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During the dry spell, workers were kept busy watering the 200 hanging baskets and scores more garden plants that decorate the city of Prestonsburg this summer. Here, Nathan Hackworth assisted by Wes Collins, sprays water on plants on Court Street. These small tanks hold 150 gallons of water and are filled about six times a day, beginning about 6 a.m. A larger truck tank holds 325 gallons and is filled about five times a day when the plants are in need.

## Special meeting on money move

by Pam Shingler  
Editor

At a special meeting yesterday, the Floyd County Fiscal Court voted to move the county's financial accounts to First Guaranty Bank in Martin.

In an attachment to the resolution, First Guaranty President and CEO Charles Johnson said the bank would waive service fees for the county and would not charge for checks. He cited that the bank will pay a monthly interest rate on the county's general account of 4.45 percent and monthly interest on the payroll account of 5 percent.

The county has banked with

Community Trust.

Although the county ethics code was on the agenda for the special session, a decision on amending it was put off until attorneys can reword it.

The Floyd County Ethics Commission, chaired by John Rosenberg, has indicated it would like the provision against county officials' hiring of close family members to remain in the code. Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson, on the other hand, has said he thinks officials should be allowed to hire at least one family member, particularly fee officers who should be permitted to hire

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## Briefs

### Blood shortage critical

The Central Kentucky Blood Center is making an appeal to residents of this area to give blood, not only to meet recurring needs, but also in anticipation of the July 4 holiday, which can bring increased need for transfusions. Nearly 250 pints of blood are needed daily to supply 68 hospitals in central and eastern Kentucky. Blood centers in both Prestonsburg and Pikeville are open Monday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. The Prestonsburg center is located in City Hall (Municipal Building) on South Lake Drive. The Pikeville center is at 150 Trivette Dr., Suite 102. For information, call 1-800-775-2522.

### Dressing for success

Folks who like to dress up will have an opportunity to discount their tickets to the Jenny Wiley Theatre productions of "Grease" and "Oklahoma!" this summer. Persons who dress in clothing representative of the era of the two shows, when they are playing on Wednesday or Thursday nights, can get \$2 off the ticket price. So, for a deal, get out your poodle skirt and your cowboy chaps. The one catch is that the deal does not apply to already discounted prices. For reservations, call 606/886-9274 or 1-800/CALL-JWT.

### Public meetings

- Floyd County 911 Executive Board, special meeting, today, 11 a.m., Old Tourism Building. Agenda: mapping.
- Prestonsburg City Council Personnel Committee, special meeting, today, 1 p.m., City Hall
- Prestonsburg City Council, Monday, noon, City Hall
- Martin City Council, Monday, 6 p.m., City Hall
- Floyd County Board of Education, Monday, 6:30 p.m., Allen Central High School

## Hospital workers rally

by Willie Elliott  
Staff Writer

So went the litany Tuesday evening as Kathy McCormick, hospital organizer for West Virginia and Kentucky for the union SIEU, rallied with workers at Highlands Regional Medical Center to plan the next stage of

contract negotiations with the hospital.

The union announced that evening that members are on strike notice if negotiations fail.

On Thursday, McCormick and her negotiating team met with hospital representatives to work out a deal that would avert a strike by the 450 unionized HRMC workers.

Tamara Clark, a financial advisor with the medical center, said the negotiations were more about job security than just more money. "The contract needs language changes to fit the times," she said.

Clark said the present contract has no provision about staff reduction. When the hospital reduced staff in February, workers had no recourse but to accept the decision, she said.

Clark also said workers were disappointed that the hospital would not accept the National Labor Relations Board's decision about allowing nurses to bargain with the other workers.



Kathy McCormick, union hospital organizer, leads workers in a spirited call for a contract from Highlands Regional Medical Center during Tuesday's rally at the hospital. (photo by Willie Elliott)

### It's official

## BOE approves contract for Fanning

by Willie Elliott  
Staff Writer

In a 15-minute meeting yesterday afternoon, three members of the Floyd County Board of Education approved a contract for Alabama native Dr. Paul Fanning to be the next superintendent for the Floyd County School System.

The four-year contract calls for an annual salary of \$95,000 for a standard 240-day work year. The

contracts call for amenities, including family health insurance for the superintendent and his wife, reimbursements for mileage as specified in board policy, and payment of his dues for certain professional and civic organizations.

Fanning will receive \$3,000 toward his moving and relocation from Alexander City, Alabama, to Floyd County.

Board members Jody Mullins

and Don Roberts were not present at Thursday evening's meeting. According to board chairman Terry Dotson, Mullins was involved in training that pertains to his job, and Don Roberts had personal problems that prevented him from attending the meeting.

Mullins and Roberts have been critical of the selection.

The board voted on June 12 to offer the job to Fanning, who will assume his duties on July 19.

## Patton brings optimism to region

by Pam Shingler  
Editor

Declaring that he is "extremely optimistic," Gov. Paul Patton told eastern Kentuckians gathered for the summer meeting of the Kentucky Appalachian Commission (KAC) Monday in Paintsville that "it is up to us to take advantage of the moment."

He pointed to Floyd County, in particular, as a site of opportunity. The building of the new four-laned section of KY 114 on the western edge of Prestonsburg offers the opportunity to create flat land for industrial development, he said.

The governor suggested to Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson that he "talk with the road contractor" about relocating soil that will be displaced for the road to an area where 10 to 12 flat acres can be creat-

ed. He said that sites for economic development should be available along the road, which is an extension of the Mountain Parkway.

Patton added that he is talking to one group, which is "knowledge-based" (as opposed to industrial), that is seeking to locate in the area, but it must have 23 acres of land. "We've got everything they need but the land," he said.

With the governor's blessing, the members of the KAC approved the offering of Community Development Initiative (CDI) grants to two more eastern Kentucky towns.

Hindman and Jenkins were selected for the first two such awards a couple of years ago. Hindman is planning to re-cast itself as a hub for artisans, with a

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## Axed cop sues city

by Pam Shingler  
Editor

A short-term Prestonsburg police officer has filed a complaint in federal court against his former employer, claiming his civil rights have been violated.

Craig A. McGlone filed the action against Mayor Jerry Fanning and the City of Prestonsburg in the United States District Court in Pikeville earlier this month.

McGlone claims his hours were cut and he was finally dismissed because he ticketed a woman who said she was a friend of the mayor.

In the complaint, the plaintiff says he arrested a woman (unnamed in the suit) on the evening of January 8 for refusing to show her identification after he charged her with reckless driving, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct and operating a vehicle without a license.

McGlone says that at the arrest scene and during the booking process at the county jail, the woman told him "that he did not know who she was, that she knew Mayor Jerry Fanning, and that she

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## Leading a horse to water...

Times Staff Report

Five homes were without water service from Friday to Monday after a horse died at Warco.

Other homes in the area were without water for several hours Friday after a Warco man, Byron Hansford, dug a hole to bury his neighbor's horse and ruptured the water line.

The line is part of the Beaver Elkhorn Water District. When Hansford called that office to report the leak, he was told he couldn't bury the horse in that location.

The water district office received numerous reports of the incident and also heard some wild rumors. One caller reported that the horse had AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome), according to a representative of the Beaver Elkhorn office.

That scenario isn't possible, according to a spokesperson with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture's Department of Veterinary Medicine.

"Horses don't get AIDS," he said. The horse was buried in a different location (away from the water line), and the Beaver Elkhorn Water District had returned water service to most houses later that evening.

However, due to the weekend, some residents had to wait until Monday before their water service resumed.



### Don't forget your boots

This discarded shopping cart located on the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy near River Park in Prestonsburg gives an indication of how low the water level is on the river and an indication that Floyd Countyans are still throwing stuff in our waterways. (photo by Willie Elliott)



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# Patton

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technical college for arts and crafts, an arts center and other activities and facilities highlighting regional arts. Jenkins is developing a traditional industrial park.

Ewell Balltrip, KAC executive director, said the CDI program allows communities to "concentrate on a sustainable economy."

Indicating that the organization has "learned quite a bit" from the first round of CDI awards, Balltrip said that in considering new applications, his group will be "looking more at civic capacity and at leadership ... and at the financial condition of the community."

He said each community will be expected to make a projection for the next 10 to 15 years and "to be realistic."

Patton added that the next communities selected should already have decent roads because "roads are so expensive." The Jenkins project is requiring the construction of an access road to the industrial site.

Balltrip discussed two new KAC initiatives, one involving the Country Music Highway, US 23. He said the project, still in the "organizational phase," will attempt to engage the celebrities, who are highlighted along the road, in the economic development of the area.

"We hope to solicit the support of the stars and then develop a strategy for them to help," he said, adding that the idea is part of "an ongoing effort to bring stability to the area."

Tourism Secretary Ann Latta (of Prestonsburg) said her cabinet has been working with other states through which US 23 runs to promote the highway as an alternative to major north-south interstates in this part of the country.

The other new KAC initiative aims to involve absentee landowners in the economic development of the Appalachian counties. Balltrip said the organization wants to create "strategies to get them (landowners) more actively involved in development beyond land resources."

The governor said a survey is being conducted in the 14 primary coal counties to identify major landowners who live outside the region. He said, once they are identified, he wants "to get them here"

for an Appalachian Resource Summit.

(Studies have indicated that as much as 70 percent of the land in central Appalachia is owned by persons or organizations from outside the area.)

Patton was enthusiastic about the planned visit of President Bill Clinton to the region around July 5. Details were still sketchy, but the president is believed to be visiting the Corbin area. The governor also announced that a federal housing conference is slated for Ashland and Huntington in August. He said he had pushed for Paintsville and Williamson, West Virginia, as sites for the conference.

Secretary Latta reported that about \$82 million has been invested in state parks in eastern Kentucky in the last few years. She pointed out that in 1995, there was only one 18-hole golf course at a park in eastern Kentucky, but now five are either planned or opened. The region, she said, will be "a major golf destination in the future."

She said her cabinet's plan is to capitalize on the country music heritage of the area, crafts, history, coal and eco-tourism, or natural sites. The cabinet's marketing division is working with six major European

tour operators to book tours to this region, she said, as well as promoting the area to magazines and regional tour leaders.

Latta said spending on tourism in this region by the state increased by almost 12 percent between 1995 and 1998 and that more than 2,500 new jobs have been created in the region from tourism.

Secretary of Transportation James Codell talked about road-building activity in the Appalachian counties. He mentioned the four-laning of US 119 from its intersection with US 23 at Pikeville to US 52 in West Virginia, which is underway, as well as the completion of new US 23 from Dorton to Jenkins and of US 460 from around Shelbyana in Pike County to the Virginia line at Breaks Interstate Park.

North of here, he talked of the Industrial Parkway in the Ashland area and "rehab" projects on I-64.

He also said improvements are being made to the Daniel Boone Parkway and to KY 15, running between the Mountain and Daniel Boone parkways.

Representatives of several other state offices gave reports on what their agencies are doing to spur growth in eastern Kentucky.

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## Commission agrees to loan

by Kristy Stevens  
Student Writer

A special meeting of the Wheelwright Utility Commission was called Thursday, in order to discuss the request from the city for a

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\$6,000 loan to cover debts, including overtime pay for the city policeman.

Chairperson Nannie Hall called the meeting to order, and a copy of the city financial budget and checks written over the past three months were passed out to each member of the commission. These indicated how money was being spent.

It was stated that the main reason the city needed the loan was because of the rising cost of liability insurance. However, the city already owes \$11,562 to the commission.

After reviewing budget records, Ricky Little suggested that the city and the utilities commission "think about a contract." According to rules, the commission may make loans, but no monetary gifts can be

given, meaning the city would have to repay the money, he said.

After some deliberation, Little made a motion that the loan be given on an agreement that some type of contract would be drawn up by the city's attorney, Tim Parker. Oval Pack seconded the motion and all were in agreement.

The contract insures that the city will repay the loan and attempt to begin repaying the money already owed. The length of time the city has to repay the money is being "left up to Tim (Parker)."

As for the matter of pay for the policeman, the commission agreed to pay half of the base payment, but no overtime. The meeting was adjourned by Hall.

The Wheelwright Utilities Commission members include Hall, Little, Pack, Allen Taylor and Willard J. Johnson.

## Clarification

McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital indicated last week that they have received numerous calls from clients who think the hospital's home health agency is in jeopardy with the state. A story in last week's edition of the Floyd County Times did not mention the ARH home health agency, but stated that the Floyd County Health Department's home health agency is in danger of closing after a surveyor said the health department's skilled nursing program is not in compliance.

## Corrections

Beth Lawson was valedictorian at the Piast School and not the David School as reported. She is the daughter of Bobby Lawson of Toler and Lisa Tackett Lawson of Prestonsburg.

An item in Wednesday's edition of The Times indicated that radio station WMDJ is one of the sponsors of the Friday Night Jamborees in Martin. "Ranger Rick" Caudill, who works at the station, is emcee of the shows, but the station is not a sponsor. The Times regrets the error.

In the June 16 edition of The Times, Chandra Short, who has won scholarships to Georgetown College, was incorrectly identified as being from Prestonsburg. She is actually from McDowell. Her good-natured parents, Quention and Debra Short, say they have previously been identified in print as being from Paintsville, so at least they're getting closer to home.

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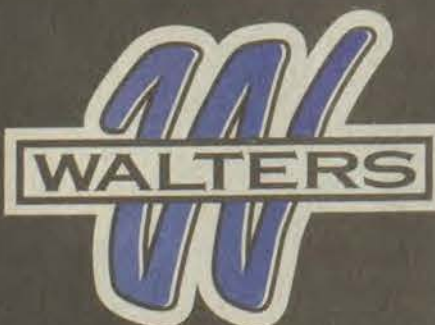
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# Money

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their spouses. Two of the county commissioners voiced agreement with Thompson. "I think hiring your wife has its advantages and disadvantages," said Gerald Derosssett, "but I think you ought to be able to hire your wife."

"I think they (officials) should be able to hire them (wives)," said Ernal Tackett. Commissioner Larry Foster Stumbo was not heard to express an opinion on the matter.

"This can be construed to make us look bad," Thompson said, "but if I believe something I'll say it."

Thompson added that he thinks the ethics code is a good one. "Basically, we've got one difference — whether an official can hire a family member," he said. "I think it's the consensus (of the court) that if someone in the household is capable, they can be hired."

Rosenberg, who was joined by ethics commission members Peggy Bradford and Curtis Hall, said he felt the commission may have been "spinning its wheels." "Until there is a state ethics code, I think perhaps there's no need for this ethics commission," he told the court.

"I don't think you've spun your wheels. You've done a good job," Thompson said. "We're wanting basically to change one little paragraph."

DeRossett asked why circuit judges were allowed to hire their wives, and Rosenberg explained that, as state officials, they are governed by different regulations than county employees. Rosenberg indicated he and Thompson are in agreement that

there should be a statewide ethics code.

In regard to property, the court authorized the judge-executive to negotiate with the Floyd County Board of Education on the purchase of its property on KY 114 at Middle Creek.

"We have the opportunity," Thompson said, "to get some fill dirt to develop about 20 acres for an industrial park." He added that "having an industrial park does not guarantee an industry, but not having one guarantees we won't have an industry."

Thompson said money for the purchase would come from the county's coal severance funds.

(At Monday's meeting of the Kentucky Appalachian Commission, Gov. Paul Patton publicly told Thompson that he should find some land to develop, using spoil from the four-lane construction of KY 114.)

The piece of land owned by the school board was originally purchased several years ago as the site of a new Prestonsburg High School. The purchase was the subject of controversy for some time, and the decision was finally made to renovate and add on to the old high school in town.

The county commissioners approved a measure to purchase liability and workman's compensation insurance through the Kentucky Association of Counties, with Hatton-Allen as the local service agent.

A KACO representative said that, after some difficulty in the past, KACO has a new administration and is now non-profit.

County Attorney Keith Bartley was critical of the insurer's apparent past refusal to defend the

county adequately in litigation.

"We are defending cases today from three years ago that KACO should have been defending," Bartley said.

The representative assured the court that the past policy was changing and that he "meant to be as fair and equitable as can be done."

He added that the county would not be assessed based on other counties, which also had been the policy in the past.

Thompson said the estimate from KACO was \$36,000 below other quotes. The annual premium for liability and comprehensive coverage is \$68,888, and the premium for workers compensation is \$50,114.40.

The county commissioners accepted an offer from Mrs. Raymond Griffith to lease, for \$1 a year, a tract of land in Martin to be used for a park. Thompson said the roughly one-acre plot, behind the Methodist Church, already has some playground equipment.

"We're not really investing anything, except cleaning it up," he said.

He instructed the county attorney to draw up the lease for a five-year, renewable period and to state that the county would relinquish its lease if the US Army Corps of Engineers goes ahead with its flood control proposal for the city.

Also on the agenda for the special meeting was the authorization of payment to Hamilton Construction Co. for work done at the Wheelwright swimming pool. The advertisement of bids was waived because an "emergency exists." The payment was for \$6,900.

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would contact Jerry Fannin and have him fired."

When she was released on the same evening, the woman made at least a verbal complaint against McGlone at the police department's dispatch center, the document says.

McGlone says he was then suspended without pay on January 13, pending a hearing two days later, which was subsequently rescheduled to January 20. He says members of the city council met during what he thought was the hearing time, but the meeting was dismissed and he was not interviewed.

Instead, he said he was asked to meet with Police Chief Darrell Conley, and Conley told him he had been removed from patrol duty and assigned to parking duty.

