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## Sex offender asking for early release

Has served six months of 5-year sentence  
Times Staff Report

After serving a little over six months of a five-year sentence for crimes related to having sex with a minor, a Harold man is asking to be set free.

James David Howell, 31, reached a plea agreement with prosecutors last August in which he pleaded guilty to one count of third-degree rape, three counts of third-degree sodomy and two counts of second-degree unlawful transaction with a minor. The charges all stem from a sexual relationship Howell had established with a teenage girl under the age of 16.

As part of the deal, Howell was ordered to serve five years in prison on each count, with the sentences to

run concurrently.

Today, Howell will be in court again, asking for shock probation.

Shock probation is a term used to describe the early release of a first-time felon on the grounds that the convict has learned his or her lesson and is unlikely to be a repeat offender.

Today's proceedings will consist of a hearing in which Howell's attorneys will argue for his release, while the commonwealth's attorney's office will be given an opportunity to object.

Prior to his plea agreement, Howell had been charged with the rape and sodomy counts, as well as one count each of first- and third-degree unlawful transaction with a minor and one count of use of a minor under 16 in a sexual performance.

Howell reached the plea agreement after a first attempt at trying him on the charges ended in a mistrial.

## ACLU not targeting fiscal court ... yet

by Ralph B. Davis  
Managing Editor

Despite its defiance of court rulings prohibiting the posting of the Ten Commandments in public buildings, it does not appear that the Floyd County Fiscal Court will become the target of a lawsuit seeking the document's removal anytime soon.

The court's decision last month to allow the posting of the Commandments in its meeting room follows a recent trend across the state in which local governments have elected to display the document on walls of public buildings.

Late last year, the American Civil Liberties Union filed suit in

federal court against three local government entities — the Harlan County Board of Education and fiscal courts in Pulaski and McCreary counties — seeking removal of the Commandments from public walls in those counties.



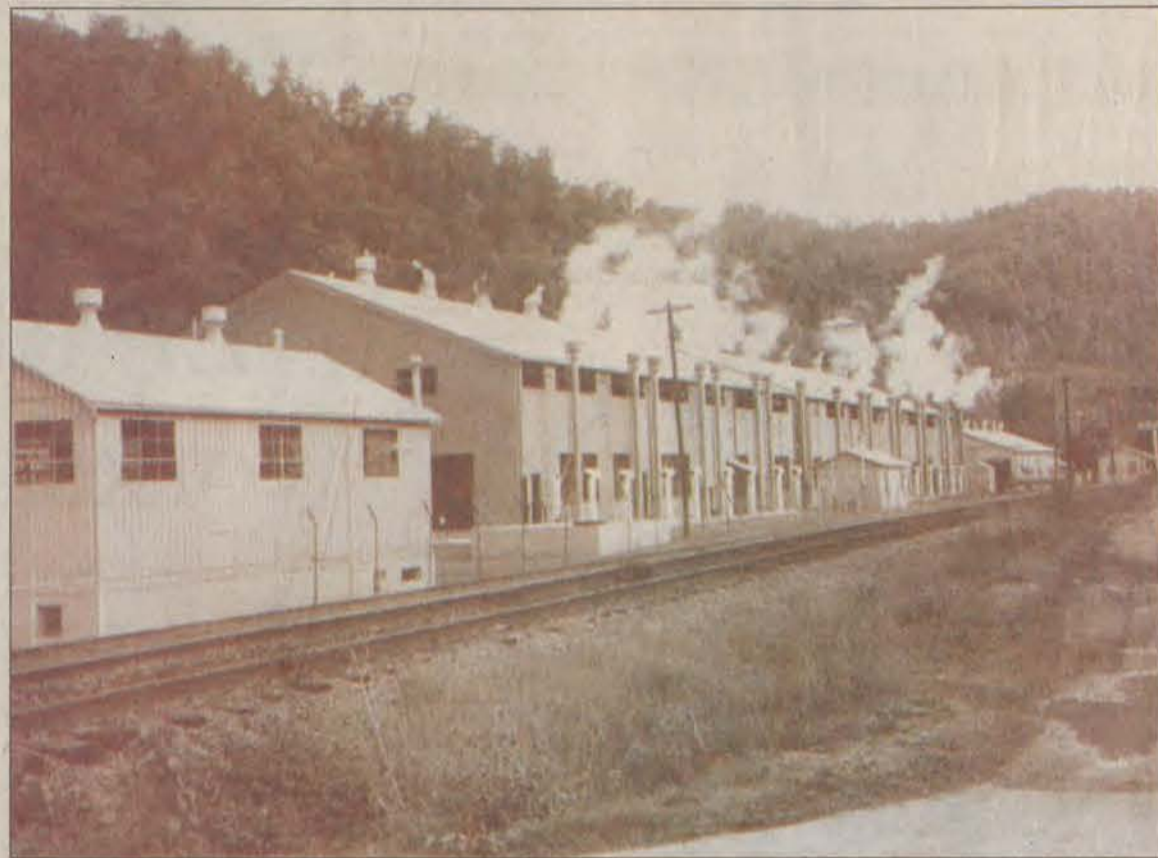
This copy of the Ten Commandments hanging in the courthouse has not invited legal action so far.

Jeff Vessels, executive director of the ACLU of Kentucky, said his group believes the lawsuits are necessary because posting the Commandments is a "willful and illegal act" in violation of First Amendment prohibitions against government establishment of religion.

"We certainly are concerned anytime a government body promotes religion or a particular reli-

(See ACLU, page two)

### End of an era...



The Columbia Gas Transmission Plant as it looked during its early days. Operations at the plant have ceased and the plant is slated to be razed in the next few weeks. (photo contributed by Alice Baldrige).

## Plant which once served eastern U.S. being razed

by Willie Elliott  
Staff Writer

The Columbia Gas Transmission Plant at Langley (Maytown), which has gone by several names through the years, including Warfield Natural Gas, United Fuel and the present name, will soon go the way of other older structures — it will be torn down, ending 73 years of service to the company and community.

Many people would assume the plant processed gas for local use — which the plant did — but the plant processed gas and sent it out on two 20-inch lines that carried gas to the eastern United States — areas as Massachusetts, Washington D.C. and Baltimore, Maryland.

The other pipeline went through the Kenova plant and piped gas to northern Ohio and other sites in that area, plus sites on the east coast.

These same lines will be in operation but none of the work will be done at Langley. Another local plant, Kentucky Hydrocarbon just up the road at Wilson Creek, will do the processing and the Langley site will just be a passageway for the gas.

The plant was installed some-

time around 1927 and employed about 40 workers. The crew grew as the plant increased its capacity. The workforce leveled off and even began to decline as automation did jobs once required by manpower.



Charles Halfhill

At this time, Columbia has nine employees at the site dealing with all the work that needs to be done in closing the plant. Of the nine employees, five are retiring on or near March 1 of this year. The other four employees will be given an opportunity to find jobs elsewhere with the company.

A new building has been built near the present site, but Supervisor Charles "Chuck" Halfhill says the building is a water treatment plant and has little connection to the actual pro-

cessing and piping of gas.

Halfhill has worked at the plant off and on all his time with Columbia with his first tenure coming in the 1970s. He has also worked at the plant at Boldman at Harold. A press release from Columbia Gas said Halfhill "served over the years in just about every position available at the station."

Through the years, the plant has had a good record for injuries considering the potential for disaster. In 1957, a line ruptured and one man was feared burned in the ensuing fire. But the man had dashed from the scene in panic and was saved from the inferno.

Earl Warren, of Eastern, remembers working at the plant when it employed the most workers. Warren spent 43 years at the plant before retiring in 1984.

Alice Baldrige, whose deceased husband retired as a maintenance supervisor at the plant, lives just up the hill from the plant and has seen the changes that have occurred through the years. She said she would miss seeing the plant and activities that occur there. Baldrige lent the Times photographs of the plant that had been taken through the years. Note: Alice is a sister to Times employee Jimmy Goble.

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### Briefs

#### Patton to pay a visit to PCC today

Gov. Paul Patton will be in town today. The governor will stop by the Pike Auditorium at Prestonsburg Community College at 1:45 p.m. to tout his proposed budget.

#### Grand jury hands down one true bill

The Floyd County grand jury handed down one indictment this week.

Charles E. Stephens, 32, of Endicott was indicted on multiple charges including DUI, driving on a suspended license, violating a protective order, second-degree cruelty to animals, improper registration, no insurance, invalid registration receipt, disorderly conduct, falsely reporting an accident and third-degree criminal mischief.

#### Science exhibit continues

"The Way Things Work," a hands-on science exhibit conducted by the Louisville Science Center and presented by the East Kentucky Center for Science and the Mountain Arts Center, continues tomorrow at the MAC.

The show includes 10 science exhibits designed for children of all ages.

The event will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission to the exhibit is free.

#### Public meetings

■ Floyd County Fiscal Court, regular meeting, 10 a.m. in the courthouse.

## Tourism asking businesses to map Prestonsburg's next 20 years

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

A vision of vision for Prestonsburg was presented to the Prestonsburg Tourism Commission yesterday. Fred James and Sam Blankenship asked the commission to consider mapping out the future of Prestonsburg at length.

Calling the plan "Prestonsburg has 20/20 vision," James said the 20-year projection will ask community leaders to plan for possible projects for Prestonsburg in the short-term and long-term future.

Playing on the year 2020, the prospective goals by institutions like the Mountain Arts Center, Stone Crest Golf Course and private companies will map future objectives two to five or even 20 years ahead.

Blankenship cited the cut-through project in Pikeville as an example of a long-range goal. The funding for that project was not immediately available but because plans were laid, the money was earmarked in legislative goals and the project was completed.

"Sooner or later you'll be on the plate," said Blankenship. "How can you get from

point A to point B to point C without a road map?"

While economic prosperity is no guarantee, Blankenship encouraged the commission to dream.

"None of us can predict the future," said James. "It's not going to happen without a plan."

Blankenship told commissioners yearly achievements were great and the commission has done well, but a long-range plan would ensure sustained improvement in the area.

"It doesn't cost any more to dream big,"

said Blankenship.

James proposed that many groups be contacted in the planning effort to put future dream projects on paper. A Floyd County planning group may be enlisted.

Floyd County will celebrate its 200th anniversary beginning in July. The commission has plans set forth for period celebrations inside Prestonsburg.

At least four types of presentations or events are being planned for July 1-4. Period programs complete with period dress will celebrate the bicentennial.

Many ideas are being discussed for the

ceremonies to encourage tourists from across the state to join in the fun. Historical committees from Auxier, Wayland, Van Lear and other communities will be solicited for input on the festivities.

James would like to see many of the counties that split from the original Floyd County participating with programs or displays of their own. Political figures from those counties will be invited to participate.

Bids will be advertised for an exclusive vendor to endorse and produce memorabil-

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February 19 thru February 25, 2000

## Whitesburg center is mountain treasure

Story and photos  
by Pam Shingler

One of the true treasures of Appalachian Kentucky is known by very few, and we are the lesser for it.

Appalshop in Whitesburg — "Appal" as in Appalachia — is a multi-faceted center that showcases the best of the region but does not shy away from pointing out the worst. Mostly, though, the arts and education center celebrates Appalachian culture.

Appalshop is a child of the War on Poverty. It began quite humbly and simply as a single summer program to get area young people interested in filmmaking and cultural preservation, at a time of rapid cultural change when we were losing important skills and memories.

In more than 100 films and videotapes, Appalshop filmmakers have documented elements of Appalachian culture, have captured fading characters and traditions that are irreplaceable, and, in some, cases have pointed out long-time injustices.

The films, many of them award-winning, are distributed to schools and community groups, as well as other outlets. Many have been broadcast on KET and national Public Broadcasting.

From its late 1960s beginning, Appalshop has developed branches that touch Appalachian arts and culture at their roots. Out of a modern-looking building on Madison Avenue, just off

Whitesburg's downtown, the headwaters of the Kentucky River a few steps away, Appalshop is music, art, theater, film, radio and television.

Besides the filmmaking aspect, here are some other parts of the Appalshop complex:

### WMMT-FM Radio

Perhaps the best known facet of Appalshop is WMMT-FM, the least traditional station you're apt to find. At 88.7 on the FM dial, WMMT is not your everyday station. You won't hear the hits of the day by slick-talking disc jockeys or the high-toned intellectual emphasis of many public stations.

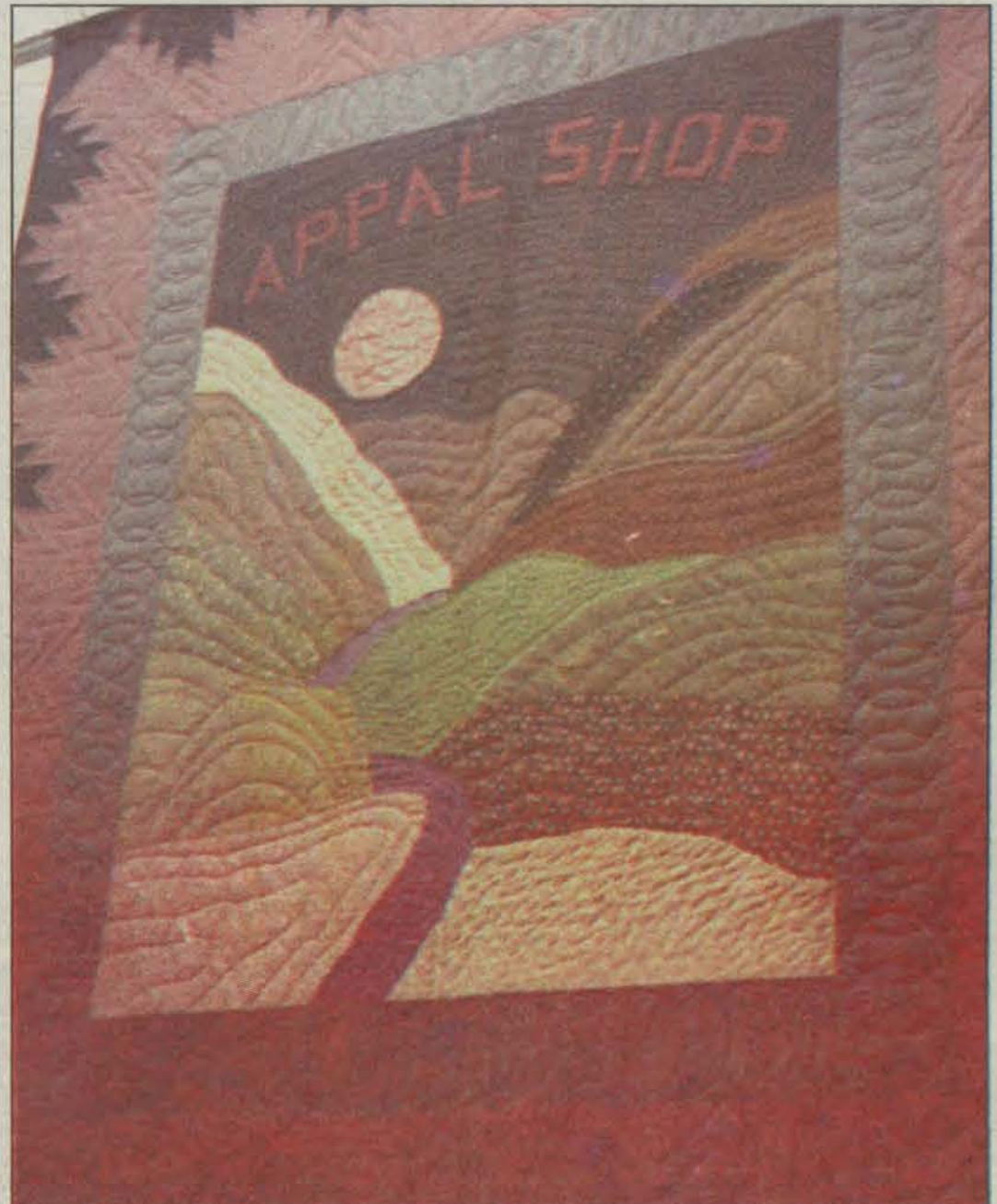
Instead, you'll hear lots of bluegrass and otherwise seldom-heard musical genres, played by volunteers who can be downright evangelical.

You'll hear Celtic music and old-time hillbilly and folk tunes. You'll hear rock oldies — the Bobs, Seger and Dylan, are commonplace. You'll hear zydeco, alternative rock, punk rock, rhythm and blues, jazz, and the big band sound of the '30s and '40s.

The on-air personalities go by names like 8-Ball, Kahlua and Cappuccino, Gentle Ben, Wile E. Quixote, Catfish John, Starvin' Marvin, Little Debbie, The Chicken Man, Bronx Barney and Electric Bill — colorful folks who could be your neighbors.

The non-commercial station even

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An Appalshop quilt, paying homage to the mountains, decorates the stairway landing at the arts and education center in Whitesburg.

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TM	CV	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
24	2	TBS	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	*** "Stand by Me" (1986) Wil Wheaton, River Phoenix.	*** 1/2 "Can't Buy Me Love" (1987) Patrick Dempsey.	*** "The Blue Lagoon" (1980, Drama) Brooke Shields.	"Somewhere in Time"										
3	3	NBC	Saved-Bell	Hang Time	City Guys	One World	City Guys	Inside Stuff	Greg White	Tubby Smith	College Basketball: Georgia at Kentucky. (Live)	College Basketball: Akron at Kent State. (Live)					
4	5	PBS	Barney	Salty's	Creatures	Zoom	Sewing	Sew	UK News	Writer-Writer	Out of the Past (In Stereo)	Democracy	Democracy	Marketing	Marketing	GED (R)	GED (R)
8	8	ABC	Doug	Recess	Pepper Ann	Sabrina	Mickey	Mountaineer	College Basketball: BC at W. Va.	College Basketball: Louisville at DePaul. (Live)	College Basketball: Miami at Connecticut.						
23	9	WGN	Video Computer Store	Showtime	Derma Tone	Slim Down	Fishing	Soul Train (In Stereo)	1/2 "Over the Top" (1987, Drama) Sylvester Stallone.	Xena: Warrior Princess	Cleopatra 25	Jack					
6	10	CBS	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Wild Amer	MobileHm	Walters Auto Report	Tubby Smith	Athlete	College Basketball: Georgia at Kentucky. (Live)	Auto Racing	PGA Golf (Live)					
11	11	FOX	Digimon	NASCAR	Godzilla	Digimon	Beast	Avengers	More-Game	*** "Hook" (1991, Fantasy) Robin Williams, Dustin Hoffman.	Party of Five (In Stereo)	Star Trek: Voyager					
13	15	CBS	(8:00) Saturday Early Show	Paid Prog.	Rescue	Flying Rhino	Magazine	Auto Racing: NASCAR Grand National -- NAPA Auto Parts 300. (Live)	Auto Racing: NASCAR Gatorade 125s	PGA Golf (Live)							
7		ABC	Doug	Recess	Pepper Ann	Sabrina	Bugs & T.	Winnie-Pooh	Mickey	Squiggle	Paid Prog.	College Basketball: Louisville at DePaul. (Live)	College Basketball: UCLA at Arizona.				
14	45	ESPN	Sportsman's	Fly Fishing	Walkers	Sportscenter		College Basketball: Rhode Island at George Washington.	College Basketball: Bradley at Southwest Missouri State.	NASCAR Winston Cup							
33	60	DSC	Outward	Real Kids	Hunter-Croc	SciSquad	Movie Magic	Incredible	News	Discover	Animal Heroes (R)	Mysteries-Unexplained	Three Minutes to Impact	Creatures of the Abyss (R)			
16	61	TNT	Wild, Wild West		Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.	Tour of Duty		** "Summer School" (1987, Comedy) Mark Harmon.	Goodwill Games (Live)	** 1/2 "The Jerk" (1979)							
31	62	A&E	Grand Tour (R)		America's Castles (R)	House Beautiful (R)		New Explorers (R)	Police (R)	Investigative Reports	American Justice (R)						
27	63	TNN	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	Shooter	Turkey Call	Saltwater	Bill Dance	In-Fish	Bassmastr.	Outdoor	Trucks!	Car	Mechanic	Horsepower	ClassicCar	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)	
19	64	NICK	Rugrats	Rugrats	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Beavers	Catdog	Monsters	All That	All That	All That	All That	All That	All That	All That
17	65	USA	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WWF Live Wire (In Stereo)	Hercules-Jrns.		** "White Man's Burden" (1995, Drama) John Travolta.	** "An Innocent Man" (1989, Drama) Tom Selleck. (In Stereo)	Kindergarten							
28	66	FAM	Kids	Angela	Pretenders	Countdown	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Two-Kind	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	** "Ladybugs" (1992, Comedy) Rodney Dangerfield.	Partridge	Boss?		
34	41	MTV	Daria	News (R)	TRL Weekend Edition	Diary (R)	Video	Road Rules	Road Rules	Lyracist	Tom Green	Say What? Karaoke Finals (In Stereo)	Lyracist	Celebrity			
	43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Next Door	Next Door	** "When Dreams Come True" (1985) Cindy Williams.	** "The Courage to Love"			
	45	CNBC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	CNET News.com
	45	ESPN2	Sportscenter (R)	EXPN 2Day	Winter X	Extreme		College Basketball: Davidson at Appalachian State. (Live)	Women's College Basketball: Oklahoma at Texas Tech.	College Basketball (Live)							
29	45	AMC	(8:00) Three Stooges	Cinema	"Tarzan's Greatest Adventure" (1959)	** "Blondie in the Dough"	*** "55 Days at Peking" (1963, Adventure) Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner.	"Four for Texas" (1963)									
10	51	SCIFI	Mystery Science Theater 3000 (R)		Space: Above and Beyond	First Wave "Cul-de-Sac"	Farscape "Durka Returns"	Farscape "A Bug's Life"	"Abbott and Costello Go to Mars" (1953)	Innerspace							
32	62	HIST	Remembering World War II	Shaka Zulu (R) (In Stereo) (Part 1 of 5)	Shaka Zulu (R) (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 5)	Shaka Zulu (R) (In Stereo) (Part 3 of 5)	Shaka Zulu (R)										
35		FX	Picket Fences	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	*** "Mask" (1985, Drama) Cher, Eric Stoltz.	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	In Color	In Color						
20	67	HBO	Simply	*** 1/2 "Greystoke: The Legend of Tarzan, Lord of the Apes" (1984)	Fists of Freedom: Games	"In the Line of Duty: Blaze of Glory"	** "The Karate Kid Part III" (1989) Ralph Macchio. 'PG'	Simply									
	65	HBO2	The Rescue	** "U.S. Marshals" (1998, Suspense) Tommy Lee Jones. 'PG-13'	1/2 "The Sicilian" (1987) Christopher Lambert. 'R'	"Billy's Hollywood Screen Kiss" (1998)	*** "Trojan Eddie" (1996, Drama) 'NR'										
	65	HBO3	(8:15) *** 1/2 "Howards End" (1992) 'PG'	1/2 "Implicated" (1998) William McNamara. 'R'	** "Bleeding Hearts" (1994, Drama) 'NR'	** "House of Cards" (1993) Kathleen Turner. 'PG-13'	"Three Men and a Baby"										
21	17	MAX	(8:30) "The Experts" (1989)	** 1/2 "House of Bamboo" (1955, Drama)	*** "Outrageous Fortune" (1987) Bette Midler. 'R'	** 1/2 "If Looks Could Kill" (1991) 'PG-13'	*** "Class Action" (1991, Drama) Gene Hackman. 'R'										
	66	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Britney Spears	Backstreet Boys	** 1/2 "Johnny Tsunami" (1999, Drama)	MusicVids	Z Games	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice			

## Wisconsin's Winter Getaways Rekindle Romance

(NAPSA)-Winter in Wisconsin is an ideal time to rekindle romance. When falling snowflakes create a tranquil landscape, the moment is perfect for cuddling next to a loved one by a crackling fire or in a horse-drawn sleigh.

A clear winter night with a star-filled sky and fresh-fallen snow glistening in the moonlight provides wonderful romantic ambience. Couples can glide on candle-lit cross-country ski trails, enjoying a magical winter evening at a state park or forest. Mirror Lake State Park in Baraboo, Wildcat Mountain State Park in Ontario, Harrington Beach State Park in Belgium, Council Grounds State Park in Merrill and Lake Wissota State Park in Chippewa Falls are among the many that offer candlelight skiing on special dates. Bonfires, cooking grills, food and beverages are often available.

Or, for a bit of nostalgia, couples can embark on a horse-drawn sleigh or carriage ride for two. A cozy cutter ride in the country through snow-covered woods or a carriage ride down the scenic streets of Lake Geneva, Madison or Milwaukee is a winter tradition in Wisconsin.

Travelers seeking an urban, romantic getaway find that Milwaukee has much to offer. The Milwaukee Art Museum is undergoing a much-heralded building expansion by world-renowned Spanish architect Santiago Calatrava. Shoppers can browse in the antique shops and galleries of Milwaukee's Historic Third Ward, while ice skaters can circle Red Arrow Park, a charming, new outdoor rink. Overnight accommodations include the stately Pfister Hotel, a Milwaukee landmark for more than a century, and The Hotel Metro, a newer,

upscale property with urban sophistication.

Winter is also an excellent time for couples to indulge in pampering, and Wisconsin's luxury resorts raise relaxation to new heights. A regal place for rejuvenating romance, The American Club in Kohler is the only resort in the Midwest to have merited the prestigious AAA Five-Diamond Award. Built in 1918 by the Kohler Company to house immigrant workers, the Tudor-style building now contains suites with deluxe Kohler whirlpool baths, down comforters and fluffy bathrobes.

Located amid Wisconsin's scenic Northwoods, Canoe Bay Inn & Cottages in Chetek is a secluded, romantic setting that combines rustic beauty with cosmopolitan refinement. Sixteen guest rooms situated on a 280-acre private estate feature beautiful woods and lake views, fire-

places, whirlpool baths, luxurious bathrobes, down comforters and gourmet breakfasts.

For a quaint bed-and-breakfast experience, the Old Rittenhouse Inn in Bayfield stands ready as one of the most well-known inns in the Great Lakes region. Twenty guest rooms with antique furnishings and fireplaces are located in three historic homes. Bayfield is filled with impressive 19th century architecture, including more than 50 buildings that are listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Perched on the shores of Lake Superior, the town boasts a wealth of gorgeous winter scenery and outdoor activities.

Door County, one of Wisconsin's bustling summer vacation destinations, becomes a quiet, romantic retreat in winter. Five state parks provide scenic places for cross-country skiing and snowshoeing. In addition,

historic bed-and-breakfasts are plentiful. From gourmet dinners by candlelight to the Door County trademarks of fish boils and cherry pie, couples find plenty of dining options.

The world's only Frank Lloyd Wright-designed residence available for public rental, the Seth Peterson Cottage at Mirror Lake State Park is an intimate romantic hideaway with unique historical significance. Wright's 1958 design showcases the surrounding natural beauty, with large glass windows and a terrace providing spectacular views of the nearby bluffs and lake. Cottage furnishings are derived from Wright originals.

