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Clerk exam

FRANKFORT - The qualifying exam for the 2006 elections for the office of circuit court clerk will be

Frankfort. This is the only date and location for the

offices In all 120 Kentucky

Circuit court clerks have

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for managing the records of

Kentucky circuit and district

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Pre-registration, qualifi-

cations, study materials and

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other details about the

exam are available at www.kycourts.net. Click on

Circuit Court Clerks and

Exam. The deadline for pre-

mandatory, is Tuesday, Nov.

Individuals who have

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between Jan. 1, 2002, and

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Police probing SFMS football brawl

by TOM DOTY and MARY MUSIC STAFF WRITERS

HI HAT - A fight that erupted during a middle school football game Saturday prompted allegations against a Kentucky State Police trooper who was coaching a Breathitt County team.

pursuing charges against Kentucky State Police Trooper Mike Wolfe, who serves as a coach for the Sebastian Middle School football team.

Hall, wife of Prestousburg attorney Tim Parker, says her son attended the Sandy Valley Conference game at South Floyd Middle School because his father,

Prestonsburg resident Angela Hall is Chad Hall, was coaching the South Floyd

team.

Authorities say that a fight broke out between the players on the field and grew to an uncontrollable level as bystanders rushed into the melee. One report indicated that the Breathitt County bus was blocked at the school and that they called 911 for help, but officials could not con-

KSP Trooper B.J. Caudill said he was called in to escort the Sebastian Middle School bus to Route 80.

Hall alleges that her son, a 15-year-old basketball player at Prestonsburg High School, was treated and released for head

(See BRAWL, page eight)



BLUEGRASS BENEFIT FOR **EDUCATION**

The Charlie Sizemore Band, above, headlined the Bluegrass Benefit for Education at the Mountain Arts Center Saturday night. The event raised \$10,000, which will be used to fund scholarships at Big Sandy Community and Technical College. The concert also Center debut of school's Big Sandy Singer, at right. See story, page A2.



file suit against Wheelwright by MARY MUSIC paying the highest natural STAFF WRITER

Gas customers

WHEELWRIGHT There are "arbitrary and capricious" gas problems in

Wheelwright. Prestonsburg attorney Ned Pillersdorf filed a civil complaint and a motion for a temporary restraint and injunction against Wheelwright city commission Tuesday on behalf of the city's gas customers, alleging that commission members, individually and in their official capacity, breached their fiduciary duty to pay the city's gas bill.

"Why does the poorest community in the commonwealth have to pay the state's highest natural gas rate?" Pillersdorf asked. "I spoke with Dennis Howard, he's a rate intervention guy at the Attorney General's office, he said that \$20 is off the charts and that Wheelwright will be

gas rate in the state if it goes into effect."

Pillersdorf, on behalf of residents Shelvie Boyd and Alfred Rhea, who are standing in as class representatives of 284 Wheelwright gas customers, is asking that the court declare the commission's decision to raise gas rates null and void. The motion for temporary injunction asks the court to prevent the implementation of the gas rate hike.

The suit alleges that the commission failed to organize a utility commission to oversee the city's gas service. He also claims they violated the residents' rights, the Open Meetings Act by threatening the arrest of people who made comments during a meeting last week and the Consumer Protection Act when they engaged in

(See LAWSUIT, page eleven)

Chase cases sent to grand jury

by TOM DOTY STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG - Two of three men charged with fleeing police in Floyd County last week saw their charges sent to a grand jury for consideration, after preliminary hearings in district court Monday.

Famer Habert, 18, of McDowell, saw his charges waived to the grand jury after testimony from Sgt. Steve Little was heard. Little testified that he was at the trailer park where Habert lived to interview another subject when he drove past a trailer that Habert stood up and bolted inside, which drew his attention.

The officer stopped back at the trailer after finishing his business. Habert was back outside at that point and Little asked him why he ran inside earlier. Little reported that Habert said he heard the baby crying. Little opted to stay and talk to Habert some more about a robbery in McDowell. He soon realized that Habert was someone whose name came up in the robbery investigation and called in what he was doing.

Little went on to note that his dispatcher called him back and

where Habert was sitting. He said said there was a warrant issued for Habert for a burglary case. Little asked Habert about that case and was allegedly told by Habert that he never stole the victim's television. Habert allegedly told the officer that he had gone into the home to steal marijuana.

Little informed Habert at that point that he had to arrest him and Habert requested that he get a shirt and some cigarettes from the trailer. Little complied and they went inside, where Habert allegedly ducked out a back window and ran away. Little said that

(See CHASES, page three)

23 churches sign on to 'countywide revival'

by MARY MUSIC STAFF WRITER

FLOYD COUNTY-Local evangelist Frank Blackburn, who preaches at the Daniel Creek Baptist Church under Pastor Henry

Lewis, says it's time for peo-

ple adjust their life priorities. A widower, with no close family members living, Blackburn said he took a stand with God several years ago and the decision to do so has "blessed" his life.

That's why he's been working to unite different religious denominations in

Floyd County to host simultaneous church revivals next

The countywide revival will take place on November 4, 5 and 6 in at least 23 churches that have signed on throughout the county.

"It's something the Lord put on my heart about a month-and-a-half Blackburn said. "It's a way to express unity in all denominations, with different denominations together for Christ."