McGlone's complaint then contends that his work was cut to five hours a week, 1 to 6 p.m. on Sundays and that Chief Conley allegedly told him to "cease and desist" talking "bad about the mayor."

The former policeman says he then was not assigned any hours during March and on March 15 was notified, by telephone, that he was being fired. The call, he says, came from Conley and was followed by a letter from Fannin.

McGlone admits that he was employed by the city last October on a part-time basis, with no benefits. But he claims he worked at least 40 hours a week from the time he was hired until the personnel action against him.

Despite being a part-time employee, he contends his employment made him subject to laws entitling him to due process.

He claims he never received a copy of the complaint allegedly filed against him and that he received no written notice of the original or rescheduled hearing nor the nature of the charges against him; nor did he receive "any statements or affidavits, nor (was) he advised of his right to counsel."

Consequently, McGlone's complaint in federal court claims that "terminating the plaintiff's employment without cause and without notice, hearing, and the other procedural protections afforded by Kentucky Statutes, constituted an intentional violation of his civil rights."

The complaint further claims that McGlone's First Amendment rights were violated when he was

allegedly told not to comment about the mayor and the disciplinary action.

The suit asks for compensatory damages from the city and the mayor for McGlone's "lost earnings, embarrassment and humiliation and damage to reputation" and punitive damages from Fannin

mer officer's reinstatement.

McGlone is being represented by attorney James J. Barrett.

A civil complaint represents accusations made by the person bringing the complaint and does not indicate a determination of guilt or innocence.



Goose Creek Symphony (below), The Bonepony, and Ledbetter will provide the entertainment at the Hillbilly Nation extravaganza on Saturday, June 26. The celebration will take place at the Wise County Fairgrounds and is a benefit for public radio station WMMT in Whitesburg. An Old-Time Music Jam will be held during the day. For more information, call (606) 633-0108.



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# Viewpoint

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## QUOTE OF THE WEEK...

If anything goes bad, I did it. If anything goes semi-good, we did it. If anything goes really good, then you did it. That's all it takes to get people to win football games for you.

—Paul "Bear" Bryant

## Editorial

### Be patient

... Anyone who has visited West Liberty recently knows that the once sleepy little town is now a bustling community, and it's all because of the prison.

Residents of Elliott County are expecting the same sort of economic benefits from the state prison that will be built there. So are the residents of Martin County, where a large federal penitentiary is now under construction.

... The people of Elliott County understand patience. They have waited for years for good jobs, restaurants and retail establishments to come to a county that has one of the state's highest unemployment rates. Now the county is on the brink of receiving a major economic shot in the arm. Sandy Hook will never be the same.

—The Daily Independent, Ashland

### The flow of waste

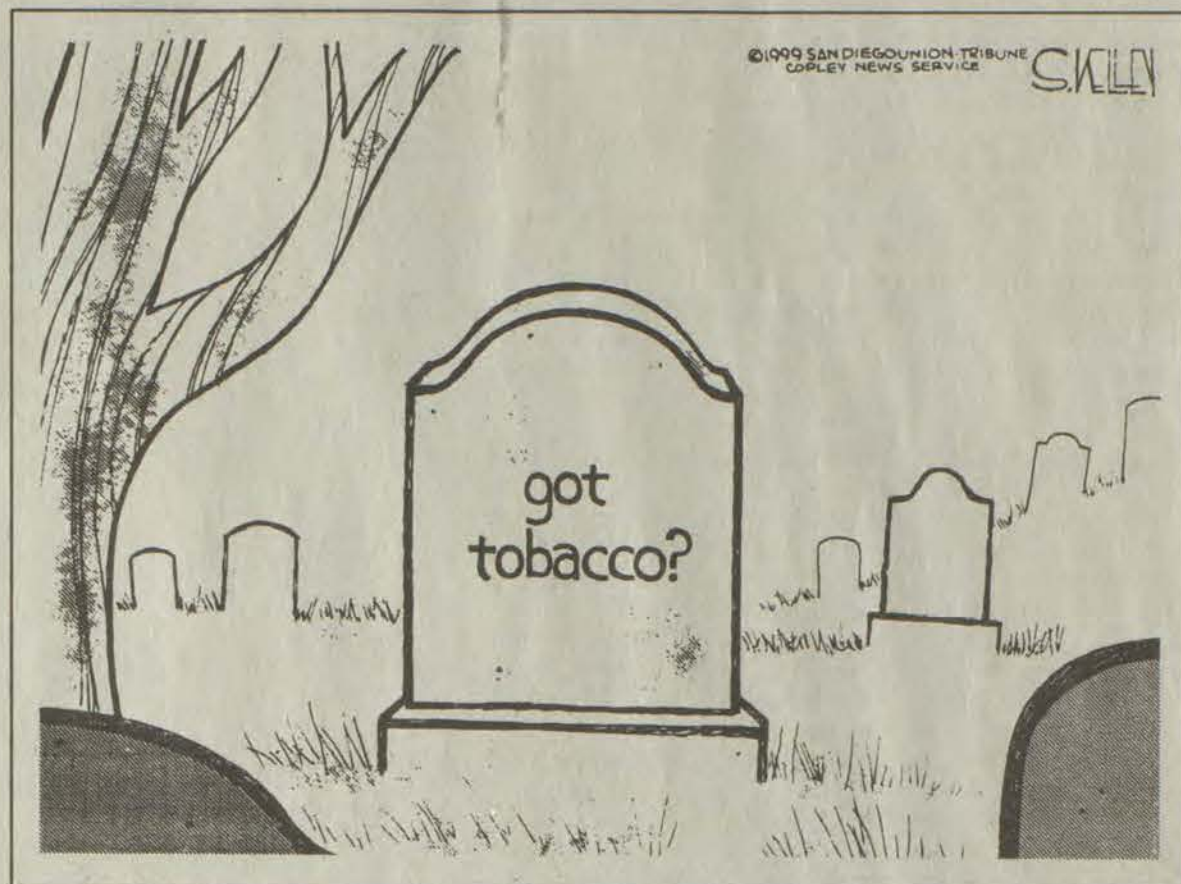
The main source of water pollution in Kentucky is disease-carrying pathogens, and the main source of these pathogens is human and animal waste... In recent years, US Rep. Hal Rogers has brought a lot of money and attention to the problem of straight pipes dumping raw sewage directly into streams. Rogers has also brought home money to upgrade municipal sewer plants... But he's rowing against the current in Washington. Congress has all but ended grants to improve municipal sewage treatment. So, Eastern Kentucky keeps producing coal that provides the nation with cheap electricity. But the region's people and towns are so poor many still dispose of their waste by flushing it directly into the nearest river or creek.

—The Lexington Herald-Leader

### Commandment charade

The effort to legislate morality is just about as futile as parents' attempts to get their children to eat Brussels sprouts. Goodness knows they try, but somehow it just doesn't work... Now, the US House is back at it, in its desperate attempt to seem to respond to school violence without enacting meaningful gun control legislation... If Congress really wanted to send children a lesson about moral responsibility, it could begin by honestly and forthrightly dealing with issues. Instead, we get bills like this, which exploit faith while ignoring principle.

—The Courier-Journal, Louisville



## Letters to the Editor

### 'Grease' is not the word

Editor:  
Since "Day One" our family has felt deep appreciation for Jenny Wiley Theatre. We have attended most plays over the years and have been proud to encourage our friends and acquaintances to do likewise.

Occasionally a play included questionable contact, language, jokes, etc. Most of these performances we avoided.

Last Friday night a friend and I attended the opening of "Grease." Never having seen this play, it came as a rude awakening. We call this "Family Entertainment?" Why would anyone want their children and grandchildren exposed to such trash?

If I graphically expressed what went on, the Times would likely refuse to print this letter, calling

it pornographic. Yet the theatre was filled with pre-teen and early teen children who were spellbound by this garbage.

It is obvious we live in a world where anything goes. TV, movies, school, music—everything is ok. That does not make it right! We are dumping heavy stuff on the shoulders of our children and seldom pointing right from wrong. Shame! Shame!

The planning board of Jenny Wiley Theatre should feel obligated to give ratings to their plays if there is any question. Actually they should be more selective of the material to be used.

The music and dancing were well done and enjoyable.

Libby Ree Flanery  
Maytown

### Claims police biased against Magoffin

Editor:  
The reason I'm writing you is that I can't understand why Floyd County people hate Magoffin County people. Especially the law offices.

My husband spends more money in Floyd County than we do in Magoffin. Last year we spent around \$1,500 on medicine at Wal-Mart, besides the groceries we buy.

If the police see a car or truck, or even anything

that says Magoffin on it, they'll pull it over.

Or if they go to one of the bars over there, a cop comes in, they've had the lick.

They're not that dirty in Johnson County. If all of us would quit Floyd County I wonder what would happen to it.

Gladys Allen  
Royalton

### Editorial commended

Publisher:  
The editorial by Pam Shingler, "Welcome Dr. Fanning," (Floyd County Times, June 18, 1999) was among the top two or three I have ever read in this newspaper in the past half-century.

The article is correct, it is fair; and it is honest. I commend Ms. Shingler for her skills, her ability

to write such editorials. I commend you (the publisher) that you had the guts to permit the article to be printed. I am only too well aware of the retributions against people who challenge the "system" here.

Lloyd Blue Goble  
Prestonsburg

### 'Beware of where you park'

Editor:  
On Monday, June 14, my son parked his car in front of the Allen Happy Mart/Ashland Station (a division of Coleman Oil) parking lot, alongside the curb where the landscaping is located, like he has done for the last few days.

He is working on the clean-up project for the county and he has been riding with a guy that is working with him. So he decided to park the car at Happy Mart to catch his ride when going to work at Mud Creek.

After the shift that day, the two guys drove into Happy Mart and to their surprise, the car was gone! My son walked into Happy Mart and asked questions about his car to the assistant manager. She replied that his car had been towed to Emma.

The guy that my son has been riding with was nice enough to drive him to Emma to get his car. When they arrived at the towing company, the car was still attached to the tow truck. After paying a fee, he got to drive the car home.

To my understanding, the manager/assistant manager told me that the lot boy said to the owner of

Happy Mart that the car had been parked there for two to three days. That was not true. She even went on to say that it had been parked there on a Saturday and my son does not work on Saturdays.

I asked her why didn't one of the employees post a note on the windshield, stating that he could not park there or trace the license plate numbers for the owner.

She replied, "I didn't think about doing that."

I used to work at a convenience store and the policy is to try and get the license number from a vehicle if someone tries to drive off without paying for gas. This situation that happened to my son should have been treated the same way.

So, don't be suprised if someday, sometime, someplace like at the Allen Happy Mart, when you least expect it, a tow truck drives up behind you.

God forbid that your vehicle should break down at one of their gas pumps for a long period of time.

Terry L. Johnson  
East Point

(See Letters, page five)

## Letters to the Editor

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## PostScript

by Pam Shingler  
Editor



### Smoke gets in your eyes

I'm not sure what the correlation is but smoking and coffee-drinking seem to go together. When I smoked, I always had to have a cigarette when I poured a cup of coffee. Or, perhaps I had a cup of coffee when I smoked.

At any rate, since I quit smoking almost two years ago, my consumption of coffee, which was quite large, has dropped to a couple — all right, three on bad days — cups a day. I don't even think it would affect me much if I cut coffee out altogether. I think I drink it simply because it's part of my routine, not because I crave it or think it's particularly delicious.

As a youth, I never had an urge to drink coffee like a lot of children do. In my family, coffee-drinking was something that was left to adulthood. (Is anything, anymore?)

What I did love was the smell of Kroger's when it was on Main Street in downtown Paintsville, many, many years ago. When you walked in, the magnificent aroma of freshly ground coffee in that small space swept you up and almost wafted you away. That scent is one of my favorite memories.

I never drank coffee until I was grown and friends made fun of me for being a baby. To drink coffee was a manifestation that you were a grown-up.

So was smoking, of course. What a tremendously sad lie that made us believe filling our lungs with foreign elements and hastening wrinkles and death was an adult thing to do.

For more years than I care to admit, I smoked. I hated the smell of stale smoke, especially on my clothes and hands. I hated the amount of money I spent on the unhealthy habit. I hated my weakness, the knowledge that I could not overcome this irrational addiction.

A couple of years ago, an episode of the TV sitcom "Frasier" had an incomparable, on-target explanation of the allure of tobacco. Frasier Crane's agent is trying to quit smoking so she can marry a rich man, but she finally admits that she can't give up the cigarettes.

Seated around a table with the show's ensemble, she puts forth a sensuous, almost erotic description of smoking. She is so persuasive that all the others, none of whom smokes, sneak off to have a smoke.

I've been clean for more than 19 months, but that doesn't mean I don't want a cigarette. When I do have a cup of coffee, I can't help but think how much better it would taste with a cigarette. It's just not the same without one.

After a good meal with friends or family, I always think of how well a cigarette would cap off a pleasant time. Particularly early in the morning and late in the evening, I want to sit on the porch and smoke and listen to the birds whose air I am polluting.

Sometimes, I have to fight the urge to run to the store and buy a pack. Just one pack, I tell myself, and then no more. After all, I've quit once for a comparatively long period. But, then, I remember my weakness.

Sometimes, when I'm near someone who is smoking, I have to fight the urge to bum one, just one.

I read one time that Mark Twain said, "Quitting smoking is easy. I've done it hundreds of times."

I hope I don't have to do it hundreds of times, but, oh, the attraction is strong.

I have half-seriously declared that I intend to start smoking again when I am 65, giving myself an indulgence, a simple pleasure as life winds down. Chances are I won't be able to afford it, or any other vice, for that matter.

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# Letters

## SEEKS INPUT FOR COUNTY HISTORY

Editor:  
We have good news. With the overwhelming interest in the Johnson County History Book, we met with the publishers and asked for an extension. We will be able to accept family biographies through August 15. Don't put it off another day, there will be no other extension.

We will be working on community, business and church history as we continue collecting family biographies.

Don't leave your family, community, business or church out of the Johnson County Family History Book. We are giving you one more chance.

Turner Publishers have agreed to let us collect family biographies as we continue the Johnson County-Pointsville history information collection.

Act today, mail your information to Johnson County History Book, P.O. Box 788, Paintsville, KY 41240.

Patricia Patton  
Paintsville

## 'OUR STORY'

Editor:  
We, the RN negotiating committee at Highlands Regional Medical Center feel that it is time we told our story.

In the winter of 1998 we began meeting with SEIU/1199. We were concerned about many issues. We wanted, and still want, job security and the best possible care for our patients. We felt that joining a healthcare worker's union would allow us to sit down with management on an even level.

On February 24, 1999, the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) scheduled a hearing to determine which RN's would be eligible to join the union. At a pre-hearing conference it was proposed that both sides should stipulate eight OR circulating nurses as not eligible. If the union would agree to this then the hospital would agree to a speedy vote.

There were several RN's present that day. Our first reaction was suspicion—we felt like the hospital was setting us up. Their actions since that day have proven that suspicion right.

Our second reaction was concern for those eight RN's. We were assured that they would still be eligible to join the union at a future time with the dieticians, social workers, and pharmacists. The RN's present agreed to the stipulation. The vote was set for March 25.

For the next month, we were bombarded with letters from the hospital telling us it would be unprofessional to join the union. The hospital spent a great deal of money to prevent the RN's from joining a union that already represented 326 of their employees.

They even went so far as to hire a "union-buster" company at the rate of several hundred dollars per hour. Yet on February 25, HRMC had laid-off over 30 employees because of financial hardship. Does that make any sense?

The RN's voted on March 25 for union representation by a vote of 46 to 45. The hospital has filed several appeals since then, but on June 7 we received notification that the NLRB in Washington, D.C., had certified SEIU/1199 to represent the RN's. We thought our battle was over and that we could finally sit down with our hospital administrators and negotiate protection for us, our families, and our patients.

On June 14, the RN's had a meeting and voted to be included in a contract with the other 326 union members at HRMC. There would be specific areas applying to the RN's but we would be united under one contract. We thought it would be faster and easier for both parties if we only had to negotiate one contract.

However, when this proposal was presented to Highlands' negotiating team, we discovered this was not to their satisfaction. Bill Flanery, the hospital's lawyer from Pennsylvania, stated that they would not recognize the RN's and would not negotiate with them even though he admitted that the hospital knows their refusal is illegal.

He also stated that he could tie the RN's up in court for another 18 months.

That is why we are asking our community to help us. We do not want our professional lives put on hold for 18 months. We ask you to call the Board of Directors and the hospital's administrators and let them know that Highlands is still our hospital. It belongs to the people of Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, and Pike counties.

Please support us in our effort to continue to give quality care. Thank you.

Nancy Perry, RN; Diana Hall, RN; Lucy Potter, RN; Betsy Kretzer, RN; Tammy Fannin, RN; Sylvia Eversole, RN; Angela Pack, RN; Bessie Minix, RN; Kathy Horn, RN; Nancy Fraley, RN; Greta Blair, RN and Sharon Hall, RN.

## COMPLIMENTS TO STAFF AT RIVERVIEW

Editor:  
Recently, my family had the opportunity to use the services of Riverview Manor Nursing Home for our father/grandfather, John B. Ousley. He had been transferred to the nursing home after his operation at Highlands Regional Medical Center. From his very first day at Riverview he received excellent care and attention. Since I was the main contact regarding his care, the nurses would call me if there was the slightest change in his condition or if the doctor was changing his medication.