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24	2	TBS	Somewhere in Time (1980)	WCW Saturday Night				**½ "Sleeping With the Enemy" (1991) Julia Roberts.				***½ " Fargo" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Frances McDormand.				Dolores		
3	3	NBC	NBA Basketball	News	NBC News	Fortune	Cash Exp.	Pretender "Lifetime"	Profiler "Besieged"	The Others "Eyes"		News	Saturday Night Live (In Stereo)					
4	5	PBS	Assembly	Religion	Lawrence Welk	Red Green	Red Green	Kentucky	Ky Life	Keeping Up	Wait for God	Time Goes	Goodnight	Short List	Gronk! Work	(Off Air)		
8	8	ABC	(3:30) College Basketball	News	ABC News	Entertainment Tonight		**½ "Phenomenon" (1996, Drama) John Travolta, Kyra Sedgwick. (In Stereo)				News	Relic Hunter (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue				
23	9	WGN	Beastmaster (In Stereo)	Earth: Final Conflict	Fresh Prince	Ill. Luckiest	**** "Mary Poppins" (1964, Fantasy) Julie Andrews, Dick Van Dyke.				Bzzz!	** "Universal Soldier" (1992, Adventure)						
6	10	CBS	(4:00) PGA Golf (Live)	CBS News	Homes	KASP	Highlanders	Winning	Winning	Martial Law	Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Sports	Lost World (In Stereo)			
11	11	FOX	Star Trek: Deep Space 9	X-Files "Milagro" (In Stereo)	Friends	Friends	Cops	Cops (R)	Cops	Cops (R)	News		Mad TV (In Stereo)	WWF Jakked				
13	13	CBS	(4:00) PGA Golf (Live)	News	CBS News	Access Hollywood	Winning	Winning	Martial Law	Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Coach	Coach	Cleopatra 25			
7		ABC	(3:30) College Basketball	News	ABC News	Entertainment Tonight		**½ "Phenomenon" (1996, Drama) John Travolta, Kyra Sedgwick. (In Stereo)				News	ER (In Stereo)	Profiler				
14	46	ESPN	Horses	Senior PGA Golf: GTE Classic	College Basketball: Nebraska at Oklahoma State. (Live)				College Basketball: Notre Dame at Seton Hall. (Live)				Sportscenter	NFL's Greatest Moments				
33	30	DSC	Raging Planet "Tidal Wave"	No Place to Hide	Storm Warning! (R)		Wild Discovery		Big Tooth: Dead or Alive	Justice Files "Vigilantes"		New Detectives (R)		Wild Discovery				
16	31	TNT	(4:00) "The Jerk" (1979)	** "Steel" (1997, Fantasy) Shaquille O'Neal.				Goodwill Games (Live)				**½ "The Jerk" (1979) Steve Martin.						
31	32	A&E	American Justice (R)	American Justice (R)	Love Chronicles (R)		Biography: Peggy Fleming		Stars on Ice		Top 10 (R)		Biography: Peggy Fleming					
27	33	TNN	18 Wheels of Justice (R)	** "Pair of Aces" (1990, Drama) Willie Nelson.				Opry	Grand Opry	George Jones (In Stereo)	Oak Ridge Boys		Opry	Grand Opry	George Jones (In Stereo)			
19	34	NICK	All That	All That	Cartoons	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Spongebob	Amanda	Eddie	All That	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	Lucy and Desi	Laverne	Happy Days	
17	35	USA	(4:30) ** "Kindergarten Cop" (1990, Comedy)	** "Cop and a Half" (1993, Comedy) Burt Reynolds.				*** "Patriot Games" (1992, Suspense) Harrison Ford. (In Stereo)		** "The Beast" (1996) William Petersen.								
28	38	FAM	World Gone Wild	** "I Still Dream of Jeannie" (1991) Barbara Eden.				"Don't Go Breaking My Heart" (1999) Jenny Seagrove.		*** "The Return of the Pink Panther" (1975, Comedy)		Boss?	Partridge					
34	41	MTV	Celebrity	Senseless	Tom Green	Say What?	Say What?	Say What?	Say What? Karaoke Finals (R) (In Stereo)				Diary (R)	Daria	Loveline (R) (In Stereo)	Loveline (R) (In Stereo)		
	43	LIFE	** The Courage to Love				** "The Ring" (1996, Drama) Nastassja Kinski, Linda Lavin.				Oh Baby	Golden Girls	Any Day Now (In Stereo)		Sophie-Moon.			
	44	CNBC	Ushuaia	Tim Russert		Squawk Box	Olympic	National Geographic Explorer (R)				Tim Russert (R)	National Geographic Explorer (R)					
	45	ESPN2	(4:00) College Basketball	Sportscenter		Yachting: America's Cup Finals - Race 2. (Live)				X White Out	Auto Racing		RPM 2Night	NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	NBA		
29	49	AMC	(4:00) "Four for Texas"	**½ "The Omega Man" (1971) Charlton Heston.				**½ "Warning Shot" (1967, Drama) David Janssen.		**½ "The Swinger" (1966, Comedy) Ann-Margret.		"The Omega Man" (1971)						
10	51	SCIFI	(4:30) *** "Innerspace" (1987) Dennis Quaid.	"Roswell: The Aliens Attack" (1999) Steven Flynn.				** "Interceptor" (1992, Suspense) Andrew Divoff.		"Roswell: The Aliens Attack" (1999) Steven Flynn.								
32	52	HIST	(4:00) Shaka Zulu (R)	Shaka Zulu (R) (In Stereo) (Part 5 of 5)				History Undercover (R)	Wrath of God: Disasters	Suicide Missions (R)		True Action Adventures		History Undercover (R)				
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210		M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Married...	Married...	Toughman World Champ.		** "Martial Outlaw" (1993, Drama) Jeff Wincott.				
20	14	HBO	(4:30) "Simply Irresistible"	**½ "Space Truckers" (1997) Dennis Hopper. 'PG-13'				*** "Analyze This" (1999, Comedy) Robert De Niro. 'R'		David Brenner: Vengeance		Boxing: Boxing After Dark. (Live)		Sopranos				
	15	HBO2	Trojan Eddie	** "Home Fries" (1998) Drew Barrymore.		Reverb (R) (In Stereo)		** "U.S. Marshals" (1998) Tommy Lee Jones. 'PG-13'		*½ "Cold Around the Heart" (1997) David Caruso. 'R'		Men Exposed						
	16	HBO3	3 & Baby	**½ "Desperately Seeking Susan" (1985) 'PG-13'				*½ "Hi-Life" (1998) Katrin Cartlidge. 'R'		***½ "Howards End" (1992, Drama) Anthony Hopkins. 'PG'		**½ "If These Walls Could Talk" (1996)						
21	17	MAX	** "Nothing but Trouble" (1991) 'PG-13'	** "Naked Gun 33 1/3: The Final Insult"		*** "The Package" (1989, Drama) Gene Hackman. 'R'		* "Fair Game" (1995) Cindy Crawford. 'R'		"The Key to Sex" (1998) Jeannie Miller.								
	18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	Youngtown and Steps	**½ "Johnny Tsunami" (1999, Drama)		Youngtown and Steps	So Weird	Jersey (R)	Zorro	Spin-Marty			

# NEWS OF THE WEIRD

by Chuck Shepherd

In January, government troops in Ratchaburi, Thailand, quashed a hospital takeover by members of the Burmese rebel gang "God's Army," largely ending the three-year victory run by the 200-strong Baptist fundamentalist insurgents headed by charismatic twins Johnny and Luther Htoo, now believed to be age 12. The Htoos, often photographed chewing or smoking tobacco, inspired devotion from grown-ups by their preaching, having persuaded disciples that they were invincible, immune from bullets and land mines and with the ability to summon thousands of "spiritual" warriors to help in battle. The twins escaped and are still in hiding.

**Demand-Side Regulation:** A bill introduced in the Vermont legislature (by Rep. Fred Maslack) in January would penalize any adult who chose not to own a gun, by requiring him to register with the state and pay a \$500 fee for the privilege of being unarmed.

## People Certain to Get Beaten Up in Prison

In Chicago in October, Bernard M. Kane, 56, pled guilty in a scheme to sell \$135,000 worth of rancid seafood (labeled U.S. Grade A) to state and federal prison kitchens. And the next day in another Chicago courtroom, Richard Pergler, 41, was sentenced to 40 months in federal prison for bilking nursing homes and the government out of \$4.8 million in Medicare

payments for ordinary adult diapers that were passed off as medically sophisticated "external urinary collection devices."

## Family Values

Last spring, Cambridge College (Middlesex, Massachusetts) told Carol Ann LeBlanc, 51, and her son Troy, 29, that they could no longer take classes together in their quest for graduate degrees in psychology. Since 1989, the two have taken their high school equivalency exam together, every class together at Lesley College (where they received bachelor's degrees), and every class together (to that point) at Cambridge College. The administration would not say why it broke up the LeBlancs, except that an instructor had remarked, "(T)here are some things that you wouldn't say with your mother present." In October, the LeBlancs filed a lawsuit against Cambridge.

Fifteen members of an alleged nationwide ring of pimps were indicted in July in Minneapolis, 12 of whom are related to each other and known as the Evans Family. According to the indictment, Johnnie Lee Evans, Monroe Evans, Kiowan Evans, Levorn Evans, Clem Evans and others procured at least 50 women (some of them juveniles) on the street over an 18-year period and inducted them into a life of prostitution in Minneapolis and St. Louis, among other cities. An unindicted Evans daughter defended her father but was unable to explain to reporters how family members lived so well even though they had no



steady jobs.

In closing arguments in September in a Barrie, Ontario, murder case, the lawyer for Jack Heyden, 55, explained why the prosecutor's theory (that Heyden and his son conspired to kill a man) was ridiculous: because Heyden thought his son was "useless." "Mr. Heyden wouldn't hire his son to

cut the grass. Why would he hire him to kill somebody?" (However, in October, the two were convicted.)

Diane Haunfelder, 29, was charged with theft in Waukesha, Wisconsin, in January after her seven-year-old son ratted her out

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24	2	TBS	Somewhere in Time (1980)	★★½ "The Spitfire Grill" (1996, Drama) Alison Elliott, Ellen Burstyn.				★★½ "Dolores Claiborne" (1995, Suspense) Kathy Bates, Jennifer Jason Leigh.				★★★½ "Fargo" (1996, Comedy-Drama)							
3	3	NBC	Natl. Rifle	Van Impe	Kenneth C.	Rod Parsley	Meet the Press	Prophets	Gravity Games (In Stereo)			NBA Show	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Charlotte Hornets.						
4	5	PBS	Barney	Teletubbies	Dragon	Wishbone	Zoboofoo	Arthur	Bottom Line	Comment	Taking Lead	Taking Lead	Living Literature		Tony Brown	To Contrary	MotorWeek	Kentucky	
8	8	ABC	Taxi	Paid Prog.	In Touch Ministries		Children	Pocket Chef	College Basketball: Rutgers at Villanova.			College Basketball: Temple at Cincinnati. (Live)			Figure Skating				
23	9	WGN	Charles	Charles	Malibu, CA	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fresh Prince	Lost World (In Stereo)		★★½ "The Naked Gun 2 1/2: The Smell of Fear" (1991)		★★½ "Another 48 HRS." (1990) Eddie Murphy.						
6	10	CBS	Time of Praise		Church	Century 21	Gateway Gospel		Daytona 500 (Live)								Paid Prog.	PGA Golf	
11	11	FOX	Fox News Sunday		Wall St	Travel	M*A*S*H	Paid Prog.	★★½ "Another 48 HRS." (1990) Eddie Murphy.			★★½ "Beverly Hills Cop II" (1987) Eddie Murphy.			★★ "Boomerang" (1992)				
13	13	CBS	Sunday Morning		Face Nation		Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Daytona 500 (Live)								PGA Golf (Live)		
7		ABC	Hour of Power (In Stereo)		Southland Hour		Tabernacle	This Week	UK News	Paid Prog.	College Basketball: Temple at Cincinnati. (Live)					Figure Skating			
14	43	ESPN	Sportscenter		Reporters	Sportwkly	Sportscenter			PBA Bowling: National Championship.			Winter X-Games		Winter X-Games		Fishing		
33	30	DSC	Zooventure	Boneheads	Hunter-Croc	A.R.K.	Ultimate Guide "Big Cats"		Three Minutes to Impact	Dog's Life (R)		Dog's Life (R)		Dog's Life (R)		On the Inside "The Rodeo"			
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night		In the Heat of the Night		★★ "Problem Child 2" (1991, Comedy) John Ritter.			Goodwill Games (Live)			★★ "Steel" (1997)				
31	32	A&E	(8:30) Breakfast With the Arts (R)		Open Book		House Beautiful (R)	Mysteries of the Bible (R)		Unexplained		Am. Justice	★★½ "Mister Roberts" (1955, Comedy-Drama) Henry Fonda.						
27	33	TNN	Mechanic	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)		Raceday (In Stereo)		NASCAR	Trucks!	Car	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Race of the Week (R)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)			
19	34	NICK	Rugrats	Rugrats	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Thornberrys	Beavers	Catdog	Monsters	Doug	Rugrats	Spongeb	Hey Arnold!	Catdog	Thornberrys	Animorphs	Animorphs	
17	35	USA	USA High	USA High	WWF Superstars		★★½ "Highlander" (1986, Fantasy) Christopher Lambert.		★½ "Poltergeist III" (1988, Horror) Tom Skerritt.		★★ "The Beast" (1996, Horror) William Petersen.								
28	33	FAM	Digimon	Digimon	Weird Ohs	Alien	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Two-Kind	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	★½ "Caddyshack II" (1988, Comedy) Jackie Mason.		★★ "Men at Work" (1990)				
34	41	MTV	TRL Weekend Edition		Diary (R)	Video	Daria	Say What?	Say What? Karaoke Finals (R) (In Stereo)			Senseless	Celebrity	Celebrity	Lycist	Video	Diary (R)		
	43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	"With Harmful Intent" (1993, Suspense) Joan Van Ark.			"In Quiet Night" (1998, Suspense) Julian McMahon.			"Navigating the Heart"				
	44	CNBC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	CNET News.com		
	45	ESPN2	Reel Guys	Back Roads	Auto Racing (R)		RPM 2Day	NASCAR	Track and Field		50 Greatest	WNBA	Women's College Basketball: N.C. St. at Va.		College Basketball (Live)				
29	46	AMC	(8:00) Three Stooges	★★½ "The Disorderly Orderly" (1964)		★★★½ "Oklahoma!" (1955, Musical) Gordon MacRae, Shirley Jones.		Rock Hudson-Tall, Dark		★★½ "The Linguini Incident" (1992) Rosanna Arquette.									
10	51	SCIFI	Battlestar Galactica		Earth 2		Star Trek (In Stereo)		Lexx: The Series	★★ "Swamp Thing" (1982, Fantasy) Ray Wise.			★★ "Night of the Creeps" (1986, Horror) Jason Lively.						
32	52	HIST	Lincoln	Automobiles	Mercedes	History	Black Sheep Squadron		★★★½ "To Hell and Back" (1955, Biography) Audie Murphy.			True Action	Save Our History: The		World War II in Color				
35		FX	Picket Fences		Beverly Hills, 90210		Beverly Hills, 90210		★★½ "Clockers" (1995, Drama) Harvey Keitel, John Turturro.			M*A*S*H	★½ "Mission of Justice" (1992, Adventure) Jeff Wincott.						
20	44	HBO	★★★ "City of Angels" (1998) Nicolas Cage. 'PG-13'		Real Sports (R)		★★ "Her Alibi" (1989, Comedy) Tom Selleck. 'PG'			Worst Witch	Tracey	★★ "Digging to China" (1998) 'PG'		Dance Me					
	45	HBO2	(8:00) Children in War	Boxing: Boxing After Dark.		★★½ "With Honors" (1994) Joe Pesci.		★½ "Frozen Assets" (1992) Shelley Long. 'PG-13'		America	★★★ "The Color of Money" (1986) 'R'								
	46	HBO3	Music From Another Room		★★★½ "Paper Moon" (1973, Comedy) Ryan O'Neal. 'PG'		★★★ "The Purple Rose of Cairo" (1985)		★★ "How Stella Got Her Groove Back" (1998) 'R'			★★★ "Ever After" (1998) Drew Barrymore.							
21	17	MAX	★★★ "Waking Ned Devine" (1998) 'PG'		★★½ "Pet Sematary" (1989) Dale Midkiff.		★★★ "Ed Wood" (1994, Comedy-Drama) Johnny Depp. (In Stereo) 'R'		★★½ "Major League" (1989, Comedy) 'R'			★★★ "Clueless" (1995)							
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Madeline	★★ "Rock-A-Doodle" (1992, Fantasy) 'G'		★★ "Genius" (1999) Trevor Morgan.		MusicVids	Z Games	Flash	GrowPains	Bug Juice			



Sara Hopson Blair

## Monkey On My Back

As bad as I hate to admit it, something has taken over my life. Try as I might, I cannot get "the monkey off my back." And now, I must sheepishly admit that I have an addiction (no, it's not drugs or alcohol) — I have become an Internet e-mail junkie.

My co-worker, Susan, and I have discussed my latest malady at length. And although she and her husband are practically computer whiz-kids, she thinks my obsession with e-mail and the Internet is bordering on phobic.

"Boy, you look tired," Susan said to me one morning last week as I shuffled through the office door. "Bad night?"

"You could say that," I yawned. "I stayed up until 3 a.m. waiting on my sister to e-mail me back, but she never did."

"Were you expecting something urgent?" Susan asked.

"You could say that," I huffed. "I e-mailed and asked her to send me our cousin Jan's e-mail address. And, as of this morning, she hadn't sent it yet."

"Was it that important?" she queried.

"Listen, Susan," I retorted. "To me, the e-mail is just like talking on the phone—you say something, I respond; I say something,

you respond. The way I remember it, there were no long pauses in between replies."

"You gotta remember, it's their turn to talk Sara. After all, you sometimes interrupt..."

"What do you mean?"

"Well, sometimes you don't..."

"I don't understand. You think I'm so impatient that I don't let people respond to my questions?"

"Look, Sara..."

"Okay, okay. Maybe she didn't have to respond immediately, but I was expecting her to. I wanted an answer. Is that so bad?" I asked.

"Sara, you're stressing way too much about this. I think you should just stay off the computer for a couple of days and try to get your life back on track," Susan cautioned.

"Oh, Susan, it's not that bad," I scoffed. "I can quit the Internet anytime I want."

"That's what everybody says, but haven't you heard about the new E-Mailers Anonymous?"

"You've got to be kidding," I answered.

"No, I'm quite serious," she lamented. "I mean, think about it, Sara. Practically every person in America has access to the Internet. I don't think Bill Gates knew what a Pandora's Box he was opening when he turned people on to the Net. Now it's gotten completely out of control. People can't stay off of it."

I couldn't believe my ears. Here was a young, intelligent, computer genius who was in the process of taking advanced computer training. Yet, she thought that the

# SMILE AWHILE...

Internet was taking over people's lives to the point that they needed therapy to help overcome it. That's when I got the following e-mail from my other friend named Susan in San Francisco that confirmed my worst fears:

Top Ten Signs That You Know It's Time To Join E-Mailers Anonymous

10. You wake up at 3 a.m. to go to the bathroom, and check your e-mail on the way back to bed.

9. Your firstborn is named dotcom.

8. You turn off your modem and are suddenly filled with a feeling of emptiness, as if you just pulled the plug on a loved one.

7. You spend half of a plane trip with your laptop in your lap...and your child in the overhead compartment.

6. You decide to stay in college for an

additional year or two, just for the free Internet access.

5. You find yourself typing "com" after every period.com.

4. You refer to going to the bathroom as "downloading."

3. You move into a new home and decide to Netscape before you landscape.

2. You start tilting your head sideways to smile.:

(Drum Roll Please).....AND, THE NUMBER ONE SIGN THAT YOU KNOW IT'S TIME TO JOIN E-MAILER'S ANONYMOUS:

1. Immediately after reading this list, you e-mail it to someone.

(I immediately e-mailed the thing to my sisters.)

## Ed Hamilton exhibit at State Capitol

The Kentucky Historical Society's exhibit "Ed Hamilton: A Kentucky Sculptor" will be on display at the State Capitol through the end of February.

Hamilton is best known for his Amistad Memorial in New Haven, Connecticut, and the Spirit of Freedom, the African-American Civil War Memorial in Washington, D.C. Hamilton's awards include the 1997 Kentucky Governor's Award, the 1999 Black Achiever's Award and the Who's Who Among African-Americans Award.

He is presently working on a bust of the late civil rights leader Medgar Evers.

The KHS exhibit was curated by Michael

Jones of the Kentucky Historical Society and includes a limited edition bronze model of the Spirit of Freedom memorial, as well as a plaster bust of Whitney M. Young Jr. A version of the Young sculpture now stands on the campus of Kentucky State University in Frankfort. The items on display are from the collections of the Kentucky Historical Society and Ed Hamilton Studios Inc.

The Kentucky Historical Society, its museums and facilities are agencies of the Education, Arts and Humanities Cabinet. The Kentucky History Center is the headquarters of the Kentucky Historical Society and is located in downtown Frankfort.

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24	2	TBS	Fargo (1996)	*** "The American President" (1995) Michael Douglas.				*** "Ghost" (1990, Fantasy) Patrick Swayze, Demi Moore.				*** "The American President" (1995) Michael Douglas.							
3	3	NBC	Basketball	NBA Basketball: Los Angeles Lakers at Philadelphia 76ers. [R]				Dateline (In Stereo) [R]		"Little Richard" (2000, Biography) Leon. [R]		News		West Wing (In Stereo) [R]		Twenty One			
4	5	PBS	Old House	Workshop	Garden	Cucina	Lawrence Welk	Nature (R) (In Stereo) [R]		Masterpiece Theatre "All the King's Men" (In Stereo) [R]				This Is America		(Off Air)			
8	8	ABC	(4:00) Figure Skating [R]	News	ABC News	** "Jungle 2 Jungle" (1997, Comedy) Tim Allen. [R]		Be a Millionaire		Practice (In Stereo) [R]		News		NYPD Blue (In Stereo) [R]		Wrestling			
23	9	WGN	*** "Bedknobs and Broomsticks" (1971, Fantasy)		** 1/2 "Days of Thunder" (1990, Drama) Tom Cruise. [R]		Total Recall 2070 [R]		News [R]		Replay		Bzzz!		Beastmaster (In Stereo) [R]		Xena		
8	10	CBS	PGA Golf: Nissan Open - Final Round. [R]	Issues	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	Touched by an Angel [R]		"Flowers for Algernon" (2000, Drama) Matthew Modine.		News		Madison		Access Hollywood [R]					
11	11	FOX	(4:00) "Boomerang" (1992)	3rd Rock	Drew Carey	Futurama [R]	King of Hill	Simpsons [R]	Malcolm	X-Files "X-Cops" (In Stereo)	News		X-Files "Zero Sum" [R]		Simpsons [R]		Simpsons [R]		
13	13	CBS	PGA Golf: Nissan Open - Final Round. [R]	News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	Touched by an Angel [R]		"Flowers for Algernon" (2000, Drama) Matthew Modine.		News		Coach [R]		Coach [R]		Big Break			
7		ABC	(4:00) Figure Skating [R]	News [R]	ABC News	** "Jungle 2 Jungle" (1997, Comedy) Tim Allen. [R]		Be a Millionaire		Practice (In Stereo) [R]		News [R]		ER "House of Cards" [R]		Madison			
14	46	ESPN	Timber	Senior PGA Golf: GTE Classic		Sportscenter		NHL Hockey: Philadelphia Flyers at New York Rangers. (Live) [R]				Sportscenter [R]		Brooklyn Dodgers					
33	60	DSC	Jack the Ripper: Mystery	Inside the KKK		Deadly Bugs (R)		Hot Pursuit - Car Crashes		Why Riots Happen		Summer-Terror		FBI Files "Killer Abroad" (R)		Hot Pursuit - Car Crashes			
16	31	TNT	(4:00) ** "Steel" (1997)	** "Problem Child 2" (1991, Comedy) John Ritter.		Goodwill Games (Live) [R]		Hercules: The Legendary Journeys (In Stereo)											
31	62	A&E	** 1/2 "The Cheyenne Social Club" (1970, Comedy)		Top 10 (R) [R]		Biography "Brian Wilson: A Beach Boy's Tale" (R) [R]		Bunny Years (R) [R]		Biography								
27	33	TNN	Magnificent Seven [R]	AmlLegnds	Shooter	Fishin'	Fishing	Outdoor	Grigsby	Championship Bull Riding: Bullnanza		Outdoors	NASCAR	Car	Pop Secret 400				
19	34	NICK	Animorphs	Shelby Woo	You Afraid?	Animorphs	Journey	Alex Mack	Little Bill	Nick News	Bewitched	Bewitched	All in Family	All in Family	Happy Days	Happy Days	Brady	Wonder Yrs.	
17	65	USA	(3:00) ** "The Beast" (1996, Horror) William Petersen.	WWF Sunday Night Heat		Pacific Blue (In Stereo) [R]		JAG "Death Watch" [R]		La Femme Nikita [R]		Law & Order		La Femme Nikita (R) [R]					
28	63	FAM	(4:00) ** "Men at Work"	World's Greatest Magic (R) (In Stereo)		Janet Jackson: The Velvet Rope (In Stereo) [R]		Famous Families: "The Jacksons" (R) (In Stereo) [R]		Church		Children							
34	41	MTV	Say What? Karaoke Finals (R) (In Stereo)	Tom Green		News (R)	Say What?	Say What?	Video	Road Rules	Road Rules	Diary (R)	Undressed	Undressed	Undressed	Undressed			
43	LIFE	Navigating the Heart [R]	** "Without Consent" (1994, Drama) Jennie Garth.		"Someone is Watching" (1999) Stefanie Powers.		Any Day Now (In Stereo) [R]		Beyond Chance (R) [R]		Cagney-Lacey								
44	CNBC	Ushuaia	Tim Russert (R)		Squawk Box	Hardball (R)	National Geographic Explorer				Tim Russert (R)		National Geographic Explorer (R)						
45	ESPN2	(4:00) College Basketball	Motorcycle Racing: EA Sports Supercross Series.		College Basketball: North Carolina-Charlotte at Memphis.		Hoops		RPM 2Night	SportsCentury: Most Influential Sports Figures (R)									
29	49	AMC	Elegance	*** "Blue Hawaii" (1962, Musical) Elvis Presley.		Screen	** 1/2 "Take Her, She's Mine" (1963)		*** "Family Plot" (1976, Mystery) Barbara Harris, Bruce Dern.		Screen		Arch-Tri.						
10	51	SCIFI	** "Interceptor" (1992, Suspense) Andrew Divoff.		First Wave "The Box" [R]	Into Pitch Black (In Stereo)	Outer Limits (In Stereo) [R]	First Wave "The Box" [R]	Into Pitch Black (In Stereo)	Outer Limits (In Stereo) [R]									
32	52	HIST	World War II in Color	World War II in Color	Sportscasters: Behind	Tales of the Gun	Military Blunders	History Undercover (R)	Sworn to Secrecy	Tales of the Gun (R)									
35	FX	*** 1/2 "Born on the Fourth of July" (1989, Drama) Tom Cruise, Raymond Barry.		** "Aces: Iron Eagle III" (1992) Louis Gossett Jr.		Millennium (In Stereo) [R]		Married...	Dick & Paula	Married...	Fast Food								
20	14	HBO	(4:45) ** "Dance With Me" (1998) Vanessa L. Williams.	*** "City of Angels" (1998) Nicolas Cage. 'PG-13' [R]		Sopranos (In Stereo) [R]		Marc Anthony: Madison Square Garden		** 1/2 "Cruel Intentions" (1999, Drama) 'R'									
15	HBO2	Color	Real Sports (R)		Boxing: Boxing After Dark. (R)	** 1/2 "With Honors" (1994) Joe Pesci. [R]		Black Tar Heroin-Dark End of		Dennis M.	David Brenner: Live	Don King							
16	HBO3	Ever After [R]	*** "The Apostle" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. (In Stereo) 'PG-13' [R]		Out for Love... Be		*** "Fellow Traveller" (1989) Ron Silver.		*** "Music From Another Room" (1998) Jude Law.		Waiting								
21	17	MAX	(4:15) "Clueless" (1995) [R]	** "A Perfect Murder" (1998) Michael Douglas. 'R' [R]		** "A Murder of Crows" (1998) 'R' [R]		1/2 "I Still Know What You Did Last Summer" (1998) [R]		"Tied Up" (1999) Dolph Lundgren. 'R'									
18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Baby-Sitters	So Weird [R]	Gargoyles [R]	Darkwing	Bonkers [R]	** "A Goofy Movie" (1995, Comedy) 'G'		Goofy's Guide to Success (R) [R]		Zorro [R]	Spin-Marty				

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## Chicken Soup for the Golden Soul

(NAPSA)-"How old would you be if you didn't know how old you are?" This quote by Satchell Paige, who made his Major League Baseball debut at age 42, sums up the theme of a new book-Chicken Soup for the Golden Soul (Health Communications, \$12.95). Age is a state of mind. To the contributors of this book, the best days are yet to come because wisdom and maturity can bring about excitement as stimulating as the inspirational energy of youth. The book's heartwarming tales of people finding love, success and the meaning of life at an age when others have given up help to redefine the expression "better with age."

It includes tales by many of America's prominent "mature" citizens who have managed to stay young at heart-Ruth Stafford Peale, Pete Seeger, Robert Fulgham, as well as a story from the late Erma Bombeck. Also detailed are incredible accomplishments, from Katherine Graham winning a Pulitzer Prize at the age of eighty to Verdi writing the classic opera Falstaff at the same age. There's the remembrance of a poor family who considered themselves wealthy because they could do without and give to others; the touching story of a kitten's death that helped heal decades of grief and suffering and the sweet story of a 72-year-old

woman who falls in love and has to consider beautiful lingerie for the first time in decades. Although written for people, 60 and older, each story conveys timeless truths about how anyone can live with maximum meaning and enjoyment. The book was written by Jack Canfield and Mark Victor Hansen, #1 New York Times and USA Today best-selling authors and co-founders of the Chicken Soup for the Soul series; Paul J. Meyer, Barbara Russell Chesser and Amy Seeger of Success Motivation Inc. For more information, call Health Communications at (800) 441-5569 or visit [www.hci-online.com](http://www.hci-online.com).

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24	2	TBS	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Mama	Matlock			Hunter		Movie				Cosby Show	Cosby Show	
3	3	NBC	Later Today	Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	Leeza		News	Extra	Days of Our Lives	Passions			Rosie O'Donnell		Oprah Winfrey			
4	5	PBS	Varied Programs	Assembly	Varied Programs	Theodore	Teletubbies	Barney	Varied Programs				Barney	Mr Rogers	Sesame Street			
8	8	ABC	Brown	Brown	Maury	The View	News	Port Charles	All My Children	One Life to Live			General Hospital		Sally			
23	9	WGN	Wayans	Fam. Mat.	Knight Rider	Matlock	Hawaii Five-0	News		MacGyver			Caroline	Bzz!	Cosby Show	Full House		
6	10	CBS	Enquirer	Paid Prog.	Donny & Marie	Price Is Right	News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.	As the World Turns			Guiding Light		Oprah Winfrey			
11	11	FOX	Forgive or Forget	Judge Lane	Judge Lane	People's Court	Ricki Lake		Jenny Jones	In the House	Parent		Magic Bus	Rangers	Beast Wars	Digimon		
13	13	CBS	Donny & Marie	Montel Williams	Price Is Right	News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light					Nanny	Home Imp.		
7		ABC	Judge Judy	Brown	Sally	The View	Paid Prog.	Port Charles	All My Children	One Life to Live			General Hospital		Montel Williams			
14	43	ESPN	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Varied Programs		PGA Golf			Varied Programs					
33	30	DSC	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design	Christopher Lowell	Home Matters	Design		Christopher Lowell			Great Chefs	Great Chefs				
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman	In the Heat of the Night	Varied Programs					Kung Fu: Legend			L.A. Heat					
31	32	A&E	Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order	Northern Exposure	Night Court	Night Court	Murder, She Wrote						
27	33	TNN	Dukes of Hazzard	Bloopers-Jokes	Cagney & Lacey	Aleene's Creative Living	Waltons	Dukes of Hazzard	McCoys	Alice	McCoys	Alice						
19	34	NICK	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Varied	Franklin	Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Kipper	Doug	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Ace Ventura	Rocko's Life	Rugrats
17	35	USA	Almost	Something	Ned-Stacey	Fired Up	Wings	Wings	Working	Naked Truth	Single Guy	Boston	Movie		Varied Programs		Baywatch	
28	36	FAM	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club	Varied	Boss?	Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Storytime	Bobby	Bad Dog	Monster	Camp Candy	Kids	Angela	Alien	Big Wolf
34	41	MTV	Videos	Varied	Videos	Varied	Return	Spankin'	Varied	News Link	Hot Zone	Varied Programs			TRL		webRIOT	
43		LIFE	Next Door	Attitudes	Chicago Hope	Party of Five	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie					Movie					
44		CNBC	Squawk Box Cont'd	Market Watch			Power Lunch			Street Signs							Market Wrap	
45		ESPN2	NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	Varied	RPM 2Night	Varied Programs						NBA's Great	NBA			Varied Programs	
29	49	AMC	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied Programs			Movie	Varied				
10	51	SCIFI	Incredible Hulk	Sightings	DarkShad	DarkShad	Highlander: The Series	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Lost in Space			Quantum Leap		Star Trek			
32	52	HIST	Real West	In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes	Weapons at War	Varied Programs	20th Century			In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes		
35		FX	Picket Fences	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	Movie				M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue			In Color	In Color		
20	16	HBO	Movie Cont'd	Varied	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs				Movie			
15		HBO2	Movie	Varied Programs														
16		HBO3	Movie	Varied Programs										Movie		Varied Programs		
21	17	MAX	Movie	Movie	Varied Programs				Movie				Movie		Varied	Movie		
18		DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Winnie-Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Rolie Polie	Madeline	Mermaid	Ducktales	Timon	Aladdin	Brotherly	Bug Juice

# SOAP UPDATES

## ALL MY CHILDREN:

Leo warned Paolo to tell no one of their connection. Later, Paolo began ingratiating himself with Marian as part of the plan to break up her marriage to Stuart. Gillian was confused by Ryan's declaration of love. Ryan later interrupted Gillian's wedding to Jake. Brooke gave Rae important information about Fannie Battle. Alex leaned on Edmund for emotional support as she told Joe she'd once killed a man. Rae set out to visit the widow of the doctor who delivered her daughter. Wait to See: Janet has a surprise guest.