Blackburn believes that

(See REVIVAL, page eleven)

Police wrap up growing season with \$1 billion of pot

by ROGER ALFORD ASSOCIATED PRESS

PIKEVILLE - Authorities in Kentucky, one of the nation's top producers of marijuana, confiscated more than \$1 billion worth of the illegal crop this year and arrested 327 growers, according to the head of the strike force charged with eradicating pot fields.

Kentucky State Police Lieutenant Ed

Shemelya said 502,524 plants were taken. Each, he said, had a street value of at least \$2,000 at maturity.

The total haul is up substantially from last year when 476,803 plants were cut. Shemelya said more would have been confiscated had Kentucky National Guard helicopters that help search the rugged hills not been needed along the Gulf Coast in the wake of Hurricane

more dope we can find," Shemelya said. The area where marijuana is traditionally grown is so rugged and rural we can't cover it all. You can walk all day and never find it without someone in the air to direct the ground forces in."

Shemelya said the National Guard usually provides six to eight helicopters and pilots during the peak harvest season in September to help locate marijuana and

"The more eyes we get in the sky, the to guide camouflaged officers on the ground to it.

> "I'd say we probably got about 60 percent of what was growing in our primary growing area," he said. "We simply ran out of time and money."

> Kentucky traditionally ranks among the top five states in the country in illegal marijuana production. Last year, the state

> > (See MARIJUANA, page three)



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(3) Country Gravy



Obituaries

Thelma Osborne Bentley

Thelma Osborne Bentley, age 77, of Martin, widow of Manice Bentley, passed away Saturday, October 22, 2005, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

She was born June 23, 1928, in Martin, a daughter of the late Freel Osborne and Mary Payne Osborne.

She was a homemaker, and a member of the Salisbury United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two sons: Terry David Bentley of Printer, and Manice D. Bentley of Martin; two daughters: Dianna Bentley of Martin, and Mary England of Price; three brothers: Dent Osborne of Canton, Michigan, Freel Osborne Jr., of Man, West Virginia, and Danny Osborne of Hazard; one sister, Ruby Skeans of Martin; 13 grandchildren, and 16 greatgrandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Manice, her parents; her step-mother, Susie Mae Osborne; three brothers: John Osborne: Cecil Osborne and Charles Edward Osborne: and two sisters: Vonda Keens and Alma Osborne.

Funeral services for Thelma Osborne Bentley will be conducted Wednesday, October 26, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Clergymen Ted Shannon and Bobby Lawson officiating.

Burial will follow in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the funeral home. (Paid obituary)

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Sarah Arnett Davis

Sarah Arnett Davis, age 83, of David, wife of the late Raymond Davis, passed away Friday, October 21, 2005, in the Prestonsburg Health Care Center.

She was born February 16, 1922, in Magoffin County, the daughter of the late Mort Arnett and Bessie Shepherd Arnett. She was a housewife, and believed in the Old Regular Baptist faith.

Survivors include four daughters: Phyllis Wolters (Bill) of Belleville, Michigan, Mary Hamlin (Greg), Rhonda Ousley (Ricky), and Vonda Robinson (Randy), all of David; and a son-in-law, Lanny Hamilton, husband of the late Brenda Hamilton; two brothers: Claude Arnett of Las Vegas, Nevada and Clark Arnett of Florence, California; three sisters: Charity Wireman of Salversville, Bonnie Davis of David, and Grace Wireman of Chelesa, Michigan, five grandchildren, one step-grandson, and three great-grandsons.

Preceding her in death were her husband, her parents, three brothers: Junior Arnett, Clyde Arnett and Clay Arnett; and two sisters: Minnie Hackworth and Maggie Dotson.

Funeral services for Sarah Arnett Davis were conducted Tuesday, October 24, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Clergyman Larry Adams officiating.

Burial was in the Arnett Family Cemetery, Howard Branch, in Salyersville, under the professional care of Hall

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Funeral Home.

Visitation was at the funeral

Pallbearers: Kyle Ousley, Shawn Hamilton, Dustin Robinson, Wesley Robinson, Hackworth, Wireman, Greg Davis, and Randy Davis.

Honorary: Zach Hamilton, Dawson Hamilton, Braydon Hamilton, Brook Hamilton and Mason Jervis.

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Jack Elliott

Jack Elliott, 63, of Willard, Ohio, passed away on Monday, October 17, 2005, at St. Vincent Mercy Medical Center, in Toledo, Ohio.

He was born March 11, 1942, the son of the late John and Bessie Elliott.

Surviving to cherish his memory are his brothers: Monford, Ronnie, Basil, and John D. Elliott; and sisters: Carlini, Barbara Clara Flannery, Donna Hardin, Glenna Hicks, Phyllis Dale, and Victoria Kendrick.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Frances and Homer.

Jack was cremated, therefore he requested that there be no funeral service, and no vis-

Arrangements were entrusted to Gasiorowski and Cook Memorial, Toledo, Ohio.

(Paid obituary)

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Kevin Johnson

Kevin Johnson, 33, of Teaberry, died Friday, October 21, 2005, in the emergency room at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Born February 8, 1972, in McDowell, he was the son of Emmitt Hamilton of Teaberry, and the late Aline Johnson Hamilton. His step father is Frank Hamilton of Teaberry. He was a construction worker.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Debra Gillespie.