We live in Indiana and it's an eight-hour drive to Prestonsburg. Whenever we would arrange a visit, the nurses and staff would always make us as comfortable as possible after the long drive. We always had ample seating and plenty of coffee.

We feel it necessary to compliment this fine establishment, as nursing homes normally hear the bad things about their services. Our father/grandfather passed away June 5, and he will be missed, not only by his family and friends, but also by the staff on the second floor at Riverview. It was evident that they cared for him very much as well.

Some may say that they put on a good show while we were there...Nothing could be further from the truth! I am the one who talked with Patty, Michelle, Mary, Karen and many more via the phone during his stay there. I know they cared.

The nursing home is a scary place for senior citizens. Please, before you need the services for a family member, take time to visit someone in a nursing home to see just what it's like. Then, if and when you or a family member require this service, you will know what to expect and which nursing home(s) you would prefer.

John B. Ousley lived to be 92 years of age. He raised us all to be hard workers and be proud of who we were. His final days were made much easier for him and his family by the staff on the second floor at Riverview Manor, and we thank them for that.

Kenneth Ousley (grandson)  
Fort Wayne, Indiana

## SHARES VIEWS ON HEALTH CARE

Editor:  
With regards to your article, June 18, I have a few comments to make. I am always amazed and disgusted with the sheer stupidity of those overseeing the home health care (and other nursing facilities). As I read the article it is clear that procedures were followed to the "T." Patients have the right to refuse any treatment or personal care.

I have seen Health and Human Services (in another state) put nursing homes, home health care, etc. on probation for unimportant things such as not initialing charts, meds cards, etc. I have only seen a handful of care givers that have been unfit to care for patients. Most nurses, LPNs and RNs, and CNA (aides), give their all for their patients.

Holbrook's statement, "we're making visits whether they're needed or not. We're afraid not to. We don't want to lose our license," is the reason, Medicare/Medicaid is financial-

ly drained. Wouldn't it be nice if caregivers could "take care of their patients needs" and not being afraid they'll lose their licenses for doing their best? Would there be some abuse of the system? Of course, but it doesn't take an office building full of people whose favorite saying is "not in compliance" to oversee caregivers. Have they considered how the closing of the Home Health would affect the patients who need it. I doubt it! As long as they "save-their..." and give the appearance of doing their job, that's all they care about.

My idea is to get rid of home health, medical care, etc. at the state level, put offices at the local or district level. Patient's care could be overseen by caring people such as Holbrook. Closing the state office would save money, then those left unemployed could get a real job.

People should write their state representatives and senators their concerns about closing a valuable service such as home health care. That's why they are elected.

Lois Bond, LPN  
Hueysville

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Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Cloudy with showers. 77	Mostly cloudy and warm. 66	Cloudy with a few showers. 84/69	Cloudy with showers. 87/68	Mostly cloudy; t-storms. 89/68	Cloudy with t-storms. 88/69	Mostly cloudy; t-storms. 89/68	Clouds and sun; warm. 90/69

### THE WEEK AHEAD...

**Temperatures**

Above Normal Near Normal Below Normal

### NATIONAL SUMMARY

The jet stream will push northward across the eastern half of the country during the period. As a result, warmer air will cover the Northeast. Tropical moisture will cover the Southeast and Florida with showers and thunderstorms. Cooler air will cover the Northwest and northern Rockies. A series of storms will spread rain across the northern Plains.

### THE WEEK AHEAD...

**Precipitation**

Above Normal Near Normal Below Normal

### U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today		Saturday		Sunday		Monday		Tuesday	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Atlanta	86	70	84	70	87	71	87	71	86	71
Boston	88	67	86	67	85	67	83	65	79	64
Chicago	88	66	87	69	83	66	86	66	88	65
Cleveland	82	63	87	68	88	67	85	66	86	65
Denver	95	80	92	80	95	82	94	80	91	58
Des Moines	90	71	88	70	84	68	85	69	88	70
Detroit	87	65	85	69	85	65	85	66	86	66
Houston	87	75	85	77	86	78	85	75	97	77
Indianapolis	85	66	85	70	88	68	87	69	90	68
Kansas City	89	71	88	72	89	70	88	73	91	70
Los Angeles	89	60	87	61	85	61	87	62	88	61
Miami	88	76	89	78	90	78	90	77	90	77
Minn.-St. Paul	88	71	88	64	82	63	79	65	83	65
New Orleans	84	74	89	75	91	76	91	76	92	75
New York City	82	70	88	70	87	71	88	69	86	69
Omaha	93	72	90	68	88	68	88	70	90	70
Phoenix	111	84	108	84	108	83	110	82	108	81
San Francisco	65	53	68	54	67	54	68	55	69	56
Seattle	65	50	64	52	64	52	68	52	71	54
Washington	80	67	87	70	92	72	92	71	89	71

### SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri. ....	6:11 a.m.	8:57 p.m.
Sat. ....	6:11 a.m.	8:57 p.m.

	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri. ....	6:07 p.m.	4:07 a.m.
Sat. ....	7:02 p.m.	4:42 a.m.

**Moon Phases**

Phase	Month	Day
Full	June	28
Last	July	6
New	July	12
First	July	20

Weather (W):  
s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, l-ice.

### WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today		Saturday		Sunday		Monday		Tuesday	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Amsterdam	66	50	66	50	73	56	67	50	69	59
Berlin	65	49	67	56	78	65	80	63	79	65
Buenos Aires	82	46	83	53	65	35	44	27	48	35
Cairo	90	63	91	64	91	64	90	66	93	68
Jerusalem	75	55	75	54	78	56	78	57	81	60
Johannesburg	75	37	67	39	67	41	69	42	70	43
London	73	54	75	58	72	50	68	50	71	58
Madrid	93	60	89	55	90	64	91	61	90	65
Mexico City	78	56	77	57	78	56	77	55	76	55
Moscow	92	70	92	68	84	68	85	68	86	68
Paris	75	59	78	57	73	52	69	53	74	59
Rio de Janeiro	78	64	76	64	78	66	79	65	77	64
Rome	78	57	81	64	84	66	84	68	87	71
San Juan	89	75	88	76	90	77	89	75	88	75
Seoul	86	68	87	69	86	70	89	71	88	73
Sydney	61	48	61	51	58	47	61	49	64	53
Tokyo	80	74	80	72	81	72	83	75	85	75
Toronto	61	47	61	48	61	48	61	48	61	48
Winnipeg	68	58	62	50	72	52	76	56	80	53
Zurich	77	56	72	61	77	59	77	61	81	64

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# Warning signal of adolescent violence: be smart

by Kathie Dickenson  
Radford University

April's tragedy at Radford University Columbine High School in Colorado understandably set off a chain reaction of fear and questions among parents, students and school personnel across the country. Parents, in particular, want to know how this could have happened and how it can be prevented in their communities. Is it inevitable that such school violence will escalate?

Although six or seven similar incidents have occurred since 1996, there is too little information to call this a "trend," says Radford University criminal justice professor Isaac Van Patten.

Public schools are still safer than a trip to the convenience store, he says — "there is a disparity between the high media profile and the actual incidence of violence." Many radical proposals for solutions have been based on emotion, rather than on facts.

Van Patten's colleague, RU criminal justice professor Ted Burke, says the rash of bomb threats and rumors in the aftermath of Littleton was predictable. "There is no difference," he says, "between those who make threats to call attention to themselves or disrupt activities and those who actually engage in terrorist activities."

Although they warn against panic, both Burke and Van Patten believe awareness of problems and steps toward prevention are important. "Based on the evidence we have," says Van Patten, "there has been a change in the way kids handle alienation."

Burke points out young people have greater access to guns than ever before. Van Patten calls the school shootings the "juvenile equivalent to workplace violence."

According to Van Patten, the students who have engaged in school terrorism in recent years share a number of common denominators:

- The students either acted alone or as part of a group estranged from the mainstream student body.
- Often they have been marked by other kids as weird, eccentric, "geeks" or "nerds" and have been the target of teasing and bullying all the way back to elementary school.
- The way they respond to the teasing and bullying is an important factor. Rather than turn in on themselves, these males—and they have all been males — develop verbally and physically aggressive responses to denial, as when their parents deny them something they want or a teacher denies them permission to do something. Often they are initially withdrawn from peers but aggressive with their parents; as time goes on they become increasingly aggressive in the outside world.
- They possess a sense of elitism — an "aggressive narcissism," says Van Patten. They believe they're special and know the "real truth."
- They reinforce their aggressive-elitist demeanor with movies, books, video games and magazines. He

cites, for example, the books "How to Get Revenge and The Anarchist's Cookbook." Such items are often available at gun shows.

Van Patten does not see these materials as causing a violent character, but he says they reinforce aggressiveness that is already present. Burke comments that video games in which you shoot someone, see blood spurt out and get points for your hit tend to desensitize you to the consequences of violence.

Typically, they signed their plans well in advance with overt, direct death threats. Van Patten, who works with the FBI on threat assessment, says in evaluating the seriousness of a threat he looks for specificity of target and specificity of means. In other words, a specific person is named, and so is the means of killing that person — "I'm going to put a bullet through his head." In every school terrorism incident, says Van Patten, these elements of specificity have been present in preceding threats.

They create a fantasy world with themselves as powerful figures. Fantasy themes involve confrontations with police that lead to suicide—either the way it happened in Littleton, or in a "suicide by cop," in which a suspect commits an act, such as shooting at an officer, that forces police to shoot him.

None of these factors by itself necessarily points to a potential killer, says Van Patten; danger is signaled by a preponderance of factors. The problem, he says, is that many people may see single disturbing signs, but the collective evidence never gets to the eyes of anyone who can evaluate it. Those who notice one incident may not know about any others, or they may not follow through with their concerns.

In Littleton, he points out, individual parents complained to the police of threats to their children, but "a report to the police is not enough."

## Floyd County adopts roads

Eight roads were adopted into the county road system at the June 18 meeting of the Floyd County Fiscal Court.

- The new county roads are
- Layne's Cemetery Road, located at Layne Bottom, 1,500 feet long, 14 feet wide;
  - McGuire Road at Hi Hat, 210 feet long, 14 feet wide;
  - Tom Adams Road at McDowell, length and width not listed;
  - Raymond Hall Road at Frasure's Creek, McDowell, 936 feet long, 14 feet wide;
  - Homer Slone Road at Abner, 100 feet long, 12 feet wide;
  - Holbrook Lane Road at Jack's Creek, 260 feet long, 14 feet wide;
  - Tudor Road at Bevinsville, 1,185 feet long, 14 feet wide;
  - Blanton Bridge Road, off KY 979, 35 feet long, 14 feet wide.

The police can't intervene unless you're willing to stand behind your complaint: swear out a warrant, prosecute and go to court."

Van Patten suggests a solution: Schools should have an anonymous information hotline, through which students, teachers and parents can report disturbing observations, and hire a professional staff member who collates the information.

In other words, the staff member would distinguish between an isolated complaint and a complaint that fit with numerous reports about the same person. That role is key to the effectiveness of the hotline. So is the school system's willingness to take action.

Not every single complaint should be pursued, says Van Patten, "but if there were a preponderance of information about one person, the school system would need to have the power and the moral courage to intervene and involve law enforcement. Otherwise, it's just a feel-good solution."

A balanced approach to intervention using both therapeutic services and law enforcement is best, says Van Patten. "Our mental health system is not equipped to handle the problem alone. Law enforcement agents, especially those with behavioral science backgrounds, are better equipped for assessing the reality of danger than mental health professionals."

On the home front, Burke says that parents, while respecting their children's privacy, should know who they're spending time with and where they're going. Be aware of

what they're reading, what sites they're choosing on the Internet and what games they're playing. When you buy a computer for your children's use, he suggests, place it in a room where everyone has access; let it be a family tool rather than a private toy. Likewise, VCRs and video game equipment can be in a family room.

Parents who worry about their child's interest in violent movies and games should realize, says Burke, that these may or may not be a warning. All kids are curious and prone to experimentation.

But if you see that your child is always interested in intense violence, you should try to figure out why and determine whether there are other warning signs. Is the child becoming withdrawn? Are there academic difficulties that weren't present before? Are disciplinary problems escalating? The presence of weapons or ammunition or the smell of gunpowder are certainly signs that shouldn't be ignored.

Adults get so caught up in their own work and responsibilities, sometimes they forget to listen to their kids, says Burke. Problems that we see as minor may not be at all minor to them. Parents who don't feel comfortable having conversations with their own children can practice by talking to other children, he suggests.

This also helps put your own child's feelings and behavior into perspective. "We need to be able to talk to our own children," he says, "and not be afraid of them. They may require tough love. If they're

misbehaving we need to place restrictions on them." If you find that difficult, you may need to seek outside help.

Anger management is important to learn early, says Burke. Anger is a normal human emotion, he says, so teach your children what to do with it.

All parents, says Burke, need to teach their children to respect others'

differences and to realize there's more than one way to stand out. "Kids should have a responsibility to other kids," says Burke. "Teach them the Golden Rule, because what goes around comes around."

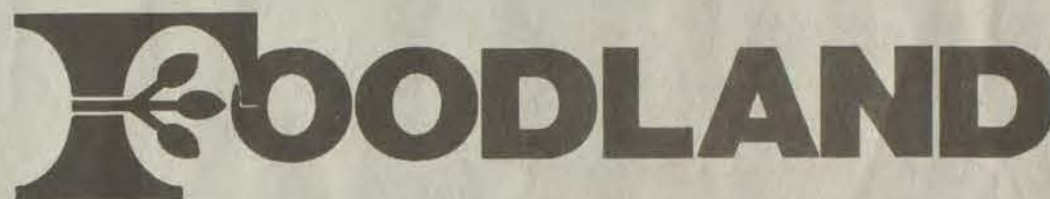
Remember, says Van Patten, that "for the most part, most kids — including angry kids — are good kids, and by far and away most schools are safe."



### Four more receive diplomas

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# "Come Worship With Us"

## AUXIER

**Auxier Freewill Baptist Church,** Auxier; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby Joe Spencer; Assistant, Southie Fannin, Jr.

**Auxier United Methodist Church,** Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Doug Lawson.

**Horn Chapel Methodist,** Auxier Rd.; Sunday Morning Services, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Garfield Potter.

## ABBOTT

**The Father House,** Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, J.J. Wright.

## ALLEN

**Allen First Baptist Church,** Allen; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship at 7 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Arnold Turner.

**Christ United Methodist,** Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster.

**New Covenant Pentecostal Church,** Rt., 1428 Old Rt. 23 between Prestonsburg and Allen. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Don Ash and Danny Clay.

## BANNER

**Prater Creek Baptist Church,** Prater Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Kids for Christ Club meets; Sunday, 11:00 a.m., Jr. and Beginners Church meets; Independent Fundamental Baptist Church; Pastor, Gary Fish.

**Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God,** Banner, Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 7:00; Tuesday Bible Study, 6:30; Everyone Welcome.

## BEAVER

**Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Church,** Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Philip T. Smith.

**Betsy Layne**  
**Betsy Layne United Methodist Church,** next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Blackburn

**Betsy Layne Church of God,** Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night family training hour, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Judith Caudill.

**Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church,** Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wed. Night Prayer & Youth Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tracy Patton.

**Calvary Southern Baptist Church,** Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Troy Lee Tackett

**Betsy Layne Church of Christ** at Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy J. Spears.

## BEVINSVILLE

**Jacks Creek Baptist Church,** Bevinsville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday, Women's Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Jeff Barrett.

**Middle Creek Baptist Church,** Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.; Independent Fundamental; Pastor, Vernon Slone.

## BONANZA

**Bonanza Freewill Baptist,** Abbott Creek Road; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jimmy D. Brown.

## BUFFALO

**Endicott Freewill Baptist Church;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Smith

## CORN FORK

**Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist,** Corn Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and

Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Roger Music.

## COW CREEK

**Cow Creek Freewill Baptist,** Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.-11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.; 3rd Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon; Prayer Meeting and Youth Group, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Pastor, Nathan Lafferty.

**Benedict Baptist Church,** Slick Rock Branch of Cow Creek, (half mile up Cow Creek on left); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Youth Service, 6 p.m. each Wednesday and Evening Service, 7 p.m. each Wednesday.

## DANA

**Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church,** Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Jody Spencer; Assistance Pastor, Terry Hall.

## DAVID

**Goodloe Pentecostal Church,** Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Malcom Slone.

## DRIFT

**Drift Pentecostal Church,** Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

**Drift Independent Church,** Drift; Thursday, 6:30; Sunday, 11:00.

**Drift Freewill Baptist Church,** Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

**Drift Presbyterian Church,** Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part-time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

## DENVER

**Liberty Baptist Church,** Denver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Merle Little.

## DWALE

**Dwale House of Prayer,** Dwale, Ky.; service Saturday night, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday night, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Woodrow Crum.

## EAST POINT

**Free Pentecostal Church of God,** East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

**Little Paint First Church of God,** East Point, 671 Little Paint Road; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 6:00; Youth Fellowship, Sunday 6:00; Wednesday Night, 7:00; Kings Class (Children Ministry) Wednesday 7:00; Pastor, A Wayne Burch.

## EMMA

**Emma United Methodist,** Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Pastor.

## ESTILL

**Martin Branch Freewill Baptist,** Estill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne Stevens.

## GARRETT

**Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church,** Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.

**Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church,** Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

**First Baptist Church,** Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

**Garrett Church of God,** Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg.

**Garrett Community Christian Church,** Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

**GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION**  
**Landmark Church of God,** Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.