## AS THE WORLD TURNS:

Tragic results followed Abigail's confrontation with Molly over Chris. Denise and Andy grew closer, much to Ben's disapproval. Camille grew increasingly curious about Isaac. Katie helped Oakdale's single women with a unique Valentine's Day celebration. Wait to See: Lucinda calls on Jake for help. Henry's plan appears to be working.

## THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL:

Brooke and Eric comforted Rick as Amber blurted out the truth about the death of her and Rick's baby and how she had passed Becky's child off as her own. Morgan DeWitt, a fashion designer and former model, and

Ridge were startled to see each other again. Later, Brooke hired Morgan to work in the design department where she can be a buffer between Ridge and Eric. Thorne told Ridge and Taylor he still loves Brooke. Wait to See: Amber has more to say.

## DAYS OF OUR LIVES:

Nicholas gave Kate a special gift. Vivian and Philip struck an unholy alliance to get Kate out of Victor's life. Rolf and Bart eavesdropped on Bo's plans aboard the Paris flight. An ailing Hope began to sense trouble for her family. Rolf tested John's memories of his past. Wait to See: Brandon visits someone who once knew Abe. Vivian begins a new adventure. The trip to Paris becomes a flight of terror.

## ONE LIFE TO LIVE:

A saddened Bo finally accepted Nora's story about Lindsay. Lindsay then stunned him with the news that she's pregnant. Antonio saved Tea and R.J. from a gas leak. Sam comforted Lindsay and later told Nora he was leaving her. Ben told Skye he now knows that Max was faking his condition. Lindsay told Dorian that Drake dumped her after they slept together. Max forced Skye to retract her statement that she and Max were having an affair. Wait to See: Dorian makes a startling announcement.

Todd Manning comes back to Llanview.

## GENERAL HOSPITAL:

Bobbie confirmed to Sonny that he fathered Carly's child. Sonny then confronted the Quartermaines with the truth. Luke and Felicia followed Stefan's notes to Lucky's old bunker but found no clues there to his current whereabouts. Edward failed to get Sonny to give up his rights to Carly's baby. Gertrude saw Chloe and Jax together. Wait to See: Bobbie offers Carly and Michael a place to stay. Roy is busted. Chloe suffers a sudden headache.

## GUIDING LIGHT:

Drew's discovery caused a new problem for Michelle. Edmund's incriminating videotape fell into the wrong hands. Richard caused a stir with his portrayal of Prince Charming. Reva vowed to get on with her life as Josh and Olivia came to a new understanding. Beth and Jim were married. Wait to See: Danny arranges to set up Carmen.

## PASSIONS:

Timmy and Tabitha waited for T.C. to pick up the envelope with Eve's "naughty" photos. Still under the influence of the drugs Ivy gave her, Grace began walking to the room where she saw a fuzzy view of Sam with a naked woman (Ivy). Suzanne and Julian restarted their old affair. Charity realized

Miguel might die because he tried to save her life. A crushed Theresa watched Ethan rush after Gwen with the engagement ring. Wait to See: Kay continues trying to drive Charity insane.

## PORT CHARLES:

Alan suspended Joe for performing the bone marrow transplant on Neil. Later, Neil took a turn for the worse and called out for Joe. Scott surprised Lucy by suggesting they ask Kevin to be Christina's godfather. Rachel continued trying to push Julie to the edge. Kevin got another mysterious threat. Wait to See: Kevin

receives the most terrifying threat of all.

## THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS:

Diane considered how to get back Victor's sperm specimens. Meanwhile, Chris felt increasingly anxious about Victoria's plan to deal with the stalker on her own. Malcolm was puzzled by Callie's strange behavior. Victor planned to make Brad pay for getting involved with Nikki. Wait to See: Ramona makes a decision that may change many lives.

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# SOAP SCRAPS

by Sally Stone

Agnes Nixon, who has returned as head writer for "All My Children," doesn't buy the premise that soaps are a dying breed.

In fact, Nixon is an enthusiastic supporter of SOAP NET, the new cable operation that will be showing soaps 24 hours a day.

"It's one of the most exciting ideas to come along in years. It gives viewers a chance to catch up on missed episodes. Not everyone has a VCR and for those who do, they might forget to set them. But with SOAP NET there'll be no such disappointments," she said.

SOAP NET will offer repeat episodes of all the current ABC soaps the same day they aired, or from the previous day or week. It will also offer favorites from the past, including "Hotel," "The Colbys," "Ryan's Hope," "Falcon's Crest," "Knots: Landing," and "Sisters."

IN THE MAIL: A "Port Charles" fan says she's concerned about a story involving Neil, a leukemia-stricken boy, and the possible use of a bone marrow transplant or drugs to treat him. She wonders if this story line is

(See Scraps, page eleven)

MONDAY EVENING		FEBRUARY 21, 2000																
IM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Detroit Pistons. (Live)				Inside NBA	*** "Love Jones" (1997, Drama) Larenz Tate, Nia Long.				
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Twenty One (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Third Watch (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night				
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Learn-Read	Business	Newshour With Jlm Lehrer	Kentucky Tonight (Live)	American Experience: Richest Man in the World				Kentucky	Computer	(Off Air)			
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	*** "Ransom" (1996, Suspense) Mel Gibson, Rene Russo. (In Stereo)				News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	*** 1/2 "Mississippi Burning" (1988, Drama) Gene Hackman.				News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "Blow Out"	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Issues	Hollywood	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Amazon		
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	'70s Show	'70s Show	Ally McBeal (In Stereo)	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late		
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	*** "Ransom" (1996, Suspense) Mel Gibson, Rene Russo. (In Stereo)				News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane		
14	43	ESPN	Inside Stuff	Up Close	Sportscenter		College Basketball: Connecticut at St. John's. (Live)		College Basketball: Oklahoma State at Missouri. (Live)			Sportscenter	College Basketball (Live)					
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery			On the Inside "Real LAPD"	Bridges: Reaching Out	On the Inside	On the Inside "Real LAPD"	Bridges: Reaching Out (R)						
16	61	TNT	Hercules-Jrmys.	Hercules: The Legendary Journeys (In Stereo)				WCW Monday Nitro (In Stereo Live)				Hercules: The Legendary Journeys (In Stereo)						
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law		Law & Order "Heaven"		Biography: Judge Judy	Investigative Reports	City Confidential	Law & Order "Terminal"	Biography: Judge Judy						
27	63	TNN	Waltons "The Prize"	Cagney & Lacey "Hot Line"		Matt Houston "Shark Bait"		*** 1/2 "Hostage" (1988, Drama) Carol Burnett.		Life-Denver	Matt Houston "Shark Bait"	Bill Dance	In-Fish					
19	64	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	65	USA	Pacific Blue (In Stereo)	Baywatch "Face of Fear"		JAG "Imposter" (In Stereo)		Walker, Texas Ranger	WWF Raw	WWF War Zone	Farm Club.com	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)						
28	66	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	** "The Night of the Twisters" (1996) John Schneider.			"Earthquake in New York" (1998) Greg Evigan.		Famous Families	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge					
34	41	MTV	Ben Affleck	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	2gether Pre.	"2gether" (2000, Comedy) Premiere.		Videos	Road Rules	Video	Undressed	Loveline (In Stereo)	Undressed		
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait "Faith Hill"	Beyond Chance	"Her Married Lover" (1999, Suspense) Roxana Zal.			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Oh Baby	Mysteries			
44		CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center		Upfront Ton.	Hardball	Rivera Live		News With Brian Williams	Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)					
45		ESPN2	(3:00) NHL Hockey (Live)	Legends	RPM 2Night	Yachting: America's Cup Finals - Race 3. (Live)				NHL Hockey: St. Louis Blues at Mighty Ducks of Anaheim. (Live)				NFL 2Night				
29	49	AMC	*** 1/2 "The Great Man Votes" (1939)		*** "Hellcats of the Navy" (1957)		Hollywood	*** "The Candidate" (1972, Drama) Robert Redford.		**** "The President's Analyst" (1967) James Coburn.				Hollywood				
10	51	SCIFI	Star Trek "Day of the Dove"	Star Trek "Errand of Mercy"	Into Pitch Black (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)	Outer Limits (In Stereo)	Outer Limits "Black Box"	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series							
32	62	HIST	History's Lost & Found	History's Lost & Found	History's Lost & Found		American History Quiz	** 1/2 "The Crossing" (2000, Drama) Jeff Daniels, David Ferry.				Crossing	American History Quiz					
35		FX	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue "Simone Says"	NYPD Blue "Top Gum"		NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue "Hearts and Souls" (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue						
20	14	HBO	Oxford	** 1/2 "Mouse Hunt" (1997, Comedy) Nathan Lane. 'PG'		Happily Ever		** 1/2 "Heartbreak Ridge" (1986) Clint Eastwood. 'R'		**** "Unforgiven" (1992, Western) Clint Eastwood. (In Stereo) 'R'				Substitute 2				
15		HBO2	** "The Thin Red Line" (1998, Drama) Sean Penn, Adrien Brody. (In Stereo) 'R'				*** "Box of Moonlight" (1996) John Turturro. 'R'		Sopranos (In Stereo)		Oz "Straight Life" (In Stereo)	** "Beaches" (1988)						
16		HBO3	(4:45) **** "Sergeant York" (1941) Gary Cooper.		** 1/2 "Sugartime" (1995, Drama) John Turturro. 'R'		** "Framed" (1990) Jeff Goldblum.		"Dinner & Driving" (1997) Joey Slotnick.		** "Hi-Life" (1998) 'R'							
21	17	MAX	(4:15) ** 1/2 "Cobb" (1994, Drama) 'R'	** 1/2 "My Father, the Hero" (1994) 'PG'		"When Justice Fails" (1997) Jeff Fahey.		Second Skin	** 1/2 "Office Space" (1999, Comedy) 'R'		** 1/2 "Men of War" (1995) Dolph Lundgren.							
18		DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	Youngstown and Steps	* "Mr. Magoo" (1997) Leslie Nielsen. 'PG'		"Stanley's Dragon" (1995, Fantasy) Judd Trichter. 'NR'		Smart Guy	Zorro	Mickey				



Frank McGuinness' adaptation of Sophocles' "Electra" will be the next production by Morehead State University theater students. The play is a classic Greek drama that includes murder and revenge, common in today's headlines. Rehearsing are Brooke Reed (kneeling), a Louisville junior, who plays Electra; LaDawna McIntyre, a Raceland sophomore, who plays Chrysothemis, and Tres Dean, a Tutor Key graduate student, who plays Orestes. Performances will be Tuesday through Saturday, February 22-26, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, February 27, at 2 p.m. in Kibbey Theatre on the campus. (MSU photo by Tim Holbrook)

## MSU students present Greek drama

Morehead State University theatre students will present Frank McGuinness' adaptation of Sophocles' "Electra," Tuesday through Sunday, February 22-27, in Kibbey Theatre on the campus.

Showtime is 8 p.m., except for Sunday, when it is 2 p.m.

The play is directed by Dr. Travis Lockhart, MSU director of theater, who describes this production as a classic Greek drama of murder and revenge that mirrors the tragic events of today's headlines.

"Orestes and his sister Electra seek to avenge the murder of their father, Agemnon, at the hands of their mother, Clytemnestra and her lover, Aegisthus. A family is torn apart and the assassins also are victims in a brutal world where vengeance has replaced justice," he said.

Dale Marie Prenatt, a Buffalo Creek, West Virginia, sophomore, is the production stage manager; Elizabeth Payne, South Point, Ohio, senior, is the set designer; Gina Hays, McKee senior, is the properties designer. Kristopher Castle, a Lowmansville junior, is the costume designer, and Phillip Ponder, a Crittenden senior, is the sound designer.

Dr. Mark E. Mallett, MSU assistant technical director, and Chris Kennedy, Newark, Ohio, junior, co-designed the lights.

Tickets for the play are \$6 for adults, \$2 for senior citizens and children and free to MSU students with a valid I.D. card. Reservations are necessary because of limited seating.

Additional information is available by calling MSU's Theatre Box Office at 606/783-2170.

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# Top of the Charts

## Top 10 Pop Singles

1. Savage Garden "I Knew I Loved You" (Columbia) Last Week: No. 1
2. Christine Aguilera "What A Girl Wants" (RCA) No. 2
3. Santana, Feat. Rob Thomas "Smooth" (Arista) Last Week: No. 3
4. Brian McKnight "Back at One" (Motown) No. 4
5. Montell Jordan "Get It On Tonite" (Def Soul) No. 15
6. Blaque "Bring It All To Me" (Track Masters) No. 5
7. Eiffel 65 "Blue (Da Ba Dee)" (Republic) No. 6
8. Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott, Feat. NAS, Eve & Q-Tip "Hot Boyz" (The Gold Mind/EastWest) No. 7
9. Celine Dion "That's the Way It Is" (550 Music) No. 8
10. Marc Anthony "I Need To Know" (Columbia) No. 9

## Top 10 R&B/Dance Singles

1. Montell Jordan "Get It On Tonite" (Def Soul) No. 4
2. Missy "Misdemeanor" Elliott, Feat. NAS, EVE & Q-Tip "Hot Boyz" (The Gold Mind/EastWest) No. 1
3. Donell Jones "U Know What's Up" (Untouchables/La Face) No. 2
4. Jagged Edge "He Can't Love U" (So So Def) No. 3
5. D'Angelo "Untitled (How Does It Feel)" (Virgin) No. 9
6. Destiny's Child "Say My Name" (Columbia) No. 5
7. Joe "I Wanna Know" (Jive) No. 6
8. Ginuwine "None Of Ur Friends Business" (550 Music) No. 7
9. Angie Stone "No More Rain (In This Cloud)" (Arista) No. 10
10. Kevon Edmonds "24/7" (RCA) No. 8

## Top 10 Country & Western Singles

1. Dixie Chicks "Cowboy Take Me Away" (Monument) No. 2
2. Faith Hill "Breathe" (Warner Bros.) No. 1
3. Tim McGraw "My Best Friend" (Curb) No. 3
4. Reba "What Do You Say" (MCA Nashville) No. 4
5. Lonestar "Smile" (BNA) No. 5
6. LeAnn Rimes "Big Deal" (Curb) No. 6
7. Mark Wills "Back At One" (Mercury) No. 9
8. Alan Jackson "Pop A Top" (Arista Nashville) No. 7
9. Brad Paisley "He Didn't Have To Be" (Arista Nashville) No. 8
10. George Strait "The Best Day" (MCA Nashville) No. 18

## Top 10 Video Rentals

1. American Pie Mena Suvari (Universal Studios Home) No. 3
2. The General's Daughter John Travolta (Paramount Home Video) No. 2
3. Entrapment Sean Connery (FoxVideo) No. 1
4. Notting Hill Julia Roberts (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 4
5. Summer of Sam John Leguizamo (Touchstone Home Video) No. 9
6. The Matrix Keanu Reeves (Warner Home Video) No. 7
7. Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me Mike Myers (New Line Home Video) No. 5
8. South Park: Bigger, Longer & Uncut Animated (Paramount Home Video) No. 8
9. Deep Blue Sea Samuel L. Jackson (Warner Home Video) No. 6
10. Election Reese Witherspoon (Paramount Home Video) No. 10

## Top 10 DVD Sales

1. Bowfinger (Universal Studios Home Video) New Entry
2. The Matrix (Warner Home Video) No. 1
3. The Thomas Crown Affair (MGM Home Entertainment) No. 2
4. American Pie (NR Version) (Universal Studios Home Video) No. 3
5. Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me (New Line Home Video) No. 10
6. The 13th Warrior (Touchstone Home Video) New Entry
7. The General's Daughter (Paramount Home Video) No. 9
8. Shawshank Redemption (Columbia TriStar Home Video) No. 6
9. Wood (Paramount Home Video) New Entry
10. Saving Private Ryan (DreamWorks Home Entertainment) No. 7



The American Spiritual Ensemble will appear in concert at the Singletary Center for the Arts at the University of Kentucky in Lexington on Sunday, February 27, at 4 p.m. Advance tickets for the performance are \$12, general, and \$10, senior citizens, students and groups of 20-plus. Tickets at the door will be \$15 and \$12. Tickets can be purchased at the center ticket office and at all Fifth Third Bank locations in Lexington. Call 606/266-8406 or 263-8819 for more information.

## Nova on KET follows attempts to unlock ancient mystery of Israel's 'Lost Tribes'

Israel and southern Africa are separated by 4,000 miles of desert, mountains, rain forest, savanna and open sea. Yet there are intriguing clues that centuries ago a band of Jews found their way to a remote corner of Africa and kept their traditions alive.

Nova retraces the scientific trail of evidence for this remarkable migration in "Lost Tribes of Israel," airing Tuesday, February 22 at 9 p.m. on KET and Saturday, February 26 at 7 p.m. on KET2.

Israel's lost tribes were swallowed up by history after conquering Assyrians banished them from the Kingdom of Judah in 722 B.C.E. Since then, countless conjectures and fantastic theories have been proposed to account for their fate.

Armed with the modern research tool of genetics, anthropologist Tudor Parfitt of London University sets out to cross Africa and investigate this ancient story. After a long journey across the

continent, it is on the lunar-like, desert canyons of the Wadi Hadhramaut, in a nation of devout Muslims, that he chances across what may be the final clue.

Nova "Lost Tribes of Israel" is produced by Cicada Films in association with WGBH/Boston. The program is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## KET looks at how a two-square-mile neighborhood influenced the world

It has been known as the cultural center of the world's capitol. For decades, Greenwich Village has been the epicenter of New York City hip. KET looks at this influential neighborhood in "New York the Way It Was: Greenwich Village," airing on Saturday, February 26, at 11 p.m.

This evocative program takes a nostalgic look at the neighborhood that started a cultural and social revolution and established a legacy of creativity, idealism and attitude.

"New York the Way It Was: Greenwich Village" explores the impact of the Village and those who lived and played there from the 1940s through the 1960s.

Vintage film footage, photographs and interviews capture the spirit of the times as the documentary celebrates Village institutions such as La MaMa, The Living Theater, Cirele in the Square, Judson Church, Limelight Cafe, the Village Vanguard and the Village Gate.

This program brings its viewers back to a time when artists became activists, jazz met poetry and a two-square mile area at the lower end of Manhattan exploded with an energy and attitude that was felt around the world.

New York the Way It Was: Greenwich Village" is produced by WLIW. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## Masterpiece Theatre on KET presents drama based on mystery of Gallipoli

On August 12, 1915, a company of volunteers from Britain's royal estate advanced into withering gunfire during the Gallipoli campaign and was never seen again. Eyewitness spoke of a strange mist that embraced the men and carried them heavenward to safety.

Masterpiece Theatre presents a moving drama based on newly discovered evidence of their real fate on "All the King's Men," airing Sunday, February 20 at 9 p.m. on KET.

David Jason stars as Captain Frank Beck, the king's manager at Sandringham and commanding officer of the home guard of servants, grooms and gardeners, who saw their first—and last—action at Gallipoli. Maggie Smith plays Queen Alexandra, mother to the reigning monarch, George V, and matriarch of the tight-knot Sandringham community.

Also starring are David Troughton as King George V, Patrick Malahide as battalion doctor

Captain Claude Howlett and Ian McDiarmid as the Reverend Pierrepont Edwards, the royal envoy who stumbles on the truth about the lost men—and keeps it secret.

Masterpiece Theatre "All the King's Men," presented by WGBH/Boston is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

# WEEKLY FORECAST

## ACCU WEATHER 7-DAY FORECAST FOR PRESTONSBURG

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Friday	Fri. Night	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Windy with showers and a heavy thunderstorm.	Cloudy and breezy with some rain or drizzle.	Blustery and colder with a flurry possible.	Partly sunny, more tranquil.	Mostly sunny; a nice afternoon.	Becoming breezy and milder with some sunshine.	Cloudy to partly sunny; it may shower.	Variable clouds; chance of showers.
UV Index: 1		UV Index: 1	UV Index: 2	UV Index: 4	UV Index: 2	UV Index: 1	UV Index: 1
High 56	Low 36	42/24	48/28	50/30	58/40	56/38	52/36

UV Values indicate the sun's ultraviolet rays. The higher the UV index the greater the need for eye and skin protection. 0-1, minimal; 2-3, low; 4-6, moderate; 7-9, high; 10 or above, very high.



### REGIONAL CITIES

City	Friday			Saturday			Sunday			Monday			Tuesday		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Alexandria, VA	47	38	r	48	29	pc	45	27	s	43	26	s	49	32	pc
Beckley, WV	52	34	r	42	21	sh	42	23	pc	47	31	pc	49	28	pc
Bristol, TN	58	42	c	50	27	sh	47	23	s	50	31	s	55	31	pc
Charleston, WV	54	32	r	44	28	pc	46	26	pc	42	26	s	42	24	pc
Cincinnati, OH	52	32	r	40	24	pc	42	24	pc	46	28	s	53	32	pc
Clarksville, TN	54	32	r	45	25	pc	50	31	s	58	37	s	60	36	pc
Evansville, IN	47	26	r	39	21	s	48	29	s	54	35	s	58	35	s
Frankfort	50	31	r	41	22	pc	45	28	s	52	33	s	56	33	pc
Huntington, WV	53	35	r	43	24	pc	44	26	pc	49	33	s	55	33	pc
Indianapolis, IN	42	24	r	35	19	s	43	28	s	49	32	s	53	32	pc
Jackson	50	30	r	40	20	pc	45	25	s	50	30	s	55	34	pc
Knoxville, TN	60	40	r	52	30	pc	50	28	s	52	34	s	58	34	s
Lexington	50	31	r	40	22	pc	44	27	s	50	32	s	55	33	pc
Louisia	53	35	r	43	24	pc	44	26	pc	49	33	s	55	32	pc
Marion	50	29	r	41	23	s	50	30	s	56	37	s	60	37	pc
Memphis, TN	60	38	t	48	32	pc	54	34	s	62	40	s	66	44	pc
Nashville, IN	60	36	r	48	26	pc	52	32	s	58	36	s	60	38	pc
Paintsville	55	37	r	45	25	pc	45	26	pc	50	34	s	56	33	pc
Peoria, IL	34	17	sn	34	17	s	42	24	s	49	32	s	51	31	s
Portsmouth, OH	51	33	r	42	23	pc	44	26	s	49	33	s	54	32	pc
Salyersville	54	36	r	45	25	pc	45	26	pc	50	33	s	58	33	pc
Tazewell, VA	55	38	c	46	24	sh	45	23	s	49	31	s	52	29	pc
Valley Station	52	30	r	46	26	pc	48	30	s	52	36	s	58	38	pc
Wheeling, WV	46	30	r	38	19	sn	39	23	pc	44	28	sf	47	28	pc
Williamson, WV	54	36	r	45	26	pc	48	28	pc	51	35	s	57	34	pc
Winchester	50	31	r	40	22	pc	44	27	s	50	32	s	55	32	pc

### COUNTY OUTLOOK



Shown is Friday's weather. Temperatures are Friday's highs and Friday night's lows.

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### Jenny Wiley State Park

A strong cold front will arrive later today with showers and a heavy gusty thunderstorm. Winds will be strong from the south ahead of the front, then swing to the northwest at night. Colder air will follow Saturday with the chance for a few flurries.

### Dewey Dam Lake

A strong system will bring some rain and even a couple of heavy thunderstorms today and early tonight. Winds will shift to the northwest later tonight, and temperatures will fall. There could be a few snow flurries tomorrow.

### MOON PHASES

Phase	Date
Full	Feb 19
Last	Feb 26
New	Mar 6
First	Mar 13

### ALMANAC

Jackson for the week ending Feb. 15.

#### Temperatures:

High for the week	65°
Low for the week	30°
Normal high	44°
Normal low	27°
Average temperature	44.6°
Normal average temperature	35.4°
Temperature departure	+9.2°

#### Precipitation:

Total for the week	1.63"
Total for the month	1.75"
Total for the year	4.29"
% of normal this month	90%
% of normal this year	75%

### SUN AND MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset
Fri.	7:18 a.m.	6:13 p.m.
Sat.	7:17 a.m.	6:14 p.m.
Sun.	7:16 a.m.	6:15 p.m.

	Moonrise	Moonset
Fri.	5:17 p.m.	6:40 a.m.
Sat.	6:26 p.m.	7:24 a.m.
Sun.	7:34 p.m.	8:03 a.m.

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

TUESDAY EVENING														FEBRUARY 22, 2000				
TVData																		
TV	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	*** "McLintock!" (1963, Western) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara.						*** "The Train Robbers" (1973, Western) John Wayne.			
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	3rd Rock	3rd Rock	Will & Grace	Just Shoot	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	GED (R)	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Secrets of Lost Empires	Nova "Lost Tribes of Israel"	Frontline "War in Europe"	Assembly	Between	(Off Air)					
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	College Basketball: Miami at West Virginia. (Live)	Dharma	Sports Night	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer				
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	**** "Glory" (1989, Drama) Matthew Broderick, Denzel Washington.			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "Kill Zone"	In the Heat of the Night					
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	JAG "People v. Gunny"	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)	Judging Amy (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Outer Limits				
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	College Basketball: Miami at West Virginia. (Live)	Party of Five "What If..."	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)							
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	JAG "People v. Gunny"	60 Minutes II (In Stereo)	Judging Amy (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Be a Millionaire	Dharma	Sports Night	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane		
14	46	ESPN	World Golf	Up Close	Sportscenter	College Basketball: Auburn at Alabama. (Live)	College Basketball: Indiana at Illinois. (Live)	Sportscenter	50 Greatest	50 Greatest								
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Kalahari	On the Inside "Real LAPD"	New Detectives (R)	FBI Files "Cat and Mouse"	On the Inside "Real LAPD"	New Detectives (R)								
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice "Shrink"	In the Heat of the Night	ER (In Stereo)	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at Charlotte Hornets. (In Stereo Live)	Insid NBA	Bandit "Bandit, Bandit" (In Stereo)										
31	32	A&E	Magnum, P.I. "Past Tense"	L.A. Law	Law & Order "Survivor"	Biography: Queen Noor	Investigative Reports	Love Chronicles	Law & Order	Biography: Queen Noor								
27	33	TNN	Waltons "The Theft"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	Matt Houston (In Stereo)	Bowling (In Stereo)	Rollerjam (R) (In Stereo)	Championship Bull Riding	Matt Houston (In Stereo)	Outdoor	Outdoor							
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Skeeter	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	35	USA	Pacific Blue (In Stereo)	Baywatch (In Stereo)	JAG (In Stereo)	Walker, Texas Ranger	** "Live Wire" (1992, Suspense) Pierce Brosnan.	Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)									
28	33	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	** 1/2 "Avalanche" (1994, Suspense) Michael Gross.	My So-Called Life	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge					
34	31	MTV	(4:30) "2Gether" (2000, Comedy)	Postshow	Tom Green	Lyracist	Say What?	TRL Wanna	TRL (R) (In Stereo)	Tom Green	Lyracist	Undressed	Loveline (In Stereo)	Undressed				
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Por	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	From Unsolved Mysteries: The Sleepwalker Killing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Mysteries					
44		CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center	Upfront Ton.	Hardball	Rivera Live	News With Brian Williams	Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)							
45		ESPN2	ESPNNews	50 Greatest	Car Show	Motoworld	RPM 2Night	College Basketball: Georgetown at Rutgers. (Live)	College Basketball: George Washington at Xavier. (Live)	NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	RPM 2Night						
29	49	AMC	All-Young	Robeson.	** "The Bedford Incident" (1965) Richard Widmark.	Black Exp-Hollywood	*** "Purlie Victorious" (1963)	** 1/2 "Cornbread, Earl and Me" (1975) Moses Gunn.	Black									
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrnys.	Sliders "World Killer" (R)	Xena: Warrior Princess	Xena: Warrior Princess	Xena: Warrior Princess	Xena: Warrior Princess	Pollergest: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series								
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	James Gang (R)	20th Century (R)	Family Feud: The Hatfields	Civil War Combat	American Steel	Ships of Slaves	Family Feud: The Hatfields								
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	X-Files "Anasazi"	Married...	Married...	X Show	X-Files "The Blessing Way"						
20	13	HBO	(4:00) *** "Titanic" (1997) Leonardo DiCaprio. 'PG-13'	** 1/2 "Grumpy Old Men" (1993) Jack Lemmon. 'PG-13'	*** "Analyze This" (1999, Comedy) Robert De Niro. 'R'	Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)	Dennis M.	"Mercy" 'R'										
45		HBO2	Family Video Diaries	** "Great Expectations" (1998) Ethan Hawke. 'R'	"Caracara" (1999) Natasha Henstridge. 'R'	** 1/2 "Downtown" (1990, Comedy) 'R'	Real Sports (R)	Boxing (R)										
45		HBO3	** 1/2 "Without a Trace" (1983, Drama) Judd Hirsch. 'PG'	*** "The Color of Money" (1986) Paul Newman. 'R'	*** "The Apostle" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. 'PG-13'	** 1/2 "Ruby" (1992, Drama) Danny Aiello. 'R'												
21	17	MAX	(4:30) "Blind Date" (1987)	*** 1/2 "Nobody's Fool" (1994) Paul Newman. 'R'	** 1/2 "The Siege" (1998) Denzel Washington. 'R'	** 1/2 "Color of Night" (1994, Suspense) Bruce Willis. (In Stereo) 'R'	Love Games											
48		DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	** 1/2 "The Color of Friendship" (2000)	"Kidz in the Wood" (1996) Dave Thomas.	** "Goodbye, Miss 4th of July" (1988, Drama)	Zorro	Mannheim							

# CRITTERS CORNER

by Carol Combs-Morris, DVM

I actually bought one of those "What to Name Your Pet" books once, and I have no idea why. I could write my own, with the animals that have come and gone through my life in the last 40 odd years. Here's an abbreviated version:

When I was five or six years old, for some reason I couldn't say the names of colors without adding a "y" to the end of the word. Thus, the first animal I ever named was my cat, Orangi. I guess it was he who started me on my lifelong obsession with animals.