Survivors include one son, Kevin O'Bryan Johnson, and one daughter, Keisha Lynn Johnson, both of Teaberry; three brothers: Steven Hamilton of Honaker, and Jackie Dean Hamilton and Phillip Hamilton, both of Teaberry; five sisters: Teresa Ann Hamilton of Harold, Sandra D. Johnson, Randa Hamilton, and Pattie Hopkins, all of Teaberry, and Dawn Thacker of Michigan.

In addition to his mother and wife, he was preceded in death by one brother, Louie Hamilton.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 24, at 11 a.m., at the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church, at Teaberry, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin.

Visitation was at the church.

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Donald Ray McGarey

Donald Ray McGarey, 52, of Eastern, died Saturday, October 22, 2005, at Highlands Regional Center, Medical Prestonsburg.

Born November 30, 1952, in Martin, he was the son of Amy McGarey of Langley, and the late Miles McGarev. He was a employee disabled Hydrocarbon, a member of the Church of Christ at Martin, a member of John W. Hall Lodge No. 950 at Martin, a member of the Easter Star, Hadassah Chapter No. 575 at Martin, and a member of the Oleika Shrine, in Lexington.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra L. Osborne McGarey.

In addition to his wife and mother, he is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Derek Kyle (wife, Sonya) McGarey of Richmond; one sister, Betty Lou Frasure (husband Aldo) of Langley; father-in-law, Romie Osborne of Langley; sister-inlaw and brother-in-law. Debbie and Jim Haldeman Lexington; nieces and nephews: Ashley Steffey of Allen, Faith and Keith Frasure, and Ashley Frasure, all of Langley.

Masonic services were held at 7 p.m., Monday, at the funeral

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 25, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Gary Mitchell officiating.

Burial was in the Osborne Cemetery, in Eastern, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were members of the Maytown Volunteer Fire Department.

Visitation was at the funeral (Paid obituary)

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Eugene Mullins

Eugene Mullins, 77, of Craynor, died Monday, October

(Paid obituary) 24, 2005, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

> Born January 22, 1928, in Splashdown, Virginia, he was the son of the late Lester and Dorothy Willis Mullins. He was a retired merchant; a U.S. Air Force veteran; a member of the Betsy Layne Chapter No. 169, D.A.V.; and a member of the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church, at Melvin.

> He is survived by his wife, Avalia Hall Mullins.

> Other survivors include two sons: Danny Mullins (Katie) of Lexington, and David Mullins (Karen) of Wittensville; five daughters: Dwanna Mullins of Pikeville, Doris Ann Mullins of Columbia City, Indiana, Debbie Lawson (Danny) of Lexington, Sandra Tackett (Amon) of Harold, and Brenda Hamilton (Bobby) of Banner; 19 grandchildren, and 21 great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Don Mullins.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, October 27, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Military services will be conducted by Betsy Layne Chapter 169, D.A.V.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the funeral home, with nightly services at 6:30 p.m. (Paid obituary)

Card of Thanks

The family of Douglas Hayes Tackett would like to express a

sincere appreciation to all the relatives, friends, and neighbors,

who helped to comfort us during our time of loss. We would like

to thank all those who sent food, flowers, and words of comfort

expressed. A special thanks to Elder Pete Grigsby Jr., for his

comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance

in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home, for their kind and

THE FAMILY OF DOUGLAS HAYES TACKETT

Bluegrass concert benefits ' **BSCTC** scholarships

Community and Technical College hosted the third Bluegrass for Education Benefit on Saturday at the Mountain Arts Center. Over \$10,000 was raised to benefit students and fund scholarships at this annual event.

Three years ago, Charlie Sizemore, local bluegrass legend, made an offer to BSCTC President Dr. George D. Edwards that he couldn't refuse. Sizemore, veteran bluegrass artist and now an attorney in Goodlettsville, Tenn., wanted to give back to the college that gave him his start.

There is nothing that I would not do to help the students at Big Sandy Community Technical College,' Sizemore said. "The best two years of my college life were spent on the campus at Prestonsburg, Ky. It was there that I learned that I could be whatever I wanted to be. It was there that I discovered that I could have a future.'

Sizemore offered to come out of retirement to perform a benefit for students. That was the beginning of what have now been three successful concerts. All of the proceeds from the three concerts have gone into Sandy College Big Educational Foundation Inc. funds to be used for scholarships and other needs of students. The first two concerts provided funds for more than 20 students to go to college. This year's proceeds will increase that number.

Sizemore is an Eastern Kentucky native who found a success. Reared on Puncheon Creek, in Magoffin County, he

PRESTONSBURG - Big has a following that is loyal and

loud. The evening began when the Big Sandy Singers took the stage. The group, led by Laura Ford Hall, is made up of Beth Adkins, Jessica Keathley, Brandon Stepp, Amanda Maynard, Clayton Case, Troy Burchett, Louanna Calhoun, Susan Scott, Frances Branham and their sound technician, Tim Cooley. This was their first appearance at the Mountain Arts

For the third year in a row, the 5 Miles From Nowhere bluegrass group came onstage next. This local group is made up of Jimmy Lee and Donnie Witten, of Van Lear, Jack Howard, of Dwale, Paul Smith, of Hardee, and Randy Newsome, of Harold. Their music has become a local favorite and the crowd

Sizemore and the Charlie Sizemore Band came onstage at 8:30 p.m. to an audience that was primed and ready. Singing through their playlist and then improvising as requests for favorites were shouted from the audience. Sizemore and the band performed to a crowd that loved them and showed it. After the show there was a crowd at the record table, trying to buy a CD, shake Charlie's hand or get his autograph.

