is one of 125 Job Corps centers locat-

ed across the country and in all 50 states. A unique national program, Job Corps offers at-risk youth a set of diverse academic opportunities and career pathways, tailored to meet the needs of business and industry. Each year, Job Corps gives 60,000 youth a second chance to complete their education and advance into careers, higher education or the military.

Mark Shriver, author of "A Good Man: Rediscovering My Father, Sargent Shriver," served as the national keynote speaker for the event. Shriver, the son of Job Corps founder Sargent Shriver, congratulated the 60,000 students who

graduated from Job Corps this year.

"Job Corps is a great investment for the American people," Shriver said in a special nationwide video address delivered in front of the United States Capitol. "Your commitment and dedication to get good-paying jobs make Job Corps the most successful federal training program serving your age group."

Job Corps, the nation's most effective career preparation program for at-risk youth, has been vital to the success of many young people with few options since

it was founded almost 50 years ago, Shriver said.

"That's why we need Job Corps for 50 MORE years — to continue helping young people like you who may not have the same opportunities others have had but are willing to work hard to overcome their obstacles," he told the students.

Job Corps has served more than 3 million out-of-work young adults and underserved youth nationally. Many are high-school dropouts or public-assistance recipients, and Job Corps helps them become active contributors to

their communities.

Local business leaders attended the ceremony at Carl D. Perkins Job Corps to support a program that benefits the local economy. The average Job Corps center supports 228 local jobs and every dollar invested in Job Corps returns almost \$2 to the local economy. Nationally, the 125 Job Corps centers support about 30,000 jobs, the vast majority of which are with private businesses.

Local community members that have worked with Job Corps volunteers also joined the celebration to

congratulate many of their student volunteers. Job Corps students and staff work with local community-based organizations and nonprofits, logging many hours of volunteer service every year. For example, Carl D. Perkins students work with BSICC, City of Prestonsburg, Sr. Citizens, and many other organizations to provide needed services to our community.

Shriver ended his video address by passing along advice from his father: "Just keep working hard. Something good will happen."

Community input sought for regional rally

PIKEVILLE — Community members are invited to participate in a meeting to plan for a regional Prayer Against Illegal Drugs rally to be held later this year.

The planning meeting will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, at the Garfield Community Center, located next to the Pikeville City Park.

Citizens from across southern and eastern Kentucky will be asked to unite in prayer for guidance in addressing issues related to substance abuse at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 18.

Rallies with special speakers will be conducted simultaneously at the Eastern Kentucky Expo Center in Pikeville and at the Victory Christian School in Sargeant Shriver in Somerset. Those unable to participate in the rallies will be asked to pause for a moment of individual devotions.

For more information about the planning meetings call (866) 678-6483. For information about UNITE visit their website at www.operationunite.org.

Highlands employees continue giving to disaster victims

PRESTONSBURG — Even though it has been several months since tornadoes and severe weather devastated several Eastern Kentucky counties, Highlands Health System hasn't forgotten about those who were affected.

In March, Highlands' physicians, administration and employees began raising money for the affected areas. Immediate aid, such as food, clothing, and toiletries, was taken to those in need. But as the months went on, Highlands continued to raise funds.

In this joint effort, HRMC staff was able to raise around \$10,000 and distributed that money to the counties that were hit by the storm. As soon as processes were put in place in the counties, the money was disbursed.

"This shows great compassion by our Highlands family. We have not forgotten our patients, community members, and fellow employees that may still be dealing with the aftermath of the storm," said Harold C. Warman Jr., president and CEO, of Highlands Health System.

To learn more about Highlands, you can visit www.HighlandsHealthSystem.com.

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(PUBLIC NOTICE)
Of Final Settlement

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF FLOYD...SCT

I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do Hereby certify that the following Settlements of Estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exceptions to said Settlements must so on or before September 29, 2012, at 10:00 am.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Date Filed
FINAL	09-P-8	IDA AKERS	STEVIE A. AKERS	7-09-12
FINAL	12-P-26	HATTIE SLONE	SHARON TURNER & BRONITA SLONE	7-18-12
FINAL	11-P-462	ALTA B. PRICE	LINDA WHITTEN	7-25-12
FINAL	09-P-248	JUNIOR MARTIN	PATRICIA A. CONLEY	7-26-12
FINAL	12-P-37	VELVIE OSBORNE	JANICE GAYHEART	7-26-12
FINAL	10-P-258	MAXIE C. ALLEN	ELOISE A. HALL	7-30-12
FINAL	12-P-21	RICHARD E. ALLEN	YVONNE ALLEN	7-30-12
FINAL	11-P-439	HOMER L. HALL	ELOSIE A. HALL	8-03-12
FINAL	10-P-251	ANDY STEVE HALL	ANDY JOE HALL	8-08-12
FINAL	10-P-247	RUTH COMPTON	GEORGIA HYDEN	8-12-12
FINAL	10-P-250	GLEN DARRELL HAMILTON	SANDRA HAMILTON	8-13-12
FINAL	10-P-292	LOYDEAN BENTLEY	JEANETTE BENTLEY	8-14-12
FINAL	12-P-63	HUBERT LAWSON	HUBERT GENE LAWSON	8-15-12
FINAL	11-P-312	VEDA H. HAMILTON	GIWA HORN	8-15-12