I've named lots of pets since, and it's not always easy! My mother refused to give an animal a human name because she thought it was degrading (to the animal), while my friend Anita gives all of hers both a first and middle human name.

Rex, Jecky, Blondie, Ginger, Rusty, Cookie, Rocky and Legend came to us pre-named, and we didn't mess with them. Duke the coonhound already had his first name, but is now officially Duke Slone. This in honor of his first owner,

who allowed him to stay on with us as clinic mascot when it became obvious that he could no longer hunt after an injury that cost him the use of his legs. (One front, one hind—he gets around amazingly well).

Lady became Ladybug to give her a more unique name. The previously named Top Gun, Destiny, and Willie Snicklefritz became Gunner, Desi and Fritz for obvious reasons.

Some of our pets were named for their looks. We have a Beagle named Snoopy who could have been Charles Schultz' model for the comic strip. My mother named two black cats Pitch and Tar, and then we had a cat with the unimaginative name of Whitley for 17 years. Mom used to put him on the phone so I could talk to him long-distance from Alabama when I was in Vet School.

Personalities dic-

tated some names—Loopy Lou, for instance. Sassie's name fits her personality, but is really just a nickname for Dammit. Once again, Mom bestowed that one, but I needed something a little more polite to scream out the back door at 2 a.m., when she went on a barking frenzy.

Circumstances dictate the naming of some of our animals. When I pulled the bedraggled collie mix out of the creek eight or nine years ago, I could not imagine him living long enough to need a name. Once we had removed the three arrows protruding from his head, got rid of the lice, and got his Demodectic mange under control, he was thriving and it became obvious that he would have to be given one.

"We can't just go on calling him the 'little arrow dog,'" I commented one day to my assistant, Carol.

"You know, actually we could," she said. "I've been thinking about that—'Little Arrow Dog'—'L.A.D.'—'Lad.'" And so Lad it was, although we always spelled it LAD in memory of his ordeal. We still have him, by the way.

Linus was named for his constant need of clean "security blankets" while being raised as an orphan,



and Deputy Dog was literally scraped (frozen) off the highway and brought in by a sheriff's deputy.

I don't particularly like to repeat names, but make some exceptions. Casey was named after my husband's Pat's childhood dog, and we have Topaz II, who is the exact double of a cat I used to have.

Some that don't fall into any other category:

Bristol and Charlotte—brother and sister black-and-white domestic shorthairs—because Pat is a stock car fanatic. I balked at Talladega for a third kitten.

Jake and Elwood—the Red (tabby) Brothers.

Trixie, Calamity Jane (Janie), and Bertha, as in the Butt Sisters—the Three Puppies Who Wouldn't Stop Growing.

Sam is a cat I found behind Wal-Mart,—who now officially resides with the Martin family at Wayland, one of my few successful adoptions.

Mosion—now that one was original! Mosion was an imaginary, highly caustic mineral my cousins, Greg and Bill and I made

up. It required great skill, bravery, and of course the invisible, protective Mosion Suit, in order to mine it successfully. We were kids in eastern Kentucky with too much time on our hands. Mosion the kitten was a sickly little thing doomed to a short life as surely as if he had forgotten his protective suit.

Britta sounded a little German and suitable for a stray German Shepherd, I thought. Pat's comment—"Great, now we've got a dog named for a water filter." I reminded him I had added a second "T".

Buster, the Pit Bull mix, was given a name that fit his sunny, outgoing personality, and I hoped would make him less intimidating to people who met him. My friend—Teresa had a huge Pit Bull named Squat because he took forever to learn to raise his leg.

We really do give some of our animals "normal" names, just because they seem to fit—Mollie, Susie, Zoe, Toby, Otis, Jasmine, Brie, Chloe, Herbie. Hey, for us those ARE normal names. (By the way, we didn't have ALL these animals at the same time!)

I still haven't covered all of them, but I'm running out of room. I'd like to hear some of your unusual pet names, and I'll try to do sequels to this article occasionally.



WEDNESDAY EVENING																FEBRUARY 23, 2000			
																TVData			
IM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30		
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	WCW Thunder	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder (R)				
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	College Basketball: Kentucky at Tennessee. (Live)	Law & Order (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night						
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Page	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Mark Russell	Journey Into Amazonia (In Stereo)	Assembly	Hotels	(Off Air)							
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Be a Millionaire	Drew Carey	Spin City	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer			
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Caroline	** "The Gun in Betty Lou's Handbag" (1992, Drama)	News (In Stereo)	MacGyver (In Stereo)	In the Heat of the Night							
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	College Basketball: Kentucky at Tennessee. (Live)	Grammy Awards (In Stereo)									
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Train Jump	Secrets of Street Magic	News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)						
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Grammy Awards (In Stereo) (Live)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late							
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Be a Millionaire	Drew Carey	Spin City	NYPD Blue (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane			
14	48	ESPN	(2:00) PGA Golf (Live)	Sportscenter	College Basketball: Villanova at Syracuse. (Live)	College Basketball: North Carolina at Florida State. (Live)	Sportscenter	World Golf	RPM 2Night										
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Everglades	On the Inside "Real LAPD"	Survive V (R)	Breakout (R)	On the Inside "Real LAPD"	Survive V (R)									
16	31	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night	ER (In Stereo)	*** "The Green Berets" (1968, Drama) John Wayne, David Janssen.	*** "The Man Who Would Be King" (1975)												
31	32	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law	Law & Order "Jurisdiction"	Biography "Richard Speck"	Investigative Reports	American Justice (R)	Law & Order	Biography "Richard Speck"									
27	33	TNN	Waltons "The Odyssey"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)	Matt Houston "The Visitors"	Dead Man's Gun (In Stereo)	18 Wheels of Justice	Magnificent Seven	Matt Houston "The Visitors"	Bassmastr.	Bill Dance								
19	34	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne	
17	35	USA	Pacific Blue "Black Pearl"	Baywatch "The Incident"	JAG "Clipped Wings"	Walker, Texas Ranger	*** "A Bronx Tale" (1993, Drama) Robert De Niro. (In Stereo)	Walker, Texas Ranger	Stalkings										
28	33	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	**½ "Flood: A River's Rampage" (1997, Drama)	Higher Ground (In Stereo)	700 Club	Boss?	Partridge						
34	41	MTV	(3:30) TRL	Blame Game	Road Rules	Road Rules	Grammy Preshow	Tom Green	Tom Green	Music Videos (In Stereo)	True Life	Diary	Undressed	Loveline (In Stereo)	Undressed				
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	"Navigating the Heart" (2000, Drama) Jaclyn Smith.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Mysteries						
44		CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center	Upfront Ton.	Hardball	Rivera Live	News With Brian Williams	Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)								
45		ESPN2	ESPNNews	50 Greatest	Motorcycles	RPM 2Night	Yachting: America's Cup Finals -- Race 4. (Live)	Bloopers	NHL Hockey: St. Louis Blues at San Jose Sharks. (Live)										
29	49	AMC	Look Who's Laughing	**½ "The Big Carnival" (1951, Drama) Kirk Douglas.	"The Return of Frank James" (1940)	Screen	**½ "That Touch of Mink" (1962, Comedy) Cary Grant.	"Red Line 7000" (1965)											
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jmys.	Sliders (R) (In Stereo)	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Tales-Crypt	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series					
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Cassidy-Sund.	20th Century (R)	Discharged Without Honor	Civil War Cmbt	Lost Marvels (R)	Great Ships "The Galleons"	Discharged Without Honor									
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue "Bombs Away"	X-Files "The Blessing Way"	Married...	Married...	X Show	X-Files "Paperclip"							
20	14	HBO	"In the Line of Duty: Blaze of Glory"	** "Pink Cadillac" (1989, Comedy) Clint Eastwood. 'PG-13'	Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)	Oz "To Your Health" (R)	David Brenner: Vengeance	**½ "8MM" (1999) 'R'											
15	HBO2	(4:30) **½ "Hi-Life" (1998)	*** "Ever After" (1998) Drew Barrymore. 'PG'	Children in War (R) (In Stereo)	Sanders	Sanders	* "Sphere" (1998) Dustin Hoffman. (In Stereo) 'PG-13'												
16	HBO3	**½ "Love Me Tender" (1956, Musical)	** "The Inner Circle" (1991, Drama) Tom Hulce. (In Stereo) 'PG-13'	*** "Invasion of Privacy" (1996) 'R'	**½ "Implicated" (1998) William McNamara. 'R'	Family Bus.													
21	17	MAX	(4:30) * "The Avengers" *	**½ "Hope Floats" (1998) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'	* "The Patriot" (1998) Steven Seagal. 'R'	**½ "Wing Commander" (1999) 'PG-13'	Whole New	Hot Line (R)	** "Slam" (1998) 'R'										
18	DISN	Torkelsons	Youngtown and Steps	Smart Guy	**½ "Cats Don't Dance" (1997) 'G'	** "The Dirt Bike Kid" (1985) 'PG'	"Windrunner" (1994, Drama) Russell Means. 'PG'	Zorro	Mickey										

# Weird

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as having directed him to shoplift a CD player and a camera from a Wal-Mart. However, according to authorities, Haunfelder claimed she was actually performing a public service by setting the boy up to get caught so that he would learn the consequences of crime: "I picked out the most expensive (items) so he'd get in trouble."

## People Who Are Not Like You and Me

A 36-year-old father was arrested in Norwalk, Connecticut, in January and charged with allowing his two-year-old son

# Scraps

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based on fact or "hyped." I contacted the medical advisor, Dr. Neena Kapoor, who is the Clinical Director of the Division of Research Immunology/Bone Marrow Transplantation in a Los Angeles facility. She assured me the writers are following strict medical guidelines and that we can accept the story as medically accurate.

ON THE MOVE: Debbi Morgan, who is not a doctor but has played doctors twice on TV (ex Dr. Ellen, "Port Charles" and ex Dr. Angie, "AMC" and "Loving") signed to do a LIFETIME pilot called "Strong Medicine."

If Jensen Ackles leaves the role of Eric on "Days of Our Lives" in July (as rumored), the show is not expected to recast the part for some time.

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to puff away on a cigarette in a restaurant. (According to an eyewitness, the kid handled the cigarette like it wasn't his first one.) And a 33-year-old mother was arrested in Euless, Texas, in December and charged with permitting her four children to drink alcohol at home, including a 16-month-old boy with a .126 blood-alcohol reading. (According to authorities, the woman said, "He wants what his mama wants. What am I supposed to do about it?")

## Cliches Come to Life

Life Imitates Art: Rowan Atkinson, who plays the shy, bumbling Mr. Bean in the British TV series, fled on foot from onlookers in October after being involved in a car crash near Lancashire, England. According to a witness, Atkinson ran in the distinctively awkward Mr. Bean style ("His arms and legs were flapping") to a nearby factory, where he hid until reporters left.

Writing in a 1998 issue of the British Medical Journal, researchers concluded that physicians indeed have "unusually poor handwriting" — worse than that of other health-care professionals. In October 1999, a jury in Odessa, Texas, ruled that a physician's sloppily written prescription caused a pharmacist to dispense the wrong drug, which contributed to the death of a 42-year-old man. (The family of the deceased said they were basically satisfied with their doctor's ability, except for his handwriting.)

## Update

When Peter "Commander Pedro" Langan made News of the Weird in 1997, he had not yet outed himself as a transsexu-

al-in-progress, probably because he had just been convicted of assault and firearms charges as the leader of a white supremacist gang in Ohio and feared what his neo-Nazi buddies might do to him if they knew he suffered from "gender confusion." In November 1999, a Columbus Dispatch story on Ohio inmates applying for state-funded sex-change operations revealed that Commander Pedro is now out of the closet, having requested the surgery and having asked guards to treat him as a woman.

## Least Competent Criminals

Trevor Brian Smith, 26, was arrested for bank robbery in Cary, North Carolina, in January after police alerted banks in the area. The day before, the manager of a Central Carolina Bank had noticed a man pacing outside his front window, getting up his nerve, while wearing a large false nose, a bad blond wig and gold-rimmed clown glasses, and who had covered the front license plate of his car before approaching the door. The manager called the police, but as the man was set to enter, a passing fire truck scared him away. A similarly dressed Smith was arrested at another bank the next day.

## Also, in the Last Month ...

A murderer sentenced to 92 years in prison but paroled after 21 years won the \$3.9 million Missouri Lottery. A kindergarten teacher was suspended after forcing a defiant blackboard-doodling pupil to lick off her graffiti (Oakland, California). The man in charge of enforcing Falmouth, Massachusetts, sexual harassment regula-

tions for the last nine years was fired, for sexual harassment. A Hawaii state senator introduced a bill to permit government workers to go to sleep during their coffee breaks. A man charged with manslaughter by DUI and released on bail on condition that he not drive, arrived late to his first court hearing, absentmindedly explaining to the judge that he had trouble finding a parking space (Olathe, Kansas).

(Send your Weird News to Chuck Shepherd, P.O. Box 18737, Tampa, Fla. 33679 or Weird@compuserve.com, or go to www.NewsOfTheWeird.com/.)

## Notes for travelers

(NAPSA)-Although most travelers don't expect to see more than an airport lounge at a layover city, it's a good idea to check the forecast before departure and pack your carry-on accordingly. The off chance that you may be delayed due to inclement weather can be sorely inconvenient without the appropriate essentials and weather gear.

Some airlines offer "passenger relief packs" for flights delayed over 45 minutes. The kits include a ten-minute calling card, a meal voucher and a discount coupon for another trip. You usually must ask for the kit however, not just wait for the airline to hand it out.

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THURSDAY EVENING																FEBRUARY 24, 2000		
TV	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	★★★ "Rumble in the Bronx" (1995) Jackie Chan.			★★★ "The Running Man" (1987) Arnold Schwarzenegger.			Eddie Macon			
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friends	Jesse	Frasier	Stark Raving	ER "Be Patient" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	GED (R)	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Antiques Roadshow	Mystery! "Trial by Fire" (In Stereo)			Assembly	Naturescene	(Off Air)				
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire	20/20 Downtown	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Caroline	★★★ "Highlander II: The Quickening" (1991, Fantasy)			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "The Odd Triple"	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Diagnosis Murder	Chicago Hope "Simon Sez"	48 Hours "In a Panic"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Poltergeist				
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	★★★ "The Nutty Professor" (1996) Eddie Murphy.			News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Diagnosis Murder	Chicago Hope "Simon Sez"	48 Hours "In a Panic"	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Whose?	Whose?	Be a Millionaire	20/20 Downtown	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane		
14	46	ESPN	(2:00) PGA Golf (Live)		Sportscenter			College Basketball: Purdue at Michigan. (Live)			College Basketball: Marquette at South Florida. (Live)			Sportscenter	World Golf	Strongman		
33	60	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery			On the Inside "Real LAPD"			Science Mysteries	Into the Unknown		On the Inside "Real LAPD"	Science Mysteries (R)			
16	61	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night			ER "A Hole in the Heart"	★★★ "Pale Rider" (1985, Western) Clint Eastwood, Michael Moriarty.			★★★ "Sudden Impact" (1983, Drama) Clint Eastwood, Sondra Locke.							
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I. "Flashback"	L.A. Law "The Bald Ones"			Law & Order	Biography: Tanya Tucker			Investigative Reports	Inside Story (R)		Law & Order	Biography: Tanya Tucker			
27	63	TNN	Waltons "The Triangle"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)			Matt Houston (In Stereo)	★★★ "The Day Lincoln Was Shot" (1998) Rob Morrow.			Life-Denver	Matt Houston (In Stereo)		In-Fish	Bassmastr.			
19	64	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Skeeter	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne
17	65	USA	Pacific Blue "Soft Targets"	Baywatch (In Stereo)			JAG "Wedding Bell Blues"	Walker, Texas Ranger	★★ "Buried Alive II" (1997, Suspense) Tim Matheson.			Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)					
28	68	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	"Panic in the Skies!" (1996, Suspense) Kate Jackson.			Wow! Most Awesome Acts	700 Club	Boss?		Partridge		
34	41	MTV	Say What?	Blame Game	MTV Jams	Beat Suite	Celebrity	Senseless	Say What?	TRL Wanna	TRL (R) (In Stereo)	Celebrity	Senseless	Undressed	Loveline (In Stereo)	Undressed		
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	★★★ "Cast the First Stone" (1989) Jill Eikenberry.			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Mysteries			
44		CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center	Upfront Ton.	Hardball	Rivera Live	News With Brian Williams			Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)					
45		ESPN2	ESPNews	50 Greatest	NHRA Mag.	Street Rod	RPM 2Night	College Basketball: NC State at Georgia Tech			Sportscenter of the Decade: 1900-1949 (R)			NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	RPM 2Night		
29	49	AMC	(4:00) ★★★ "The Long Gray Line" (1955)	★★★ "Too Many Girls" (1940) Lucille Ball.			★★★★ "Around the World in 80 Days" (1956, Adventure) David Niven.			★★★ "Son of Paleface" (1952) Bob Hope.			"Reptilicus"					
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jmys.	Sliders "Just Say Yes"			Adventures of Buckaroo Banzai			★★★ "Addams Family Values" (1993) Anjelica Huston.			★★★ "Addams Family Values" (1993) Anjelica Huston.					
32	62	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Guns-Tamed the West			20th Century (R)	Quantrill's Raiders (R)	Civil War Combat: Homel's	Grand Coulee Dam (R)	Secrets of World War II (R)	Quantrill's Raiders (R)						
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210			M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	X-Files "Paperclip"	Married...	Married...	X Show	X-Files "D.P.O." (In Stereo)				
20	14	HBO	★★★ "Raising Arizona" (1987) PG-13			★★ "Dance With Me" (1998, Drama) Vanessa L. Williams. PG			★½ "Gloria" (1999, Drama) Sharon Stone. R			Strippers-Nakd		★½ "Soldier" (1998) R				
15		HBO2	Big Bsness	★★ "Lethal Weapon 4" (1998, Action) Mel Gibson. (In Stereo) R			★★★ "Cruel Intentions" (1999, Drama) R			Eddie Izzard: Dress to Kill (R) (In Stereo)			★★★ "The Jack Bull" (1999, Western) R					
16		HBO3	(4:45) ★★★½ "Sunrise at Campobello" (1960)	★★★½ "Paper Moon" (1973, Comedy) Ryan O'Neal. PG			★★½ "Betsy's Wedding" (1990) R			Rachel's Daughters: Causes of Breast Cancer			Home Fries					
21	17	MAX	Major League: Minors	★★★ "The Package" (1989, Drama) Gene Hackman. R			"The First 9 1/2 Weeks" (1998) R			★★½ "Cocktail" (1988, Drama) Tom Cruise. R			"Surrender" (1999, Adult) NR					
18		DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	"Halloweentown" (1998, Comedy)			"Noah" (1998) Tony Danza.			★★★ "Kiki's Delivery Service" (1989, Adventure) G			Zorro	Mickey	

## Chubby Carrier brings his swamp funk to the Kentucky Center for the Arts

Chubby Carrier and The Bayou Swamp Band will be cooking in Louisville's Bomhard Theater, Friday, March 10, at 8 p.m., as part of the Bank One Lonesome Pine Special Concert Series.

It's the seventh annual "Fat Friday" Mardi Gras Party, and tickets for the event are \$18, and can be ordered by calling the Kentucky Center for the Arts Box Office at 584-7777 or 1-800-775-7777. Or visit us at [www.kca.org](http://www.kca.org).

Music that cooks, that's what Chubby Carrier serves up. He calls it "high

energy swamp funky music." Fans have described it as a one-of-a-kind blend of R&B, blues, zydeco soul, cajun, rock and roll, and gospel, a sort of musical amalgam driven by accordion and rubboard.

Categories are meaningless, however, for the man called "the Jimi Hendrix of the accordion." His music is as unique as it is infectious.

Carrier is a third-generation zydeco master, who learned his licks from his father and grandfather, and still gets on stage with the whole Carrier family (his

brother is an accomplished player, too) for some four-way accordion gumbo.

His style is still deeply rooted in the zydeco sound he learned as a boy, but at his father's insistence, Carrier put his own mix together. "We still got that spicy gumbo," he says, "but we're adding a Sixties groove with horns and percussion. It's the whole pot of gumbo."

This mixture of old and new, tradition and innovation, keeps Carrier playing all year long, opening for such headliners as The Rolling Stones.

## Helen Schneider at Kentucky Center for the Arts

American-born, European sensation Helen Schneider will offer an evening of fabulous music by Kurt Weill and Stephen Sondheim at the Kentucky Center for the Arts, in Louisville, Saturday, March 11, at 8 p.m., in the Bomhard Theater.

Tickets for this New Master Series event are \$26, and include a Pre-Show Discussion at 7 p.m. in the Small Rehearsal Hall. For tickets, call 502/584-7777 or 1-800-775-7777.

An award-winning actress/singer in Germany and throughout Europe, Schneider's stage roles include Salley Bowles in "Cabaret," Norma Desmond in "Sunset Boulevard" and Eva Peron in "Evita." It's as a sultry chanteuse, however, that she is winning her greatest acclaim.

German critics have already likened her to Judy Garland, Ella Fitzgerald, and the consummate interpreter of Kurt Weill's music, Lotte Lenya. And American critics have been no less effusive.

Of her performance at the Spoleto Festival USA, the (Spoleto) Post and Courier says, "You get the feeling the evening is going to be unforgettable. And it is."

The City Paper of Philadelphia says, "An entire drama of human experience was encompassed over the span of a single song." And Variety calls Schneider "a major talent, with astonishing vocal range, a full palette of emotional color and superior acting technique."

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24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	★★½ "Corrina, Corrina" (1994, Comedy-Drama) Whoopi Goldberg						★★ "Brewster's Millions" (1985, Comedy) Richard Pryor, John Candy				
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Providence	Dateline	Law & Order		News	Tonight Show		Late Night			
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Workplace	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Comment	McLaughlin	Wash. Week	Wall St	Austin City Limits		Assembly	European	(Off Air)			
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Sabrina	Be a Millionaire	Hughleys		20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Full House	Caroline	★★★½ "The Hunt for Red October" (1990, Adventure)				MacGyver "Deathlock"	MacGyver "Thin Ice"	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Kids Say	Kids Say	Now and Again		Nash Bridges "Cop Out"	Sports Overtime		Late Show	Beastmaster		
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Wildest Police Videos		Wildest Police Videos		News	Divorce	Divorce	Jerry Springer (R)				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Kids Say	Kids Say	Now and Again		Nash Bridges "Cop Out"	News	Late Show	Late Late			
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Sabrina	Be a Millionaire	Hughleys		20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane		
14	46	ESPN	(2:00) PGA Golf (Live)	Sportscenter			Up Close Special			NHL Hockey: Colorado Avalanche at St. Louis Blues. (Live)						Sportscenter	World Golf	NHL 2Night	
33	60	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)			Wild Discovery			On the Inside: Militia	News	Discover	Storm Warning!			On the Inside: Militia	News	Discover	
16	61	TNT	Dark Justice	In the Heat of the Night			ER "Day for Knight"			NBA Basketball: Phoenix Suns at New York Knicks. (In Stereo Live)			Insid NBA	★★½ "Dragnet" (1987, Comedy) Dan Aykroyd					
31	62	A&E	Magnum, P.I.	L.A. Law "Fetus Completus"			Law & Order			Biography: Heinz		L.A. Detectives		Poirot "Incredible Theft"	Law & Order "Blood"	Biography: Heinz			
27	63	TNN	Waltons "The Separation"	Cagney & Lacey (In Stereo)			18 Wheels of Justice (R)			Extreme Wrestling		Rollerjam (In Stereo)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)	Bowling (R) (In Stereo)	Championship Bull Riding				
19	64	NICK	Double Dare	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Rocket	Brady	Hillbillies	All in Family	Jeffersons	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Happy Days	Laverne	
17	65	USA	Pacific Blue "Runaway"	Baywatch (In Stereo)			JAG "To Russia, With Love"			Walker, Texas Ranger		★★ "That Old Feeling" (1997, Comedy) Bette Midler			★★ "The Substitute" (1996, Drama) Tom Berenger				
28	63	FAM	(4:00) ★★ "Bushwhacked"	"Deadly Invasion: The Killer Bee Nightmare" (1995)			My So-Called Life "The Zit"			Higher Ground (In Stereo)		Exploring the Unknown		700 Club	Boss?		Partridge		
34	41	MTV	Say What?	Daria (R)	Daria (R)	Daria (R)	Daria (R)	News	"2Gether" (2000, Comedy) (In Stereo)			Daria	Fanatic	Undressed	Loveline (In Stereo)	Fanatic (R)			
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)			"When He Didn't Come Home" (1998) Patty Duke			Once and Again (In Stereo)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls			
	44	CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center			Upfront Ton.		National Geographic Explorer				News With Brian Williams	National Geographic Explorer (R)				
	45	ESPN2	ESPNews	50 Greatest	Thrill-Spill	RPM 2Night	Yachting: America's Cup Finals - Race 5. (Live)			Boxing: Friday Night Fights - Harris vs. Oliveira			NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	RPM 2Night				
29	49	AMC	Bringing Up	★★★ "The World of Suzie Wong" (1960, Drama) William Holden			★★ "Murphy's War" (1971, Adventure) Peter O'Toole			Cinema	★★½ "Godzilla" (1956) Raymond Burr		★★½ "Easy Living" (1949)						
10	51	SCIFI	Hercules-Jrny.	Sliders (R) (In Stereo)			Brimstone "Repentance"			Farscape "Nerve" (R)	Farscape (R) (In Stereo)		Lexx: The Series "Lyekka"	Farscape "Nerve" (R)	Farscape (R) (In Stereo)				
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Dalton Gang (R)			20th Century (R)			History's Lost & Found	Civil War Cmbt		Inside the Presidency	Century: America's Time	History's Lost & Found				
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210			M*A*S*H			M*A*S*H		NYPD Blue "Dirty Socks"	X-Files "D.P.O." (In Stereo)		Toughman World Champ.	X Show	X-Files (In Stereo)		
20	14	HBO	(4:00) "City of Angels"	Happily Ever			American Hollow (R) (In Stereo)			★★½ "Wild Things" (1998) Kevin Bacon		★★½ "Cruel Intentions" (1999) Sarah Michelle Gellar, 'R' Dennis M.		"Heartbreak Ridge" (1986)					
	15	HBO2	Downtown	★★ "U.S. Marshals" (1998, Suspense) Tommy Lee Jones. PG-13			★★★ "Don King: Only in America" (1997) Ving Rhames			Workspace	★★ "Trail of a Serial Killer" (1998) 'R'		Sopranos (R) (In Stereo)						
	16	HBO3	Play It, Sam	★★½ "The Sicilian" (1987) Christopher Lambert. 'R'			★★ "Framed" (1990) Jeff Goldblum			Sex and-City	Sex and-City		★★★ "A Lesson Before Dying" (1999)		★★½ "The Night We Never Met" (1993)				
21	17	MAX	Nothing but Trouble (1991)	★★ "Why Do Fools Fall in Love" (1998) Halle Berry. 'R'			"Love and Action in Chicago" (1999)			★★★★ "Saving Private Ryan" (1998, Drama) Tom Hanks. (In Stereo) 'R'		Erotic							
18		DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	Youngstown and Steps	"You Lucky Dog" (1998) Kirk Cameron		'N Sync in Concert (R)		So Weird	Jersey (R)	Zorro	Mickey			

# Natasha's Stars

## ARIES

(March 21 to April 19)

People seem to be dragging their feet in making a decision involving a loan, a job, a house or another current event in your life. Be patient.

## TAURUS

(April 20 to May 20)

Someone may call you stubborn, but your bullish determination to stick with your instinct is right on the mark. Stick with your decision.

## GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20)

Get up. Get out. Get going. This is the time you've been waiting for to put some of your plans in motion. Positive action also benefits your sometimes-neglected relationships with family and friends.

## CANCER

(June 21 to July 22)

A piece of property becomes the center of a distressing dispute with a loved one. An outsider offers advice on a compromise that could prevent a painful breakup. Be flexible in making your decision.