Ken Slone was also at the benefit, signing his new book, "Mountain Teacher." The book. selling for \$15, will also benefit students. All proceeds will go into the Big Sandy College Educational Foundation funds to be used for scholarships and other student needs. Anyone wanting a copy of this anthology of life in Eastern Kentucky can purchase it by calling Leslie Bays at the college, (606) 886-

Two dulcimers, donated by Southeast Kentucky Technical (Community and College, were auctioned at intermission. Together they sold for \$550. This money also went into the Big Sandy College Educational Foundation funds to benefit students.

Plans are already underway for another Bluegrass, for Education benefit in 2006.

The family of Columbus Jacobs wishes to thank all those friends,

THE FAMILY OF COLUMBUS JACOBS

Card of Thanks

efficient service.

neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to Clergymen Jerry Manns, Russell Jacobs, Bethel Bolen, Daniel Jacobs, and Randy Osborne, for their comforting words, to the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home, for their kind and professional service.

Card of Thanks

The family of Lottie Pitts Crisp wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family, who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent flowers, food, or spoke kind words of sympathy to our family. A special thanks to The United Baptist ministers for their comforting words, Thelma Samons and the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church singers for their beautiful songs, the pallbearers: Mike Webb, Crandell Slone Jr., Billy Robinson, Kevin Cochran, Kyle Webb, Crandell Slone III, Cody, Slone, and Zack Cochran; the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home, for their kind and professional service:

THE FAMILY OF LOTTIE PITTS CRISP

Card of Thanks

The family of Corinne Allen would like to express our sincere appreciation to all the relatives, friends, and neighbors, who helped to comfort us during our time of loss. Thanks to those who sent flowers, or spoke kind words to our family. A special thanks to Clergyman Mike Allen, for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home, for their kind and professional care.

THE FAMILY OF CORINNE ALLEN

Card of Thanks

The family of Clifford Kyle Hamilton would like to acknowledge with heartfelt appreciation, all those who helped in any way during the recent loss of our loved one. Thank you all so much for the food, flowers, and all the acts of kindness shown to our family. We especially want to thank Clergyman Terry Hamilton for his, comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home, for providing dignified and courteous service. All your thoughts and prayers will never be

THE FAMILY OF CLIFFORD KYLE HAMILTON

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Card of Thanks

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Community Calendar

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

National Physical Therapy Month

October is National Physical Therapy Month. In honor of this, Big Sandy Physical Therapy is sponsoring the first of a series of Fibromyalgia Support Group meetings. These meetings are free to the public, but registration is limited to 15 participants. Meeting date is Wednesday, October 26, at Big Sandy Physical Therapy Clinic, adjacent to Archer Clinic, Prestonsburg. Please call 886-9888, to register. Dr. Roger Jurich will be this month's speaker. Refreshments will be served, and door prizes will be

Professional Audition Workshop

Wiley Theatre and Mountain Arts Center, on Sat. Nov. 12 and Sat. Nov. 19, from 1-3 p.m., at the Mountain Arts Center. Instructors: Misty Daniels and Scott Bradley, JWT artistic director. Learn what to sing, what to wear, where to find a monologue, and how to strengthen your overall performance. For young people, ages 8-18. Please bring a prepared song and a memorized monologue to the workshop. Fee: \$50.

Maytown Center upcoming events

*Oct. 28 - "Friday Night Live" Halloween Variety Show (southern rock, country, rock and roll). 7p.m. Costume contest will also be held. \$5 entrance fee.

•Monday nights are
"Volleyball" nights at the center.
Co-ed activity. 7p.m., \$1. 7th
grade thru adult, beginning Nov.
7. Followed by open pool and
ping pong in the Gathering
Place.

Indoor Craft/Antique Holiday Bazaar

Bazaar to be held Sat., Nov. 12, from 8 a.m. until 6 p.m., at the Prestonsburg National Guard Armory. Anyone reserving a space to sell items must sign up in advance by calling 886-6167, Mon. thru Fri., between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Cost is \$10 per table. Quality merchandise only - NO JUNK. Concessions available. All proceeds will go toward funding a Christmas dinner for the families of Charlie Company 206th.

Retired Teachers to hold Potluck

The Floyd County Retired Teachers will hold a potluck dinner on November 3, at 11 a.m., at the Martin Community Center, in Martin. Meat and drinks will be provided. Please bring a wrapped Christmas ornament. For more information, call 886-8978.