PUBLIC NOTICE
LEGAL NOTICE: NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS

Commonwealth of Kentucky
County of Floyd

I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, Do Hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed fiduciaries by the District Court. All person indebted to an Estate should settle with the Fiduciary within six(6) months from the date of appointment.

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate of:	Fiduciary	Attorney
7-23-12	12-P-284	Irvin Shepherd, Jr.	Sybel Lois Shepherd	Keith Bartley
7-19-12	12-P-283	Nita S. Hale	Brent Hale or Sandra Hale	Anthony Craig Davis
8-10-12	12-P-104	Elizabeth Coleman Yates	Estill Yates	Larry D. Brown
7-24-12	12-P-288	Carrie Mullins	Brenda Poe	
7-25-12	12-P-289	Emmel Grace Wallen	Thelma Lou Moore	
7-6-12	12-P-290	Christopher Shepherd	Karen Shepherd	
7-30-12	12-P-291	Estill Shelton	Georgia F. Kidd	
7-30-12	12-P-292	Raymond Mullins	Nettle Slone	
7-30-12	12-P-293	Arlene Howell	Jennifer Lynn Tackett	
8-1-12	12-P-296	Ruth Boyd	Thomas Lee Boyd	
8-2-12	12-P-298	Dallas Freeman	Elizabeth Greer	
8-3-12	12-P-299	Phillip Keith Whitten	Linda Whitten	Larry D. Brown
8-3-12	12-P-301	Arvil Jack Gibson	David A. Gibson	
8-8-12	12-P-307	Norma Sue Pigg	John B. Clark	Clyde Combs Jr.
8-9-12	12-P-309	John Michael Poe	Joyce Ann Poe	
8-10-12	12-P-311	Sherman, Odell Wallen	Dianna Slone	
8-10-12	12-P-312	Roy Spurlock	Billy Spurlock & Brian Spurlock	
8-13-12	12-P-313	Johnny Morgan Burchett	Evelene Jewell Edmonds	
8-14-12	12-P-315	Donald L. Howard	Lida Margaret Howard	Martin L. Osborne
8-14-12	12-P-314	Jeff Robinson	Jeffery Robinson	
8-14-12	12-P-319	Phyllis C. Joseph	Sharon K. Hicks	
8-14-12	12-P-320	Octavia Jane Estep	Constance Nicole McGuire	
7-10-12	12-P-269	James Clifford Anderson	Allie Anderson	
8-16-12	12-P-323	Harvey "Dickie" Combs	Donna Combs	
8-20-12	12-P-325	Charles B. Horn	Charles B. Horn Jr.	
8-21-12	12-P-326	Nollie Hamilton	Alpha Hamilton	
8-21-12	12-P-327	Carol Sue Williams	Donna Sue Williams	
8-22-12	12-P-328	Charles Johnneon	Peggy Johnneon	Thomas W. Moak
8-23-12	12-P-328	Frank Derossatt	Dordana Derossatt	Martin L. Osborne

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD COUNTY COURT
DIVISION NO. 1
C.A. NO. 11-CI-00108**
**WELLS FARGO BANK, NA
PLAINTIFF**
VS.
**DANIEL HAYDEN, ET AL
DEFENDANTS**

**RE-NOTICE OF COM-
MISSIONER'S SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 19th day of February, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$171,941.47 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs, please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 30th day of August, 2012 at 9:30 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to wit: Property Address: 2200 Kentucky Route 2030, Hanaker, Kentucky 41603 Parcel Number: 080-00-00-076.00.