**Community Freewill Baptist,** Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Paul D. Coleman.

## GRETHEL

**Grethel Baptist Church,** State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Junior Church and Morning

worship at 11:00; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth meeting Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting and bible study at 6:30.

## HAGER HILL

**Highland Church of Christ,** Rt. 23, Hager Hill, telephone 789-6433; Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m., Sunday evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m.

## HAROLD

**Harold Church of Christ,** at Harold. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, James H. Harmon

**Lower Toler Church of Christ** at Harold. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.; Minister, Lonnie Meade.

**Upper Toler Church of Christ** 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Nightly Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy Dale Bush.

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**United Christian Church,** Meade Bottom, Hi Hat, Ky.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m.; 7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor

## HUEYSVILLE

**Hueysville Church of Christ,** Sunday School, 10 a.m., Worship services 11 a.m., Sunday evening, 7 p.m., Wednesday service, 7 p.m., Minister, Chester Varney.

**United Community Baptist Church,** Hwy. 7, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Friday night, 7:00 p.m. and each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Come worship with us and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Carlos Beverly.

**Salt Lick United Baptist,** Salt Lick, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. and the 4th Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Jacob Jarvis.

## IVEL

**Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist,** U.S. 23, first exit (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

## LACKEY

**Lackey Freewill Baptist Church,** Lackey, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Everyone Welcome. Pastor Johnny J. Collins, of Wayland. "If we meet and you forget me you have lost nothing, but if you meet Jesus and forget him you have lost everything."

## LANCER

**Lancer Baptist Church,** Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

**Pleasant Home Baptist Church,** Lancer-Water gap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

## LANGLEY

**Maytown United Methodist Church,** Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

## MARTIN

**Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church,** Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

**Martin House of Worship,** in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints,** Sunday; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament Meeting 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday; Seminary 6:00 p.m.; Young Women/Young Men/Scouting 7:00 p.m.; Family History, Tuesday 12-8:00 p.m. and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**First Assembly of God,** Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lotie Vannucci.

**Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church,** North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday worship, 7:00 p.m.; Second Saturday

Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pastor.

**Faith Bible Church,** Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Independent Fundamental Baptist.

**Martin Freewill Baptist Church,** Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Pastor, John L. Blair.

**First Baptist Church,** Martin, Ky.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: George Greydon Howard.

**Community Church of God,** Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Bud Crum.

**Martin Church of Christ,** Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

**Martin Methodist Church;** Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

**Old Time Holiness Church;** 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Brother John W. Patton. Friday Evening, 7:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Sunday School, 11:00; Everyone Welcome.

**Full Gospel Community;** Main Street, Martin, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Bible Study; Pastor, Lavonne Lafferty.

## MAYTOWN

**Maytown First Baptist Church,** Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

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**McDowell First Baptist Church,** McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis.

## MIDDLE CREEK

**Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church,** 2656 West Mt. Parkway Prestonsburg, (across from Clark Elem. School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings West.

**Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal Church,** Located at the Floyd and Magoffin County line. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Sunday night, 6:30; Wednesday night, 7:00. A worship Center for everyone. Pastor, Mike D. Caldwell welcomes all. 297-6262.

**Spurlock Bible Church,** Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan Heintzelman.

**Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church,** Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

## PRESTONSBURG

**Community United Methodist Church,** 141 Burke Ave. - (off University Drive and Neeley Street). Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Classes for adults, youth and children. Wednesday choir practice 8:00 p.m. Pastor, Rev. Ernie Carmickle.

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**Seventh-Day Adventist,** 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Gary Shepherd, 886-0732.

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**The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church,** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin.

**First Christian Church,** 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No

Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

**Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church;** Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David Garrett.

**First Baptist Church,** (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 p.m.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor.

**Praise Assembly,** 1 mile South of Prestonsburg, intersection of route 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; nursery provided. Pastor, J.M. Sloce.

**Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church,** located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Price.

**First Presbyterian,** North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love.

**First United Methodist Church,** 256 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre.

**Victory Christian Ministries Church,** 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams.

**Parkway Baptist,** Rt. 1428, Sugar Loaf, Prestonsburg; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

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**First Church of God,** Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.

**Town Branch Baptist,** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor: Tom Nelson.

**Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church,** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford Austin.

**Benedict Baptist Church,** Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Arner B. Whitaker.

**Free United Baptist Church,** West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Midweek Prayer Service, 6:30 pm.

at 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Church Service at 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Youth Meeting at 7:00 p.m.; Church services 2nd and 4th Saturday night at 7:00 p.m. Every 5th Saturday, special singing at 7:00 p.m. Pastor, Denver Meade. Everyone Welcome.

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# REGIONAL OBITUARIES

## Perry County

Polly Couch Campbell, 75, of Robbinsville, N.C., formerly of Bulan, died June 12. Funeral services were conducted June 16, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Raleigh Walter Campbell, 75, of Hazard, died Wednesday, June 16. Funeral services were conducted June 19, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Edith Combs, 80, of Hazard, died Sunday, June 20. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, June 23 under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Jake Earls Jr., 75, of Hazard, died Saturday, June 12. He is survived by his wife, Delcenia Combs Earls. Funeral services were conducted June 15, under the direction of the Engle-Funeral Home.

Albery Feltner, 63, of Allais, died Saturday, June 20. He is survived by his wife, Valeria Combs Feltner. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, June 22, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Elvira Jones, 91, of Bulan, died Wednesday, May 12. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, May 15, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Rachel Burns Napier, 82, of Upper Second Creek, died Wednesday, June 16. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 18, under the direction of Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Roosevelt Williams, 66, of London, died Friday, June 18. Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 21, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

## Lawrence County

James Thomas Moore, 68, of Louisa, died Sunday, June 20. He was a retired county worker. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Ann Frazier Moore of Chapman. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, June 23, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Dempsey Wray Bradley, 76, of Louisa, died Monday, June 21. He was the chief of police for 15 years in Louisa and worked at Ron Perry Auto Mall. He is survived by his wife, Edith Chadwick Bradley. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 24, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Raymond L. Warfe, 77, of Lawrence County, died Thursday, June 17. Graveside services were conducted Friday, June 18, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Ota Mae Davis, 90, of Mobile, Alabama, formerly of Mt. Sterling and Louisa, died Thursday, June 17. Graveside services were conducted Monday, June 21, under the direction of Taul Funeral Home, Mt. Sterling.

Joe Fred Hayton, 64, of Fort Gay, West Virginia, died Monday, June 14. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 17, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Curtis H. Pyle, 87, of Louisa, formerly of Kingston, Ohio, died Tuesday, June 22. He is survived by his wife, Margurite H. Pyle of Louisa. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 25, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

## Martin County

Sherman Pinson, 62, died Friday, June 18. He was employed by Columbus Scrap Iron Company. He is survived by his wife, Geneva Pinson. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, June 22, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Lassie S. Copley, 82, of Crum, West Virginia, died Tuesday, June 15. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 17, under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Blanche Castle Stewart, 79, of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Martin County's Calf Creek area, died May 27. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, May 29, under the direction of Jerry Spears Funeral Home.

Cora Lee Mollett, 90, of Tomahawk, died Tuesday, June 22. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 24, with burial in the Mallett Family Cemetery, Tomahawk.

## Pike County

Trimble Ratliff, 93, of Pikeville, died Friday, June 18. He was a retired foreman, formerly employed by Columbia Gas. Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 21, under the direction of the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Faye Reynolds, 75, of Pikeville, died Friday, June 18. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 20, under the direction of the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

William "Ted" Barrowman, 74, of Titusville, Florida, formerly of Shelbiana, died Tuesday, June 15. Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 21, under the direction of the North Brevard Funeral Home.

Lula Bates, 89, of Indian Creek, Virgie, died Wednesday, June 16. Funeral services were conducted

Saturday, June 19, under the direction of the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Pluma Compton Coleman, 84, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, June 15. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 18, under the direction of the Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Ricky Aaron Hopkins, eight-month-old son of Ricky Allan and Angie Richardson Hopkins, died Wednesday, June 16. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 20, under direction of Thacker Memorial Chapel.

William Allen Lovern, 40, of McAndrews, died Tuesday, June 15. He was a disabled coal miner. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 18, under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

Mary Louise Stephens, 78, of Riverview, Florida, formerly of Pikeville, died Tuesday, June 15. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 19, under the direction of the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Lonza Thomas, 85, of Turkey Creek, died Wednesday, June 16. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Polly Burgett Thomas. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 19, under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Calendar items will be printed as space permits**

Editor's note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, The Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will post meeting and public service announcements. Articles for the Community Calendar must be submitted in writing to The Times no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication or 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

**Family reunion**  
 The Lem, Baby, Gayheart and Parthena Newsome Gayheart Family Reunion will be held at Patoker Branch, Morgan County, June 26, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Bring covered dish.

## OBITUARIES

**Frank J. Jones**  
 Frank J. Jones, 67, of Wayland, died Tuesday, June 22, 1999, at the Jenkins Community Hospital. He was born May 12, 1931, in Lackey, the son of the late Wiley Jones and Ellen Slusher Jones. Survivors include one brother, Jackie Jones of Pontiac, Michigan, and one sister, Lanie Terry of Wayland. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 22, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in the Chandler Cemetery, Lackey, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

**Lynn Williams**  
 Lynn Robinette Williams, 75, of Ashland, died Sunday, June 20, 1999, in Fort Thomas. She was born January 5, 1924, at Betsy Layne, a daughter of the late Arnold and Forest Love Akers Robinette. Her husband, Willie W. Williams, preceded her in death. She was a member of Holy Family Church. Surviving are a son, Joel L. Williams of Cincinnati, Ohio; a daughter, Jennifer Depompei of Villa Hills; a brother, Rudy Robinette of Banner; a sister, Loretta Conn of Banner; and three grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, June 23, at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Ashland, by the Rev. John Wordeman. Burial was in Rose Hill Burial Park, Ashland. Arrangements were under direction of Neal Funeral Home, Ashland.

**4-H camp is July 19-23**  
 Floyd County 4-H'ers will be camping this year, July 19-23, at the Diederich 4-H Camp in Rush. For more information, contact the Floyd County Extension Office at 886-2668.

**Lewis family reunion**  
 Relatives and friends of Jack Lewis are encouraged to a reunion, July 3, at the Stumbo Park in Allen. It will be held at the picnic shelter at the walking track, starting at 10 a.m. For more information, call 874-0591.

**Allen Central High School SBDM meeting**  
 Allen Central High School regular scheduled SBDM meeting will be held July 6, at 6 p.m. in the

school library. It's open to the public.

**Griefworks training**  
 The Floyd County Extension Service will hold a Griefworks In-service training for interested individuals in the community. The date for this program is June 29, from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. The cost for the training is \$5.00. Pre-registration is required by June 25. Call 886-2668 for further information.

**Patton-Graham reunion**  
 The descendants of James Patton and Florence Graham are having a reunion at the Stumbo Park Allen Convention Center, on June 27, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Bring a covered dish and soft drinks. If you have any questions, call 606-285-9527 or 285-9165.

**Fire works display**  
 The City of Prestonsburg will present the Fourth of July Fireworks Display on Saturday, July 3rd at about 10 p.m. The Kentucky Opry will be performing at the Mountain Arts Center on Saturday, July 3, prior to the display.

**Retired teachers meet**  
 The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association will meet in regular session Thursday, July 1, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. Registration will start at 10 a.m. All Floyd County retired teachers are urged to attend.

**Conley family reunion**  
 The Conley family reunion will be held July 4th at the Salt Lick Home of Bessie Conley. For information, call 606-358-9608 or 606-358-9444.



Prestonsburg 4-H and TAG students participated in Leadership Challenge at the Jenny Wiley Theatre in May.

## Local youths in community get involved at JW Theatre

Local youths in Prestonsburg involved in 4-H and the Talented and Gifted (TAG) program volunteered their time at Jenny Wiley Theatre (JWT) on Friday, May 21, to help clean up and prepare the theater for the 1999 summer season. The two groups have worked together on numerous occasions under the umbrella title of Leadership Challenge. The members include all 7th, 8th and 9th graders who have been identified as leaders by their peers. Floyd County 4-H agent, Chuck Stamper, and TAG consultant, Pat Barnett, said these potential com-

munity leaders do one service project a year as a group, and hope to make this event an annual one. The 30 students who helped at JWT planted flowers, picked up trash, trimmed shrubbery and gave the theater an overall cleaning. Assisting the students with the work were Prestonsburg city employees David Crisp and Johnna Lawson, who brought the flowers

that the city of Prestonsburg had donated for the event. "We really appreciate all the hard work of the 4-H students, TAG students and employees of Prestonsburg. Their work really helped Jenny Wiley Theatre come to life for the 1999 season," Jenny Wiley Theatre CEO Carla Coburn said.

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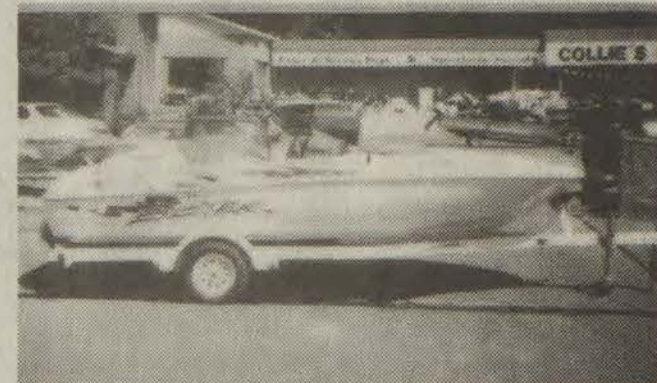
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Postmaster Rhonda Meade was at work bright and early Monday to await her first customer at the new McDowell Post Office on KY 122. Meade says the new office is able to better serve the customers in the McDowell area.  
 (photos by Willie Elliott)



**Parked cars deathtrap for kids**

Children should never be left alone inside a vehicle. This is especially important during hot weather when temperatures inside a parked car can soar to deadly levels in minutes.

Cracking a window does nothing to protect children from heat stroke and suffocation, said Darlene Goodrich, coordinator of the Kentucky Safe Kids Coalition, sponsored by the Cabinet for Health Services.

When the outside temperature is 93 degrees, and your window is down one and a half inches, the temperature inside your car can still reach 125 degrees in just 20 minutes, and about 140 degrees in 40 minutes, she said. Those temperatures can kill children, pets or anyone who can't exit a car on their own.

Parents and other caretakers should also make sure children don't have access to car keys and aren't allowed to play in and around cars.

Last summer in the U.S., 11 children died when they were trapped in the trunks of unattended vehicles. These young victims, ages six and under, perished in three separate incidents when they climbed into their family car trunks and were unable to escape.

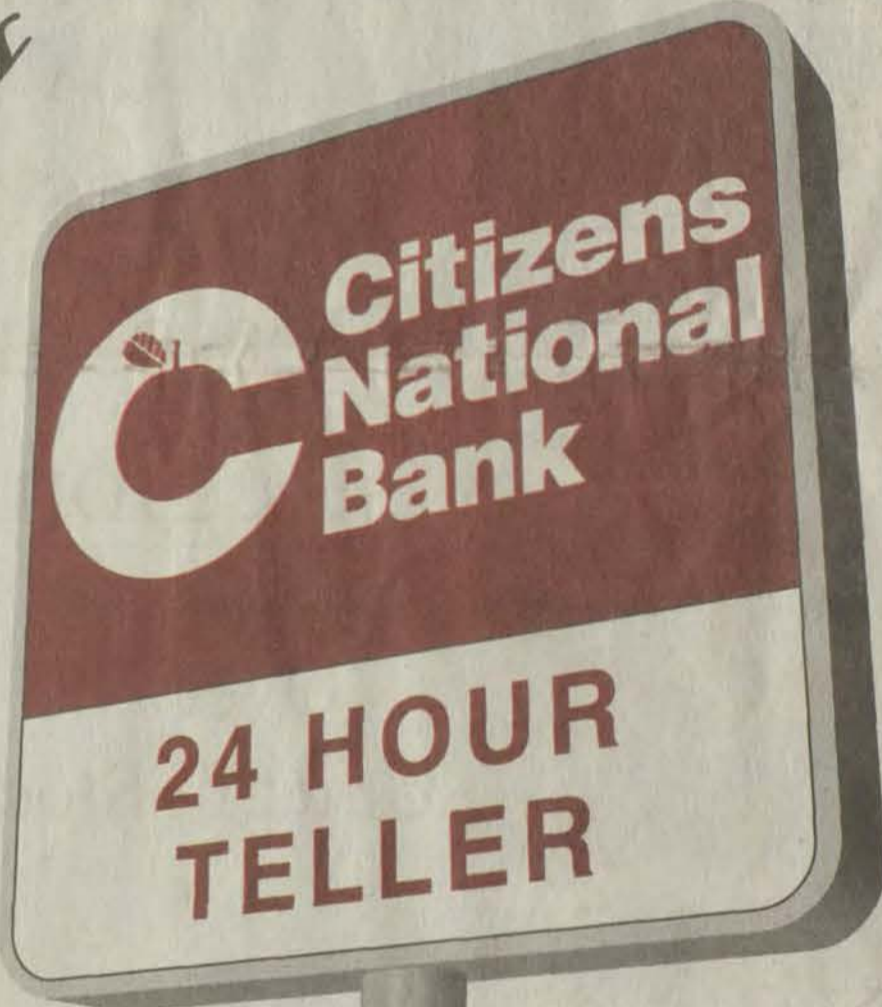
Here are some safety rules:

- Never leave your child in the car, even with the windows down.
- If your child gets locked in a car, call 911 or your local emergency number immediately.
- Avoid burning your child by feeling the car seat and seatbelt buckles before buckling him or her in.
- Guard against a child getting trapped in the trunk by taking these precautions:
- Keep car doors and the trunk locked when parked at home or near where children play.
- Keep rear fold-down seats closed to help prevent kids from getting into the trunk from inside the car.
- Put car keys out of children's sight and reach.
- Be wary of child-resistant locks. Teach children how to get out of the car in an emergency.
- Contact your dealership about getting your vehicle retrofitted with a trunk release mechanism.