Fun Fair for Expectant & New Parents

Fun Fair for Expectant and New Parents to be held November 12, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at the Mountain Arts Center. Mini workshops, questions & answers with a professional panel, exhibits, refreshments, door prizes, and goody bags for all participants. For further info., call Theresa Scott at the UK Cooperative

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JWT's 'A Christmas Story' "A Christmas Story" to be

presented by the Jenny Wiley Theatre, for the public, on Friday, November 18, and Saturday, November 19, at 7:30 p.m., at the Mountain Arts Center. For ticket information, visit online at: www.macarts.com or call 1-888-MAC-ARTS. "A Tribute to the Original, Traditional, One-Hundred-Percent, Red-Blooded, Two-Fisted, All-American Christmas."

Prater Creek Baptist

Nov. 5 & 6 - Israel Appreciation Weekend. Rev. Allen Lord will present. Jewish dinner to be served Sat. at 7 p.m.; presentations by Rev. Lord on Israel and the Jewish people, at 10 and 11 a.m., and at 6 p.m. All events free, everyone welcome. Call 874-3222 or visit www.pcbaptist.org.

Haunted Hayride

The Maytown Fire Department will be having a haunted hayride on October 28 and 29th, from 7 p.m.-11 p.m. www.maytownfire.org

Tussey Family Reunion Will be held Nov. 5, at the

Will be held Nov. 5, at the Pines Building, Jenny Wiley StatePark. For further information, contact Cheryl Tussey Shepherd at 886-8863; Brenda Tussey Gray at 886-1249; Bill Tussey at 358-0076; or Don Tussey at 886-3338.

May House Tours

The historic Samuel May House will be open to the public each Saturday, from 2 to 5 p.m. The house, built in 1817, is the oldest house in the Big Sandy Valley. Tours are \$3/person; donations appreciated. The house is located on North Lake Drive (Prestonsburg), across from Pizza Hut and Wendy's.

HCTC Craft Fair To be held Thur, and Fri.,

Nov. 17 and 18, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., on the Hazard campus, First Federal Center, room 123. Fair will feature eastern Kentucky crafts and food items. Proceeds go to each individual booth.

Trolleys will run from the old Wal-Mart parking lot on Thur., Nov. 17, beginning at 8:30 a.m., and continuing every 30 minutes.

More info., call Cora Hamilton at 487-3071.

Visit the fair and get an early start on your Christmas shop-

UNITE meeting announce-

The Floyd County Coalition of UNITE meets the first Thursday of each month on the BSCTC Prestonsburg campus, room 153 of the Johnson Building. The entire community is invited and encouraged to attend.

Prestonsburg Rotary Club Invites interested professionals and businesses to join them for lunch each Thursday, at 12 p.m., in the Studen t Grille Conference Room, on the BSCTC campus.

Each weekly program is devoted to community service and its application to the Rotary Motto: "Service Above Self."

Oct. Schedule:

Oct. 27 - David Kraus,
Prestonsburg Rotary Club, presentation on Rotary Education.
*Lunch is served at noon and programs begin promptly at 12:40.
Contact Mike Vance at 226-2075 for more info.

HRMC Community Calendar Oct. 27 - Diabetic Support Group, 5-6 p.m. HRMC Medical Office Bldg., meeting place A & B.

For more info., contact Highlands Educational Services Dept. at 886-7424.

Neighborhood Watch

The Mud Creek Neighborhood Watch group will meet the third Thursday of each month, at 7 p.m. All are invited to attend meetings.

Benefit Raffle for KODA Raffle proceeds to benefit

TEAM KENTUCKY Transplant Recipient Athletes. Drawing to be held Dec. 24, 2005; winning ticket holder to receive 5-day Carnival Cruise for two (winner's choice of destination, to b eused within 1 year), PLUS, \$500 cash. Tickets \$10 each, limit of 3,000 to be sold. To purchase, mail check payable to: Charlotte Wong, KODA, 2201 Regency Road Suite 601, Lexington, KY 40503. Your numbered ticket will be mailed to the address shown on check, or to alternate address as requested. Great holiday gift idea!

Free Body Recall classes

Free Body Recall Exercise Classes will be held Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 9:30, at the Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg. Classes are held Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday, at 11 a.m. at the old R & S Building. Classes are offered by the Floyd County Health Department. Call the health department, 886-2788, for more information.

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Chases

he was able to catch him a halfhour later, roughly a mile and a half away.

Nicholas McKinney, 25, of Raccoon, also saw his charges waived after testimony from Trooper Brad Hamilton. The trooper noted that he had clocked McKinney at a high rate of speed on U.S. 23 near the Allen traffic light. He pursued McKinney, who pulled over and jumped from the vehicle and hid until capture by responding troopers.

Hamilton said that he inter-

viewed the back seat passengers of the vehicle, who were Jason Newsome and a juvenile.

Upon his capture Hamilton spoke with McKinney and was told that Newsome was driving and that he supposedly pushed McKinney out of the car through the passenger door as the vehicle came to a stop. Hamilton testified that he checked the videotape from his unit and that McKinney's version of the story was not supported by the videotape.

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Assistant County attorney Jimmy Marcum made a motion after the testimony was complete and asked that the court revisit McKinney's bond which had been set at \$5,000 cash. Marcum noted that this offense may be a fifth DUI for McKinney, who was indicted for his fourth DUI offense in Pike County in July.

Judge Eric Hall reviewed the case file and concurred with Marcum and reset McKinney's bond at \$25,000 cash.