A certain tract of parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Little Mud Creek and further described as follows:
Beginning at a stake at the County Road on the West side of same and Johnnie Hall's line; thence a Westerly course and with said Johnnie Hall's line to the top of the ridge, thence with the top of the ridge a Southerly course to Noah Parsons line, thence a Easterly course and with said Noah Parsons line approximately 500 feet to a stake and the line of Arnold Hunter; thence the same course and with said Hunters line to the County road; thence a Northerly course and with said County Road to the Beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Daniel Hayden, no marital status shown who acquired title by virtue of a deed from Leonard Hall and Bulavans Hall, his wife dated November 29, 2005, filed December 2, 2005, recorded in Deed Book 519, Page 34, County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.
Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

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

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

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof. Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained herein.
Hon. William S. Keindrick,
Floyd County Master
Commissioner

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**NOTICE OF
BLASTING
SCHEDULE
PERMIT NO. 836-
5614**

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 18:20, Section 3, Blackhawk Mining, LLC, P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41600, (606) 538-9675, proposes the following blasting schedule.

The blasting site consists of approximately 1.56 acres of face-up located 3.1 miles southeast of East McDowell in Floyd County, Kentucky. This area is located 3.8 miles southeast from State Route 680's junction with State Route 1929 and is located on Poplarfick Fork of Frasure Creek at Latitude 37° 24' 20" and Longitude 82° 24' 22". Detonations of explosives are proposed to occur from sunrise to sunset from September 1, 2012 to September 1, 2013.

All access roads to the blast area will be barricaded not less than 10 minutes prior to each detonation. Five minutes prior to each detonation, a one-minute series of long siren blasts will be sounded. One minute prior to each detonation, a series of short siren blasts will be sounded. After each detonation, one prolonged siren blast will be sounded for the "all clear" signal only after the inspection of the blast area.

Blasting will not be conducted at times different from those announced in this blasting schedule except when emergency situations arise, where rain, lightning, or other atmospheric conditions, or the safety of the operator or public requires unscheduled detonation. Should an emergency situation arise, all residents within one-half mile of the blasting site will be given oral warning and the safety precautions stated above will be implemented.



Legals

PUBLIC NOTICE

**KENTUCKY FRONTIER GAS, LLC
NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS
GAS RATE ADJUSTMENT
NON-RECURRING FEE CHANGES
TARIFF CHANGES**

Pursuant to the regulations of the Public Service Commission (Commission), Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC gives notice that it intends to adopt an increase in its natural gas rates. The rates are proposed to become effective September 15, 2012, or when approved by the Commission. The rates proposed will consolidate the existing rates of Auxier Road Gas Company, BTU Gas Company, Belfry Gas Company, Cow Creek Gas Company, Cow Creek/Sigma, Dema Gas Company, East Kentucky Utilities, People's Gas, city of Blaine and Mike Little Gas Company into Kentucky Frontier Gas. Farm tap charges and tariffs will also be consolidated into one tariff.

Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC. The affected farm tap companies are: Alert, Hueysville, KLC Enterprises, Quality Gas and Interstate Gas. Farm tap rates are not being adjusted in this case. One rate schedule and tariff will apply to all customers, who will become customers of Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC. The average monthly customer bill will change depending on the current company rate being charged. The average change in the monthly bill and the percentage change in the monthly bill are listed in the rate schedule below. Changes to current fees (non-recurring charges) are also being proposed for distribution and farm tap customers. Those changes are listed in the schedule below. A Pipeline Replacement Program (PRP) recovery fee and mechanism and an Automated Meter Reading Recovery (AMR) surcharge are proposed. A new monthly customer charge is proposed. A Large Commercial rate and customer charge is proposed. Changes in existing tariffs to consolidate and make uniform all service regulations are also being proposed. Those tariff changes can be reviewed in the application at the addresses listed below.

Further information may be obtained from the Commission or Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC. The rates contained in this notice are those proposed by Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC. However, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from those proposed rates. Such action may result in rates being higher or lower than those proposed. Such action by the Commission may result in the rates being higher or lower than those proposed.
by Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC.

Any corporation, association, body politic or person may by timely motion, within 30 days of this Notice, request intervention in this case. Intervention beyond the 30 day period may be granted for good cause shown. The Motion must be submitted to the Public Service Commission.

211 Sower Blvd., Box 615, Frankfort, Ky. 40602 and should state the grounds for the request, including the interest and status of the party. Intervenor may obtain copies of the Application and any testimony filed by contacting Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC at the address below. A copy of the Application is available for public review at the office of Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC and at the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Blvd., Frankfort, Ky. 40601, (502) 564-3940.