## LEO

(July 23 to August 22)

You might have to choose between repaying a loan that's long-overdue or losing a friend who's been close to you for many years. Someone else is watching to see what you decide to do.

## VIRGO

(August 23 to September 22)

A longtime relationship will wind up on the endangered species list unless you're willing to work hard to save it. Those who insist it's not worth your time have their own agendas in mind.

## LIBRA

(September 23 to October 22)

A change in your work status leaves you feeling unappreciated. Your inclination is to exit rather than accept it. But it would be wiser to see how things develop before taking drastic action.

## SCORPIO

(October 23 to November 21)

Stop hibernating and get out more if you hope to shed those late-winter blues. Being with people you like brings light and warmth back into your life.

## SAGITTARIUS

(November 22 to December 21)

Playing games with someone else's emotions isn't appreciated. What you see as playful teasing is perceived as painful evasion.

## CAPRICORN

(December 22 to January 19)

Someone brings painful reminders of a tragic loss. It'll be difficult, but you need to face him to help yourself come to terms with still-unresolved questions about the past.

## AQUARIUS

(January 20 to February 18)

The time is favorable for doing things that you've put off for too long. A message carries the promise of new or renewed

romance. A health report brings good news about a loved one.

## PISCES

(February 19 to March 20)

There's a tendency to spread yourself too thin when trying to meet all the demands on your good nature. Focus on a few worthy efforts instead of dissipating your energy on trying to please everyone.

## YOU BORN THIS WEEK:

Your loving nature often impels you to look out for others before you consider your own needs. You have a gift for teaching and a deep appreciation of nature. You love to garden, even if space limits you to tending plants on a window ledge.

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## Journey into Amazonia on KET explores world's largest tropical wilderness

Journey Into Amazonia, airing Wednesday, February 23 at 8:30 p.m. on KET, captures the spirit of the world's largest tropical wilderness—the Amazon Basin rainforest.

Recognized as one of Earth's natural wonders, the rainforest is comprised of swollen rivers, flooded forests and dense canopy. This program offers a close look at the rainforest and the rarely seen animals that inhabit it as they contend with the volatile waters of the world's largest river system. Rod Steiger narrates.

The first episode, "Waterworlds," features the churning waters of the world's mightiest river, the force that creates, destroys and shapes Amazonia. Water is to Amazonia as sand is to the Sahara.

It is the most crucial—and volatile—factor affecting the animals and plants that live in the biologically rich Amazon.

"The Land Reborn" reveals a world teeming with predators. Stealthy jaguars prowl, army ants swarm and tarantulas

bring down rodent prey as two-and-half-million square miles of rainforest emerge from the floods.

The program takes viewers from the margins of lagoon, river and flooded forest into a counterfeit paradise. This is evolution's workshop, containing plants and animals that natural selection has honed to occupy truly bizarre ecological niches.

"The Big Top" explores the luxuriant mantle of the world's greatest rainforest. Though scientists estimate that half the world's species live in the canopy of the tropical rainforest, little is known about this rarely glimpsed zone in which life and death dramas play out more than 100 feet above the forest floor.

Journey Into Amazonia is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

# Treasure

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has colorful underwriters, individuals and businesses who contribute money for the station's operation and have their names mentioned periodically.

For instance, among the sponsors are the Otis Campbell Society (think of the "Andy Griffith Show" character) and a group that bills itself as "a bunch of bureaucrats from Abandoned Mines." Several of the sponsors are from Floyd County.

Besides music, you'll hear some talk shows, call-ins, poetry readings, and the Commander Trivia show which enlivens Sunday afternoons with music and trivia questions people call in to answer.

WMMT broadcasts throughout southeastern Kentucky, eastern Tennessee, western Virginia, southern West Virginia, and northwest North Carolina. It recently became Internet accessible, reaching an international audience.

## June Appal Recordings

Part of the Appalshop complex is June Appal Recordings, a record label that focuses on local artists. Although it records contemporary musicians, perhaps the most important contribution of June Appal is its preservation of traditional mountain music.

Mountain treasures, such as Lee Sexton, have been saved for posterity

because of June Appal Recordings — as sweet as its namesakes.

Locally, the David Crafts store carries tapes and CDs from the Appalshop recording studio.

## Roadside Theater

Known internationally, Roadside Theater is on the road most of the time, dramatizing Appalachian culture, interpreting mountain folk with love and respect.

The small troupe of multi-talented performers has shared the beauty of the Appalachian region across the United States and in many foreign countries.

Mixing music, monologue, dialogue and other dramatic techniques, Roadside Theater interprets and reflects mountain life, its history, music and art. The cast frequently performs for schools.

## Headwaters Television

Like Appalshop Films, Headwaters Television prepares programs on Appalachian topics for the Public Broadcasting System. Tradition and social issues are common topics.

## Art

In the last few years, Appalshop has promoted works by Appalachian artists, making a gallery of its spacious lobby.

On display this month are paintings by Jeff



The lobby of the Appalshop building transforms into an art gallery for exhibits such as the current one by Eolia artist Jeff Chapman-Crane. A reception for the artist took place earlier in the month.

Chapman-Crane of Eolia in Harlan County. Several Floyd County artists have had their work exhibited at Appalshop.

## Seedtime

Forget the parades and beauty queens. Seedtime on the Cumberland is not your ordinary festival. Generally the first weekend in June, the Seedtime festival features demonstrations by Appalachian craftspeople, a performance by Roadside Theater, soup bean dinners, storytelling sessions, viewing of recent films, and loads of music from bluegrass to country to gospel.

## Icing

In addition to its other offerings, Appalshop regularly hosts live music performances in its intimate auditorium by well-known bluegrass and mountain musicians.

Over the next few months, you can see the Larry Stephenson Band (March 9), Melvin Goins and Windy Mountain (April 13) and the Lynn Morris Band (May 11). Showtime is 7:30 p.m.

Appalshop also frequently sponsors community forums on issues of concern to this region, such as welfare reform and

mountaintop removal. Its staff is also involved with the preservation of the old Caudill General Store at Blackey.

Workshops on the banjo, guitar and other instruments are offered annually, bringing in masters, who demonstrate, as well as teach.

Appalshop has been called a "jewel" by the National Endowment for the Arts and "one of the nation's most important

community-based humanities centers" by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

And it's ours! Perhaps, it's time more of us learned to appreciate this treasure.

For more information: 606/633-0108; www.appalshop.org or info@appalshop.org.

## Directions

You can get to Whitesburg a couple of ways from Floyd County. The most common is to

take KY 80, turning at KY 160 to Hindman, around Carr Fork Lake to KY 15 at Redfox and on into Whitesburg.

A roundabout, but interesting route, is to take KY 7 from the Garrett-Wayland area to Isom and then get on KY 15. A superbly scenic route is US 23 to Jenkins and then US 119 over Pine Mountain.

All the routes are winding, but the journey and the end are worth the effort.



Seedtime on the Cumberland is not an ordinary festival with parades, carnivals and pageantry. Rather, it celebrates the best of mountain culture, featuring music, theater, crafts, films and food. It takes place annually in early June at Appalshop in Whitesburg.



Tapes and discs of music by Appalachian artists are produced by June Appal Recordings, a part of the Appalshop complex.

# BASIC AND PREMIUM CHANNELS

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| 1. TVN Previews (Digital only)    | 11. WVAH 11 - FOX Hurricane, W.VA  | 22. Cinemax*                     | 32. Cartoon Network      |
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| 5. Cable Ch. 5 - West Van Lear    | 15. VH-1                           | 26. The Discovery Channel        | 36. The Weather Channel  |
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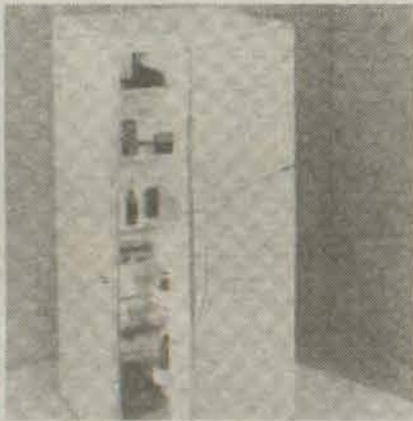
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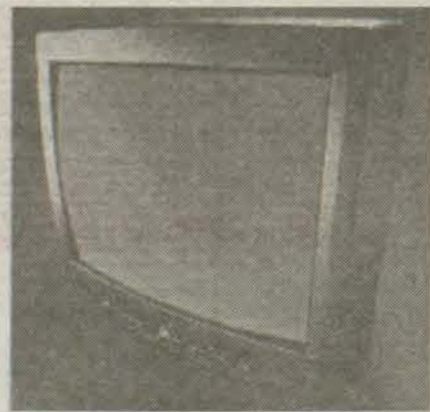


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**Tourism**

ia for the commemoration. The Tourism Commission will ask for a 15 percent cut from the profits. James will request that the entire community participate in the celebration by decorating businesses in a specific period for the year.

In other news, James reported the travel shows in Lexington, Louisville and Columbus produced fewer numbers than expected. "I felt like they were weak overall," he said.

The travel shows, which were done in cooperation with Paintsville, solicit prospective visitors to Prestonsburg. The recent shows were at boat/fishing expositions.

With the booths recognizing the Mountain Arts Center and the Kentucky Opry, James said the presentation needed to be spruced up to reflect fishing opportunities in the area.

James and Mark McLemore said the tourism program needs to be strengthened to secure more day travelers.

"Night times, I would put us up with anyone," said James.

"These groups want to stay busy," said McLemore of tourists. "They want to go from point A to point B to point C."

"Demands are getting greater and greater and greater," said James. Groups book lodging in the area, see a show and are gone, he said.

"That's not good enough," said James. "We need something to hold them. We need something along the way to get them to stop."

A printer and a scanner were purchased for the commission by James. The two pieces of office equipment were purchased for \$200 and \$75, respectively.

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**Sweet dreams**

This has been Spirit Week at Prestonsburg High School, and these pajama-clad folks were "dreaming" of a championship on Tuesday. Even teachers got into the act, including Roy Penix, Karen DeRossett, Georgeann Parsons and Janet Conley. The wearing of Valentine colors, twins day, and 1980s nostalgia are among ways the week has been marked. Today, students and staff were encouraged to wear school colors in "crazy ways."

**AEP offering teacher workshops this summer**

Teachers wanting to broaden their knowledge and earn college and credit this summer, can find American Electric Power's offering of workshops for educators at the AEP Education/Community web site—<http://www.aep.com>.

AEP, in partnership with local universities and organizations in four states, will offer 13 workshops for teachers of grades K-12. Workshops are located in Ohio, West Virginia, Virginia and Indiana with first priority given to educators living and teaching within AEP's service territory.

Course topics will include energy, environmental, economic, scientific inquiry, technology and community development issues. Workshop class sizes range from 12 to 30 teachers. The workshop application deadline is April 30.

Each workshop will give teachers hands-on experience, real-world perspectives, and materials, technologies and strategies that they can use to improve student achievement. Most workshops feature one or more tours that may include: surface or underground coal mines; mine-reclamation areas; international wildlife preserve; constructed wetlands; coal-fired or hydro-electric power plants; river transportation facilities; or an electric power system control center.

The workshops range from two to 10 days. All offer graduate credit, ranging from one to three hours. Graduate credit is free at most workshops, although a few require fees for credit, and some require a nominal, nonrefundable registration fee. Teachers may be eligible for housing, meal and mileage reimbursements based on the participant's distance from workshop sites in Indiana, Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.

Workshop awards include nomination for the Council for Aid to Education Leaders for Change and honors from the National Environmental Awards Council and Ohio's BEST Practices.

Workshop co-sponsors include Center for Energy and Economic Development, Economics America Ball State University, Indiana Council for Economic Education, Indiana University South Bend, Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne Center for Economic Education, Marshall University, Muskingum College, The Ohio State University, Ohio University, Ohio University-

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**ACLU**

gious belief," Vessels told The Floyd County Times last week.

But while several other local governments allowed the display of the Commandments before Harlan, Pulaski and McCreary counties and several dozen have done so afterward, Vessels said the ACLU does not have plans right now to add any more defendants to the list. That's because Vessels said the ACLU chose to target Harlan, Pulaski and McCreary counties because they were representative of other local governments and because any decision in the case against those counties would affect all others as well.

Still, that does not mean the ACLU will not add Floyd or other counties in the future.

"We know (the other counties are) out there and we may choose at any time to file suit against the others," Vessels said.

And there is no guarantee that someone else will not file suit against Floyd or any other county for posting the Commandments. If they do, they could try to seek something the ACLU is not — money.

Vessels said the ACLU is not seeking to line its pockets with the lawsuits by asking for punitive damages against the counties it has named in its lawsuit. The group is instead only asking for the courts to order counties to remove the Commandments. He did say, however, that the ACLU would seek reimbursement of its court costs.

"We're not in this for the money by any means, but there are court-related costs which will come from the taxpayers' pockets," Vessels said.

Although he said he was not familiar with the details of Floyd County's decision to allow the posting of the Commandments,

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Vessels said the judicial system has established a three-prong test to determine whether such actions violate the First Amendment. Those criteria include:

- Whether the display has the intent of promoting religion.
- Whether the display has the effect of promoting religion and
- Whether the display entangles government and religion.

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The Prestonsburg Little League will be having an organizational meeting to elect officers for the upcoming 2000 season. They will hold the meeting at 8:00 a.m. Saturday, February 26, 2000, at Billy Ray's Restaurant. They invite all interested persons to attend.



# Cash prizes offered in statewide cleanup event

A \$500 prize is one of the new additions to this year's Commonwealth Cleanup Week. A total of three cash prizes will be given to nonprofit groups that do their part to "spring clean" Kentucky.

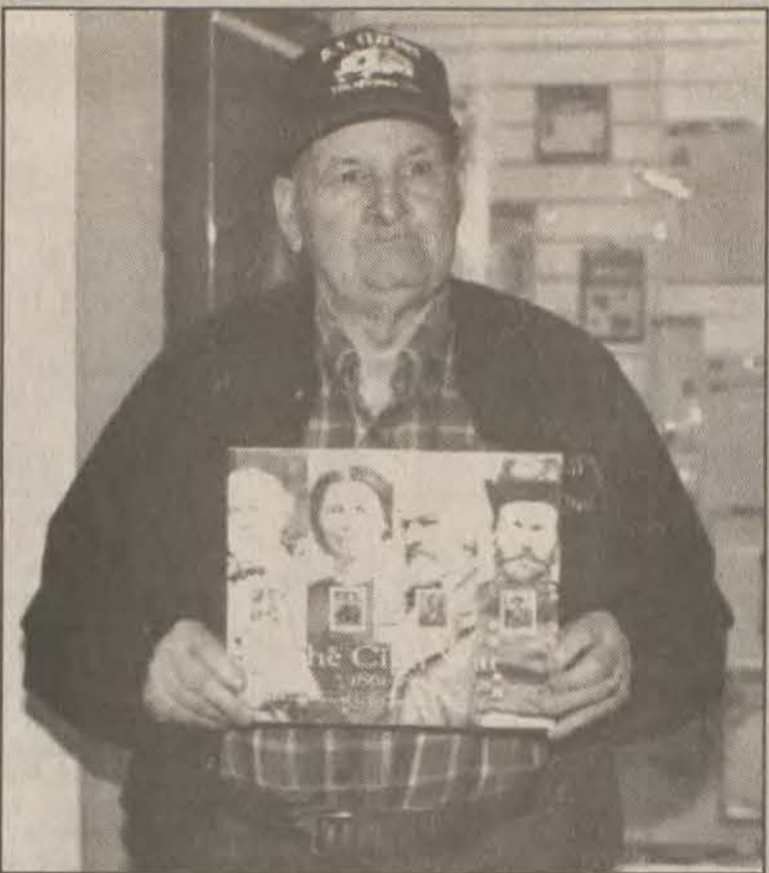
Commonwealth Cleanup Week, March 18-25. After the conclusion of Commonwealth Cleanup Week, three groups will be selected at random for one of three cash prizes—\$500, \$250 and \$100.

The Kentucky legislature designated the fourth week in March as "Commonwealth Cleanup Week" and gave the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet the duty of leading cleanup efforts. Last year's event was a big success, with 108 counties participating, and almost 21,000 people pitching in to remove trash from roadsides, illegal dumps, lakes, rivers and streams.

The size of a group's project and the number of volunteers in the group will not affect the group's eligibility or its odds of winning a cash prize. Individuals, state employees, for-profit businesses and companies regulated by the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet are not eligible to win a prize.

This year, a drawing for cash prizes gives volunteers another reason to participate. The drawing is open to civic groups, religious and charitable organizations and other nonprofit groups who complete an assigned cleanup project during

To become eligible for the cash prize drawing, nonprofit groups should call 1-888-NO-DUMPS or their county's solid waste manager. They can also find all the information they need on the Internet at [www.nr.state.ky.us](http://www.nr.state.ky.us) in the "What's New" category.



Drift and McDowell post offices chose Valentine's Day to hold their customer appreciation day. Liza Mitchell of Drift takes one (well, maybe two) of the Valentine cookies that were served at Drift, while Pete Caudill displays one of the prizes that was part of the activities. At Drift, Glo Osborne won a 1996 mint set and Rosa Daniels won a t-shirt, and at McDowell Betty Bryant won a Civil War commemorative mint set and Willie Elliott won a t-shirt. (photo by Willie Elliott)

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• Be sure you understand policies regarding diagnostic fees, labor rates, return of old parts and guarantees.

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ASE is not recommending hanging over the shoulder of the repair technician. But there are things the average vehicle owner can do to help ensure a good repair experience.

For a copy of ASE's brochure "How to Communicate for Better Automotive Service," send a self-addressed, stamped business envelope to: ASE, Communications Brochure, Dept. NU-001, 13505 Dulles Technology Drive, Suite 2, Herndon, VA 20171-3421.

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• Read the owner's manual to learn about the vehicle's systems and components.

• Follow the recommended service schedules; keep a log of all repairs and service.

Inspect your car for:

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• Worn tires, belts, hoses.

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# Hours extended

To be more accessible to students, the graduate office at Morehead State University will extend its hours, beginning March 1.

The Office of Graduate Programs, located in 701 Ginger Hall, will be open Monday through Thursday, from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m. On Fridays, the office will maintain an 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. schedule.

"We realize that a lot of our graduate students have jobs and other

responsibilities that make it a hardship to call or stop by our office during our regular hours," said Susan Maxey, coordinator of graduate programs. "We are hopeful that the extended hours will alleviate some of the stress from their lives."

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Dr. Ammisetty resides in Pikeville with his wife, Dr. Vijaya Ammisetty, who is beginning her residency, and their four-year-old son.

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# Viewpoint

## QUOTE OF THE DAY...

This time, like all times, is a very good one, if we but know what to do with it.

Ralph Waldo Emerson—

Friday, February 18, 2000 A4

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

—First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution—

## Editorial

### State merit system should stay untouched

The head of the Kentucky Association of State Employees thinks it is unfair that Kentucky's merit system limits the political activities of state workers.

So under the sponsorship of Sen. Joey Pendleton, D-Hopkinsville, Senate Bill 96 cleared the Senate State and Local Government Committee on a 9-1 vote last week. The bill would allow state employees the choice to assist in voter-registration drives, speak at political rallies and contribute to campaigns. Employees would still be barred from participating in political activities while at work.

It is interesting that a system that is being portrayed as regressive and interfering with basic rights to become involved in politics is in fact one of the only safeguards state workers have to protect them from political pressuring.

That is why this bill needs to be defeated. Prior to 1960, state workers served at the mercy of whichever administration was in office. And to show their gratitude and loyalty for being employed, they were expected to stump for the candidates their bosses recommended.

If that were not enough, they also had a portion of their wages deducted to help fund the campaigns of whomever the administration was touting for various offices. For this, they were secure in their jobs — until of course, the administration that hired them fell out of favor with the voters. It mattered little if they were good at their jobs when they were hired; mattered even less when the new administration fired them.

Needless to say, this is not the most effective way to run government. So in 1960, new Gov. Bert Combs instituted a true merit system, designed to take the political shenanigans out of state employment. Workers no longer were automatically out of work when a new governor took over. Their wages were no longer garnished. And the rampant politicking was ceased.

Since that time, the rules of the merit system have been tinkered with a bit, but their basic precepts are still intact. Workers can attend political rallies in their free time, but not take active roles.

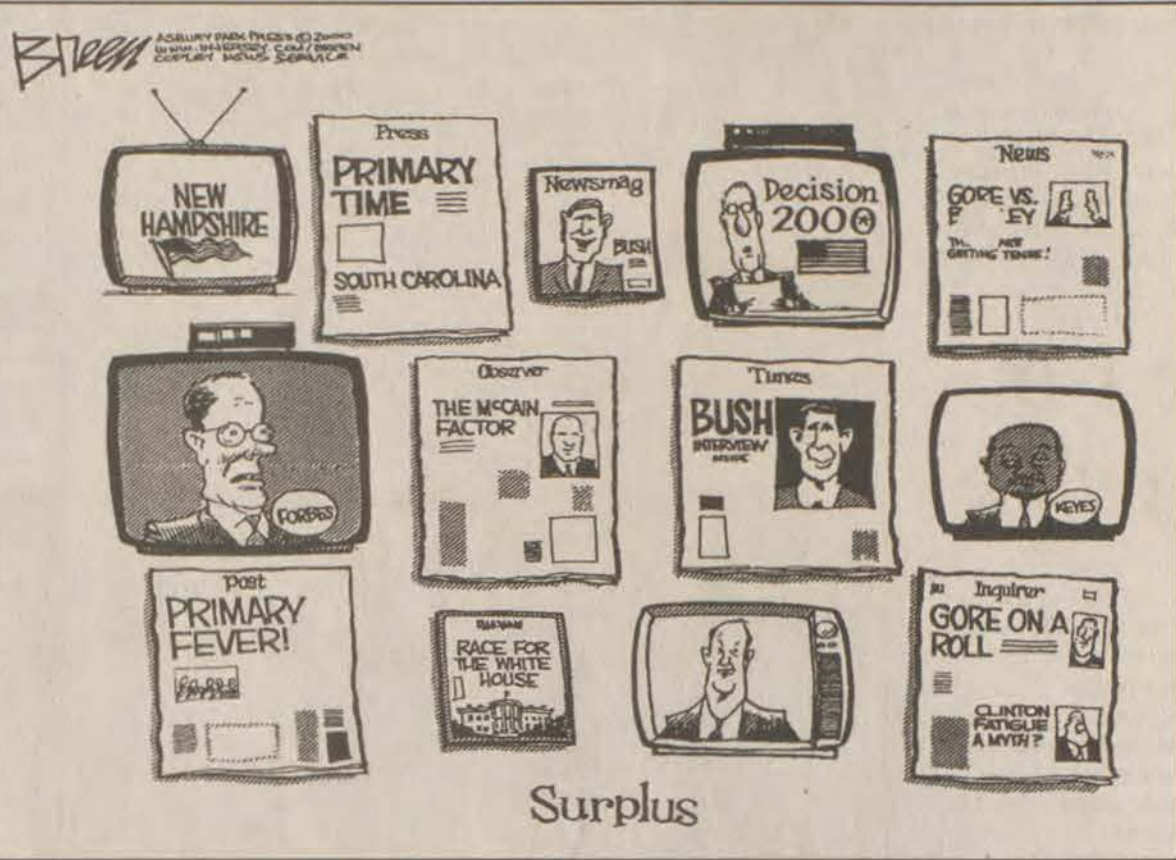
Now come some legislators who want to emancipate state workers from the shackles of this oppression. Charles B. Wells, executive director of the state workers association, said the bill would insulate workers from on-the-job retribution for supporting a candidate whom a supervisor opposed.

But when Senate President David Williams pressed Wells for examples of when state workers have had their rights infringed, Wells offered none.

When systems are put in place to eliminate wrongdoing, there are going to be occasions when the rules may seem too stringent to some. But the system we have now helps ensure that Kentuckians have public servants who are free to do their jobs without political intrusion.

Let us leave it be.

—Owensboro Messenger-Inquirer



Surplus

## Letters to the Editor

### Children are not taught respect

Editor:

This is Den Hunter saying hello, as I in detail describe a few things on my mind. I hope you enjoy hearing of my concern for this community. I think this world needs a few improvements and we adults as members of this community could show our respect for this place and make a few changes in this world, especially with the discipline of children in the public schools.

Children nowadays don't seem to listen, don't seem to care, only just what they're looking for, and that is all they are looking for. I think we should make an organization to form a committee to run a petition to put the Bibles back in the school systems of today, and for the future school systems. If the children would only listen to the teachers and respect what is going on in their lives today, this world would be a better place and maybe the children would receive a better education policy. Without an education, a person can't really have a life. All they do is work their life away and amount to nothing.

Expressing my feelings about some of our laws that have been changed over the years, like taking the prayers out of the schools and I feel like a big mistake was taking the spankings out of schools. When the children get in trouble, they put the blame on the

parents, which I myself think it should be put on the person who took the Bibles and prayers out of school.

When I was little, I know I got many a spanking, but I deserved them. If I hadn't acted up, I wouldn't have got those spankings, and I thank the teachers for teaching me my lessons and teaching me to respect my elders.

There is a big difference in child abuse and getting a good spanking. If you beat a child, it is considered child abuse. But if you give your child a spanking, that shows that child that you love and care for it and you don't want it to get in trouble.

A friend of mine told me that his son was carrying a box. He asked him why he was leaving home and he replied in a still small voice that his mom and dad were not minding him. Anymore, that seems to be the way it is today.

But to me, it seems to be wrong and disrespectful. You should respect your parents, your elders and all people.

If you agree or disagree, please write me at Den Hunter, P.O. Box 267, Harold, Ky. 41635, or call me at 587-2772.

Den Hunter  
Harold

### Why not remove the speed limit altogether?

Editor:

Heard on the morning TV newscast that some state legislators want to raise the speed limit on Route 80 between Prestonsburg and Hazard. At first, I thought, "What a stupid idea." But then I began thinking, "Why not remove the speed limit completely?"

It would be good for the economy. The funeral homes would do a booming business. The state would have to hire more workers to shovel up glass and body parts. People who are always speeding because they are always late wouldn't have to worry anymore. They'd be dead under a coal truck on Autobahn 80.

It would help the young people of eastern Kentucky by opening up jobs vacated by people dying every day, driving as fast as they like on old bloody Route 80.

The state could save money by getting rid of the expense of the state police giving out speeding tickets. Lots of people get speeding tickets, but I never knew anybody who actually had to pay a fine.

So let's all support getting rid of that speed limit on 80 that most everybody disregards anyway and put the pedal to the metal.

Stephen Martin Sr.  
Martin, Ky.

### Support for the bottle bill

Editor:

I am writing with grave concern over the lack of interest in a piece of proposed legislation currently in Frankfort.

This piece of legislation would truly impact our state environmentally, as well as esthetically. As far as an environmental hazard, our quality of life and health are effected every day because of pollutants that come from roadside litter; think about it! Esthetically speaking, our state will never realistically become a "tourism state" until a vast clean-up is undertaken, i.e. a wide, comprehensive "piece of legislation, hence a "bottle bill." There isn't any reason to have Mountain Arts Centers, state parks, golf courses, or any points of interest, if the roadways to these are littered. While traveling in numerous other states, I couldn't help but notice how immaculate

some places were. In fact, much more enjoyable than viewing garbage in streams, bottles along highways, and "decorations" hanging in trees!

Cost? You ask—yes a few cents more; however, you'd be surprised at how much better we could breathe, and how much beauty would be visible. Maybe we could actually then "see the forest, for the trees, or rather, more appropriately, "the forest for the garbage!"

Join me in supporting our legislators in this effort to make Kentucky truly what God created.

Kitty Holbrook Frazier  
Auxier  
PRIDE Volunteer  
Dewey Lake Clean-up Volunteer  
Original member of Floyd County's First Litter Task Force

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## Soap Box

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer



### We need a gym

When I was younger my family embraced a religion that pretty much set the course for most of my life. That religion was quite strict and with a Saturday Sabbath celebration, most of my peers and I avoided school sports altogether.

Because we could not participate in the school sports, the church had youth sports and adult teams to fill the void. For the most part we stuck to the team, with many of us staying in the church specifically to help with or be on those teams.

For the most part, the majority of kids will not participate in a sporting activity. Most will never be committed to the any sport nor ever share in the joy of those sports.

The reason may be that their parents did not play so they do not teach their children to play. Or it could be the kids are just not interested in sports. In either case the group of kids that do participate is out there.

Year after year they have turned out to play Little League, then football, then Junior Pro basketball, and/or AAU basketball. Their lives, be it ever so slightly, are being disciplined to participate on a team.

They are being taught to do good for the team and to practice and grow. They are being taught to give their best efforts. They are taught how to win with grace and to lose with dignity. And sometimes they learn it's just a game. One of the most important lessons learned is finding out if one person lets down his/her guard the whole team suffers.

In Prestonsburg we have let our guard down and now our AAU teams are suffering. With already two to three games under their belts, the Prestonsburg AAU teams have had one practice.

They have been beaten badly by teams from Paintsville and Morgan County because of a lack of practice time, while those teams are practicing three to five days a week.

Our kids have been held back by a lack of gym time. Our AAU is beset by regulations that actually keep them out of the gym.

A gym has to be insured, it has to be free from other commitments, it has to be supervised by a member of the faculty, and we have to pay for it.

We, the coaches and parents, are reaching a small group of kids. By working with them, we keep them from many distractions a young mind does not need.

While they are getting or staying fit, they are venting their frustrations in play. But because of high score defeats, they are also learning the art of humility.

Any function or form requires practice, be it work, education, arts or games. Without practice, we are left feeling incomplete and are left behind, even on the job.

Humility comes at the hands of failure. Sadly, this competitive world has placed winning and success hand in hand. In the games I have witnessed, our kids have been blown out of the water.

It is true that something needs to be done about the emphasis the world has placed on being a winner. But it is also true our kids need to develop their "talent" also.