Marijuana

was second, behind California, in the amount of marijuana confiscated from growers.

Illegal growers favor the mountains of southern and eastern Kentucky because they're remote and fall within an area known as the "marijuana belt" where soil and climate condition are ideal for growing the plants, said Lewis County Sheriff Bill Lewis.

Lewis said marijuana growers planted their crops in open bottomland 20 to 30 years ago, often putting them in cornfields. Since then, he said, they've begun planting smaller plots in forest openings to make it harder to spot from the air,

"They usually like to go to locations that have been logged, because marijuana has to have sunlight," Lewis said, "With the smaller plots and fewer plants, they're very difficult to locate."

Most sheriff's departments in "

the state don't have the funding to pay for aerial searches. Instead, Lewis said they rely on tips from citizens who happen upon plots.

Marie Walker, a spokeswoman for the U.S. Forest Service, said crews work hard to locate and cut the illegal crops in the Daniel Boone National Forest. This year, she said they removed 117,677 plants, which the Forest Service valued at \$294 million.

"It's a public safety issue that we want to remain on top of," Walker said. "We have over 5 million visitors to the national forest each year, and we want to provide them safe recreational opportunities."

Shemelya said officers have

been finding larger plots than usual this year, averaging about 75 plants each. That, he said, made them easier to find.

"One marijuana field found

in Harlan County had more than

18,000 plants," he said.

Shemelya said local, state and federal authorities, united under the Kentucky Marijuana Strike Force, team up each year to find and cut illegal crops. Eradication typically begins in the middle of June.

"At that point, the plants are so small you can basically pull them up," he said. "From July on, you have to take a machete and cut the plants. We do that through the end of September."

The marijuana that goes undetected by law enforcement is shipped out of Kentucky in small quantities to cities in the North, primarily by people with family ties in those cities, Shemelya said.

"If every Kentuckian smoked one joint an hour every day for 365 days, they could not smoke all the marijuana grown here," he said.







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- John Greenleaf Whittier

Guest View Squeezing the poor

The cost of helping suffering people of the Gulf Coast will be taken out of the hides of suffering people all across America under plans being batted around by Republican members of Congress. This is what now passes for fiscal responsibility in Washington.

In a way, we're amazed to see it. After all, Congress and the White House have spent nearly five years behaving with no responsibility whatsoever. Since 2001, they've sharply cut taxes, with two-thirds of the benefit going to the welloff. At the same time, they have boosted spending by \$700 billion per year. They've put an entire war, and more, on the national credit card. In the process, they've taken a \$236 billion budget surplus in the last year of the Clinton administration and turned it into a \$390 billion deficit.

So, when Katrina and Rita barreled in, we assumed they'd just put it on plastic again. We were wrong.

Apparently the financing of guns and tax cuts are legitimate reasons for plunging the nation head over heels into hock. But the cost of aiding hurricane victims must be subtracted from other government programs, even if it causes more suffering. Republicans in the Senate have laid out plans for \$35 billion in spending cuts to pay for the hurricanes. Among the cuts are \$10 billion chopped from Medicare and Medicaid. They'd raise \$8.5 billion by hiking fees on lenders who make student loans, who presumably would pass the cost right on to the students.

Others have suggested delaying the start of the Medicare drug benefit, squeezing old folks who can't afford their prescriptions.

In the House, Rep. Todd Akin, R-Mo., is among those taking aim at food stamps. Too many illegal immigrants unlawfully are getting food stamps, he grumbles. So, presumably, the cost of Katrina should be recovered by leaving Mexican children hungry. To his great credit, Sen. Jim Talent, R-Mo., helped block a Senate attempt to strip \$500 million worth of food stamps from the poor.

We'd suggest some alternatives. Congress might take a page from John Kerry's tax plan of last year. Repealing some of the income tax cuts for people making over \$200,000 per year would raise \$43 billion this year, according to the liberal-leaning Tax Policy Center. If we need more, we could restore the estate tax, which falls only on heirs to the richest 2 percent of the population.

We can hear the opposition howling already: Higher taxes on the well-off will stifle investment and stall the economy, they'll say. Horsefeathers. This plan would not even restore the wealthy's taxes to the level of the late 1990s, the greatest boom time in American history. Taxes on the wealthy didn't stifle investment then, and restoring those taxes would make very little difference now.

Not all ideas coming out of Congress are wrongheaded. Rep. Jo Ann Emerson, R-Mo., would end an outrageous gouge on the taxpayer that benefits the pharmaceutical industry. To wit: The law creating the new Medicare drug benefit forbids Uncle Sam from bargaining for discounts from drug companies. Doesn't the taxpayer deserve a discount? Who is Congress working for, anyway?

This season's hurricanes created great personal suffering and the government should certainly help victims recover. But we don't have to help one group of victims by creating more victims.

- St. Louis Post-Dispatch

Capitol Ideas

Kentucky Historical Society takes collection online

by JOE BIESK ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT — As a teenager working at a Louisville five-and-dime, former state Sen. Georgia Powers quit her job rather than tell black customers they couldn't eat their hot dogs at the

"I thought, I'm not going to tell anybody they can't stand there because if they paid for it, they can eat anywhere they want to," Powers said. "Well, I knew I was not going to last very long on that job."