Larry Rich
Kentucky Frontier Gas, LLC
P.O. Box 408
Prestonsburg, KY 41655
Phone:
(606) 886-2431

CURRENT RATES: minimum bill

Auxier Road	\$6.36	1st mcf
Belfry Gas	\$4.27	1st mcf
Blaine	\$4.18	1st mcf
BTU Gas	\$3.90	1st mcf
Cow Creek/Sigma	\$5.25	1st mcf
Cow Creek	\$3.18	1st mcf
Dema Gas	\$7.47	1st mcf
East KY Utilities	\$10.00	1st mcf
Mike Little Gas	\$5.50	1st mcf
People's Gas	\$4.40	1st mcf

Proposed Rate: \$10.00 Customer Charge, plus \$4.18 per mcf per month

PROPOSED RATES/Average monthly bill comparison/%change	Company:
Now \$/Yr	Now \$/Mo +5/mo
Prop \$/Yr	Prop \$/Mo % increase
\$4.18 per mcf	\$10.00 Mo Chrg
Auxier \$634.42	\$5.45 gas cost mcf
\$685.80	\$57.15 6.1%
Belfry \$496.80	\$41.40 \$15.75
\$685.80	\$37.15 38.0%
Blaine \$675.00	\$58.25 \$0.90
\$685.80	\$37.15 1.6%
BTU \$504.36	\$42.03 \$15.12
\$685.80	\$57.15 38.0%
Cow Creek/Sigma \$608.40	\$50.70 \$8.45
\$685.80	\$57.15 12.7%
Cow Creek \$505.62	\$42.14 \$15.02
\$685.80	\$57.15 35.6%
Dema \$705.30	\$58.78 \$(1.63)
\$685.80	\$57.15 -2.8%
East KY utilities \$687.48	\$57.29 \$(0.14)
\$685.80	\$57.15 -0.2%
Mike Little \$588.54	\$40.07 \$8.08
\$685.80	\$57.15 16.5%
Peoples \$500.76	\$41.73 \$15.42
\$685.80	\$57.15 37.0%

Large Commercial: \$3.35 per mcf New rate classification
Proposed Customer charge: \$10.00 per month per residential customer New charge \$ 50.00 per customer Large Commercial New charge
Proposed Pipeline Replacement fee: \$1.50 per month per customer New charge
Proposed AMR surcharge: \$1.00 per month per customer New charge

Non-Recurring Fees: Current Rates

- Auxier: Reconnection charge: \$100.00; transfer of service charge: \$20.00; service charge - late payment: \$25.00; returned check fee: \$15.00; Mobile trailer connection fee: \$75.00.
- Belfry: Reconnection charge: \$50.00; reconnection fee - re-establishment of service: \$35.00; transfer of service charge: \$25.00; trip charge - late payment: \$15.00; late payment charge 10%; returned check fee: \$25.00; transfer charge: \$20.00; Connection charge: \$35.00; meter relocation fee: \$35.00.
- BTU: Reconnection charge: \$25.00; transfer of service charge: \$20.00; service charge - late payment: \$25.00; returned check fee: \$20.00; tap fee: actual cost.
- Cow Creek: Reconnection charge: \$85.00; transfer of service charge: \$20.00; service charge - late payment: 15%; returned check fee: \$20.00; Connection charge: \$25.00; temporary service charge: \$65.00.
- Dema: Reconnection charge: \$50.00; reconnection fee - re-establishment of service: \$25.00; transfer of service charge: \$25.00; service charge - late payment: \$15.00; returned check fee: \$20.00; Mobile trailer connection fee: \$75.00.
- East KY Utilities: Reconnection charge: \$50.00; reconnection fee - re-establishment of service: \$35.00; transfer of service charge: \$25.00; trip charge - late payment: \$25.00; late payment charge 10%; returned check fee: \$20.00; transfer charge: \$25.00; Connection charge: \$75.00.
- Mike Little: Reconnection charge: \$50.00; late payment charge: 10%; returned check fee: \$12.50; trip charge: \$35.00; Connection charge: \$65.00.
- People's Gas: Late Payment fee: 10%; Reconnect fee: \$45.00; Connect fee: \$45.00; Service fee: \$15.00.
- Alert, Hueysville, KLC Enterprises, Interstate Gas, Quality Gas, New service tap: \$150.00; Reconnection charge: \$50.00; reconnection charge - late payment: \$40.00; late payment charge 10%; returned check fee: \$25.00; trip charge: \$25.00; Connection charge: \$15.00.

PROPOSED CONSOLIDATED NON-RECURRING FEES - ALL CUSTOMERS
Turn on fee \$100.00 to initiate service at a location for seasonal/temporary turn on.
Reconnection Fee \$100.00 to restore service within 12 months of disconnection for non-payment.
Relocate meter \$35.00 hr. plus costs - move meter at customer request.
Transfer Service Fee \$30.00 to change tenants (change to new customer).
Returned Check Charge \$30.00 for a check returned for insufficient funds, plus any fees assessed by the bank.
Late Payment Charge 12% of the current monthly charges.
Service (trip) Charge \$100.00 for any special meter to collect delinquent bills/terminate service.
Farm Tap Fee \$200 to initiate a farm tap off a high-pressure pipeline.
Special meter reading charges \$100.00 for reread.
Meter test fee \$35.00/hr. plus costs.
Deposit 2/12ths annual average residential bill.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 10-CI-00457 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK PLAINTIFF VS. LONELL MURRAY AND SARA J. MURRAY, Husband and Wife, CHASE BANK USA, N.A., FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, and FARMERS NATIONAL BANK OF CYNTHIANA, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 2nd day of May, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$154,144.48 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 30th day of August, 2012 at 9:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to-wit:

TRACT NO. 1:

"BEGINNING ON A BEACH ON THE HEAD OF COPPERS LICK FORD OF ABBOTT CREEK ON A CLIFF, THENCE WITH THE CENTER OF THE POINT THROUGH THE JOINT HAND END OF A HOLLOW AND WITH CENTER OF SAME POINT TO THE TOP OF THE JUDGE; THENCE DOWN THE RIDGE TO A SMALL WHITE OAK CORNER OF CONDITIONAL LINE BETWEEN W. W. FRANCES AND SAMANTHA MOLLETT; THENCE DOWN THE HILL TO THE CENTER OF THE POINT TO THE TOP OF THE HILL; THENCE WITH THE CENTER OF THE RIDGE TO THE DOUBLE PINE MARKED IN COPPERS LICK GAP; THENCE BY JUSTICE CENTER, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, INCLUDING ALL THE LAND IN SAID BOUNDARY BEING A TRACT OF LAND CONTAINING 100 ACRES, MORE OR LESS."

TRACT NO. 2:

"BEGINNING AT THE COUNTY BRIDGE AT THE COUNTY ROAD THENCE RUNNING EAST AND NORTH AND INCLUDING TWO APPLE TREES AND STRAIGHT TO THE HEAD OF A HOLLOW AND TO A WHITE OAK TREE WHICH IS IN THE CENTER OF A HOLLOW AND RUNNING TO A BLACK OAK TREE ON TOP OF A HILL ON A RIDGE; THENCE ALONG THE RIDGE TO A LINE WHICH IS IN A LINE THAT DIVES TRACT NO. 1 AND TRACT NO. 2 IN THE DEED OF NOVEMBER 13, 1972, FROM SHERMAN TACKETT AND VIRGIE TACKETT TO THE HERMAN TACKETT AND VIRGIE TACKETT IN DEED BOOK 211, PAGE 94; THENCE RUNNING WITH SAID LINE TO THE BOTTOM OF THE HILL TO THE COUNTY BRIDGE WITH THE COUNTRYROAD TO THE BRIDGE, THE POINT OF BEGINNING."

BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO LONELL L. MURRAY AND SARA J. MURRAY, HIS WIFE, FROM THOMAS R. SLOAN AND LESLIE K. SLOAN, HIS WIFE, BY DEED DATED THE 2ND DAY OF OCTOBER, 1996, RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 368, PAGE 449 OF RECORDS OF THE FLOYD COUNTY COURT CLERK'S OFFICE.

ALSO BEING THE SAME PROPERTY CONVEYED TO LONELL MURRAY AND SARA J. MURRAY, HIS WIFE, FROM BILL MURRAY AND JUDY MURRAY, HIS WIFE, BY QUITCLAIM DEED DATED THE 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2002, RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 480, PAGE 57, RECORDS OF THE FLOYD COUNTY COURT CLERK'S OFFICE.

THIS PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO AN EASEMENT DATED JUNE 3, 1976 TO FNGCO, RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 336, PAGE 416, RECORDS OF THE FLOYD COUNTY COURT CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

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

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof. Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd County Master Commissioner

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Floyd County Board of Education will hold a public hearing in the media center of May Valley Elementary, 481 Stephens Branch Rd, Martin, KY 41649 on September 6, 2012 at 6:00PM to hear public comments regarding a proposed general fund tax levy of 52 cents on real property and 52 cents on personal property.

The General Fund tax levied in fiscal year 2012 was 52 cents on real property and 52 cents on personal property and produced revenue of \$9,420,905.69. The proposed General Fund tax rate of 52 cents on real property and 52 cents on personal property is expected to produce \$9,491,001.45. Of this amount \$2,558,093.58 is from new and personal property. The compensating tax for 2013 is 50.1 cents on real property and 50.1 cents on personal property and is expected to produce \$9,144,214.85.

The general areas to which revenue of \$70,095.76 above 2012 revenue is to be allocated are as follows: Cost of collections, \$ 1,401.92 and instruction \$68,693.84.