Statistics show that most basketball players will not be pros (winning the lottery type of statistics). But basketball,

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# The Gospel According to Me

by Paul Prather

## God's grace enables us to stand

Last week I wrote about Arthur Burt, an old Welsh preacher with whom I once spent a few hours.

As a young man Burt had been a protege of the legendary British healing evangelist Smith Wigglesworth.

On a brief trip to America about 15 years ago, Burt spoke to a Lexington congregation and also to the church in Mount Sterling where my dad was then pastor. I didn't care enough to attend services at either place.

The day after Burt spoke in our town, though, my father prevailed upon me to ride along when he drove Burt to the Lexington airport.

To my astonishment, the whole car seemed filled with the power of Burt's presence — or of God's presence in him. I felt as I might have felt had I been riding with Saint Peter or Saint Paul.

In Lexington we stopped for lunch at a Bob Evans restaurant. A preacher friend of my dad's, Ernie Sacra, joined us there.

Now, here's the rest of the story, which I couldn't finish last week for lack of space.

As we ate and talked that day — we three Kentuckians mainly listening to Burt — the conversation somehow turned to God's grace.

Burt said that during World War 2 his government had attempted to draft him into the British army.

Clergy from recognized denominations such as the Church of

England were exempt from the draft.

Burt was a minister of a Pentecostal group, and at the time Pentecostalism still was controversial in the United Kingdom. Draft officials refused to acknowledge Burt as a real preacher.

This insulted him. So he declined to report for army duty. Ultimately, he said, he was sent to prison.

There, on Fridays each prisoner received a weekly allotment of cigarettes. Another prisoner soon recognized that Burt was a non-smoker and asked for his ration of cigarettes each week.

That was OK with the preacher. But the guy was so desperate for smokes that he began approaching Burt daily, begging for Burt's cigarettes on each following Friday.

After a few weeks of this, Burt's patience broke. He angrily ran the fellow off.

When the man left, Burt turned his face upward in prayer.

"Can you believe this, Lord?" he fumed. "How can anyone be so addicted to a thing as stupid as cigarettes?"

But he had barely finished speaking when God spoke back. Burt told us decades later. (Burt didn't say exactly how God spoke to him, just that He did.)

"Why are you criticizing that poor fellow?" God said. "You're as addicted to cigarettes as he is."

Burt was shocked. "Lord, that's not true," he replied. "You know I've never tasted tobacco in my life."

"Ah, but that's because I've kept it from you," the Lord said. "You're naturally inclined to have a terrible tobacco habit. If I were to take my hand off you for even five minutes you'd be in worse shape than your mate is."

As he ended this little anecdote, Burt smiled shyly at the three of us who were sitting with him.

He lifted a plastic drinking straw and held it upright in his fist, which rested on the table.

"You see, we Christians are like this straw," Burt said. "We stand up all straight and tall and believe we're jolly fellows. But it's really

God Who's got His big hand around us."

He opened his fist a bit. The straw wobbled, then fell to a 45-degree angle.

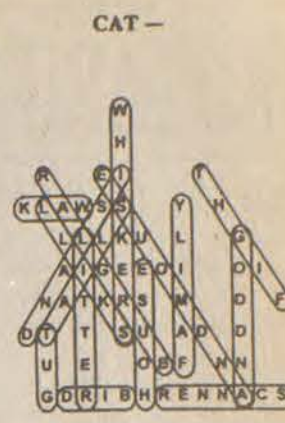
"When we start thinking we're more than we truly are, the Lord loosens his hand for a moment and down we tumble."

Burt closed his grip around the straw and drew it upright once more.

"Then the Lord grasps us tightly again," he said. "Except now we realize it's purely by His grace that anyone ever stands at all."

Paul Prather is a minister and author whose latest book is "Back Porch Faith: Weekly Meditations." You can e-mail him at pbrath@kih.net.

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## View from the Hill

by Jackie Charles

Have you ever been reminiscing about special people in your life and wondered, "What kind of person would I have been without them?" I recently gave this question some thought and this is what I found. There were many people who helped me become the person I am today. There was that grade school principal who helped me believe I had potential to be whatever I wanted. There was a Sunday school teacher, a minister, my 6th grade teacher, a college professor, my parents, and the list goes on and on. Somehow, each person made a lasting impact in my life. By guiding and instructing me, these treasured friends gently planted seeds of encouragement that helped me set important goals and standards in my life.



Jackie Charles is a 1995 Pikeville College graduate and serves as the Development Office Coordinator.

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We've chosen "sowing seeds for success" as our theme for this year's Phonathon. As always, this is a scholarship fundraiser. Many people, including me, have been helped

by receiving scholarship assistance. I never forgot or lost appreciation for this act of kindness. The financial assistance allowed me to explore my mind, the world around me.

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## Soap

like most sports, if viewed as a creative outlet or a social outlet benefits our kids.

Like Larry Bird, I have played literally thousands of games of basketball. I will reach one million jump shots or set shots before making a total of a million dollars in my life.

Unlike any other activity, sporting events relieve stress. If you don't care about sports you still care that the kids are not on the streets doing something they shouldn't.

Our kids do not need the humiliation nor they do not need the greed of scoring 20-plus points. But they truly need the outlet sports provide.

Most of the participating athletes are the "smart" kids, so academics are not a problem. Some are well to do, some are comfortable, some are in poverty, so equality is present.

Last year, AAU played teams from Dorton, Morgan County, Betsy Layne, Magoffin County, and many others. Only our kids practice one or two days a week. If success is based on how many games you win, then something needs to give. Either way, a gym and practice times need to be secured.

But you and I know basketball eventually fades away to a spectator

sport. Success is not the number of wins an AAU coach has but the progress his team has made through the year. Losing becomes a way of thought for kids as well as for adults. These kids and parents are winners with or without the gym, the practice time, or the win, but I would like to see my son and his team win the games they participate in because they have jelled into a team. Only practice time will allow them to jell.



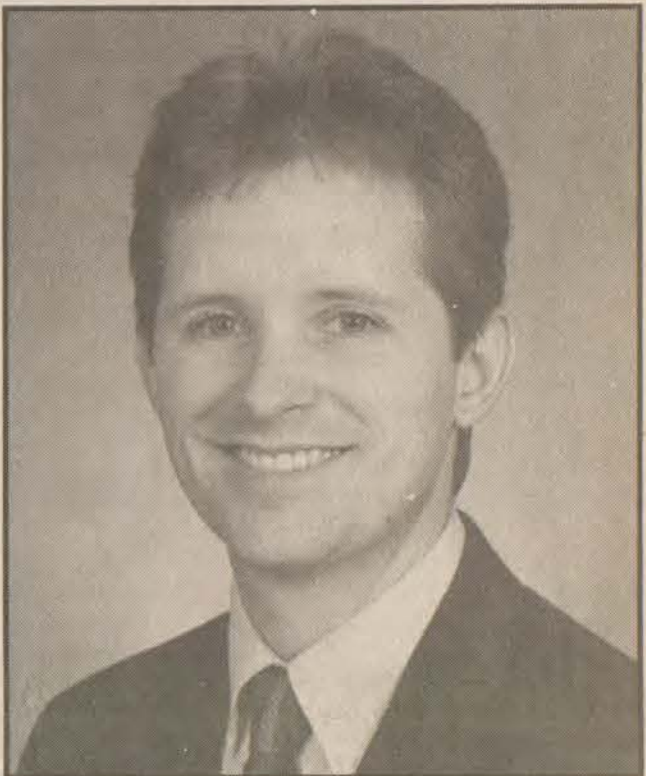
People once believed ringing bells would quiet storms.



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I want to frankly state that I have no hidden agenda. I have no old quarrels to settle with any citizen of Floyd County. I have no bones to pick with anyone. I fully understand that every citizen must be presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. However, dangerous criminals must be and will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. You, the good people of our county, deserve no less.

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# OBITUARIES

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## Susie Stanley Bryant

Susie Stanley Bryant, 73, of Melvin, died Tuesday, February 15, 2000, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital, following a brief illness. Born on April 13, 1926, in Price, she was the daughter of the late Clarence and Mary Justice Stanley. She was preceded in death by her husband, Troy Bryant.

Survivors include three sons, Benny Bryant of North Manchester, Indiana, and Bobby Bryant and Kenny Bryant, of Huntington, Indiana; three daughters, Ocelene Henderson and Magdalene Moore, both of Melvin, and Pauline Bryant, of Marion, Indiana; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, February 18, at 11 a.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church, at Melvin, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Matthew Tackett Cemetery, at Melvin, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Avenell Adkins Boyd

Avenell Adkins Boyd, 62, of South Amherst, Ohio, died Monday, February 14, 2000, at Community Health Partners, after a lengthy illness.

Born on June 4, 1937, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Charley Adkins and Sally Collins Adkins. She moved to Ohio in 1960. She has been a resident of South Amherst since 1965.

She was a self-employed restaurant owner in South Amherst. She owned and managed DaNells Pizza for 23 years, retiring in 1998.

Survivors include three sons, Charles and Dawson Boyd Jr., of South Amherst, Ohio, and Noah Lee of Sullivan, Ohio; one sister, Evelyn McKinney of Harold; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, February 17, 11 a.m., at the Hempel Funeral Home, Amherst, Ohio, with Rev. Carson Fraley, pastor of North Lake Missionary Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery, South Amherst, under the direction of Hempel Funeral Home.

## Hunt pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Helen Beatrice Lewis Hunt were Robert Hunt, Ike Martin, Mark Hunt, Brian Conley, John Ogan, Walter Spradlin, Hurley Spradlin, Charles Boyd, Fred Bush and Ike Martin.

## Trip to Holy Land planned

A pilgrimage to the Holy Land and to Rome and Assisi in Italy is being planned by Father Jerome F. Stern, pastor of Sts. William and Sylvester Church, in London, Kentucky.

The trip departs New York on March 20, and returns April 1.

On the itinerary are the following stops:

- Tel Aviv;
- Mount Carmel, Cana, Nazareth, and Mt. Tabor;
- Tiberias, Capharnaum, Tabgha,

## USDA rural development loan program a success

Do you need a home loan? Do you believe you cannot afford a home loan to make your dream come true? Then why not check into the USDA Rural Development Guaranteed Loan Program? Since this program was implemented several years ago it has grown twofold.

The guaranteed program is designed to help low to moderate-income families who cannot afford a downpayment, purchase a home. The lack of a downpayment often prevents a homebuyer from obtaining a loan from a private lender. With a 100 percent financing, zero downpayment and low interest rates, this program has been called a great option for homebuyers with limited cash.

Some features of the guaranteed program are: No downpayment helps reduce the out of pocket expenses; new, existing and manufactured homes are eligible; there are no restrictions on the size or design of the home to be financed; the typical comforts, except in-ground swimming pools, are allowed.

There are a number of approved lenders that work with the Morehead Area Office. These lenders work with low to moderate-income families, qualifying them for mortgages. Last

## Martin County

Todd Quintin Marks, 34, of Warfield, died Saturday, February 12, 2000. He is survived by his wife, Kay Mills Marks. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 16, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Ethel Blankenship, 94, of Kermit, West Virginia, died Friday, February 11, 2000, in Williamson (West Virginia) Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 13, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Wilma Presley, 72, of Lovely, died Thursday, February 10, 2000, in Highlands Regional Medical Center. She is survived by her husband, Hubert Presley. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 13, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

Millard Eugene Rice, 44, of Kermit, West Virginia, died Tuesday, February 8, 2000, in King's Daughters' Medical Center, Ashland. He is survived by his wife, Lou Ann Rice. Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 11, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

## Lawrence County

Betty Zea Mitchell Holbrook, 76, of Louisa, died Tuesday, February 8, at King's Daughters' Medical Center, Ashland. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, February 10, under the direction of Wilson Funeral Home.

Helen Payne Williamson, 78, of Louisa, died Sunday, February 13, at Cabell-Huntington Hospital. She is survived by her husband, Bill Williamson. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, January 16, under the direction of Wilson Funeral Home.

John Vinson Maynard, 79, of Louisa, died Wednesday, February 9, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. Burial was made in Kenton Town Cemetery, Robertson County. Young Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

James "Jim" Robertson, 79, of Fort Gay, West Virginia, died Thursday, February 10, after an extended illness. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 12, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

John Milton "Milt" Greene, 87,

of Louisa, died Friday, February 11, at Three Rivers Medical Center, Louisa. He is survived by his wife, Dovie Davis Greene. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Lydia Plummer Webb, 69, of Fort Gay, West Virginia, died Friday, February 11, 2000, at her residence. She is survived by her husband, Herbert Webb. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, February 13, under the direction of Heston Funeral Home.

John Franklin "Frank" Blodgett Jr., 77, of Fort Gay, West Virginia, died Friday, February 11, 2000. He is survived by his wife, Cordia Chaffin Blodgett. Funeral services were conducted Monday, February 14, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

## Pike County

Arnold Lee Maynard, 75, of Turkey Creek, died Saturday, February 12, 2000, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Thomas "Jack" Ratliff, 71, of Clyde, Ohio, died Saturday,

February 12, 2000. He is survived by his wife, Mary Foreman Ratliff. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Foos-Klein Funeral Home.

Gina Lindsey Leopold, 33, of Stanford, died Saturday, February 5, 2000, after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Jason Leopold. Burial was made in Camp Nelson National Cemetery, Nicholasville.

Helen McCoy, 70, of Grundy, Virginia, died Monday, February 14, 2000, at Buchanan General Hospital, Grundy. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, February 16, under the direction of Shortridge-Ramey Funeral Home of Grundy.

James Luther Pack, 48, of Lenore, West Virginia, died Saturday, February 12, 2000, at Richmond Memorial Hospital in Columbia, South Carolina. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, February 17, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Elvie Adkins, 74, of Rockhouse, died Monday, February 14, 2000, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Rosetta Hylton Adkins. Funeral services

were conducted Wednesday, February 16, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Courtney LaSha Bunch, infant daughter of Brian Bunch and Debbie Boyd of Pikeville, was stillborn at Pikeville Methodist Hospital, Saturday, February 12, 2000. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services.

Ralph C. Schrouder, 73, of Sarasota, Florida, formerly of Pikeville, died Sunday, February 6, 2000, at Sarasota Memorial Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Ethelinda Gannon Schrouder. Interment was in the Gannon Cemetery on Johns Creek.

Gracie Lee Brunty Stuart, 93, of Russell, formerly of Toler, died Monday, February 14, 2000. Arrangements are under the direc-

tion of Rogers Funeral Home.

Irene Williams, 57, of Phelps, died Saturday, February 12, 2000, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Phelps Funeral Services.

Myrtle Dotson, 88, of Hustonsville, formerly of Freeburn, died Friday, February 11, 2000, at the Charleston Health Care Center in Danville. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of Phelps Funeral Services.

Louise Robinson, 85, of Jonancy, died Saturday, February 12, 2000, at Parkview Manor Nursing Home. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, February 15, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

## Nominations for earth day 2000 awards sought

Do you know people who are working hard to protect the environment? You could help them win an award for their efforts. The Kentucky Environmental Quality Commission (EQC) is now accepting nominations for its annual Earth Day 2000 awards.

The awards recognize Kentuckians for their outstanding commitment and service in protecting the environment. Any group or individual can be nominated for the honor. To submit a nomination, send the nominee's name, address, phone number and a one-page summary of the nominee's efforts to the Environmental Quality Commission, 14 Reilly Road, Frankfort, KY 40601. You can also submit a nomination electronically by visiting the EQC Web site at <http://www.state.ky.us/agencies/eqc/html>. The deadline for nominations is March 20.

The EQC will honor its award winners on April 19, during a ceremony to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Earth Day. The ceremony will be held at 1 p.m., at the Kentucky History Center in

Frankfort. The Environmental Quality Commission is a seven-member citizen board created under state law with a mission to facilitate public discussion and resolution of environmental issues, monitor environmental trends and conditions, promote partnerships to protect the environment for future generations and serve as an advisory board to the governor on environmental matters.



The organ is acutally considered a wind instrument, since the sounds it makes are produced by a mechanically or electrically controlled air supply blowing across a pipe or set of pipes.

## Spreading the good news around the world

(NAPSA)-From the illuminated manuscripts of the middle ages to the wired-in world of the Internet, Christian missionaries have always used the technology of the day to share the message of the their faith.

Recently a major Christian broadcasting corporation announced a plan to expand the use of the mass media, particularly television programming, to spread the Gospel of Christ worldwide.

CBN WorldReach-an initiative of the Christian Broadcasting Network (CBN)-has as its goal the reproduction of CBN's ministry around the world.

That translates into bringing the Gospel's message to three billion people and welcoming 500 million new believers.

The plan calls for creating television studios in different countries. The studios will produce family-oriented television programs with Christian themes. The programs produced at these studios will be relevant to the local culture, and produced in the local language.

In addition, the productions will be staffed by local residents and hosted by local talent. The plan includes call-in programming with local viewers.

While the medium of television will be used to deliver the message, there are other elements of the ministry model being reproduced:

- Leadership training seminars are used to train local church leaders.
- Counseling centers are staffed by trained counselors who minister



A new program will use the technology of television to establish Christian communities worldwide.

to local families. Community-based humanitarian efforts sponsor food programs, medical services and other outreach efforts.

Elements of the plan are already underway in 205 WorldReach centers around the world. For instance, CBN Asia has already christened its new production studios and counseling center in Manila in the Philippines. In India, ground has been broken for a new studio and ministry center. The Indonesian studios will open within the next 12 months.

In the coming year the CBN WorldReach message will be brought to 60 different countries, in 18 languages, in over 1500 original productions reaching a cumulative audience of 2.3 billion viewers.

For more information, visit [www.cbnworldreach.org](http://www.cbnworldreach.org) or write to CBN WorldReach, CBN Center Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23463.

## Planting peace

(NAPSA)-Now you can do something good for the environment and for the development of peaceful understanding between three of the world's great religions: plant a tree.

The Center for Christian-Jewish Understanding (CCJU) of Sacred Heart University in Fairfield, Conn., is selling more than 25,000 trees in Nazareth, Israel. The trees will be planted on a hill overlooking the Church of the Annunciation and bordering Christian, Jewish and Muslim communities.

According to Rabbi Joseph H. Ehrenkranz, CCJU executive director, the area is called the "Papal Forest" in honor of Pope John Paul II. The Pope, said Rabbi Ehrenkranz, "has done more to



improve Christian-Jewish relations than any other person in the last 2000 years."

CCJU and the Jewish National Fund will commemorate the Pope's efforts by selling and planting the 25,000 trees. With each \$36 contribution, a tree will be planted in Nazareth and the donor will receive a beautiful certificate. Remaining funds will directly support the Ratisbonne Papal Institute, a pontifical institute in Jerusalem where Christians are taught about Judaism, as well as the essential work of the CCJU.

Those interested in obtaining more information about the Papal Forest-or in purchasing a tree in honor or in memory of a loved one-call toll free: (888) 454-0002 or visit [www.papalforest.com](http://www.papalforest.com).



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# Regional Briefs

## The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results	February 16, 2000
<b>LOTTO KENTUCKY</b> 12-17-27-28-32-36 Next Estimated Jackpot \$6.7 million	<b>POWERBALL</b> 09-10-12-31-41 <b>37</b> Next Estimated Jackpot \$60 million

### School board approves painting, discusses possible legal activity

In a brief and uneventful get-together, the Magoffin County School Board cleared the way for painting at Magoffin County High School, reviewed the school calendar and discussed possible legal action involving the builders of Magoffin Elementary.

Meeting in special session, Thursday, February 3, at the board conference room, board members approved a bid to paint the MCHS gym, cafeteria, home economics department and the gym hallway.

Jeff Mullins Painting, of Salyersville, was awarded the contract with a low bid of \$5,600. The painting chores began last week and should be completed soon.—*The Salyersville Independent*

### Benefit show for magistrate Kellie Lee Miller organized

A benefit show and auction is currently in the production stages for Magoffin County Magistrate Kellie Lee Miller and his wife, Connie Miller.

On January 28, the couple's home, including all personal property inside the house, was destroyed by fire.

### Bridge of death

The body of a Martin County man was discovered Saturday morning under an old, abandoned railroad bridge in Warfield.

Authorities believe 34-year old Todd Marks, of Warfield, fell through a hole in the old structure, falling 20-25 feet to his death on the riverbank some time early Saturday morning or late Friday evening.

The official cause of death is a mystery, but foul play is not suspected. Marks who reportedly was returning from Kermit, West Virginia, had crossed the Tug River on the bridge on his way to his apartment at the Dempsey Housing Complex when he fell through the hole.—*The Mountain Citizen*

### Inez passes annexation

Despite an overwhelming majority opposing annexation, Inez City Council members voted 4-1 to pass the second reading of the ordinance which could put this controversial issue on the November 6 ballot.

David Evans, who voted against the ordinance, said he wasn't going to go against the wishes of the majority. Of the 40-plus residents and homeowners from the proposed annexed area in attendance at Thursday's

### City faces spending curb

Louisa officials were told last week to curb their spending or face the possibility of a budget deficit in the very near future — something that is a violation of state law.

Local CPA Dan Howard, in presenting the 1998-99 fiscal year audit to the city council last Tuesday night, told city leaders that money carried over from the previous year helped the city avoid a deficit during the last fiscal period. His audit showed that the city had an "excess of revenues and other financing sources" under expenditures of \$204,096. While the report indicated that the city spent more than it took in that year, a \$256,233 fund balance at the beginning of the period helped the city's general fund end the fiscal year with a balance of \$52,037.

"This isn't as bad as what it appears," Howard told council members in explaining the perceived \$204,096 deficit.—*The Big Sandy News*

### Hearing set for woman charged in shooting

A preliminary hearing was scheduled Wednesday, in Lawrence District Court for a Louisa woman accused of shooting her boyfriend last week.

### Hope for grant to build White Oak water line dms

A water-quality study authorized by the Morgan County Fiscal Court has failed to find sufficient ground water contaminants from coal mining, dimming hopes that the county might qualify for a federal Abandoned Mine Lands (AML) grant to extend water lines into the White Oak area.

However, Judge-Executive Sid Stewart, who met in Frankfort last week with Steve Holman, state Commissioner of the Abandoned Mine Lands Program, said Holman has agreed to fund one more check of residents' wells before signing off on the project.

During the recently-completed study, approximately 140 wells in the White Oak area were sampled for sulfur and other contaminants commonly associated with coal mining activity.—*The Licking Valley Courier*

### Fiscal Court hears plea to allow ATV on county roads

In its monthly sessions last week, the Morgan County Fiscal Court heard a request from local all terrain vehicle (ATV) enthusiasts to exercise its authority and legalize the use of ATVs on roadways in the county that are main-

### Board to receive state assistance

The Knott County School District has been put on a "financial watch list" and will receive assistance from the state level to help them regulate their financial situation, board members learned Tuesday night.

Jim Jackson, division director of management assistance for the Kentucky Department of Education, attended the meeting and outlined the state's process for helping school districts avoid financial troubles.

Knott County was flagged for the watch list because the district's working budget had less than the required two percent contingency fund.

Other possible conditions that mark school districts for the list include problems in annual financial report or audit. Once the situation is resolved, the district in question may be removed from the list.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Groundbreaking for CDI

Groundbreaking for the first construction project of

They had no insurance.

The show, which has been scheduled for Sunday, February 20, will feature several gospel and bluegrass groups from the area. The show will begin at 1 p.m. at the Lloyd M. Hall Community Center.

Also, an auction will be held as part of the event. Items donated by area merchants and private citizens will be auctioned off during the day with proceeds going to Magistrate Miller and his family.

Anyone wishing to donate items for the auction is encouraged to contact Mary Arnett at 349-2313 or Sue Salyer at 884-8460.

—*The Salyersville Independent*

### "Dr. Charlie" to join staff part time at Hope Medical

Dr. Narong Chalothorn has recently joined Big Sandy Health Care Inc., as a part-time OB-GYN physician at the Hope Family Medical Center.

Known to his patients as "Dr. Charlie," he earned his M.D. from the Mahidol University in Bangkok, Thailand. He did his internship at Siriraj Hospital in Pittsburgh. His OB/GYN residences were completed at St. Francis General and Shady Side Hospital, both in Pittsburgh.—*The Salyersville Independent*

meeting, only three favored annexation.

As expected a standing-room-only crowd showed for the second reading. Local attorney Leo Marcum represented the Citizens Against Annexation, which included Mickey McCoy, Hobe Haney, Lou Ann Montgomery, Mickey and Lou Haney, Doris Mooney, Monica Horn, Rev. Glenn Blevins and Roy Bryant.—*The Mountain Citizen*

### KSP joins investigation at Tomahawk Elementary

A statement from Martin County Schools Superintendent Bill Slone, last week, calling the presence of an intruder at Tomahawk Elementary on February 7 an attempt by a student's father to see the child in violation of a court order is wrong, said the parent of a student who was threatened by an intruder.

"My child comes from a loving home," the parent, who does not want to be identified, said Thursday. "His father and I love our son very much, so it wasn't a plea for attention. He is loved by his parents, grandparents and relatives. He wouldn't make up a story like this. It really happened.

—*The Mountain Citizen*

Patricia Kirk, 31, was charged with first-degree assault after she allegedly shot Steve Richard Adkins, 33, also of Louisa, in the leg. She is also charged with contempt of court for allegedly violating an emergency protective order she sought against the victim last year.

Sheriff Bobby Joe Workman said Kirk and Adkins, had been "drinking and partying" prior to the incident, which occurred in Kirk's Green Lawn Cemetery residence.

According to the sheriff, Kirk had asked Adkins to leave her home after they began arguing, and that Adkins left, only to return minutes later.—*The Big Sandy News*

### Jail authority sets policy on setting policy

The Big Sandy Regional Jail Authority put the finishing touches on its official policies and procedures manual last Wednesday, tying up some loose ends that have existed in the document for several years.

And in the process, the four-county board did something it had never done since it was formed in the 1980s — establish policy on how to set policy.

—*The Big Sandy News*

tained by county government.

Representing this county's sizable number of ATVers at the meeting were Ronnie McGuire, Aubrey Wells, Drexell Lewis and Tim Smith, who noted that fiscal courts in Fleming and Menifee counties have opened their roads to ATV use.

—*The Licking Valley Courier*

### Residents petition successfully for Morgan addresses

Residents in the eastern section of Morgan who receive their mail through the Salyersville Post Office recently petitioned successfully for Morgan County addresses.

According to John Conley, Chief Communications Officer with the West Liberty Police Department, who is in charge of E-911 mapping of rural residences, about 35 Morgan County families will soon be assigned new addresses with West Liberty zip codes and will be served by the West Liberty Post Office.

The families involved reside on KY 364 from Pricey Road to the Magoffin County line, including Trace Fork Road; Hwy 3333 (Pricey Road) to the Magoffin line, and Hwy. 1091 (off US 460) to the Magoffin line.—*The Licking Valley Courier*

the Hindman/Knott County Community Development Initiative should come within the next three weeks, members of the steering committee learned on February 10.

Last minute funding difficulties with the city hall/welcome center have been resolved, Mayor Jancie Jarrell explained. The lowest bid on the project was \$100,000 too high. Jarrell said a contract extension was arranged with the low bidder, Campbell Construction, while additional funding was sought through Gov. Patton. The needed money was included in Patton's proposed budget, which will now go to the legislature.

"We'll know for sure in April, and actually get the money in July," Jarrell said. Meanwhile, the city is applying for a loan with the assistance of the Department of Local Government and League of Cities, so construction can be immediately. "When the state funds come in, we can pay back this loan," Jarrell concluded.

Updates on the four other major elements of the CDI were also provided during the meeting.

—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Road at Brushy blocked in protest

Kentucky State Police officers were dispatched to Brushy, last Friday, after several residents in that community tried to block coal trucks from using the Ford Mountain Road, a KSP spokeswoman said.

There were no arrests.

Although no other details of Friday's incident could be obtained from the KSP the confrontation appears to have resulted from frustration and anger over the poor road conditions along Brushy Creek.

Residents contend the road's deterioration stems from large coal trucks hauling from Lodestar Energy Inc. — a mining company in the area — and that the company should be compelled to rectify the situation.—*Appalachian News Express*

### City official arrested for second DUI

Just two years after he was arrested on alcohol and drug charges, a Pikeville city official was arrested and jailed last weekend for allegedly driving drunk.

City Building Inspector Levy Green, who was charged in January 1998 with his first DUI, alleged-

ly forced Kentucky Vehicles enforcement officials and Pike County sheriff's deputies into a high-speed pursuit, Sunday morning, according to a KVE arrest report.

The report also sates the black Buick Regal, Green, 43, was driving was spotted speeding and driving "from side to side" about 1:23 a.m. on Chloe Road.—*Appalachian News Express*

### Man who filed for elected office told he must withdraw

One of the 10 hopefuls in the running for the Pikeville City Commission has pulled out of the race just three weeks after officially becoming a candidate.

State Highway Department employee Gene E. Layne, who filed the day of the election deadline, January 25, said Monday that he will have to drop out of the race due to a Kentucky Revised Statute which prevents classified state employees from holding a paid election position.

"I'm disappointed. I know there is a lot of good I could have done or would have tried to do. I've always thought about running and always wanted to run," Layne said.—*Appalachian News Express*

### Who you gonna call?

The soon-to-be extension of water lines to Jenny's Creek will open that area of Johnson County to residential and commercial growth, to those who can afford it.

While a consistent source of water is fundamental to home building, fire protection is the key, not just to safety, but to affordability. In that area, Jenny's Creek has an expensive problem.

Plagued by a lack of funding, the Jenny's Creek Volunteer Fire Department "closed up shop and went to the house" in the early 90s, former county fire association president Gary McClure said Thursday. When the fire department closed, the area became the responsibility of the Oil Springs Volunteer Fire Department. But, since the Oil Springs department is more than five miles away, the Jenny's Creek area was rated high risk under a rating system which determines the cost of homeowners' insurance.