A free copy of a new educational guide, "Trunks Are for Elephants. Not for Kids," created by the National Safe Kids Campaign and General Motors, is available by writing the National Safe Kids Campaign, 1301 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20004, or calling 1-202-662-0600.

More information on this and other child safety issues is also available online at the National Safe Kids web site. The address is <http://www.safekids.org/home.htm>

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- CAMERA** - Phyllis Robinson, Langley - Garrett Branch
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# FLOYD COUNTY Sports

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## Layne's hot bat leads Astros past Cubs

### Astros complete season with unbeaten record



Steve Chaffins won his 14th game of the season for the Allen Astros by posting a 12-0 win over the Ivel Reds in the championship game of the Harold-Allen-Prater Little League tournament at the Allen Park. (photo by Ed Taylor)

#### Big night for Layne

Tyler Layne collected four hits and drove in three runs to help the Allen Astros 9-10 years old Little League team to a 15-5 win over the Mud Creek Cubs in the finals of the HAP tournament Tuesday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Coach Mike Ferrell and the Allen Astros 9-10 years old Little League team put the finishing touches on a perfect season with a 15-5 mercy win over the Mud Creek Cubs in the championship game of the Harold-Allen-Prater Little League tournament.

Tyler Layne provided the bat power while Scott Little tossed a two-hitter in securing the win. Little had eight strikeouts in getting the win. He allowed five runs on just the two hits.

Coby Hayes suffered the setback for the Cubs in going four innings. He allowed all 15 runs on 11 hits. He fanned four batters.

Layne blasted two home runs

in collecting four hits and driving in three runs. James Lafferty and Clayton Jamerson each had two hits in the win.

Cody Howell and Ben Myers had the two hits for the Cubs.

The Astros scored twice in the bottom of the fourth inning to make it a 10-run game in a mercy win over the Cubs. Layne hit his second home run of the game in the fourth with one out, a solo shot to right field. With two out, Lafferty walked, stole second and third before scoring on Jamerson's RBI single.

The Astros took a 3-0 lead after batting in the bottom of the first. Layne homered with Nick Johnson on base for two runs and Lafferty doubled and scored an unearned run.

The Cubs' lone lead came in

the top of the first when they scored four times against Little to take a 4-3 lead. Little walked the first two batters he faced, and Myers singled in both runners. Myers scored on Howell's two-out triple.

The Astros struck for three runs in their half of the second inning to move in front 6-4. Johnson had a lead-off walk, and Layne singled behind him scoring Johnson. Little walked and stole second, third and home.

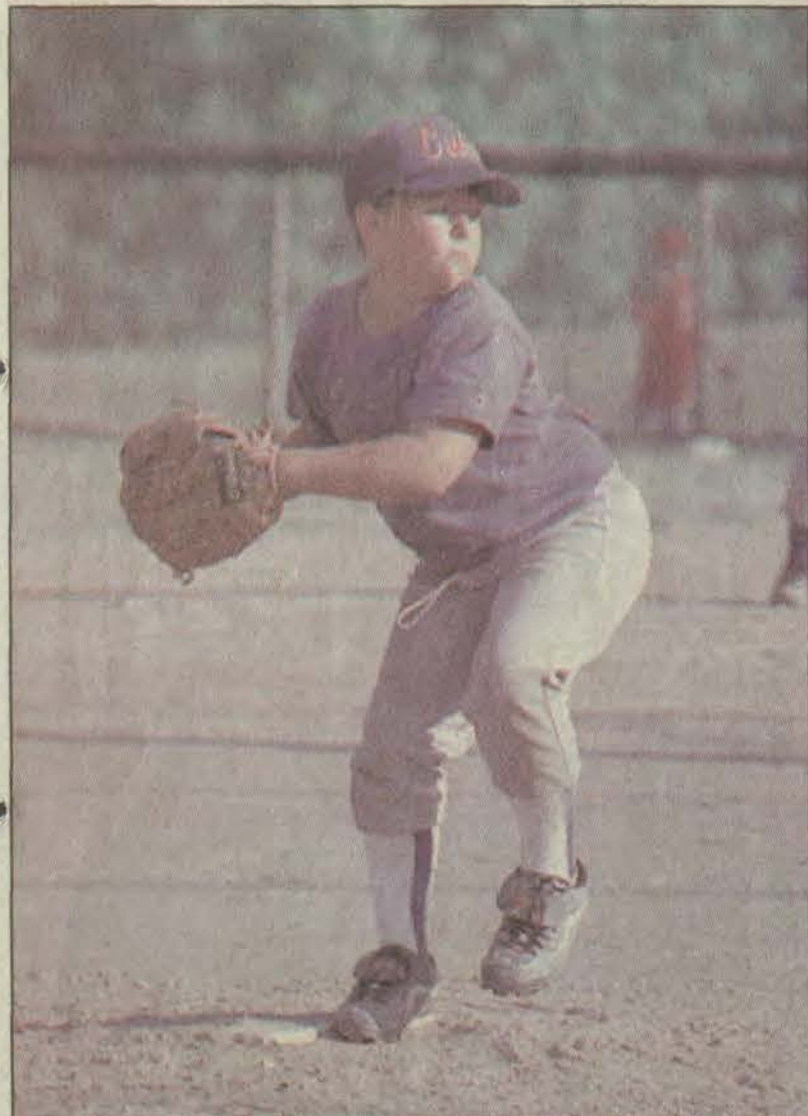
The Cubs made it a 6-5 game with a single run in the top of the third. Coley Tackett led off the inning reaching on an error. He scored on a throwing error by the Astros catcher.

A seven run third for Allen made it a 13-5 game. Eleven batters went to the plate for the Astros in the third. Layne doubled in two runs in the inning. Little singled and Lafferty had a bases-clearing triple. Jamerson

collected his second hit in the frame. Shane Kinzer had an RBI single.

Little retired the Cubs in order in the fourth inning, although Jordan Jarrell walked with one out. Layne, Astros' catcher, threw out Jarrell in a steal attempt. Little then got Eric Rice on strikes to end the game.

The Astros completed a 16-0 season and were also the league champions for the regular season.



#### The pitch

The Harold-Allen-Prater Little League night their tournament finals at the Allen Park this past Monday night with the Astros winning 15-5 in the 9-10 years old division. The Astros defeated the Cubs in the finals. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Allen Astros, league and tournament champions

## Astros pile up the victories

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Allen Astros pulled off yet another victory just to add to a long list of regular season victories as they knocked off the Ivel Reds in the final game of the Harold-Allen-Prater Little League, involving the 11-12 year olds.

The two teams met this past

Monday at the Allen Park with the Astros posting a 12-0 win to repeat as tournament champions.

Steve Chaffins pitched shutout baseball allowing the Reds just one hit while striking out eight. The Astros collected 11 hits in the game off losing pitcher Adam Roberts. Buddy Conn and Nathan Lafferty collected three hits apiece in the win. Chaffins added two hits.

Conn had a single, double and triple to the game. Lafferty had two doubles and a single.

Roberts, the Reds' lead-off man, had the lone Reds' hit and that came in the third inning. Chaffins had retired six straight until Roberts singled with two out in the third.

The Astros plated six runs in

(See Astros, page three)

#### A Look At Sports

### A whole new issue



Ed Taylor

Watch out here it comes! Another sports issue in the Floyd County Times — this time it will be the Sunday issue.

That's right, another edition of the Times and we here are excited about the new issue.

The sports section will get bigger and better as we look to incorporate more sports items into the pages.

We will have feature stories you normally would not find in the Wednesday and Friday issues. Columns by Jason Blanton dealing with the "College Scene" will also be included in the sports lineup.

Rick Bentley will give us a "Regional Outlook" and veteran angler Tee Watkins will keep us up to date on what is happening in the fishing world. Archery news, along with the Fish and Game Clubs in the county, will grace the sports section.

We will look at upcoming events around the region and we think you will like the inside of the front page that will be loaded with regional, state and county information.

Randy Reno has joined our sports staff here at the Times, and he offers some much-needed help.

Also inserted into the new Sunday edition will be an expansion of the Sports Plus we have been running on Fridays. In Sports Plus, we'll profile events and give an inside look at happenings around the region as well. Other stories may be humorous or just highlight an accomplishment by one our own athletes.

We promise to make it exciting and interesting. I welcome any suggestions you may have as to what you would like to see in it.

Of course, the traditional Wednesday and Friday paper will be there with some new additions. So, the sports department is changing and for the better.

We want to cover the grade school football season like a blanket and report all the regional games as well in the Big Sandy Conference. We are looking forward to the girls' volleyball season, and the football schedule that lies just ahead. Now we will have Friday night games in Sunday editions.

I saw former Betsy Layne coach Tim Rice and he had been offered a job at another state school but turned the offer down. He also had been down to Florida looking.

Tim has been a good friend down through the years, and I wish him the best.

The Little League, Senior League and Babe Ruth all-star tournaments begin the first of July. There is still plenty of good baseball left.

I will be in Lexington this weekend after undergoing some eye surgery on Thursday. But, hopefully, I will be back at the desk next week getting ready for Sunday's paper.

Until Wednesday, good sports everyone and be good sports! Take the kids to Sunday School and church this Sunday.



201 SPEEDWAY

# Lemaster takes checkered in Late Models

by Chris Belcher  
Track Writer

With temperatures a little more comfortable last Saturday night, stock car racing at 201 Speedway got off on a perfect night in front of a packed hillside crowd.

The first feature race of the evening brought out the Bombers. West Liberty's Scott Pennington held off the challenge from several drivers and survived to take the checkered flag and the feature race.

There was a lot of exchange of sheet metal from other drivers, but Pennington took the early lead through the first two turns. Over the first five laps of the feature,

the best battle on the track was for second place between defending Bomber champion Bannie Blair and Doug Saylor. The two completed several circuits side-by-side with neither able to gain much of an advantage until the fifth lap.

Blair shot to the outside of Saylor exiting turn four. Then, Saylor's car went up the hill, enough to get into the side of Blair and sending him hard into the frontstretch wall, eliminating him from the rest of the race.

Saylor's ride would also have to make the left turn into the pits with a left rear flat. Laps later, Pennington's challenger from lap six to nine was fellow West

Liberty driver Keith Potter. Mechanical problems put Potter in the pits on the 10th lap. Pennington led the rest of the race taking the checkered flag.

In the Super Bomber feature, Jason Dempsey posted his first victory of the race season by taking the checkered flag and a trip to the winner's circle.

Dempsey was at the point when the green flag fell, but by the second lap Mike Osborne Jr. overtook Dempsey at the point. The real battle was son against father as Osborne Sr. challenged Junior. Junior made the outside line work well as Senior used the lower line through the corners but couldn't get it done.

While the Osbornes were battling, Dempsey entered the picture as he fought back and overtook second place Senior on the sixth lap. Once in the second spot, Dempsey set his sights on Junior. He gained the point on the next lap and was never headed.

When the green flag fell on the Late Model feature, it appeared early that the track record holder, David Powers, would drive away from any challenge. As the laps clicked off, Jim Lemaster evidently chose the right tire setup as his Rayburn chassis had trouble keeping the inside line, pushing up the banking during the opening circuits while Powers managed to

drive a smooth line off the corners, and quickly put almost a full straight away by the seventh lap.

Yet as the race went on, Powers' tires appeared to go away and Lemaster came in as he chomped away at Powers' lead, gaining ground in the last two corners and finally taking the lead away from Powers on the 14th lap.

From there to the finish, Lemaster managed to keep his machine down low in the corners while Powers went up the banking in the turns and fell back.

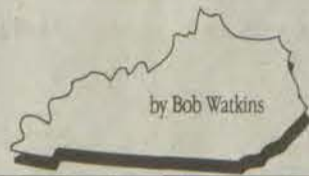
When the checkered flag fell, it would be Lemaster collecting his second win of the season. Powers took second and Glenn Patton finished third.

Nathan Grim had all four-cylinders clicking as he rounded the oval track and went all the way to the checkered in winning the four-cylinder feature.

When the white flag came out, Jack Clevenger Jr. used lapped traffic to cut into the lead Grim had established. Grim pushed his No. 3 car, spun out in turn four but was able to right himself and cross the finish line ahead of Clevenger.

The final feature of the evening was the Road Hogs. Ronnie Conley used a power move that netted him the lead and his second feature win in as many weeks.

## SPORTS IN KENTUCKY



### 24 reasons why love those Wildcats has no seasonal bounds

Monday was the first day of summer, yet no matter the time of year, fans adore University of Kentucky basketball. A few days on the road around the Commonwealth recently produced reminders enough.

Here is a capsule of 24 Reasons Why love for the Wildcats is a theme that knows no seasonal bounds. I invite you to share your list. Here's mine.

1. Games. Pregame media hype aside, UK-Louisville or Indiana, or Arkansas can be two hours of electricity, the very best college basketball has to offer.

2. A Kentucky Run. Stirring moments when the Wildcats go on a scoring tear, fans rise up like a tidal wave and Cawood Ledford used to say, It's bedlam, folks. Kentucky has run off 13 in a row ... and takes the lead!

3. Fans emotional surge of oneness during Kentucky runs is a classic phenomena to behold, taking on a life of its own, often sweeping away shaken opponents.

4. Spanning more than half a century, all those 20 and 30-win seasons, SEC and NCAA championship memories.

5. Student-athlete who says ... "I love being a UK Wildcat, but I'm here to get an education."

6. Student-athlete who says ... "wearing this uniform is an honor and a privilege."

7. When a Kentucky kid signs with UK and remarks ... "I want to

do whatever it takes to help the team."

8. A player's name on the Dean's List.

9. UK Tickets became Christmas gifts from which memories were cherished for decades.

10. Tubby Smith.

11. Mrs. Tubby Smith. Keeps The Man from being infected with "Special" disease made contagious by LHRS (Lexington high roller schmoozers).

12. Tributes. Former Wildcat stars asked back to center court, recognized during time-outs at Rupp Arena.

13. Retired game jerseys hanging in Rupp Arena's rafters.

14. Memorial Coliseum. Still a palace, although UK fans in the 1940s-60s did not harangue at officials as much as today. And opposing players were accorded respect and applause for good play. With no cordon ropes and army of K-Men, it was the last place where Wildcat fans were in touch with their young heroes.

15. Nicknames: Fabulous Five ... The Fiddlers ... Rupp's Runts.

16. Players called Goose, Horse, Minnie, Little Louie and Herky, Skywalker, Cotton, Shep, White Lightning and Moo. And stars so popular as to require first name only for instant recognition: Rex, Kyle, Winston, Travis, Dan, Wah, Jamal and Richie.

17. Personalities. Kentucky fans have enjoyed a plethora of colorful characters beginning with legendary coach Adolph Rupp and stretching on to last year's most quotable, Scott Padgett. In between? Fill in the blanks.

18. Wondering, whatever happened to (so many) ex-players. A good idea: Invite back Shelby Linville (scored the first ever hoop at the Coliseum), G.J. Smith, Johnny Brewer, Bennie Coffman, Larry Stamper, LaVon Williams, Charles Hurt, Larry Steele and Ronnie Lyons.

19. The 'Y' during second half time-outs.

20. Fans who call radio's Big Blue Line with a coaching tip. Wanting to coach the Wildcats is as much a part of UK's tradition as On, On UofK. A UK coach ought to be flattered when fans are so impassioned (and brazen) as to want to help.

21. Good memories of the best there ever was - Cawood Ledford and Claude Sullivan.

22. UK's national reputation. While stained in places along the way, and still poked by arrogance in some offices, UK basketball remains second to none as its all-time winningest record denotes.

23. Combos across the years: Ramsey-Hagan-Tsioropoulos ...

Beck-to-Crigler-to-Cox ...

Kron-to-Conley-to-Dampier ...

Pratt-to-Casey-to-Issel ...

Minniefield-to-Hurt-to-Turpin ...

Feldhaus-to-Pelphrey-to-Hanson. And, Turner-to-Evans-to-Padgett. On and on.