The General Assembly has required publication of this advertisement and information contained herein.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has been made by Christopher McKinley, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is SEASONS INN, the nature of the business will be, Motel, Restaurant and Live Music, Liquor by the Drink, Beer and Wine Country. Location is 8550 KY, Rt. 1428, Martin, KY, 41649. Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permit shall file with the County Clerk no later than September 20, 2012, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application should be denied. Said written information shall be signed, dated and filed at the current address of said person or the County Attorney. Pursuant to KRS 231.080, scheduled for September 20, 2012. At the hour of 2:30 P.M., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard based on the information. Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Justice Center, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall receive evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit.

HON. KEITH BARTLEY FLOYD COUNTY ATTORNEY

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 11-CI-1190 WELLS FARGO BANK, NA VS. DEBORAH L. BENTLEY, ET AL DEFENDANT NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 20th day of April, 2012 in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$81,377.55 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 30th day of August, 2012 at 9:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to-wit: Property Address: 115 North River Street, Martin, KY 41649

Parcel Number: 048-30-03-0200 The following described real estate located in Floyd County, Kentucky, to-wit: Beginning at existing property corner of the Eikhorn and Beaver Valley subdivisions of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, said corner being marked by a nail monument in the Northernly line of Jenny Street, thence on property line and said line of Jenny Street S 65 degrees 25' W 50 feet to an angle in property and said street line marked by another nail monument; thence on property line said street line S 56 degrees 14' W 150 feet to a point bearing S 69 degrees 14' E 218 feet, 68 or less to a point; thence S 24 degrees 39' E on property corner marked by a nail monument and continuing S. 24 degrees 39' E on property line a total distance of 100 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.48 acres more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Deborah L. Bentley, single who acquired title by virtue of a deed from Sandra A. Peters. (now Robinson) and Victor Robinson, her husband, on October 28, 1999, recorded in Deed Book 440, Page 395, Floyd County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

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

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

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof. Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 12-CI-0278 FIRST COMMONWEALTH BANK OF PRESTONSBURG, INC. PLAINTIFF VS. BOBBY AKERS, II and CHRYSTAL AKERS, husband and wife, LARUE AND LOUIS, LLC, CARDINAL LIEN SERVICES

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 21st day of June, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$126,626.77 and (\$11,783.58 with interest thereon); please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 30th day of August, 2012 at 10:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to-wit: A certain tract of parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, near Big Sandy River, near

Beginning on the line of the Mayo Tract on the upper side of the Mayo Trail No. 13, thence in a southeasterly direction with the upper line of the Mayo Trail a distance of 300ft, thence a straight line up the hill in a northerly direction to a black oak; thence corner to the straight line to the top of the hill to the line of the Mayo heirs; thence back to the Mayo heirs to the right of way line of the Mayo Trail to the place of beginning. There is excluded and not hereby conveyed the lots fronting on the Mayo Trail beginning at the Mayo heirs on the east side of the U.S. 23, and running up the trail with the right of way line a distance of 184 feet, thence turning at near left angle and back to the Mayo heirs; thence turning at near left angle and running around the hill with a line parallel with the Mayo Trail right of way line a distance of 185 to Mayo Trail right of way; the place of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to the Mortgages from Carol E. Dixon, individual, and Edward Dixon, the Estate of John R. Dixon, deceased, by Deed Book 19, 2007, and appearing of record in Deed Book 539, Page 65, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk.

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

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

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof. Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 11-CI-885 BRANCH BANKING AND TRUST COMPANY PLAINTIFF VS. RONNIE JOHNSON a/k/a RON JOHNSON, TAXI CASE LIEN, INVESTMENTS 1, LLC UNKNOWN DEFENDANT, SPOUSE OF RONNIE JOHNSON a/k/a RON JOHNSON DEFENDANTS

RE-NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 19th day of February, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$67,143.24 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 30th day of August, 2012 at 9:45 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the follow described property, to-wit: Parcel No. 102-100-10-002, Rte 122, Bryoo, KY 41669

A certain tract of parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly bounded and described as follows: For a part of reference, commence with intersection of the line between Warren and Ruth Risner and Timothy and Theresa Bailey, and center line of the former C-24 Railroad crossing Line, thence in a generally easterly direction to the center line a distance of approximately 100 feet, thence in a generally northerly direction a distance of approximately 50 feet to the point where the Warren and Ruth Risner Property line intersects with the property line of Devert and Betty Sloane, thence in a generally westerly direction with the Warren Risner and Ruth Risner a distance of approximately 102 feet to the point of beginning and containing 0.13 acres more or less.

Running with Alex Reynolds line to a white oak, thence crossing the creek with Alex Reynolds line to a twin Sycamore, thence running with the drain to the center of the point, thence crossing the creek to the center of the point, thence running to the north corner of the McCombs line. Thence running in a generally north to stake, thence to a Maple or ridge pole, thence down center of drain to a Sycamore.