—*The Paintsville Herald*

### Jailer issue kicked back to circuit court

Second reading of a county ordinance that will cut the pay, staff and duties of Jailer B. Joe Hill passed with little fanfare and no dissent, Monday.

Fiscal court commissioners vote 3-0 to adopt the ordinance, setting up its encore in circuit court, where Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier has been asked to rule on the measure's validity.

At the direction of the fiscal court, County Attorney Scott Preston filed a petition for a declaration of rights — a judicial ruling on legalities — last month, asking Judge Frazier to decide if the fiscal court could, in fact, change Hill's salary during his term to the minimum allowed by law; and assign Hill to duties as a bailiff to the court. The jailer currently serves as a transportation officer between courts and the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center.—*The Paintsville Herald*

### Upgrades at PHS a long time coming

With nearly \$2.5 million on the table for major renovations at Paintsville High School, city school board members are taking a deliberate approach to the planning process, but things should speed up soon.

It has been 13 years since the last major construction project in the city system — the construction of classrooms and a gymnasium at the elementary school — and none of the current board members were around to share in the experience.

—*The Paintsville Herald*

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99 OLDS ALERO	\$15,400	\$11,990	\$3,420
99 OLDS CUTLASS	\$15,700	\$13,990	\$1,720
98 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE... Red	\$17,750	\$13,990	\$3,770
98 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	\$17,825	\$13,990	\$3,845
97 BUICK RIVIERA	\$18,525	\$14,990	\$3,545
98 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE... 18,000 miles	\$17,600	\$15,990	\$1,620
99 BUICK REGAL	\$18,500	\$15,990	\$2,520

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95 LINCOLN MARK VII... Low miles	\$16,125	\$11,990	\$4,145
96 CADILLAC DEVILLE	\$19,350	\$13,990	\$5,370
97 CADILLAC CATERA... Moonroof, alum. wheels	\$21,450	\$15,990	\$5,470
97 CADILLAC DEVILLE	\$23,100	\$16,990	\$6,120
96 CADILLAC DEVILLE	\$25,850	\$17,990	\$7,870
99 CADILLAC DEVILLE	\$29,825	\$23,990	\$5,845

MID-SIZE	MADA Price	Our Price	You Save
96 FORD TAURUS GL	\$8,800	\$6,990	\$1,820
97 BUICK SKYLARK	\$9,025	\$6,990	\$2,045
97 FORD CONTOUR GL	\$9,375	\$6,990	\$2,395
98 FORD MUSTANG LX	\$8,825	\$7,990	\$845
98 FORD CONTOUR GL	\$10,850	\$7,990	\$2,870
96 CHEVY CAMARO	SAVE \$\$\$	\$7,990	SAVE
95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX	\$8,675	\$7,990	\$595
96 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME	\$10,400	\$7,990	\$2,420
97 SATURN SWI WAGON	\$11,100	\$7,990	\$3,070
97 DODGE INTREPID	\$11,300	\$8,990	\$2,320

TRUCKS	MADA Price	Our Price	You Save
96 NISSAN HARDBODY XE	\$8,875	\$6,990	\$1,895
96 TOYOTA TACOMA	\$8,925	\$7,990	\$945
96 CHEVY S10 X-CAB	SAVE \$\$\$	\$9,990	SAVE
98 CHEVY S10 LS... 9,000 miles	SAVE \$\$\$	\$9,990	SAVE
98 FORD F150... Nascar Edition	SAVE \$\$\$	\$12,990	SAVE
99 CHEVY LUMINA	\$15,500	\$11,990	\$3,520
99 FORD TAURUS SE	\$15,025	\$12,990	\$2,045
97 BUICK PARK AVENUE	\$15,175	\$13,990	\$1,195
97 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GTP... 2-door, leather	\$16,825	\$14,990	\$1,845
96 FORD RANGER XLT... Automatic, AC	SAVE \$\$\$	\$4,990	SAVE

VANS	MADA Price	Our Price	You Save	
95 CHEVY ASTRO CONVERSION VAN	SAVE \$\$\$	\$8,990	SAVE	
96 MERCURY VILLAGER GS	\$13,750	\$10,990	\$2,770	
98 FORD WINSTAR GL	\$17,800	\$10,990	\$6,820	
98 FORD WINSTAR GL	25,000 miles, quad seats	\$17,250	\$13,990	\$3,270
99 CHEVY ASTRO CONVERSION VAN	\$19,075	\$14,990	\$4,095	
99 PONTIAC MONTANA... 29,000 miles	\$21,800	\$16,990	\$4,820	
95 GEO TRACKER	SAVE \$\$\$	\$3,990	SAVE	

SPORT UTILITIES	MADA Price	Our Price	You Save
97 KIA SPORTAGE 4x4	\$12,550	\$8,990	\$3,570
98 GEO TRACKER	\$11,000	\$6,990	\$4,020
97 SUZUKI SIDEKICK 4x4... 4-door	\$12,500	\$8,990	\$3,520
96 TOYOTA RAV4	\$12,250	\$9,990	\$2,270
95 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE 4x4... Leather	SAVE \$\$\$	\$15,990	SAVE
98 FORD EXPLORER 4x4... Leather	\$19,200	\$13,990	\$5,320
97 GMC S15 JIMMY... 35,000 miles	\$16,500	\$13,990	\$2,520
97 CHEVY S-10 BLAZER LS 4x4	\$19,125	\$14,990	\$4,145
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# Governor Patton to kick off \$3 million Blue Grass Council Boy Scout Camp McKee Capital Campaign

The smell of marshmallows roasting over a wood burning fire, the sound of crickets humming a quiet tune through the night, and the fresh scent of pine from the trees that forest 1,100 acres of awe-inspiring grounds provide memories for Boy Scouts who have camped at Camp McKee.

In an attempt to keep such memories growing for area youth in the new millennium, the Blue Grass

Council/Boy Scouts of America (BGC/BSA) organization is kicking off a fundraising campaign to raise \$3 million to renovate Camp McKee today at 11 a.m. in the San Francisco/Washington room of the Hyatt Regency Hotel.

Gov. Paul Patton will be on hand to announce and endorse the campaign with words of thanks to the BGC/BSA for its service to the community and the youth of

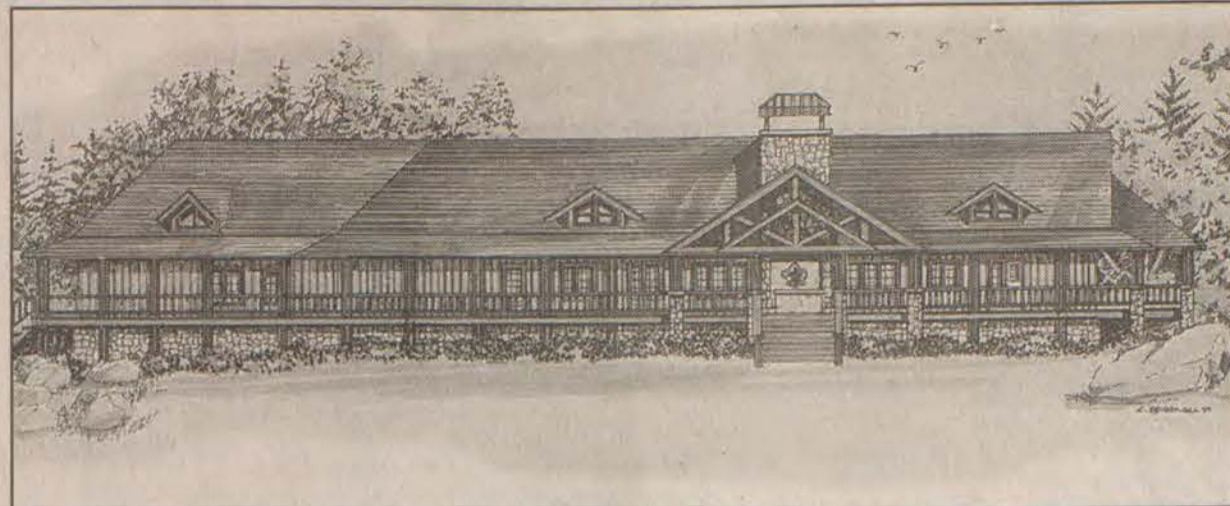
Kentucky.

"Every year, hundreds of Boy Scouts attend Camp McKee not just to pitch tents in the woods, but to learn to become leaders, gain a sense of pride, and develop the moral character that will stick with them for life," said Harry Richart III, Camp McKee Capital Campaign chairman. "I am honored to lead the capital campaign effort in the hopes that we will vastly improve the camp facilities for future Scouts."

Camp McKee is a naturally beautiful site that lies just 50 miles east of Lexington, near Mt. Sterling. For years, youths have come to paddle a canoe in the lake and hike the nature trails. After 45 years, many of the facilities have aged enough to become inadequate for youths attending the camp. There is an immediate need for renovation of the infrastructure and most of the buildings.

A new dining hall, aquatic center, handicraft program shelter, trading post, and small group retreat center will be built using the funds raised in the campaign. Renovations of Camp McKee will increase camping participation by an estimated 30 to 40 percent, with increased capacity for summer camping as well as winter camping, training and retreats.

Additionally, the proposed new



An artist's rendering of how a new dining hall would appear once constructed at Camp McKee, a Boy Scout camp near Mt. Sterling. The Blue Grass Council of the Boy Scouts of America is currently trying to raise \$3 million to pay for improvements at the camp.

facilities will be available for use by local civic, church and non-profit organizations during the off-season months.

"The Blue Grass Council/BSA is a major non-profit youth organization that tries to develop character in young people. Our goal is to

teach the youth that the willingness to do what is right in any situation is important for their lifetimes," Richart said. "By raising \$3 million to improve Camp McKee, we will be providing an opportunity for thousands of young people to develop character while having fun with

their peers."

For more information on the Blue Grass Council Camp McKee Capital Campaign, or for the opportunity to contribute, contact the offices at 415 North Broadway, Lexington, KY. 40508 or by calling 606-231-7811.

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## Chapter 220 of Mended Hearts meets

Big Sandy Chapter 220 of Mended Hearts met Tuesday evening, February 8, in a conference room of Highlands Regional Medical Office Building.

Those present were Dean Adams, Marjorie Bailey, Prentess Hall, Kathryn Dyer, Garnett Fairchild, Zina Goble, Hubert and Kathy Halbert, Greg Hall, Calvin Herrick, Alicia and William Hughes, Ernest Morris, Preston Nichols, George and Mosaleete Patton, Ray Prater, Jim and Sally Reynolds, Armita Snavelly, Elaine South and Dianna Ward.

Guest speaker was Terry Surface of Charleston, West Virginia, who is the area director of the American Heart Association.

AHA is affiliated with Mended Hearts, and Surface gave a very informative talk on its history as well as an interesting insight into the different links in the chain of survival, which teaches the importance of being aware of the signs of a heart attack and how to obtain emergency help.

Surface stated that the Cardiac Arrest Survival Act is pending in Congress. If passed it could help promote public access to defibrillation programs in federal facilities.

This legislation is an important step in the AHA's mission of reducing the death and disability

caused by cardiovascular disease. She asked us to telephone, write or E-mail our Senators and Representatives to urge them to co-sponsor this act.

President Ray Prater opened the meeting with the Mended Hearts prayer. Following reports from the secretary and treasurer, the visitation chairman reported that during the month of January, 35 patients were visited.

He also announced that a visitation workshop will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Saturday, February 19, at 9 a.m. This workshop is held annually in order for members to become accredited visitors or be reaccredited for another year.

The annual national convention will be held in Anaheim, California, from June 30 to July 5. Four delegates from Mended Hearts Chapter 220 will attend this convention.

It was announced that Cardiac Rehabilitation has been resumed at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

The annual picnic will be held at the Corps of Engineers Spillway Shelter No. 3, Tuesday, June 13, at 6 p.m.

## Become involved



The schedule of monthly meetings at each school follows:

- Adams Middle School, third Monday of each month, 7 p.m.
- Allen Central High School, first Tuesday, 6 p.m.
- Allen Central Middle School, last Thursday, 5 p.m.
- Allen Elementary School, first Monday, 6 p.m.
- Betsy Layne Elementary School, first Monday, 5 p.m.
- Betsy Layne High School, first Wednesday, 5 p.m.
- Clark Elementary School, third Thursday, 6 p.m.
- Duff Elementary School, third Thursday, 6 p.m.
- May Valley Elementary School, third Wednesday, 6 p.m.
- McDowell Elementary School, first Tuesday, 6 p.m.
- Osborne Elementary School, first Tuesday, 6 p.m.
- Prestonsburg Elementary School, first Monday, 6 p.m.
- Prestonsburg High School, first Thursday, 5 p.m.
- South Floyd High School, second Tuesday, 7 p.m.
- South Floyd Middle School, second Thursday, 6 p.m.
- Stumbo Elementary School, fourth Tuesday, 6 p.m.

The primary responsibility of the School-Based Decision Making Council at public schools is to develop policies for the operation of the schools that will contribute to improving student success.

For the councils to succeed, they need the input of all parents, as well as other members of the community.

"Being on a school-based council is the most significant way to be involved with your child's education," says Tammy Vance, a member of the SBDM Council at Allen Elementary School.

"It gives you the opportunity to effect changes to better your child's education and future."

## "PSC Talks" new bureau

The Kentucky Public Service Commission announced recently a new resource for utility customers in Kentucky. "PSC Talks" is a new speaker's bureau staffed by representatives from the Commission that are available to talk about electric, natural gas, telecommunications, and water utility issues.

The Commission kicked off the speaker's bureau by sending brochures explaining the program to about 400 community groups and clubs around the state.

Change in the utility industries

nationwide, including competitive telecommunications service and electric industry restructuring, have led to confusion for utility consumers. The talks prepared by Commission staff are designed to help consumers understand the emerging issues in these industries, as well as answer common questions that the new marketplace brings.

If your organization would like to find out more about "PSC Talks," contact the Commission by calling toll-free 1-800-PSC-INFO (1-800-772-4636).

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# FLOYD COUNTY Sports



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## Lady Blackcats gets third seed in district

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

What a wacky world of high school basketball the 1999-2000 season has been. It seemed to get ever wackier when we rolled into the new millennium.

Fans in the stands are hollering at the coach, they want to run the referees out of town and are not satisfied with just a win but want a "kill."

At South Floyd's Raider Arena Tuesday night, the girls final district standings were completed when Prestonsburg handled the South Floyd Lady Raiders without any trouble in posting a 93-56 win.

In the blowout, sophomore Megan Hyden led five Prestonsburg players in double figures with 21 points. Another sophomore, Ramanda Music pumped in 17 while junior Amelia Conley netted 18. Brandy Wells tossed in 12 and Angela Howell finished with 10.

Martha Crawford topped the South Floyd scoring with 17 points. Kandence Mitchell netted 16 with Minnie Tackett scoring nine.

Conley was quick out of the gate in the opening quarter scoring 10 of her points in establishing a 19-9 first-quarter lead.

South Floyd had problems handling the Prestonsburg half-court pressure and turned the ball over six times in the opening period.

Hyden scored seven of the first nine Prestonsburg points in the second quarter as the Lady Blackcats extended their lead to 32-17 midway through the period.

Music then scored six unanswered points to make it a 40-23 game. Prestonsburg held a 47-28 margin at the

(See P'BURG, page three)

► **PRESTONSBURGS AMELIA CONLEY (44) Went against South Floyd's Kandence Mitchell (41) in district basketball at South Floyd Monday night. Prestonsburg went to 4-2 in the district with a 93-56 win. (photo by Ed Taylor)**



## ■ P'burg at South Floyd



## Hyden leads five in double figures

## ■ Betsy Layne boys preview

# Gaining confidence key as Betsy Layne looks toward 58th District

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

When the 1999-2000 basketball season tipped off, there was a lot of optimism for the Betsy Layne Bobcats. After all, it was a new season and they had a new head basketball coach.

First-year Coach Brent Rose has made a difference in the Bobcat program and they own two victories over defending 58th District champion Allen Central and the Rebels will be a first round opponent for the Bobcats in this year's district.

Coach Rose said he has seen improvement in his ballclub this season.

"We have been handling the pressure

much better," he said. "Our guards are getting better at that. We need to continue to work on our defense."

Coach Rose expressed confidence in his team but cautioned that they must continue make the big shots.

"That is the big thing for us. We need to keep making our shots and working on our defense. If we do that, I think we have a shot at beating anybody. We just have to get a whole team concept," he said.

The Betsy Layne coach says there have been some players who have been a pleasant surprise this basketball season. They will be counted on heavily as the district tournament begins.

"One of those players for us is Brad

Daugherty," said Coach Rose. "When we played in the Coca-Cola Classic, he is one of the reasons we won, with his defense. He got hurt at Belfry and is a little bit slow, but I think he is a little bit gun-shy at times. He needs to pick it up."

The Betsy Layne coach singled out Dave Johnson and said he needs to contribute on offense.

"He needs to get some points for us," said the Bobcat mentor. "He has done a good job on the boards for us. Robert Rose and Nathan Tackett need to pick it up a little. Nathan has done a good job since he has come back."

"Eric McKinney and Robbie Johnson, we are trying to get them some playing

time. They have to give us a couple of big minutes when they are in there."

Coach Rose said his ballclub was ahead of what he expected when the season began.

"If someone would have told me we might have an opportunity to compete for the conference this year, I probably would have laughed."

While the Bobcats had to settle for a tie for second place in the district, they were in the hunt most of the year. Coach Rose said he was satisfied with the way his team has performed this year.

"I am glad we are where we're at," said

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## A Look At Sports

# "I want to play!"



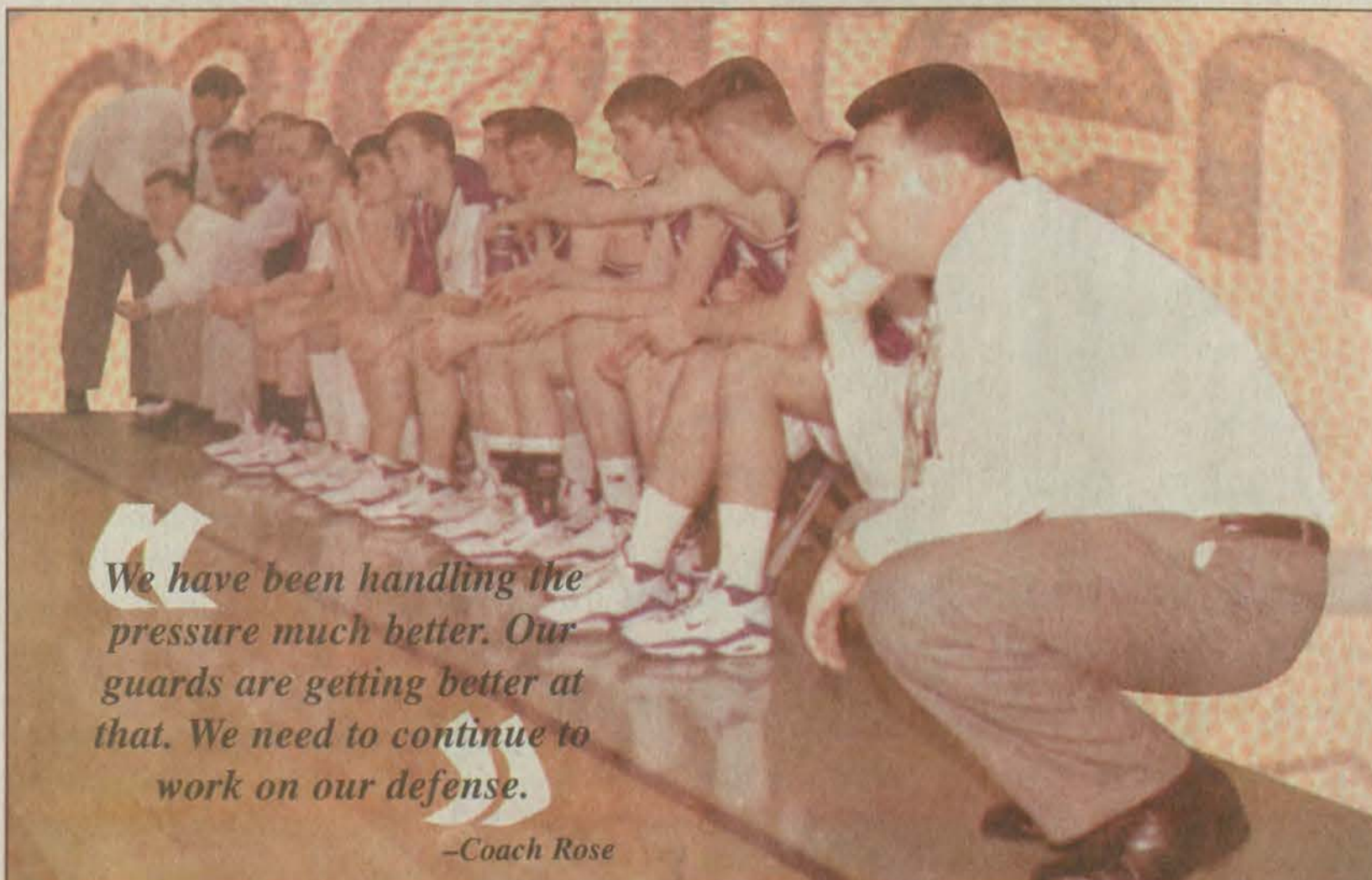
There are not too many things that really, really upset me!

I come across many things in this job that can, if you let them, get to you.

There are a lot of things I can handle, but, then there are some things that just absolutely bother me. One of my pet peeves is the way kids are treated in our county sports arena.

In basketball, we have five who get the nod as starters. Now every kid wants to be known as "a starter." They want to be part of the team that goes on the floor at the opening tip off and get his or her team off to a fast start.

(See SPORTS, page two)



*"We have been handling the pressure much better. Our guards are getting better at that. We need to continue to work on our defense."*

-Coach Rose

## Soccer

### ■ Spring 2000 Soccer

The Floyd County Soccer League will conduct registration at the Prestonsburg Community College on Friday, February 25 from 3 to 6 p.m. for the purpose of registering all who wish to compete in the soccer league this spring.

All players, last year and new additions, will need to register at this time. There is a \$30 registration fee that needs to be paid when registering.

## Basketball

### ■ 4-H Shooting Stars

An organizational meeting of the 4-H Shooting Stars will be held Thursday, March 2 at 7 p.m. at the U.K. Extension office.

Anyone in grades 4-11 may attend. You must be accompanied by an adult.

Do not bring any firearms or bows with you to this meeting. Do bring a pencil and a notebook.

### ■ Bobcat '80, '90 teams to be honored

Betsy Layne High School will bring back the 1980 and 1990 basketball players and cheerleaders this Friday night when the Bobcats are scheduled to meet Johnson Central.

The players and cheerleaders will be recognized at half time of the varsity game.

## Baseball

### ■ Babe Ruth registration

The Floyd County Babe Ruth and Bambino leagues will conduct an organizational meeting at the Allen Fire Department on Sunday, February 20, beginning at 5 p.m.

League president Harold Case urges all coaches and anyone interested in coaching to be at the first meeting of the year.

For more information, contact Harold Case at 285-9324.



## ■ Girls

**58th District**  
Prestonsburg 93  
South Floyd 56

Knott Central 47  
Betsy Layne 46

## ■ Boys

**58th District**  
Betsy Layne 71  
Millard 55

Allen Central 62  
Belfry 59

Elkhorn City 60  
Prestonsburg 48

Oneida 108  
Piarist 51.

## Games on tap

### ■ Boys

**Fri., Feb. 18**  
Paintsville at Allen Central  
South Floyd at Shelby Valley  
Johnson Central at Betsy Layne  
Sheldon Clark at Prestonsburg

**Sat., Feb. 19**  
PHELPS at Allen Central

**Tues., Feb. 22**  
Allen Central at Cordia  
Betsy Layne at PHELPS  
Prestonsburg at Magoffin  
Jenkins at South Floyd

### ■ Girls

**Mon., Feb. 21**  
Allen Central at Pike Central  
Prestonsburg at Sheldon Clark

**Tues., Feb. 22**  
Magoffin at Allen Central

# Betsy Layne one point short against Knott Central

by Karen Joseph  
Sports Writer

## Lady Bobcats place two in double figures in low-scoring game

The 1999-2000 basketball season is winding down, and Monday night saw the final home game for Cassandra Akers and her Lady Bobcats. Betsy Layne has two more games, but they are both on the road.

The Lady Bobcats were coming off a big district win on Friday night by defeating the Lady Raiders of South Floyd and were really hoping to close out their home season with a win.

But in a very low-scoring, slow-paced game, the Lady Bobcats dropped their final home game by one point to the Knott County Central Patriots, 46-47.

Carissa Triplett led both teams in scoring with 20 points. Jenny Parsons was the leading scorer for the Lady Bobcats with 17 points. The Lady Patriots had one other player in double figures — Lisa Dobson, who finished the game with 10 points. Whitney

Lykens also finished with 10 for the Lady Bobcats.

It was a low-scoring first quarter. Both teams together scored a total of only 13 points. Betsy Layne took the lead when Lykens hit a two-point basket for the Lady Bobcats. Jenny Parsons hit another basket for Betsy Layne to give the team a 4-0 lead. Tonya Amburgery finally hit a three-point basket for the Lady Patriots to put them on the scoreboard with 4:39 remaining in the first quarter.

Betsy Layne committed several turnovers in the first quarter and shot very poorly from the floor. Their only other basket in the opening period came from Amber Roberts. Triplett hit two straight baskets for the Lady Patriots to

give them a one-point lead at the end of the first quarter, 7-6.

Betsy Layne came out cold in the second quarter, and their shooting woes continued. So did their turnovers. Knott County Central scored the first seven points of the second quarter to jump out to a 14-6 lead with a little over four minutes remaining in the half.

Parsons finally broke the drought for the Lady Bobcats when, on an assist by Roberts, she hit a layup.

Betsy Layne went on an 8-3 run to finish the second quarter and trailed at the half by a score of 19-16.

Both teams came out in the second half the same way they started the game, cold. Both teams committed turnovers and shot poorly from the

floor.

Triplett scored first in the second half for the Lady Patriots to give her team a five-point lead. Kim Tackett answered for the Lady Bobcats, but the Lady Patriots increased their lead to seven on a basket by Triplett.

Devon Reynolds hit a three-point basket for the Lady Bobcats to bring them back to within four points with 3:05 remaining in the third quarter.

And at the end of the quarter the Lady Bobcats had fought back to within one point. The Lady Patriots led 31-30 at the end of the third quarter.

In the final quarter, Roberts scored a basket to give the Lady Bobcats the lead for the first time since the first two minutes of the game. But their lead was short-lived. Dobson quickly scored for the Lady Patriots to give the lead back to Knott County.

Parsons tied the score with 5:49

remaining in the game when she hit one of two free-throws.

But again Dobson would answer for the Lady Patriots. Knott County Central scored eight unanswered points.

But the Lady Bobcats would not lie down. With 2:58 remaining in the game, the Lady Bobcats trailed by a score of 43-35. They managed to battle back to within two points with 1:51 to go in the game.

Parsons had a basket, and Lykens had a steal and was fouled on the shot. Lykens connected for both free throws to make the score 40-45.

Knott County Central had the ball, and the tough defense of Roberts forced the turnover by the Lady Patriots. Again, it was Lykens making the basket to bring the Ladycats to within two points.

Parsons had another steal and passed to Reynolds, who was fouled on

the shot and attempted two free throws. She hit one out of two, and the score was 45-44 in favor of the Lady Patriots.

The Lady Bobcats fouled several times, but the Lady Patriots were not in the bonus, therefore the Lady Bobcats could not get the ball back.

But with 32 seconds remaining, Dobson went to the line for the Lady Patriots. Dobson missed the first shot of the one-and-one and Lykens got the rebound and went coast to coast for the basket to put the Lady Cats on top 46-45.

With 18.4 seconds remaining in the game, Betsy Layne was called for a foul. Dobson again went to the line and hit both free throws to give the lead back to the Lady Patriots.

Betsy Layne got the ball with time left on the clock, but was unable to make the shot, and the Lady Patriots came away with the 47-46 win.

Heather Hamilton played a tough defensive game for the Lady Bobcats, as Jody Conley did for the Lady Patriots. Neither of these two young women scored, but the both played very good defense and caused several turnovers by the other teams.

### Sports

Now the only thing wrong with starting, is, only five can be starters. Well, let's see. If there are 15 on the bench and only five can start, then 10 have to remain on the bench and wait in reserve for their moment to enter the game.

All 15 players are on the "team" roster. All make up the "team" and all should feel part of the "team."

The 10 who are not starters come to practice every time out (and some of the starters come when they feel like it), they practice hard. They put in their time on the practice floor and they live in great expectation that their coach will notice them and give them a little P.T.

It is game time and the "five" are burning the nets, pressing all over the court, picking off passes and laying it in at the other end. The "team" is 20 points ahead, then 30 and now 40.

With excitement and expectation the "bench" which is part of the "team" is getting mentally ready to enter the game because their coach has noticed they come to practice like the starters, they practice hard when the starters don't, they stay after practice when the starters have to leave early.

But now they will get some quality minutes. After all, the "team" is up now 45 points and plenty of playing time is left in the final quarter. The coach is looking

this way. Now it is my chance to shine.

But wait a minute. He is putting a starter back in the game. Why? What's wrong? Why can't I go in and play some quality minutes? After all, there is only 6:43 left in the game and we are up 45 points. How can we lose?

Approaching the minute mark in the game and he gives the "starters" five more seconds and then the bench goes in for the final 55 seconds. Hardly time to break a sweat, get in the rhythm or even touch the ball.

I am sure all this sounds ever so familiar. And I have seen it happen and I have heard from parents who say they "are fed up with it."

Players are even thinking of dropping off the team or transferring somewhere else.

I was at a game recently where this all happened and it was disgusting. Those who sat on the bench were wanting to enter the game, but they had to wait until inside the final minute while their teammates mercilessly beat the other team into submission.