24. Fan lists of all-time favorite players, in order and why.

25. People's Choice. From Brad Bounds (1966) to G.J. Smith, (1975) and James Lee (1978) to senior-to-be Steve

(See Sports, page three)



## SPORTS FAN OF THE WEEK

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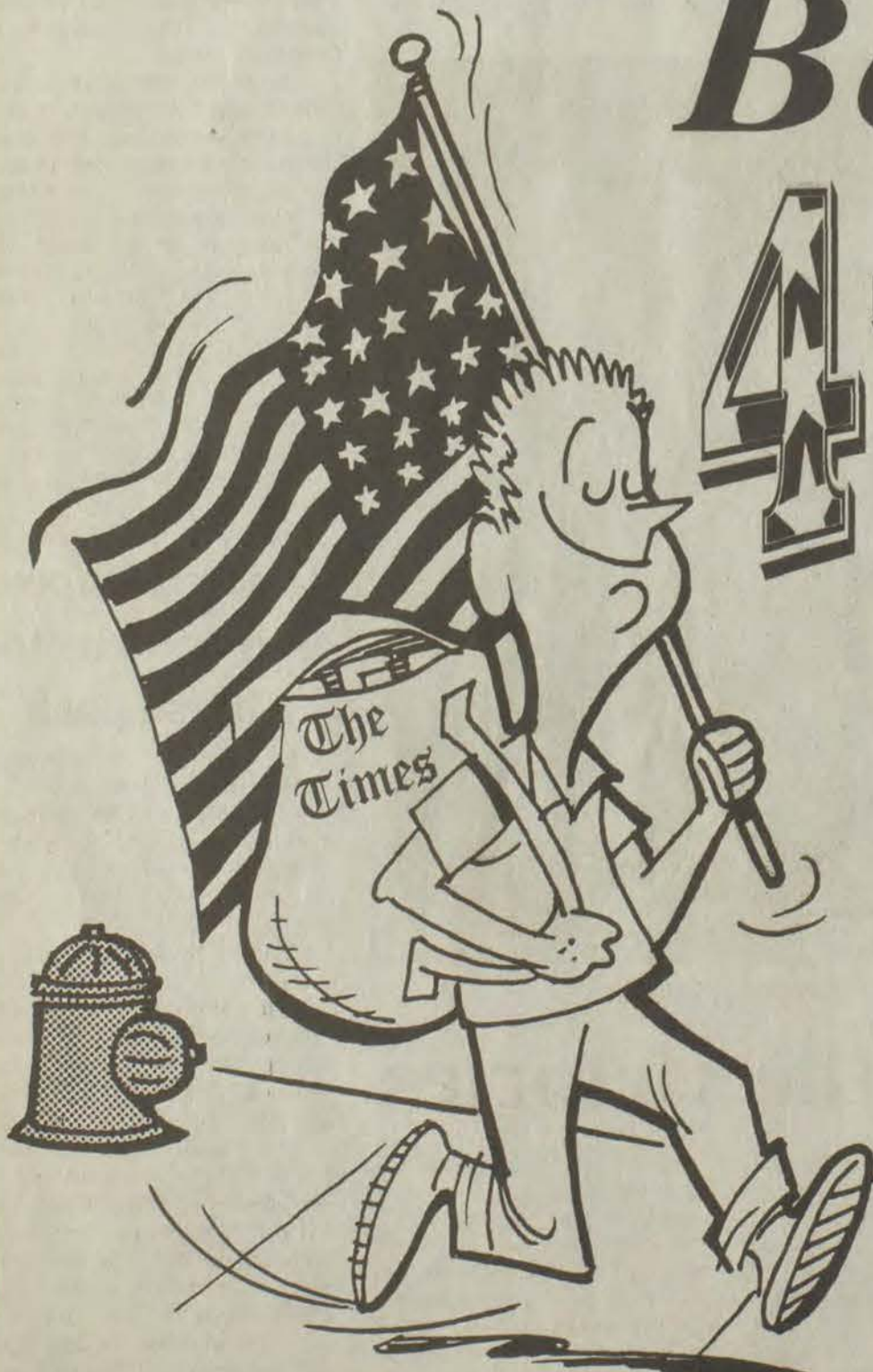


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# Sports

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### READERS (RIGHT) WRITE

✓ About declaring college freshman males ineligible for varsity play...

Tom Fowler, Russell Springs (E-Mail): "I have to disagree with (your) freshman ineligibility thought. We need to go back to the old four year scholarships with one stipulation. That being, if he turns pro anytime before his four years is up, then he pays the college back every cent they have invested in him. Including all the money spent on his recruitment."

✓ About Ballard High junior-to-be Brandon Bender's high school eligibility if he announces for the NBA before his senior year of high school...

Chris George, Princeton (E-Mail): "If (Bender) does declare for the draft after his junior season, will he lose his remaining high school eligibility with the KHSAA or the right to go to a

prep school like Oak Hill and play? And part two of that question: Does he also lose his college eligibility, because once a high school senior declares he can no longer play college ball (Ronnie Fields, Chicago Farragut being an example)."

COMMENT: Bender would be breaking new ground, but under current NCAA and presumably KHSAA rules unless he hires an agent, he remains an amateur thus preserving his eligibility as long as he is in good academic standing.

### BITS 'N PEOPLE

• One of the few differences in Sports Illustrated's Shame issue on UK basketball 1988 and one done June 14 on sprawling corruption at University of Minnesota involving coach Clem Haskins, was Andre Agassi won the French Open and thus earned the magazine's cover.

• Best player in basketball today? Tim Duncan. A college 4-year man.

• Phil Jackson took the LA Lakers coaching job last week. Prediction: In two years not-so-likable Kobe Bryant will be the boy wonder he was projected to be by national media herd and athletic clothing magnates by 2001 or he will be gone.

### IDEAS DEPT.

Bob Knight's analogy on Mickey Mouse and the Monroe County prosecutor's office aside, isn't the time perfect for IU's coach to get out of college hoops and get into television? I was thinking the other day now much I miss Howard Cosell's candor. Yo, ESPN and ABC-Sports, dump the bald motor-mouth, hire Knight and watch viewer ratings numbers sky rocket.

### CHEERS 'N JEERS

CHEERS. Paul Byrd. The Philadelphia Phillies pitcher is 10-3. A Louisville St. Xavier graduate, Byrd is a virtual shoo-in selection to the NL all-stars.

JEERS. WHAS-TV Sports. In reporting Bob Knight's latest "grab and choke" episode, the Louisville station saw fit to back its report with re-run not once, but twice, Knight tossing a chair across the floor in Bloomington

## Astros

(Continued from page one)

the bottom of the first inning to take a 6-0 advantage. Matt Johnson started the rally with a lead-off triple and scored on Conn's two-base hit. Chaffins singled, sending Conn to third.

Both runners came home on Lafferty's two runs single. Josh Clark had a base hit in the inning that plated a run.

Chaffins only allowed three Reds' base runners in the game and two of those were by walks. He walked Derrick Case, leading off the fourth, but struck out the next three to end the inning.

The Astros added a run in the second and five in the third.

Conn tripled to start the Astros' second, and he scored on Chaffins' second hit of the game. Lafferty had a double in the inning but was left stranded.

In the third, the Astros struck for five runs in sending 10 batters to the plate. Conn tripled home a run,

more than a decade ago.

### BOB KNIGHT

Say what you will about Bob Knight, but isn't it intriguing the frequency with which so many high profile people come to the Indiana coach's defense when trouble strikes?

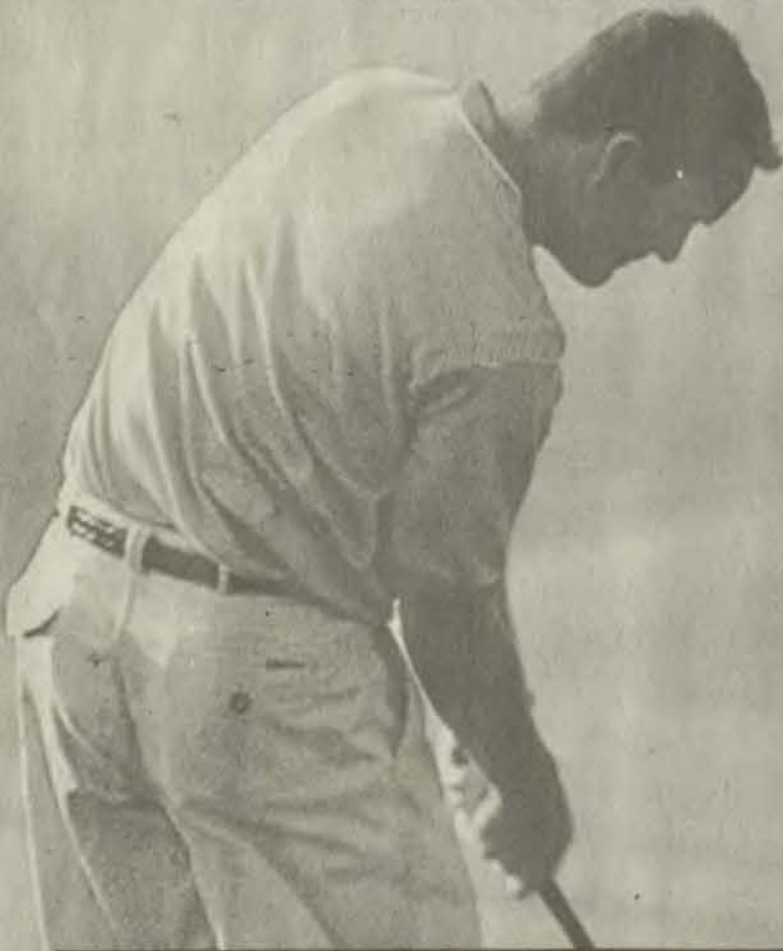
Here's one reason why: Former Ohio State coach Fred Taylor, who coached Knight, is in a wheelchair at a Hilliard, OH, nursing home since suffering a brain aneurysm three years ago. According to Sports Illustrated, Knight often drives the 220 miles to the nursing home with gifts for Taylor. He tells staff at Mill Run Care Center: "I'll get all over you people if you don't give my coach the best care you can possibly give him."

And so it goes. Point of view you would like to share? Write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky, P.O. Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740, or e-mail [prtsinky@aol.com](mailto:prtsinky@aol.com)

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## Breyerfest celebrates anniversary

BreyerFest '99 will be the most memorable celebration of the famed model horses yet as the festival returns to the Kentucky Horse Park to commemorate their 10th anniversary July 30 through August 1.

The annual model horse convention, sponsored by Breyer Animal Creations, is the largest of its kind in the world. With live horse demonstrations, workshops and seminars on collecting models, hayrides, cookouts, and raffles, BreyerFest offers fun for the whole family.

Tickets to the event are \$60 and \$50 for children 7-12. This price includes admission to the Kentucky Horse Park for the entire weekend, complimentary meals and activities, a seat at the benefit auction, and the Molokai model horse.

The 1999 BreyerFest will be highlighted by a guest appearance from champion three-day equestrian Molokai, this year's BreyerFest Celebration Horse.

Owner and rider, Dorothy Crowell said, "To be named the BreyerFest Horse at the Kentucky Horse Park, his home turf, in the year of his retirement, is an honor and a perfect way for him to leave his hoof print on the history of horses in sport." The Zippo Pine Bar model and Wahoo King will also debut at this event.

The Kentucky Horse Park is open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. and admission is \$9.95 for adults, \$4.95 for children ages 7-12, and children six and under are free. The Park is located off Interstate 75 at exit 120, Lexington.

## Hunter/Jumper show returns to the horse park

The Robert Murphy Hunter/Jumper Show will be held at the Kentucky Horse Park July 8 through July 12th. This is a B-rated show sponsored by the Robert Murphy Stables of Lexington.

Riders from Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, West Virginia, Ohio and Michigan will compete in 114 classes ranging from beginner to advanced. This show will feature more hunter type classes where the rider's equitation and ability to communicate with their horse are tested. There will also be some jumper competitions to keep the spectators on the edge of their seats as they witness horses clearing jumps as tall as the average person. For more information, please contact Mr. Robert Murphy at (606) 255-3422.



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## 1999 POINTS STANDINGS

WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK
1. Dale Jarrett, 2,344	Dale Earnhardt Jr., 2,264	Jack Sprague, 1,680
2. Bobby Labonte, 2,255	Matt Kenseth, 2,200	Stacy Compton, 1,664
3. Jeff Burton, 2,158	Jeff Green, 2,106	Ron Hornaday, 1,600
4. Mark Martin, 2,153	Elton Sawyer, 1,960	Andy Houston, 1,592
5. Jeff Gordon, 1,995	Todd Bodine, 1,903	Greg Biffle, 1,578
6. Tony Stewart, 1,993	Jason Keller, 1,850	Dennis Setzer, 1,563
7. Dale Earnhardt, 1,869	Jeff Purvis, 1,845	Jay Sauter, 1,505
8. Ward Burton, 1,819	Mike McLaughlin, 1,676	Mike Wallace, 1,480
9. Jeremy Mayfield, 1,784	Dave Blaney, 1,640	Kevin Harvick, 1,437
10. Terry Labonte, 1,758	Casey Atwood, 1,640	Mike Bliss, 1,424

## TOP TEN

■ Weekly rankings by NASCAR This Week writer Monte Dutton. Last week's ranking is in parentheses.

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|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. (2) <b>Bobby Labonte</b>    | Three races, two wins |
| 2. (1) <b>Dale Jarrett</b>     | Third isn't bad       |
| 3. (5) <b>Jeff Gordon</b>      | Back on track         |
| 4. (3) <b>Jeff Burton</b>      | Early Pocono crash    |
| 5. (5) <b>Mark Martin</b>      | Always solid          |
| 6. (6) <b>Tony Stewart</b>     | Consistently fast     |
| 7. (8) <b>Dale Earnhardt</b>   | Starting to rustle    |
| 8. (7) <b>Rusty Wallace</b>    | Blowouts hurt         |
| 9. (10) <b>Ward Burton</b>     | Late casualty         |
| 10. (—) <b>Sterling Marlin</b> | A pole and a fourth   |

## 1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

June 27	Sears Point Raceway	Sonoma, Calif.
July 3	Daytona International Speedway	Daytona Beach, Fla.
July 11	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
July 25	Pocono Raceway	Long Pond, Pa.
Aug. 7	Indianapolis Motor Speedway	Speedway, Ind.
Aug. 15	Watkins Glen International	Watkins Glen, N.Y.
Aug. 22	Michigan Speedway	Brooklyn, Mich.
Aug. 28	Bristol Motor Speedway	Bristol, Tenn.
Sept. 5	Darlington Raceway	Darlington, S.C.
Sept. 11	Richmond International Raceway	Richmond, Va.
Sept. 19	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
Sept. 26	Dover Downs International Speedway	Dover, Del.
Oct. 3	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
Oct. 10	Charlotte Motor Speedway	Concord, N.C.
Oct. 17	Talladega Superspeedway	Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 24	North Carolina Speedway	Rockingham, N.C.
Nov. 7	Phoenix International Raceway	Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 14	Miami-Dade Homestead Motorsports Complex	Homestead, Fla.
Nov. 21	Atlanta Motor Speedway	Hampton, Ga.

## FROM LAST WEEK

### WINSTON CUP SERIES

In an unusually lively race for Pocono, Bobby Labonte took the lead from Jimmy Spencer (who faded to 14th) and captured his first career victory at the track and second in his last three starts.

Trailing Labonte across the line, in order, were Jeff Gordon, Dale Jarrett, pole winner Sterling Marlin, Mark Martin, Tony Stewart and Dale Earnhardt.

It was the third victory of the season for a Pontiac.

### CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES

In a first-time appearance on a road course, Roush Racing teammates Greg Biffle and Mike Bliss finished 1-2 at Portland, Ore.

Jack Sprague took a 16-point lead over Stacy Compton in the season standings. But both Compton and Ron Hornaday crashed, and Sprague had to replace a faulty clutch.

## FEUD OF THE WEEK

### Michael Waltrip vs. Bill Elliott

An inadvertent tap from Elliott sent Michael Waltrip into the wall and out of the Pocono 500. "Whoever was behind me ran over me wide open. He couldn't have hit me any harder," fumed Waltrip.

#### NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his opinion:

"Elliott's reputation is almost spotless, and he seldom wrecks anyone. One wonders, had Waltrip known it was Elliott when he made his remarks, if he would have said them."

## Who's Hot... Who's Not

■ **HOT:** Bobby Labonte, seven straight top-10 finishes.

■ **NOT:** Geoff Bodine, 13 straight finishes of 15th or worse.