Powers' interview, in which she talks about similar issues, is preserved as part of Kentucky's oral history at the Kentucky Historical Society. But until recently accessing the agency's collection — from historical tackle boxes to precious maps and photos — usually required a special trip.

Now, they can be studied from any computer with Internet access.

"Everything on this site is something in the KHS collections," Mary Winter, director collections and reference services at the agency, said. "And that's what this is, new access to our collections."

About 1 percent of the society's collection went online for the first time earlier this month, Winter said. Still, that represents thousands of artifacts - from original notices of some of Kentucky's earliest public sales to random photographs.

The online collection also includes original historic maps, recorded and transcribed oral histories, documents and biographies of Kentucky's governors. Some of the oral histories available include other personal interviews of the civil rights movement and the Bataan Death March. There are also transcribed interviews with Holocaust survivors.

And, more are on the way every day, Winter said. Eventually, the entire collection should be available electronically,

"We started out trying to give people a little taste of everything," Winter said.

Electronic archivists are working to scan additional items into the system and catalog them so they can be cross-referenced with other pieces.

Perhaps one of the agency's oldest items belongs to the society's William Calk exhibit, which Winter describes as a "showcase collection." Among the various Calk artifacts is a receipt from 1744 in which the pioneer traded 100 pounds of tobacco for the release of his father's debt "from the beginning of the world to this day."

Calk, who came to Boonesborough

(See IDEAS, page eight)

Guest Column

Time to step up quality care for individuals with developmental disabilities

by KAREN GARDNER

Recent news coverage on two stateoperated institutions for individuals with developmental disabilities raises a number of critical questions for our Commonwealth. But underlying all these questions is one: How will we - as citizens of this state - choose to support individuals with developmental disabili-

To answer, we must move beyond the usual rhetoric and fully acknowledge what works today for individuals with developmental disabilities, their families, caregivers and communities as a whole.

We must acknowledge that there is not a "one-size, fits all" model of care for individuals with developmental disabilities, such as mental retardation, cerebral palsy and autism, nor will there ever be. A wide range of needs dictates the need for an equally wide array of services and support systems.

Confronting us is a question that is much larger than institutional care versus community-based care. Now is the time to focus our attention on support systems and services that can best meet the needs of each individual, regardless of the setting.

To address this important public policy question, we must work in partnership with our public officials to further design and develop effective, efficient, quality support systems that allow individuals with developmental disabilities to lead meaningful lives. It is time that we envision the possibilities and fully embrace

all options that work. In Kentucky, an estimated 1.6 percent

of the population - approximately 67,000 - has a developmental disability. We know that the vast majority of these individuals can be successfully served in the community - we see it everyday.

Today, there are countless success stories of individuals with developmental disabilities who are fully participating in their communities. They belong. They are living meaningful lives, learning, working and playing.

These individuals are not just surviving, but are thriving as they and their families tap into such community-based resources as group homes, staffed residences, day programs, adult foster care/family home providers, supported employment, respite services and emergency support services.

If you think that these individuals must somehow be "different" - in terms of the support that they require - you'd be wrong. Most individuals who are successfully supported by community-based programs meet the same level of care requirements as those who are being served in state-operated facilities. That means that they have the same general needs in areas such as assistance with daily living, supervision and support. As for affordability, community-based support costs about one-third of institutional care, per individual.

In the 1960s, the Kennedy administra-

tion articulated a vision of opportunities for individuals with developmental disabilities. Since then, tremendous strides have been made across the nation and in our state. But challenges remain, particularly in how we will choose to meet the growing demand for services and the increasing number of individuals with disabilities on waiting lists for services. And it's a challenge that is growing daily as baby boomers in this state continue to age.

Equally challenging is the need to address quality care issues in state-operated facilities and the apprehension that has created for hundreds of families across this state.

Individuals and families in this Commonwealth need quality care and support options - not waiting lists and more uncertainty and fear about their care. We must step up and choose to support these individuals and their families with an array of services and support systems appropriate to their needs - they deserve no less.

Karen Gardner is director of Christian Care Communities' Pathways Program and executive director of Pathways Central Kentucky. The Pathways Program serves individuals with developmental disabilities in 10 communities across Kentucky. Gardner serves on Kentucky's Commission on Services and Supports for Individuals with Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities, established by the governor.

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Health Extra

BSCTC announces new nursing program

PRESTONSBURG ensure a highly qualified nursing workforce and ease the nursing shortage in Eastern Kentucky, Big Sandy Community and Technical College enrolled 76 students into the new Academic Career Mobility Nursing Program August at the Prestonsburg, Pikeville and Mayo campuses.

The Academic/Career Mobility Program provides a camless educational option in mursing with two exit points allowing students to choose a career as an LPN or RN. Students who successfully complete the first year will receive a diploma qualifying them to apply for ficensure as practical nurses. Following successful completion of the second year, students will receive the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing qualifying them to apply for licensure as registered nurses.

Licensed practical nurses that have practiced at least one full year within the past three years and hold a current unrestricted license for practical nursing may be admitted to the second year of the program following completion of the pre-requisite general education courses and the LPN-ADN Transition course.

Nursing courses are provided through interactive television and web enhanced courses; in addition, each campus has a fully Clinical experiences are offered in a variety of health care facilities throughout the Big Sandy area.