Said property was conveyed to Ron Johnson, a single person, by Deed Book 40, Belcher and Johnny M. Belcher, wife and husband, on June 8, 2007, by deed Book 580, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

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

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

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof. Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

SERVICES

FINANCIAL

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ANIMALS

AGRICULTURE

MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous

Total gym Chuck Norris edition asking \$500, Washer and Dryer also \$300 for pair. Call 606-478-1203

Yards Sales

Huge yard sale ladies clothes, ann taylor, new york and company, talbots, dayborn, size 4-6, ladies Boys Under Armour, Nike, polo size 8-10, Men's Under Armour, Nike, Abercrombie, Polo size small and large. Will have home decor, lots of toys, video games, Movies, books. Friday August 31st 8:00 a.m. Two blocks from Prestonsburg High School on North Arnold avenue.

RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

Boats / Accessories

1986 PROCAT FISH & SKI BOAT, 15 FCB, VINYLDECK HP 100, WITH WALK THRU WINDSHIELD, 2 LIVE WELLS, CALL 792-7500

AUTOMOTIVE

Autos

HICKS AUTO SALES DAVID "Good Titles" 1999 Oldsmobile silhouette van 115,000 miles \$3,200 98 dodge ram 4x4 quad cab 395 GMC durand exd cab 008 z12 10 1995 Ford Mustang GT Convertible 80,000 miles 5 speed 5.0 liter 1998 Chevy Tracker \$3,000 2005 Buick Rendezvous AWD 90,000 miles \$5,200 2005 Isuzu Geneta 90,000 miles \$5,995 1999 Ford Taurus \$2,900 CALL 606-886-2842

REAL ESTATE SALES

For Sale By Owner

JOHN DEERE LAWN MOWER 225 CUTOFF, 42" CUT, 1000 FUEL TANK, LESS THAN 200 HOURS. \$2000.00. CALL 869-6758

Houses For Sale

3 Br. 2 1/2 bath home for sale by owner 1.3 miles up Abbott Rd. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Reduced Below Appraisal \$195,000. Call 606-869-6449 House for Sale Located at Garrett. Call 259-1091 Two homes for sale 1 1/2 miles south of Waynesburg. One home has 3 bedrooms, one bath. Both homes are in excellent central heat and air with vinyl siding. Smaller home is a one bedroom home on 72,000 Cedar siding. Live in one and rent the other. Call 606-220-1925 or 606-886-8583.

REAL ESTATE RENTALS

Apartments/Townhouses

Furnished apartments for rent very clean. Suitable for 2 working professionals. No pets. Near Prestonsburg J.W. Lake. Out of state workers welcome. Call 606-205-0215 or 606-888-3941.

Applications accepted

For 1, 2, 3, 4 bedroom Apartments for persons 62 and over.

Located on Mays Branch in Prestonsburg

includes, rent is based on gross monthly income. Some utilities such as line dancing, electric, gas, water, heat, hair salon, Furnished (refrigerator, range, toaster, emergency alarm, fire extinguisher) are included. For more information call 606-869-1525, TDD: 1-800-668-8086 or 711 or come by the office for an application. Highland Terrace does not discriminate in admission or employment in subsidized housing on account of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability or familial status.

Duplex for rent, 200m 1 bath

central heat, call on US 23 7 mile North of Prestonsburg, No Pets, Call 606-869-8586-9007

Apartment for rent 1 bedroom

furnished Apt. includes utilities. No Pets. Call 606-869-8586-9007

Only \$250.00 Deposit

Efficiency 1 BDRM Apartment for Lease, super clean. Appliances, Linens included. Paid. \$525.00 per month, No Pets. No 1st or 2nd party between Prestonsburg and Call 606-791-5016 After 4 p.m.

2 BR DUPLEX, FULL

LAUNDRY, \$650.00 PER MONTH, \$800.00 PER YEAR LEASE REQUIRED, NO PETS, CALL 606-869-8586-9007 LANCER, KY, CALL 606-8781 OR 791-8782 BETWEEN 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM

TOWNHOUSE APARTMENT

FOR RENT 2BR, 1 1/2 BATH, TOWNHOUSE, FULLY FURNISHED, HOOK UP, CITY LIMITS OF P. SURG. DISTRICT, PLUS 450.00 DEPOSIT, NO PETS 1YR. LEASE, CALL 606-866-7758 OR 606-625-0134

Apartments/Townhouses

Applications Being Accepted For 1, 2, 3, 4 Bedroom Apartments

Located in Prestonsburg is Highland Heights Apartments in Cable Roberts addition and Cliffside Apartments on Cliff Road. Rent is based on gross monthly income. All utilities included at Highland Heights and a Utility Allowance at Cliffside. Learning centers at both sites with computers available. For more information call Highland Heights at 606-886-0608 and Cliffside at 606-886-1819. TDD: 1-800-648-6059 or 711 or come by the offices for an application. Highlands Heights and Cliffside Apartments do not discriminate in admission or employment in subsidized housing on account of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability or familial status.