## ON THE SCHEDULE

### WINSTON CUP SERIES

**Coming up:** Save Mart/Kragen 350

**Where:** Sears Point Raceway, Sonoma, Calif. (1.95-mile track), 112 laps/218.5 miles

**When:** Sunday, June 27

**Defending champion:** Jeff Gordon

**Qualifying Record:** Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 98,711 mph,

June 26, 1998

**Race record:** Ernie Ivan, Chevrolet, 81.413 mph, June 7, 1992

### BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL

**Coming up:** Lysol 200  
**Where:** Watkins Glen (N.Y.) International (2.45-mile track), 82 laps/200.9 miles

**When:** Sunday, June 27

**Defending champion:** Ron

Fellows

**Qualifying record:** Boris Said, Chevrolet, 117.675 mph, June 27, 1998

**Race record:** Terry Labonte, Chevrolet, 84.186 mph, June 30, 1996

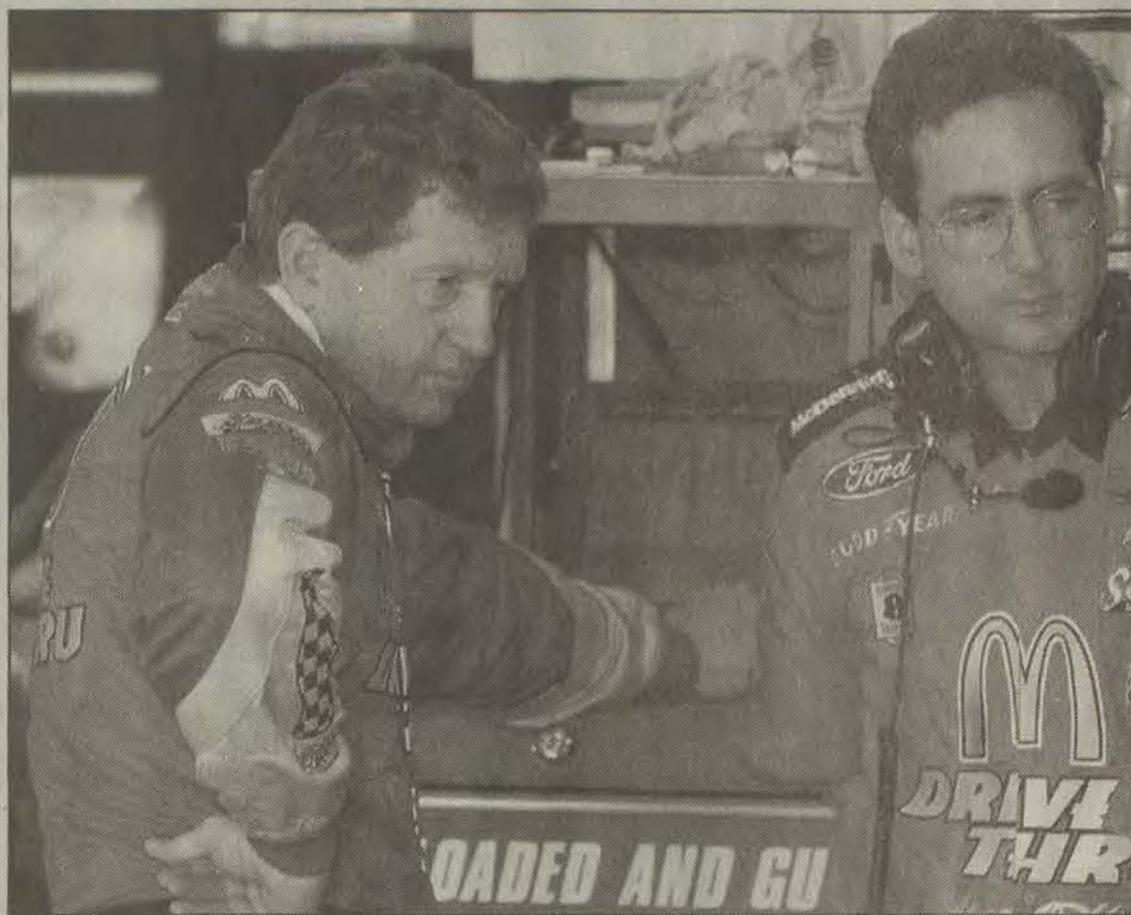
### CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES

**Coming up:** Bully Hill Vineyards 150

**Where:** Watkins Glen (N.Y.)

## PROFILE

# Bill Elliott



John Clark/NASCAR This Week

**Bill Elliott, left, has 40 wins in his 572 starts.**

**By Monte Dutton**  
NASCAR This Week

Bill Elliott, once one of NASCAR's dominant drivers, is struggling to get the team he owns back up to the front of the pack.

One thing Elliott has never lost is the support of his fans. Despite the fact that his most recent win occurred in September 1994, last year Elliott won NASCAR's Most Popular Driver fan balloting for a record 13th time.

**AGE:** 43  
**HOMETOWN:** Born in Cumming, Ga., raised in Dawsonville, Ga., lives in Blairsville, Ga.

**WIFE:** Cindy  
**CHILDREN:** Starr (21), Brittany (7), Chase (3)  
**CAR:** No. 94 McDonald's Ford Taurus, owned by Elliott

**RECORD:** 572 starts, 40 wins, 49 poles, 151 top-five finishes, 277 top-10s, more than \$20 million in career earnings

**FIRSTS:** Start (Feb. 29, 1976, at Rockingham), pole (April 10, 1981, at Darlington), win (Nov. 20, 1983, at Riverside, Calif.)

**DO YOU FEEL YOUR TEAM IS MAKING PROGRESS?** "I had someone say to me the

other night that it looked like we weren't running too well. I said that I thought we had been running pretty good. The competition level has probably gone up three or four notches, even in the past six months to a year. We get better and the competition gets a little better. You've just got to keep hammering it out."

**HAVE YOU GOTTEN MORE COMPETITIVE IN THE LAST FEW RACES?** "It seems like things have come together very well the last several races. I think the biggest thing we've kind of struggled through is it seems like sometimes during a race we've had an off run. I think that's just everybody getting together and knowing what everyone needs to do. I just feel like things are coming together real well. I'm very pleased with what Wayne (Orme, new crew chief) has been doing. It seems like Eddie (D'Hondt, team manager) and all the guys have really pulled together with all the adversity we've faced the last several months and have turned things around for me."

**DO YOU HAVE THE FEELING THAT YOU CAN WIN AGAIN?** "Absolutely. The thing we've got to look at is as good as (Jeff) Gordon and several other people have gotten, they tend to overshadow you a little bit when you do your best."

## Trackside Trivia

1. How many second-place finishes did Sterling Marlin have before he won his first Winston Cup race?
2. What international star won the 1967 Daytona 500?
3. What make of car won the first road race in NASCAR history?

ANSWERS  
1. Nine; 2. Mario Andretti; 3. Jaguar.

## Your Turn

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,

You reported that "Terry Labonte won the closest race in (Busch) series history, edging Joe Nemechek by an estimated 2.35 inches (.002 of a second)."

I question the 2.35 inches.

Arlan DeKock  
Rolla, Mo.

Your enclosed mathematical estimate (figuring the margin as 6,688 inches) appears correct to us. The figure cited was disseminated, apparently wrongly, by press-box officials.

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Dear NASCAR This Week,

As a teen-ager, I am able to get a scholarship in any sport I choose to do well in. Except NASCAR. Can you tell us if there are any racing schools that enable someone to enter the various NASCAR racing leagues? Is there a given set of rules governing potential race drivers?

There are a few million of us who can drive just as well as the current racers.

Mike Clark  
Athens, Tenn.

Racing schools exist, but none that guarantee a person a ride in any series. We sympathize with your plight but do not believe there are millions of people out there "who can drive just as well as the current racers." If you, or anyone else, really can drive that well, an influential person will notice.

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Dear NASCAR This Week,

Why is it all of a sudden this year, "Geoff Bodine" is now known as "Geoffrey Bodine"?

Karol Krause  
Lehigh, Pa.

Before the season Mr. Bodine said he would prefer to be called Geoffrey, not Geoff.

## Fan Tips

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## FROM THE ARCHIVES

■ Between 1958 and 1988 (when it closed), Riverside International Raceway, the great Southern California road course, hosted 47 Winston Cup (originally Grand National) races. Dale Earnhardt earned the first pole of his career in 1979 there, and 1983 saw the 2.82-mile course host the first career victories of both Bill Elliott and Ricky Rudd.

## AROUND THE GARAGE

# McClure looking to expand his team

By Monte Dutton  
NASCAR This Week

LONG POND, Pa. -- Bobby Hamilton and Larry McClure have reluctantly accepted the fact that having a multicar team has become virtually a precondition for Winston Cup success.

The trick is getting a sponsor to facilitate expansion.

Car owner McClure hopes to have a second Chevrolet up and running by mid-July,

but until then, Hamilton and McClure's No. 4 Chevrolet face an uphill struggle.

"If we had two teams, the R&D (research and development) thing would get done twice as quick," said the plain-spoken Hamilton. "It will be beneficial to us."

"It's as simple as this: If I go out and run one lap at Daytona, (multicar owner) Jack Roush has gone out and run five laps. Rick Hendrick has run three. Robert Yates and several others have run

two. You have all that data coming off a test, and all we have is one lap. That multiplies through a 500-lap race. I don't think it's fair, but we control our own destiny. It (having one car) is what we chose. They (expanded) and they made it work. What's happened is technology's prevailed a little bit."

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**FIRING BUCKSHOT?** Well, not really. Owner Billy Jones has decided to scale

back the number of races his son, Buckshot, will be driving for the rest of the Cup schedule. One apparent casualty of the decision is Larry Pearson, who will be forced to relinquish the Busch Grand National Pontiac he has driven for most of the year at Buckshot Racing. In the absence of Cup events, the younger Jones will drive the team's No. 00 car in BGN races, replacing Pearson.

## CREW OF THE WEEK

■ Early in the Pocono 500, Jeff Gordon dropped well off the pace and he told crew chief Ray Evernham, "It feels like there's no shock on the left side." Whatever the problem was, Evernham and crew managed to correct it without costing Gordon a lap. He ended up finishing second for the second week in a row and moved up one position, to fifth, in the Winston Cup points standings.



# Big Sandy Briefs

## The Numbers Game

<b>Wednesday's Results</b>	<b>June 23, 1999</b>
<b>LOTTO KENTUCKY</b> 03-07-10-15-29-41	<b>POWERBALL</b> 12-15-17-23-49 07
Next Estimated Jackpot \$1.4 million	Next Estimated Jackpot \$100 million

### Police still searching for men who shot woman

Police are still searching for two men charged with shooting a Magoffin County woman and leaving her for dead at an abandoned strip mine site near the Magoffin-Morgan County line nearly two weeks ago.

The victim, Mildred Slusher, 39, reportedly was released Sunday from the University of Kentucky Medical Center in Lexington where she was a patient for eight days.

Magoffin County Sheriff Pat Montgomery said Slusher is now at her home near Royalton where she continues to recuperate and is apparently on her way to full recovery.

Authorities continue to withhold the names of the two men accused of shooting Slusher in the back and left her for dead after apparently trying to dump her body in a silt pond. — *The Salyersville Independent*



Magoffin County

### Bank building renovation progressing

Renovation of the historic Salyersville National Bank building continues. Located at the corner of Maple and Church Streets, crews have been busy gutting and replacing the inside. Funded by a state grant of more than \$500,000 the building is expected to facilitate a tourism headquarters and provide a center for local artists. — *The Salyersville Independent*

### Board meeting expected to be lengthy one

The agenda for the June 17 meeting of the Magoffin County Board of Education was a long one, and the meeting was expected to be lengthy.

Agenda included administrative reports from the superintendent, director of student services and an update on the consolidation plan. — *The Salyersville Independent*

### New companies will bring 80+ jobs to Martin County

Saying it was a great day for Martin County and economic development, Martin County Judge-Executive Dr. Lon E. Lafferty announced that Columbus, Ohio-based Clark Grave Vault Company has purchased C&S Vaults.

Doug and Mike Beck, representatives for the new company, were on hand for the Thursday afternoon announcement and reception at Miss Ida's Tea Room.

A maximum of 12 to 15 jobs will be filled, according to Doug Beck. The number includes six current employees at C&S Vaults.

Job opportunities are also available through the new Save A Lot Supermarket. The store is seeking stock people and cashiers. The store also needs people with management experience, meat cutters and produce workers.

Applications for the jobs at Save A Lot can be picked up at the Department of Community-Based Services in Inez. Individuals interested in the jobs at C&S Vaults can pick up an application at the plant, beginning July 19. Those positions include welding, general laborers, delivery and office personnel. — *The Mountain Citizen*



Martin County

### Tear Drop Inn busted

An investigation by the Mingo County Sheriff's Department about permitting minors into the Tear Drop Inn led to the arrest of the bar owner and the mother of a juvenile.

Mingo County deputies raided the Grey Eagle bar Friday night and arrested 66-year-old Walter Mitch Mollett and the parent. Police did not release the mother's name.

Authorities received complaints about juveniles coming into the bar and being served alcohol. — *The Mountain Citizen*

### New school delayed

Tentative plans for a new school consolidating Grassy and Tomahawk elementary schools and a new bus garage were the main topics discussed Monday evening in a two-hour meeting of the Martin County Board of Education.

Board meetings generally last 20 minutes but member Dr. Raymond Wells expressed his concern that certain stages of the project were moving too fast. A request to hire an architectural firm for the new school was tabled until the expense of running water to the site was determined. — *The Mountain Citizen*

### Man given five years in death of his son

Bennie Shortridge, 60, of Mouthcard was sentenced Friday to five years in prison. Shortridge admitted to shooting his son to death last year. Court records indicate the shooting occurred last November 29 at the family's Mouthcard home following a heated argument over a telephone call. Police say Shortridge shot his son Paul, 26, once in the abdomen.

Shortridge was sentenced to five years after a plea agreement was reached that reduced the charge from murder to second-degree manslaughter. — *Appalachian News-Express*

his head.

"He probably crawled and got his head in," Morris said. "It doesn't take long for something to take a child's breath." — *Appalachian News-Express*

### Family sues coal company over man's ATV death

The heirs of a Phelps man who died in February have filed a wrongful death suit against the coal company they think was responsible for killing him.

The estate of Dewey Smith, through his widow Carl Smith, filed suit Monday in Pike Circuit Court against Big Creek Mining Inc., a Salyersville-based coal company which operates at a few Pike County locations; Energetic Solutions Inc., which operates as Appalachian Mining Services with corporate offices in Louisville; and Paul E. Damron of Harold.

According to the suit, Smith, 55, died after suffering injuries caused February 15 by Big Creek's mining activities at Ashlick Fork of Smith Fork at Phelps.

He was riding an ATV on property owned by Big Creek Mining when he was hit by debris from an explosive blast. — *Appalachian News-Express*



Pike County

### Health department director on forced leave

The director of the Johnson County Health Department has been placed on administrative leave, with pay, while state health officials investigate allegations of "improprieties" at the local facility.

The forced leave Friday of department director Anita Cole should not be viewed as an indictment of Ms. Cole's management of the health department, Dr. Rice Leach, commissioner for public health, said Tuesday.

Last Thursday, June 17, by administrative order, state Health Services Secretary John Morse authorized Dr. Leach to take action "in response to allegations of a failure to maintain and operate the Johnson County Health Department within the standards of the cabinet."

A public health order issued last Friday said there are "allegations of clinical, personnel and administrative improprieties at the local health department resulting from the failure of the local health department administrator to maintain and operate a public health department which bring into question whether that local health department is being maintained and operated within the operational standards of the

Cabinet for Health Services." — *The Paintsville Herald*

### New petition raises stink over animal shelter

The Johnson County Fiscal Court agreed Monday night to investigate renewed complaints about conditions at the Paintsville-Johnson County Animal Shelter at Tutor Key, which lost county and city funding a few years ago after a petition criticized management practices at the privately-owned facility.

A new petition was presented to the court Monday by a group of Tutor Key residents who said the shelter posed a "health hazard" to the community. The petition called for the removal of the "so-called dog pound."

The petition, presented to the court members by Sula Reed, said conditions at the shelter, owned by the Paintsville Humane Society, are intolerable, claiming "the odors from that place will not allow (residents) to grill out or eat outside on our picnic tables." The petition claimed the facility is infested with rats and that many of the dogs housed there have the mange and other diseases. — *The Paintsville Herald*



Johnson County

### Baby suffocated to death on plastic bag

A preliminary autopsy has shown that the Shelbiana baby who died suddenly at his home last Wednesday suffocated to death on a plastic bag.

According to Pike County Coroner Charles Morris, eight-month-old Ricky Aaron Hopkins apparently died after he got the bag, which had contained toys, on

### County looks to lower fees at regional jail

After being already \$30,000 overspent on this year's jail budget, the Lawrence County Fiscal Court decided Monday to take action to try to lower their fees at the multi-county detention center.

Magistrates voted to send a letter on the subject to other county judge-executives involved in the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center in Paintsville, as well as members of the jail authority. The vote came after the court was forced to pull \$44,000 out of the road fund to cover a state mandate that they increase the budget for the upcoming year. — *The Big Sandy News*



Lawrence

### Magistrates asked to look at running county ambulance service

A Lifestar Ambulance employee asked the Lawrence County Fiscal Court Monday to look into buying out the service and running it as a public service from a tax base.

William Leedy, who also works with a county-run ambulance service in Greenup County, said by establishing a tax to run the ambulance service, it would cut down on the cost of bills residents have to pay.

Over the past few months, some residents have approached the Louisa City Council asking if they could look into lowering the ambulance rates. — *The Big Sandy News*

### Items recovered following theft

Over \$1,000 of items stolen from a Louisa residence were recovered Tuesday morning in Huntington, West Virginia.

James Ellis, 37, of Pocahontas Street, Louisa, returned to his home Friday night to find that someone had broken his front door and entered his house.

### Morgan County's Robinson Scholars are named

Two Morgan County Middle School students have been inducted into the University of Kentucky's Robinson Scholars Program, which provides full college tuition, room and board, and books during the student's college careers.

Jonathan Ray Lawson, son of Barbara Lawson of Ezel, and Justin Tyler Perry, son of Marita Cade of West Liberty, were two of 58 students who were accepted into the scholarship program at ceremonies at Hazard Community College on Saturday, June 5. — *The Licking Valley Courier*



Morgan

### Keith Whitley bronze on journey to Sandy Hook

Keith Whitley's star began to rise with the 1985 hit "Miami My Amy" and continued with top-10 records such as "Ten Feet Away," "Homecoming '63," and "Hard Livin'."

Whitley shot to superstardom in 1988. In 1989, he

had his third consecutive No. 1 hit. He was one of country music's brightest stars when he died in 1989.

The Keith Whitley bronze, a larger-than-life statue sculpted by Montana artist Bill Rains, is on a journey across America to Sandy Hook, Keith's hometown, via Nashville, Tennessee, where it was to be unveiled at the Arts Company Gallery on Thursday, June 24. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

### Morgan County Horse Show Saturday at the fairgrounds

The 1999 Morgan County Agricultural Horse Show, scheduled this Saturday, June 26, at the Fairgrounds in West Liberty, will feature 33 rings of competition in two divisions — a Pleasure Horse division and a Walking and Racking division.