This is not right! I don't care who the coach is. When a team is ahead by 40 points, even 30 points, even 20 points, he or she should go to the bench and let the other kids get more than 55 seconds in the game.

It is no wonder some good bas-

ketball players are not playing. Too much favoritism, they say.

I know that my voice doesn't amount to a hill of beans, but at least I get to say how I feel and I feel sorry for those who have to sit there and watch everyone else play. I'm sorry, this is the way I feel.

A coach who has no respect for his or her players does not deserve respect.

I like the sign that hangs in the D.W. Howard Fieldhouse. "Learn, earn respect to get respect!"

Respect is a two-way street. A coach demands respect, but he or she should show respect.

The old saying, "What goes around, comes around!" is true.

Mark it down. Some teams will be hollering about being an inexperienced ballclub next season. They will be inexperienced because they refuse to let their bench get any experience this year.

I say let the kids play. Now no one expects the bench to replace the starters when the game is close and on the line. But 40 points ahead? Come on!

Oh yes, this is not just my opinion, but ask the parents of the kids who are on the bench looking forward to getting in the game.

Good sports everyone and be good sports! Take the kids to Sunday School and church this Sunday.

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### ■ SFMS AAU basketball

## South Floyd AAU edges Porter; falls to Allen

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The South Floyd AAU girls basketball team split two games over the weekend, winning over Porter 27-26 and dropping a 40-29 decision to Allen AAU.

In a game played Sunday, Candice Hall scored eight points and Tabatha Tackett netted seven to lead South Floyd past Porter. Tabitha Trammell netted six points, while Miranda Gregory finished with six.

Alice Daniel led all scorers with 12 points for Porter.

Porter jumped out to a 13-6 first-quarter lead behind Daniel, who had seven of her 12 points in the opening quarter. Trammell scored four of the six for South Floyd, with Tackett hitting two free throws for the other two.

In the second period, both teams struggled from the free throw line with Porter going 0-8 in the period. South Floyd was a little better, hitting three of 11 attempts in the frame. Porter outscored South Floyd 8-3 in the second quarter to lead 21-9 at the half.

The final two quarters belonged to South Floyd with a 6-3 third period and a 12-2 run in the fourth to pull out the one-point victory.

For the game, South Floyd connected on 13 of 35 free throws for

37 percent shooting.

In an earlier game played Saturday, Allen got 24 points from Heather White and rolled past South Floyd by 11 points. Kelli Key netted six points and Chanel Music scored three.

Candice Hall led South Floyd with 12 points. Trammell had nine and Miranda Gregory tossed in six. Tabatha Tackett finished with two.

Allen led 11-7 after the first quarter behind a 10-point performance by White. Hall hit three of four free throws for South Floyd, with Gregory and Trammell scoring a field goal each.

South Floyd trailed 20-17 at the half.

White scored five third-quarter points and added nine in the fourth. Key had four points in the final quarter.

## Players of the Week



Megan Hyden  
Soph., Prestonsburg



George Hall  
Sen., Piarist Knights



SOUTH FLOYD'S MARTHA CRAWFORD (30) scored on this layup against Prestonsburg Tuesday night at Raider Arena. South Floyd dropped a 93-56 decision (photo by Ed Taylor)



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BETSY LAYNE'S BRADLEY BROOKS (30) put up a short jumper against two Millard defenders during regional basketball play at Betsy Layne. The Bobcats defeated the visiting Mustangs. (photo by Karen Joseph)

# Bartley nets 21 in win over Millard

by Karen Joseph Sports Writer

With a week and half remaining in the regular season of the high school basketball season, teams are gearing up for the upcoming district and regional tournaments.

The Betsy Layne Bobcats have had a fairly good season so far. They lost a big district game on Friday night and were hoping to change their luck on Tuesday night when they hosted the Millard Mustangs.

Millard defeated the Sheldon Clark Cardinals on Monday night and was really up for the game.

Even though the Mustangs fought very hard, the Bobcats were able to come away with the 71-55 victory.

It was senior night for the Bobcats and all seniors athletes and band members were recognized before the game. Senior band member and varsity singer Sarah Conn did a wonderful job singing the national anthem before the game. And Brent Rose started his five seniors — Brad Brooks, Justin Bartley, Scott Collins, Eric McKinney and Robert Rose.

Bartley led both teams in scoring with 21 points for the night. Betsy Layne had two other players in double figures. Brock Keathley finished with 11, while Robbie Johnson had 10.

The Mustangs were led in scoring by Nathaniel Kilgore with 14 points. Jason Sykes also hit double digits with 11 points.

Millard took its only lead of the game when Sykes was fouled and hit one of the two free throws. The Bobcats were a little slow in getting started. Two and a half minutes had passed before Bartley finally hit a basket for the Bobcats. This gave a 2-1 lead to the Bobcats.

Then Bartley hit a three-point basket, then another three point basket and all of a sudden, Betsy Layne, or you could say, Justin Bartley, jumped out to a 9-1 lead. Scott Collins hit one of two free throws between Bartley's baskets.

With 4:29 remaining in the opening quarter, Brandon Ward hit a basket for the Mustangs to give them their first field goal of the game. But this time, it was not Bartley hitting the threes, it was Johnson.

Johnson came off the bench to score quickly for the Bobcats. Betsy Layne had a 16-7 lead with five seconds remaining in the initial period, but Sykes cut that lead to seven when he hit a basket as the horn sounded. The Bobcats led at the end

of the quarter by a score of 16-9.

Collins, showing that he is not only a force on the inside, but that he is a threat from the outside, hit a three-point basket to get the second period started. Sykes hit a two-point basket for the Mustangs to bring the lead back down to single digits. But again, Bartley hit for the Bobcats.

Both teams traded baskets and the lead stayed at 10 points. The Mustangs managed to cut the lead to single digits with 3:30 to go in the half, but the Bobcats answered and went into the locker room with a 10-point advantage over the Mustangs, 35-25.

In the second half, it was Scott Collins scoring first for the Bobcats. Skyes would answer for the Mustangs, but late in the third quarter, the Bobcats were able to pull away and take a 16-point lead with 2:45 remaining in the third quarter.

Keathley had a big third quarter for the Bobcats. Keathley scored seven straight points for the Bobcats. The Mustangs gained two points on the Bobcats and at the end of the third quarter, the Bobcats led

50-36.

But the Mustangs would not go away. The Bobcats were very slow scoring in the fourth quarter. Their first basket came with 4:58 remaining in the game, when Keathley hit a two-point basket. The Mustangs had cut the lead to nine before Keathley's basket.

But that was as close as the Mustangs would come. After the Bobcats finally started scoring in the final quarter, they scored 21 points in the last five minutes of the game and went on to capture the win by a score of 71-55.

The Bobcats (13-8) will host the Golden Eagles from Johnson Central tonight in their last home game of the season.

### Scoring Summary

Betsy Layne (71) Bartley 21, Rose 2, Johnson 10, Tackett 2, S. Collins 7, A. Collins 9, Daughtery 3, Keathley 11, B. Brooks 1, Knausz 1, Daniels 4.

Millard (55) Sykes 11, Ward 8, Tackett 6, Coleman 6, Kilgore 14, A. Coleman 4, Mark Tackett 3, Adkins 1, McPeck 2.

### Pburg Wrestling

# Chaffins earns berth in state wrestling meet

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Prestonsburg High School will have a representative in the upcoming state wrestling meet this weekend in Frankfort.

Nick Chaffins earn a berth in the meet by placing fourth in last week's regional meet.

Chaffins wrestled in the 103-pound class, taking fourth place.

Heath Chaffins and Josh Francis also represented Prestonsburg in the regional meet.

Last week's regional was held at Wayne County High

School. It was not an easy first round match for the local wrestler, who will be making his first-ever trip to the state meet. He took on Woodford County's James Large and came out of the first round

match with a 10-2 victory.

In a close second-round match, Chaffins fell to highly regarded Tom Metzger from Lexington Henry Clay, sending him to the lower bracket.

In a third-round match, Chaffins kept his championship hopes alive by winning over a grappler from Lexington Dunbar.

With a chance to advance, Chaffins took a tough competitor in Wayne County's Upchurch in a fourth-round match. Chaffins fell in his fourth-round match to the more experienced wrestler.

Heath Chaffins finished fifth in the 112-pound class in the regional meet last

week. Francis, who wrestled in the 215-pound class, placed in the top five. Chaffins completed the wrestling season with a record of 48 wins and only eight losses. Francis finished with a 27-16 mark.



# Betsy Layne

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Coach Rose. "You never know what is going to happen in the next two or three weeks."

Much will depend on the play of senior Scott Collins. Collins has been a big part of the Bobcats' handling the full-court pressure.

"I talked with Scott and told him he had all the talent in the world and he had to find a way to get it out," said Coach Rose. "He

does a good job in helping us get the ball up the floor."

Coach Rose said his team needs to stay focused the rest of the way.

"We need to keep staying together and gaining confidence," he said. "We have some games left we feel are winnable. We have to keep our confidence and if we were to get blown out, not to lose that confidence."

# P'burg

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half.

The Lady Blackcats built on the lead and led by 20 after three quarters, 61-41.

South Floyd just couldn't find the basket in the final period as they struggled big time. The Lady Raiders did not get back on the scoreboard until Crawford hit a jumper with 4:18 to play in the fourth quarter. Brook Coleman, who finished with six points, all on treys, hit her second three-point basket to give Prestonsburg a 40-point lead, 91-51. Crawford's second trey and two free throws

made the final margin of 37 points.

Stephanie Adams scored four points in the win, while eighth-grader Heather White tossed in four points.

Lindsey Hall was held to five points, way below her season average. Valerie King, a freshman, had a trey and ended up with five points. Sonya Tackett and Megan Ousley added two points apiece.

Prestonsburg, the three seed in the upcoming district tournament, will travel to Sheldon Clark Monday.



SCOTT COLLINS (24) SCORED against Millard underneath the basket. (photo by Karen Joseph)

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# Lafferty scores 10 in loss to Morgan County

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

James Lafferty scored 10 points but his Prestonsburg 11-year-old AAU team dropped a 54-22 decision to Morgan County as the AAU basketball season opened. Lafferty hit two three-point baskets, both in the final stanza.

Brad Hughes added five points in the loss. Hughes had a three-point basket in the fourth quarter. Mickey Crum, Michael Lackey and Justin Conn each finished with two points. Carmen Maines had one point.

Morgan County raced out to a 17-0 lead, holding the Prestonsburg team scoreless in the opening quarter. The only two points for the local AAU team came in the second period on a basket by Lafferty. Prestonsburg trailed 27-2 at the half.

It was a 29-10 game after three periods of play. Prestonsburg had four players to score a field goal in the quarter.

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### Allen AAU

# Allen girls AAU upends Fallsburg

*White, Music combine in 39-28 victory*

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Allen AAU girls basketball team outscored Fallsburg 12-7 to pull out a 39-28 win Sunday at Prestonsburg High School.

Heather White scored a game-

high 13 points and Chanel Music added 11 to lead Allen. Kelly Key netted nine points. Alanna Cline and Jamie Wright scored two points apiece, while Tina Wakley and Amanda Keathley scored one point each.

Jessie Roberts led Fallsburg with 11 points. Samantha Prince tossed in seven.

Allen held an 8-7 lead after the first quarter, with Music scoring four of her points in the period. Allen made only two of seven free throw attempts in the period. Koshia Rosser had four of the seven points for Fallsburg.

White, who had three points in the first period, hit four of four from the charity stripe and Music had two field goals to lead Allen to a 17-11 halftime lead.

Key was three of four from the stripe and had two field goals for seven third-quarter points to keep Allen in front by a 27-21 margin after three periods. Allen hit six of eight free throws in the quarter for a higher percentage.

Allen put some distance between them and Fallsburg in the fourth quarter, with White scoring six points.

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**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**  
The McDowell Elementary School is

requesting sealed bids on the following properties:  
Selex 7260 Copier with stand featuring Stapler/Sorter. Good condition/comes with 8 boxes of toner.  
Canon NP-3050 with stand. Needs glass top replaced.  
Kimball Piano. Needs tuning.

Sealed bids may be mailed or hand-delivered to Mrs. Jerri Turner, Principal, at McDowell Elementary School, located at PO Box 282, Route 680, McDowell, Kentucky 41647. Bids will be opened February 28, 2000, at 10:00 a.m., in the principal's office. The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 836-8027, Renewal In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., 452 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, KY 41501, has applied for a renewal of a permit for a coal processing facility affecting 34.25 acres located 0.10 miles east of Ligon in Floyd County.

The proposed facility is approximately 0.5 miles South from State Route 979 junction with Clear Creek Road and located 0.75 miles south of Ligon Post Office. The latitude is 37°22'09". The longitude is 82°40'28".

The proposed facility is located on the McDowell Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Alma Land Company, Gordon Meade, The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Will Stone heirs.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3410 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, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or request for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635, has applied for Phase I bond release on Permit Number 836-5356 which was last issued on April 10, 1997. The application covers an area of approximately 6.97 acres located 0.50 miles southeast of Drift in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.80 miles southeast form KY 122's junction with KY 1101 and located on Simpson Branch of Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37°28'14". The longitude is 82°44'22".

The bonds now in effect for this permit are a certificate of deposit and Kentucky Bond Pool bonds in the amount of thirty-seven thousand four hundred dollars

( \$ 3 7 , 4 0 0 . 0 0 ). Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original bond amount of \$37,400 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching completed in September 1999. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by March 20, 2000.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 21, 2000, at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by March 20, 2000.

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**NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE**

Pursuant to Permit No. 836-5359 In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Coastal Coal Company, (formerly ANR Coal Company, LLC) LLC 117 Madison Avenue Suite B, Whitesburg, Kentucky 41858 has applied for a Phase I bond release on Permit Number 836-5359 which was last issued on October 1, 1997. The permit area includes an area of 12.9 acres of surface disturbance and underlies an additional 990.0 acres making the total acreage affected being 1,002.9 acres. The permit is located 1.5 miles north of Wheelwright in Floyd County. The mine was closed and reclaimed in the last quarter of 1997 and first quarter of 1998.

The permit area is approximately .80 miles south of the junction of KY 979 and KY 122 and located along Hayes Branch of Clear Creek. The latitude is 37°22'40". The longitude is 82°43'23".

The bond now in effect is for a surety bond in the amount of \$42,900.00 Of the total bond existing for this permit approximately 60% is included in this application for bond release.

Reclamation work performed includes that which was necessary to achieve the approved post mining land uses for this permit area and includes but was not limited to backfilling high walls to Approximate Original Contour, grading and initial revegetation.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by March 24, 2000.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed bids for the construction of an addition to the existing Sandy Valley Transportation Services Inc., building, 81 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, Ky., will be received at the office of the director at the above mentioned facility, until 3:00 p.m. local time, February 29, 2000, and then at said office, publicly opened and read aloud.

The work for which bids are to be submitted consists of the construction of a two story wood frame addition to the existing building. All as shown on the drawings and described in the specifications.

The information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications and Forms of Bid Bond, Performance

the application has been scheduled for March 27, 2000 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by March 24, 2000.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

APPLICATION No. 860-5201, RENEWAL ATTACHMENT 4.2.A

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., 1045 Arnold Fork Road, Kite, KY 41828, has applied for renewal of an underground and surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.00 miles southeast of Halo in Knott and Floyd counties. The proposed operation will disturb 17.39 surface acres and will underlie 449.00 acres. The total area within the permit boundary will be 466.39 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.00 miles southeast from Kentucky Route 1490's junction with Arnold Fork Road and located 0.15 miles north of Pigeonroost Fork of Arnold Fork Road.

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by the Virnus Isaac Estate and Progress land Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by the Virnus Isaac Estate, Grant Burke, Orville Burke, Dewey Johnson, Leonard Burke, Louie Burke, Jeff Goble, Ed Gibson, Ben Johnson, Tommy Roop, Primbly Hall, Barris Hall, Larry Honeycutt, Junior Mullins, Fess Hall and Mildred Isaac.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 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 Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

A certified check or bid bond, made payable to the Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc., in the sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the Base Bid must accompany each bid. The bonding company must be licensed in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application No. 836-5362, Operator Change

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Redbone Coal Company, Inc., 2000 Ashland Drive, Ashland, Kentucky 41101, intends to revise Permit No. 836-5362 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Matrix Coal Company, 2000 Ashland Drive, Ashland, Kentucky 41101. The new operator will be McCoy Elkhorn Coal Corporation, 1148 Long Fork Road, Kimper, Kentucky 41539.

The operation is located 1.0 miles East of Betsy Layne in Floyd and Pike counties. The operation is located 0.25 miles west of CR 1509's junction with CR 1510 and located along Pike-Floyd Hollow. The latitude is

37°38'18" and the longitude is 82°37'00".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, No 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 898-5991, Renewal In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Addington Mining, Inc., 2000 Ashland Drive, Ashland, Kentucky 41101, has applied for a renewal of a permit for an existing underground coal mining operation. The operation will affect 18.5 surface acres and will underlie 790.3 acres Northwest of Owsley in Pike and Floyd counties.

The proposed operation is approximately 3.5 miles Northwest from U.S. 23's junction with State Route 1384, and located 0.2 mile West of Hurricane Creek. The latitude is 37°30'51", and longitude 82°35'41".

The proposed operation is located on the Pikeville and Boradbottom U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the underground method of mining. The surface area is owned by the Joe Justice and Henry Adkins Heirs. The operation will underlie land owned by Hubert Meade, Jeff Spears, Gordon Wagner, Mac Arthur Adkins, Bob Billips, Dawson James, Leland Wagner, Jackie W. Hatfield, Dewey Stephens, Clark Elkhorn Coal Company, James Hatcher Estate, Earl Stevens, Eula Mae Robinson, Richard Adkins, Mrs. Marvin Gettings, Bobby Adkins, John P. Adkins, Roscoe Adkins, Joe Justice, Henry Adkins Heirs, William & Lisa Warner, Mrs. Cleo T. Dalton, Walker Salisbury Estate, Gladys McKinney, Carl J. Coswell, and Ballard Justice, Jr.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

and Payment Bond, and other contract documents may be examined at the following:  
Randall Burchett - Architect  
637 North Lake Drive  
Prestonsburg, KY 41653  
(606) 886-3929

F.W. Dodge Corp.  
2525 Harrodsburg Road  
Lexington, KY  
Dodge Plan Room  
405 Capital St., Suite 509  
Charleston, W.V. 25301

Copies of the Drawing in full size, the Specifications and Contract Documents may be obtained from Randall Burchett - Architect, 637 North Lake Dr. Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Each set will be \$100.00. Fifty percent will be returned to bona fide bidders.

No bidders may withdraw his bid within forty five (45) days after the actual date of bid opening. Bidders must certify they do not and will not maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated or based on race, color creed or national origin.

Minorities and small business are encouraged to submit bids on the Project. The Owner reserves the right to waive any bidding informalities and to reject any or all bids.

The sealed bids for this Project shall be marked on the outside of the envelope: "BID FOR SANDY VALLEY TRANSPORTATION ADDITION, Greg Hamlin, Sandy Valley Transportation, 81 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, KY 4653. All risks involved with the proper and timely delivery of any bid shall be assumed by the Bidder. Any bid which is not received on a timely basis or the proper form shall be rejected. Facsimile transmissions ("Faxes") will not be accepted.

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**COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways in the

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FDGR 00 0000037, FLOYD COUNTY Asphalt Surface on Various Roads. (SEE PROPOSAL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION) Bid proposals for all projects will be available until 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, Friday, March 17, 2000, at the Division of Contract

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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEDICARE TERMINATION OF**

**PROVIDER AGREEMENT**  
Notice is hereby given that effective March 1, 2000, the agreement between Floyd County Health Department Home Health Agency, located at 144 North Front Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, and the secretary of

Health and Human Services as a provider of home health services in the Health Insurance for the Aged and Disabled Program (Medicare) is to be terminated. The Health Care Financing Administration has determined that Floyd County Health Department Home

Agency is not in compliance with the following Conditions of Participation: 42 CFR 484.30 Skilled Nursing Services. The Medicare Program will not make payment for inpatient hospital services furnished to patients who are admitted on or after March 1,

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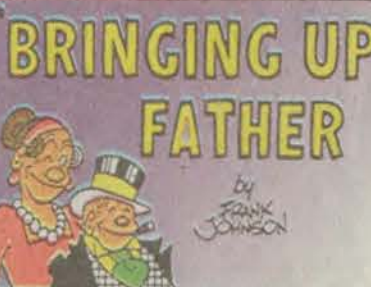
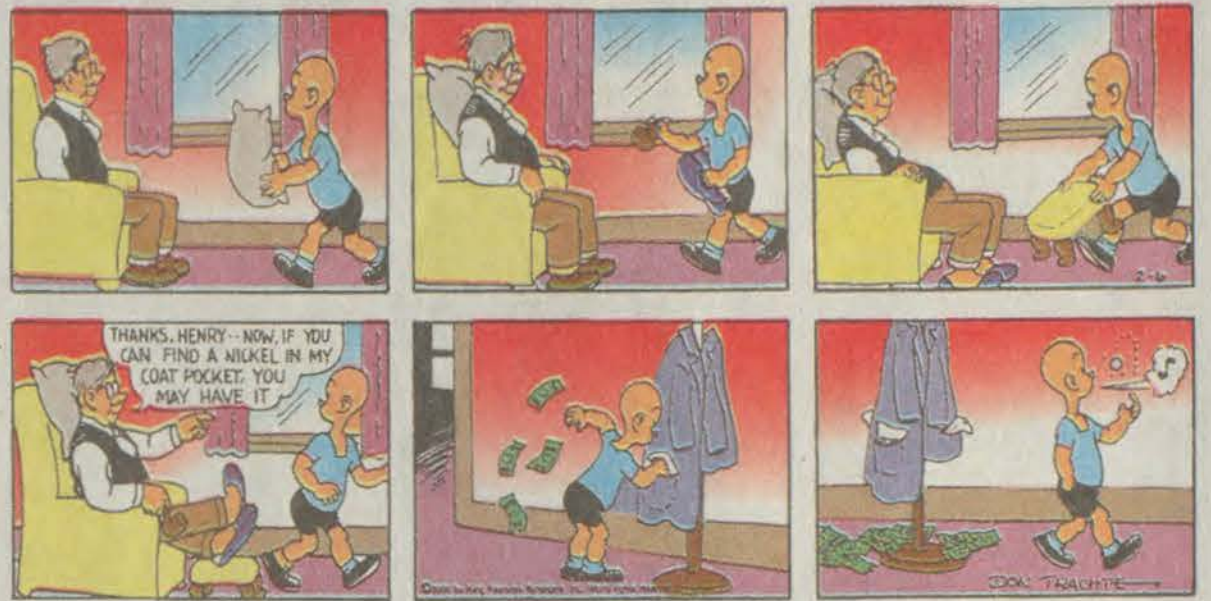
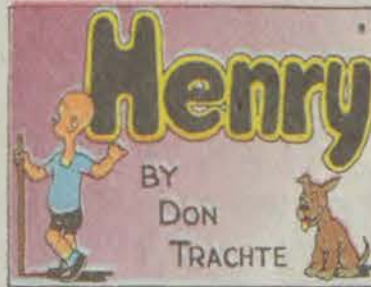
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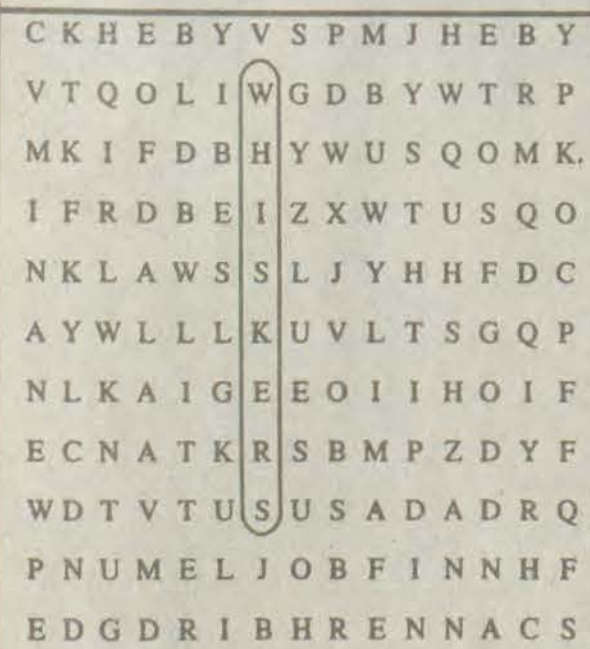
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| 1 Like the Kalahari         | 57 Take a taxi                          | 101 Israeli diplomat         | 2 Tim of "Simon & Simon"    | 40 Nutritional abbr.       | 94 German valley            | 94 German valley            |
| 5 Jungle birds              | 60 Short swim                           | 103 Mink's coat              | 3 "Picnic" playwright       | 41 PDQ, politely           | 96 D-Day craft              | 96 D-Day craft              |
| 11 Mythical monster         | 61 — Aviv                               | 105 Waterston or Wanemaker   | 4 Showy flower              | 47 Tolkien character       | 97 — Cruces, NM             | 97 — Cruces, NM             |
| 14 RN's specialty           | 63 School grp.                          | 106 Let out the lava         | 5 — jacket                  | 49 Renaissance painter     | 98 Gopher Alcott            | 98 Gopher Alcott            |
| 17 Actress Rowlands         | 64 Yearbook features                    | 109 Eye part                 | 6 Geometry term             | 50 Velocity                | 100 Least humid             | 100 Least humid             |
| 18 Lawrence's locale        | 66 When Strasbourg sizzles              | 111 Peter Lorre's final film | 7 First base man?           | 52 Play ground?            | 102 '58 Everly Brothers hit | 102 '58 Everly Brothers hit |
| 19 Chanteuse Edith          | 67 Nags subtly                          | 114 Ambush man               | 8 Helps a hood              | 53 Spell                   | 104 Antique auto            | 104 Antique auto            |
| 21 Queens stadium           | 70 Actor Tognazzi                       | 115 Cpl. Walter O'Reilly     | 9 Shrivel up                | 55 "— Cupid" ('58 hit)     | 107 Pie nut                 | 107 Pie nut                 |
| 22 Grace Kelly's final film | 72 Redolence                            | 117 Director Nicolas         | 10 Utter                    | 56 Othello's ensign        | 108 Do Europe               | 108 Do Europe               |
| 24 Money drawer             | 73 Adams or McClurg                     | 118 Ballyhoo                 | 11 Best                     | 58 "— you so!"             | 110 Strut                   | 110 Strut                   |
| 25 Semester                 | 74 Vocalized                            | 119 "Green" ('90 film)       | 12 Journalist Jacob         | 59 — fin                   | 112 Cuban currency          | 112 Cuban currency          |
| 26 Fred's sister            | 75 Vivien Leigh's final film            | 121 Swell place?             | 13 "La Divina"              | 62 Rice's vampire          | 113 Erle's colleague        | 113 Erle's colleague        |
| 27 Ultimate                 | 78 Mild oath                            | 122 Wise guys                | 14 Gary Cooper's final film | 65 Like a cobra            | 114 Neighbor of Jordan      | 114 Neighbor of Jordan      |
| 28 Capri, for one           | 80 Amos or Spelling                     | 123 Picoadilly figure        | 15 Artist Neiman            | 67 Dreiser's "Sister —"    | 116 See 95 Across           | 116 See 95 Across           |
| 29 Cabell or Slaughter      | 81 Nourished                            | 127 Eager John               | 16 Machine parts            | 68 Henry Ford's final film | 118 Employees               | 118 Employees               |
| 30 Native Peruvian          | 82 Actor McGavin                        | 128 Eager Wayne's final film | 17 Meat on the bones        | 69 Musical Dinah           | 120 "Green Mansions" girl   | 120 "Green Mansions" girl   |
| 33 Blood component          | 84 12 doz.                              | 132 Navel store?             | 20 Meat on the bones        | 71 Wrong mysterious        | 122 Actress Nielsen         | 122 Actress Nielsen         |
| 36 Off course               | 85 Texas city                           | 133 Verne captain            | 21 "Tristram Shandy" author | 74 It makes candy dandy    | 124 — Carlo Menotti         | 124 — Carlo Menotti         |
| 38 Jean Harlow's final film | 87 Mack or Knight                       | 134 Spring holiday           | 23 Dispatched               | 76 Worth or Pappas         | 125 Punta del —             | 125 Punta del —             |
| 42 Tabula —                 | 89 Wahine's neckwear                    | 135 Loathe                   | 31 Bull's beloved           | 77 Greek cheese            | 126 Prepare prunes          | 126 Prepare prunes          |
| 43 Button part              | 90 Sneeze and wheeze                    | 136 Paw part                 | 32 '58 Pulitzer winner      | 83 Chianti color           | 129 Darjeeling export       | 129 Darjeeling export       |
| 44 Assist                   | 91 "— o'clock scholar"                  | 137 Fall behind              | 34 Fury                     | 85 Store                   | 130 "Yo!"                   | 130 "Yo!"                   |
| 45 Director Craven          | 92 Soccer shot                          | 138 Answer for an admiral    | 35 Seize                    | 86 "Pal Joey" author       | 131 Metallurgist's concern  | 131 Metallurgist's concern  |
| 46 Chasm                    | 95 With                                 | 139 From the top             | 37 Subdues Simba            | 88 Adroit                  |                             |                             |
| 48 TV's "Boy — World"       | 99 116 Down, "Touched by an Angel" star |                              | 38 HS exam                  |                            |                             |                             |
| 51 Rubbish                  |   |                              |                             |                            |                             |                             |

## MAGIC MAZE CAT



Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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|-----------|--------|---------|----------|
| And dog   | Family | Island  | Tails    |
| And mouse | Fight  | Litter  | Walk     |
| Bird      | Gut    | Scanner | Whiskers |
| Burglar   | House  | Skill   |          |

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Differences: 1. Shirt is different. 2. Hair is different. 3. Scale is shown. 4. Table is removed. 5. Lockers are taller. 6. Collar is shown.