For rent unique unfurnished one bedroom apartment on university drive. Lease and security deposit required. No pets. Also available furnished guest house apartment. 606-099 or 886-3555

FOR RENT NEWLY REMODELED 1 BR APARTMENT AT LANGRISH COURT. FOR 1 PERSON OR COUPLE. NEW BATH, REFRIG. WITH W/D HOOK UP. ALL UTILITIES PAID. INCLUDING CABLE TV. \$500.00 PER MONTH. \$300.00 DEPOSIT. CALL 265-9059 OR 367-6113

Houses For Rent

2 BR HOUSE FOR RENT. CALL 874-9348 UNTIL 4:30 P.M. AFTER CALL 259-7027 UNTIL 9:00 P.M.

For Rent- 3 BDRM, 2 Bath mobile home located at Ivel \$500 per month. \$500 deposit. call 606-478-8139 after 4:30pm. Cell 213-7056 Anytime

House for rent, 248 University Drive, 3 bdrm 2 bath. Extremely clean. Lease and security deposit required. No Pets Please. 886-3565 or 886-0095

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Graduate of accredited nursing program and currently licensed in the state of Kentucky. Management training or experience required. BSN preferred. Must be able to stand and walk for long periods and do heavy lifting. Benefits to be discussed during an interview.

Interested applicants may apply on line @ our HRMC website
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Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is seeking qualified candidates for **Temporary Intake Workers** in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, and Pike counties for the LIHEAP Program.

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Qualified applicants may submit application or resume to:
Big Sandy Area Community Action Program
ATtn: Human Resources, 707-352-1111, Paintsville, KY 41240.
Closing date for applications is Friday, September 7, 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 located across the United States committed to fighting poverty by empowering individuals. The project is funded, in part, under a contract with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services with funds from the Community Services Block Grant Act and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

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Highlands, a growing premier healthcare facility in Prestonsburg, is currently recruiting for Director of Emergency Services -
Emergency Department
Some weekends/holidays required

Highlands Regional Medical Center has an opening for a FT Director in Emergency Services. The Director is responsible for managing the clinical services of a defined patient unit, including twenty-four hour responsibility for staffing, equipment, supplies and patient care, and for creating a positive professional work environment that focuses on the customer. Administrative responsibilities include: annual work plan development, budget preparation, performance reviews, performance improvement programs, professional development programs for staff, and preparation and maintenance of regulatory requirements, such as DNV, OSHA, etc. Managers are expected to embrace, utilize, and champion technology to advance HRMC & HHS and its strategic agenda.

Graduate of accredited nursing program with current Kentucky license, BSN required and Masters in nursing preferred. Five years experience in nursing with two years of it in management. Specialty certification and advanced education in management principles desired. Must have at least two years of charge nurse or equivalent experience with demonstrated ability to effectively communicate with medical staff and all levels of personnel. Must be able to stand and walk for long periods and do heavy lifting. Benefits to be discussed during an interview.

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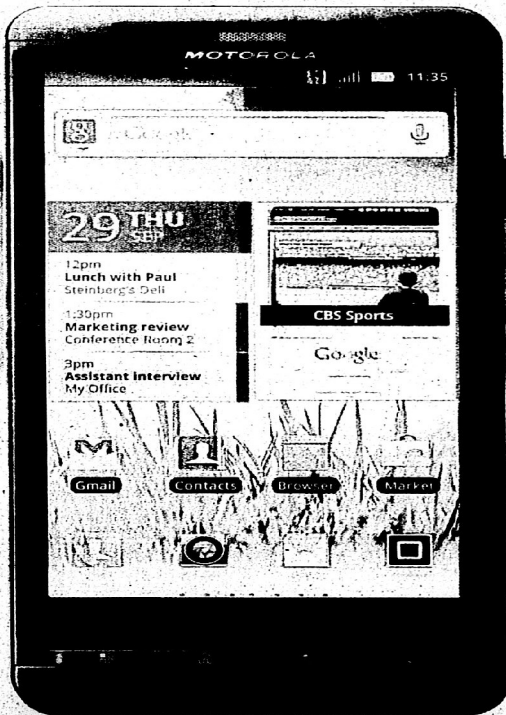
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