The show will start at 5 p.m. with judging of Pleasure Horse rings. The Walking and Racking division will get underway at 7:30 p.m.

For more information, call Langley Franklin at (60) 743-4415 or the Morgan County Extension Service at (606) 743-3292. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

### Judge concerned about road damage

Knott Fiscal court held a special meeting on June 16, swiftly adopting the upcoming year's budget, and approving other resolutions with minimum discussion.

The second reading of the county's 1999-2000 fiscal year budget of \$4,680,033 was adopted.

In other matters, County Attorney Randy Slone advised the court on obtaining rights of way. Magistrate Ronnie Adams commented: "The honeymoon is over. We are trying to build roads to keep people from driving in the creek, but we are running into complications in getting rights of way."

Adams suggested adding discussion of rights of way to the next meeting's agenda.

At the end of the meeting, County Judge-Executive Donnie Newsome expressed his concern about the damage done to county roads by overweight trucks. He said he wants to place weight limits for trucks

using the roads. Magistrate Haskel Ritchie protested and said that school buses may be affected by the weight restrictions.

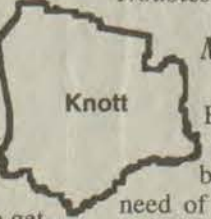
County Attorney Slone said the state has weight limits for the roads, but county law agencies can't enforce that law because they don't have scales, "which leaves the job up to the state police." — *Troublesome Creek Times*

### Mullins plans to expand park system

After taking office, Knott County Judge-Executive Donnie Newsome stressed the need to hire someone to oversee the county parks because they were becoming "run down and in need of maintenance above and beyond what local residents could provide."

That person was recently hired when Harold Mullins of Amburgey was put in charge of the park system.

The county has seven established community parks: Ball Creek, Dry Creek, Hindman, Kite, Jones Fork, Red Fox, and Quicksand. — *Troublesome Creek Times*



Knott

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96 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM	15300	12980	2320
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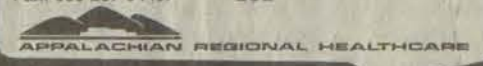
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Please send resumé to: Jeff Frazier, Assistant Administrator, McDowell ARH, P.O. Box 247, McDowell, KY 41647, 606-377-3400; e-mail: jfrazier@arh.org, Fax: 606-237-3443. EOE



## PRESTONSBURG COMMUNITY COLLEGE

A new program integrating dental assisting and dental hygiene education will begin in the summer of 1999. This program will be using distance learning technology and an integrated curriculum as a part of its educational delivery methods. The following faculty positions are available in this new integrated program.

Coordinator, Dental Hygiene (full-time)—functions as director for the dental hygiene arm of the integrated program. Responsibilities include: administrative duties such as staff and budget management, teaching responsibilities, and service on various committees related to the program and Prestonsburg Community College.

Minimum Qualifications: Registered Dental Hygienist with Masters's degree or licensed Dentist with either a DMD or DDS degree. Must hold a clear and valid license to practice dentistry or hygiene in the state of Kentucky. Teaching and/or administrative experience desirable.

Registered Dental Hygienist (part-time)—adjunct faculty position with clinical, laboratory and/or classroom teaching responsibilities.

Minimum Qualifications: Registered Dental Hygienist with a clear and valid license to practice hygiene in the state of Kentucky. Must have a Bachelor's degree, Master's or graduate course work preferred.

Certified Dental Assistant (part-time)—adjunct faculty position with laboratory and/or classroom teaching responsibilities.

Minimum Qualifications: Certified Dental Assistance; must be at least actively pursuing a Bachelor's degree; Bachelor's degree preferred.

Procedure: Formal applications are available in the Human Resources Office, Johnson Administration Building, Room 105 at Prestonsburg Community College or via request by phone (606) 886-3863 ext. 339, by email: pchr@pop.uky.edu, or fax (606) 886-6200. Applicants will need to submit a letter of interest, current vita, list of references, graduate and undergraduate transcripts and three current letters of recommendation.

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## POSITION AVAILABLE

The Mountain Arts Center, located in Prestonsburg, KY, is seeking a qualified individual to fill the position of Executive Director. The Executive Director is responsible for the overall administration and operation of the Mountain Arts Center, including development and implementation of policies, programs and services, budget and financial administration, and supervision of personnel. The Director reports directly to the Center's Management Commission. Applicants must have experience in the administration of performing arts programs and the ability to implement and manage a wide range of programs and services. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Qualified applicants should send a resume (include references) to:

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Sealed bids for the purchase of a 1999 4-wheel drive backhoe will be received at the

Wheelwright Municipal Bldg., P.O. Box 353, Wheelwright, Kentucky 41669, until 11:00 a.m. local time, July 2, 1999, and then at said Office publicly opened and read aloud.  
Required specifications for the purchase may be obtained at the Wheelwright Utility Office, P.O. Box 353, Wheelwright, Ky. 41669.

The Wheelwright Utilities reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

**BIDS**

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids on the Drift Elementary property located at Route 1001, Drift, KY.  
Sealed bids will be accepted until 10:00 a.m. July 1, 1999, at the Floyd County Maintenance Department, 23 Martin Street, Allen, KY 41601.

If any further information is needed, please contact Gregory Adams at (606) 874-2049.

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

**MOUNTAINTOP DEVELOPMENT PROJECT**  
PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION  
Floyd County, Kentucky

Separate Sealed BIDS for a portion of the Mountaintop Development Project—Contract 1 and Contract 2, will be received by the Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission, 2560 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, on July 7, 1999 until 1:00 P.M. local time, and then at said office publicly opened and read allowed.

Contract 1 will consist of four pump stations with related appurtenances and Contract 2 will consist of two ground level water storage tanks (100,000 gallons and 500,000 gallons).

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations:  
PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION, 2560 SOUTH LAKE DRIVE, PRESTONSBURG, KY 41653

KENVIRONS, INC., 452 VERSAILLES ROAD, FRANKFORT, KY 40601

F.W. DODGE CORP./ABC PLAN-ROOM, 132 VENTURE COURT, SUITE 12, LEXINGTON, KY 40504

F.W. DODGE CORP., 303 HURSTBOURNE LANE, LOUISVILLE, KY 40207

ASSOCIATED GENERAL CONTRACTORS, 2321 FORTUNE DRIVE, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40509

CONTRACTORS SPECIFICATIONS & DRAWINGS, 3359 13TH ST., ASHLAND, KY 41102

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at Kenvirons, Inc., 452 Versailles Road, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, upon payment to Kenvirons, Inc. of a non-refundable fee of \$100.00 for each set.

The OWNER reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any and all bids. Any bid that is obviously unbalanced may be rejected.

Federal law prohibits discrimination on the grounds of race, color, national origin, religion, age, handicap, and sex in this project. Each BIDDER must deposit with his BID,

security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. The BIDDER awarded the Contract shall execute a 100% Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond and shall furnish insurance as required by the General Conditions. Portions of Contracts 1 and 2 shall be completed and in operation within 45 calendar days after authorization to proceed and the remaining portions to be completed within 90 calendar days. Liquidated damages will be \$300.00 per calendar day.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract, Title VI, Section 3, Segregated Facility, Section 109 and E.O. 11246. Local Firms, Minority Firms, Small and Female businesses are particularly encouraged to participate. Also if Bidder anticipates the use of subcontractors, as part of this project, the use of Local Firms, Minority Firms, Small and Female businesses is encouraged.

No BIDDER may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of opening thereof.  
C.J. McNally  
Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission

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**PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION**  
Sealed bids will be received by Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission for the furnishing of materials necessary for the construction of various water and gas lines within the existing system. Estimated quantities are 2,000 LF of 8-inch PVC SDR-17 pipe; 3,000 LF of 8-inch PVC SDR 21 pipe; 15,000 LF of 6-inch PVC SDR 21 pipe; 6,000 LF of 6-inch polyethylene gas pipe; 6-inch and 8-inch gate valves and 6-inch polyethylene gas valve, as well as 6-inch and 8-inch ductile iron and polyethylene valves. Bids will be received at the Commission's office, located at 2560 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, until 1:30 p.m. (local time) on July 7, 1999, and then at such office, publicly opened and read aloud.

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, containing Bid Schedule and Materials Specifications, may be examined at the following locations:  
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C.J. McNally  
Chairman

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**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

Pursuant to Application No. 836-0025  
In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given Brashae Coal Company Inc., Box 628, Hindman, Kentucky 41822, has applied for Phase III Bond Release on Increments #1, #2, #4, #5, #6, #7, #8, #9, and #11, and for Phase II and III Bond Release on Increment #18 of permit #836-0025, which was last issued on 04/19/91. The application covers an area of approximately 182.50 acres located 0.5 mile southeast of Manton in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.5 mile northeast of Wolfpen Branch Road's junction with Kentucky Route 1210 and located 0.5 mile northeast of Wolfpen Branch. The latitude is 37° 34' 22". The longitude is 82° 48' 25".

The bond now in effect for Increment #2 is a surety bond in the amount of \$19,100.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$127,600.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #4 is a surety bond in the amount of \$15,600.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$103,200.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #5 is a surety bond in the amount of \$14,200.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$94,400.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #6 is a surety bond in the amount of \$4,400.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$29,300.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$1,300.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$25,000.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #8 is a surety bond in the amount of \$1,100.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$20,300.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #9 is a surety bond in the

amount of \$8,900.00. Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$59,200.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #11 is a surety bond in the amount of \$ 8 , 4 0 0 . 0 0 . Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$56,100.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #18 is a surety bond in the amount of \$ 5 , 2 0 0 . 0 0 . Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$5,200.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed to date includes: backfilling and grading; soil sampling and testing; fertilizing, seeding, mulching and tree setting completed in the Fall 1992-Spring 1993; and the establishment of an adequate vegetative cover.

Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by August 2, 1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for August 3, 1999, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 2, 1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on August 9, 1999, at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Dr., Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 6, 1999.

**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises,

Inc. 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, KY. 41102, has applied for Phase II Bond Release on Permit Number 836-0245 which was last issued on 03/03/93. The application covers an area of approximately 216.71 acres. Located 1 mile southwest of Ivy Creek in Floyd/Pike County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.75 miles east from US 23 Junction with Ivy Creek and located 1 mile east of Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees, 35 minutes and 05 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 38 minutes and 44 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety for \$ 2 2 6 , 5 0 0 . 0 0 . Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$226,500.00 is included in the application for release.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey of this organization on July 26 and 27, 1999. The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organization's compliance with nationally established Joint Commission standards. The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which, accreditation should be awarded the organization.

Joint Commission standards deal with organizational quality of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information about such matters may request a public information interview with the Joint Commission's field representatives at the time of the survey. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation process. Requests for a public information interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five working days before the survey begins. The request must also indicate the nature of the information to be provided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to:

Division of Accreditation Operations  
Accreditation Liaison  
Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations  
One Renaissance Boulevard  
Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

The Joint Commission will acknowledge such requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the organization of the request for any interview. The organization will, in turn, notify the interviewee of the date, time and place of the meeting.

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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 680-5004, Amendment #8  
 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Pontiki Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 801, KY Route 1439, Lovely, Kentucky 41231, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.0 mile northwest of Moree in Martin, Pike, and Floyd counties. The amendment will add no additional acres of surface disturbance and underlie an additional 583.2 acres making a total area of 18,164.0 acres within the amended permit boundary.  
 The proposed amendment area is approximately 4 miles northeast from KY Route 194's junction with KY Route 2061 and located on Brushy Fork. The latitude is 37°43'57" and the longitude is 82°31'01".  
 The proposed amendment is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The proposed amendment will underlie land owned by N.B. and Susan Williamson, Richard and Joetta Smith, Walker Smith Heirs, Bill Burchett Heirs, James and Iva Jean Blackburn, Cecil Taylor Heirs, John Cornette Heirs, Claudia M. Blackburn, and Dick Smith Heirs.  
 The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.  
 This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a public conference must be received within thirty (30) days of this date.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0260, Renewal  
 In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Wolverine Resources Inc., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for a renewal for an access road permit affecting 38.0 surface acres located 2.2 miles Southeast of Marshallville in Floyd and Magoffin County, KY.  
 The operation is approximately 2.1 miles East from KY HWY 7's junction with KY HWY 1734 and located on Salt Lick Branch at latitude 37° 38' 54" and longitude 82° 54' 36".  
 The operation is located on the Iynton U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface is owned by Beverly Williams, Orville Fletcher, Fallen Fitzpatrick, Bert Spradlin, Floyd Dunn, Green Holbrook Heirs, F.H. Holbrook Heirs, J. Howard Heirs,

Hatcher Allen, et. al., Cora Miller Heirs, and He Risner, et. al.  
 The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5139, Major Revision #3  
 In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that R E Y N O L D S BRANCH COAL CO., INC., P.O. Box 51, Langley, Kentucky 41645, has applied for a major revision to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.4 miles northeast of Hi Hat in Floyd County. The major revision does not add any new surface or underground disturbances. The current permit area of 1282.70 acres, consisting of 7.98 surface acres and 1274.72 underground acres, will remain unchanged.  
 The proposed major revision area is approximately 1.4 miles northeast from KY Route 979's junction with KY Route 122 and located 0.4 miles north of Clear Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees 23 minutes 17 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 42 minutes 21 seconds.  
 The proposed major revision is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area affected by the major revision is owned by the Polly Tackett Heirs.  
 The major revision proposes a reming "Approximate Original Contour" variance for 0.5 acres of existing surface disturbance.  
 The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application No. 836-5293, Operator Change  
 In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Mineral Resources, Inc., P.O. Box 29, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, intends to revise permit number 836-5293 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is DEANCO, Inc., P.O. Box 465, Allen, Kentucky 41601. The new operator will be Triple J Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 154, Martin, Kentucky 41649.  
 The operation is located 0.90 miles west of Woods in Floyd County. The

operation is approximately 1.52 miles East from KY 194's junction with KY 1428 and located adjacent to Cow Creek. The operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The latitude is 37° 38' 10". The longitude is 82° 40' 04".  
 The application has been filed for public inspections at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite #6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 836-9017 Renewal #1  
 In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co. Inc., 432 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for a renewal of a permit for a refuse disposal facility located 0.5 miles northeast of Emma in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 21.10 surface acres and will underlie 0 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 21.10 acres.  
 The proposed operation is approximately 0.24 miles north of KY Route 1428's junction with KY Route 194 and located 0.08 miles east of the Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37° 38' 30". The longitude is 82° 41' 45".  
 The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Eddie B. Merritt.  
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**ATTACHMENT 4.2A NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 860-5161, Renewal  
 In accordance with the provision of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828, has filed an application for Renewal of an underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 3.44 acres and will underlie an additional 883.00 acres for a total proposed permit acreage of 886.44 acres located 0.8 miles East of Hall in Knott and Floyd

Counties.  
 The proposed operation is approximately 0.75 miles East from KY 122's junction with KY 1498 and located 0.0 miles East of Dave's Branch. The latitude is 37° 18' 05". The longitude is 82° 45' 18".  
 The operation is located on the Kite and Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Burton Slone. The operation will underlie land owned by Ozark and Kimberly Sue Slone, John Bentley, Isom and Missouri Bentley, Burton Slone, Grant Honeycutt, Trubie and Louetta Johnson, Eliza Jane Johnson Estate, Claude and Betty Anderson, Earl and Mary Lou Wyson, Wade and Draxie Holbrook, Hillard Anderson Sr., Ray and Randall Holbrook, Barris Hall, Robert Thacker, Alex and Anna Mullins, Grady Stumbo and Benny Bailey, Gilbert Little, Greene Hall, Lou and Bertha Holbrook, Maple

Burke, Martin and Zella Johnson, Ira Potter, James Lackey, Layne Johnson, Primble Hall, Larry Honeycutt and Dave Isaac.  
 The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 880-0018, Renewal No. 3  
 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Martin County Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 5002, Inez, KY 41224

has applied for renewal of a permit for a surface and underground coal mining operation located 1.5 miles northeast of Thomas in Pike, Floyd, and Martin Counties. The proposed operation will disturb 649.9 surface acres and will underlie 174.4 acres and the total area within the permit boundary will be 824.3 acres.  
 The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles northeast of Brushy Fork Road's junction with KY 194 and located on Cow Fork. The latitude is 37°41'34". The longitude is 82°33'13".  
 The proposed operation is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation, Lon B. Rogers, Martin County Coal Corporation, William McCoy Heirs, and TJ Hardin Heirs and underlies land owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation, George Morrison, East

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 (c) To all persons, firms or corporations or contractors; Before you commence any excavation or related activities in the areas of Cow Creek, Home Branch and Slick Rock Road, call for location of our gas mains and service lines.  
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et. al., Johnson Circuit Court, C.A. No. 99-CI-00133, Family Bank, FSB shall offer for public sale all equipment or other property owned by Billiter & Billiter, Inc. and recovered by Family Bank, FSB pursuant to said Judgment.  
 The property shall be sold as one lot for one price on the 9th day of July, 1999, at 9:00 a.m. and the sale will be held at the former business address of Domino's Pizza at 419 Broadway, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240. Arrangements can be made with Family Bank, FSB for itemizations and inspection of the property prior to sale by calling 606-789-3541.  
 The above sale shall be subject to the right of redemption of the United States of America Internal Revenue Service and Family Bank, FSB reserves the right to bid at said sale.  
 Dated this 14th day of June, 1999.  
 John Blackburn  
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