In order to be considered for admission, applicants need to have met the program pre-requisites and admission process by March 1. LPNs may enter the secand year of the program by meeting program pre-requisites and completing the admission process by March 1.

Acceptance into the program is based on selective admissions process and resource availability. In addition, BSCTC recently partnered with Morehead State University to provide an RN to BSN entirely offered through the internet. All required general education classes are available locally on BSCTC campuses.

Clinical experiences are located in the students' geographic locality.

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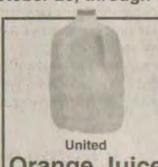
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Kentucky needs to better conserve energy, lawmakers told

Kentucky's electricity rates are the national average—but the state's electricity use is not.

Poor energy efficiency by Kentuckians has caused the state to be ranked sixth highest per capita nationally in energy consumption, says John Davies who directs the state's Division of Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency. Among households, electricity use in Kentucky is 26 percent above the national average, Davies told members of the legislative Subcommittee on Energy last week.

With high energy use comes high energy costs. Davies the state's universities are trying explained. The base rate for to help customers do. electricity in the state is low at 4.42 cents per kilowast hour, but

mel costs to produce electricity lions of dollars, energy manlow-about 40 percent below costs must be recovered, said Jeff Holmoan, manager of mar-

> Since 2000, Hohman said, the price of coal has increased 48 percent and the price of nattral gas—a major concern for each community, county exten-

Because price multiplied by demand equals a customer's final bill. Davies said, Kentuckians must do more to conserve energy. That is what Davies' division companies like East Kentucky Power and

In Kentucky's schools, where energy costs run into mil-

agers have been hired with federal funding to bring costs under control, said Davies. In state government, Gov. Emile Fleicher has ordered that the state work to reduce energy costs across state government by 10 percent annually. And in sion agents are working to educate citizens on energy efficiency and builders are being educated on energy efficient home construction, Davies said.

The state also encourages energy audits which can save consumers hundreds of dollars, Davies said, Hohman told lawmakers that East Kentucky Power's energy audit program has reduced the electric bills of some customers by 50 percent

Subcommittee co-chair Rep. Tanya Pullin, D-South Shore, said Kentuckians should be made fully aware of how energy efficiency measures can save them money, with particular emphasis on those with low incomes.

"We can help those who will have genuine need with paying the bills, but we can also help them lower their bills," Pullin said.

Davies said the state holds dozens of events annually to educate the public about the importance of conserving energy, including a large exhibit each year at the state fair. Energy conservation bulletins are also often included in customers' monthly bills, lawmakers were told.

Rep. Carolyn Belcher, D-

Preston, said making customers aware of the need for energy conservation will be especially important this year when natural gas rates are expected to rise by as much as 64 percent.

"It seems like it has to be a constant message and something that has to be repeated over and over again in each county," Belcher said.

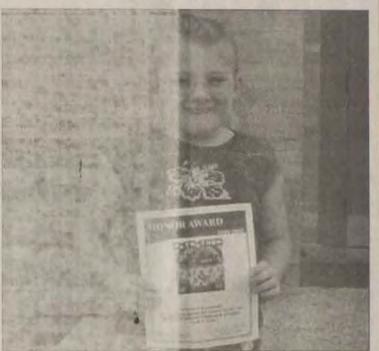
Upon a motion by Rep. Jim

Bruce, D-Hopkinsville, the subcommittee voted to send a letter to the governor asking him to publicize the dire need for citizens to make their homes energy efficient this winter. Davies added that there is a list of winter home heating savings tips on the Division of Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency's website at

www.energy.ky.gov/dre3/tips/



Participants in the Math-A-Thon included, front row, Alex Scott, Lucas George and Katelyn Fraley; second row, Dawson Hamilton, Camron Price, Trey Davis and Amber Kidd; third row, Steven Little, Wyatt Martin, Tanner Hicks and Amber Kidd; and top row, Emma George, Grant Martin, Andrew Noble, Shelby Hitchcock and Katie Porter.



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Letcher County man charged with murder after fatal crash

The Associated Press

WHITESBURG Letcher County man was charged with three counts of murder after a fatal traffic acci-

Jason Ison, 21, of Premium. was arrested Monday. Letcher County Sheriff's Deputy Mike Franks said a toxicology test showed Ison was under the influence of drugs at the time of the crash.

Three people died in the crash Friday on Kentucky 15 near the Van community.

Investigators said the car Ison was driving went out of control and hit a sport-utility vehicle. The car then hit a guardrail, ejecting two occupants. Ison's wife, Misty Dawn Ison, 25, and Jimmy D. Boggs, 23, both of Premium, died at the scene, investigators said.

Another passenger, Buddy Bailey, 15, of Letcher County, was taken to Whitesburg Appalachian Regional Hospital and died a few hours later.

Jason Ison was treated at the same hospital for minor head injuries and released. Franks said Jason Ison was arrested at Letcher Funeral Home at a memorial service for Misty Ison.

The driver of the SUV. Tracey D. Craft of Whitesburg, and two passengers were injured in the crash.

Franks said Jason Ison also was charged with two counts of wanton endangerment, assault. driving under the influence. criminal mischief, driving without insurance and having expired Kentucky registration plates.

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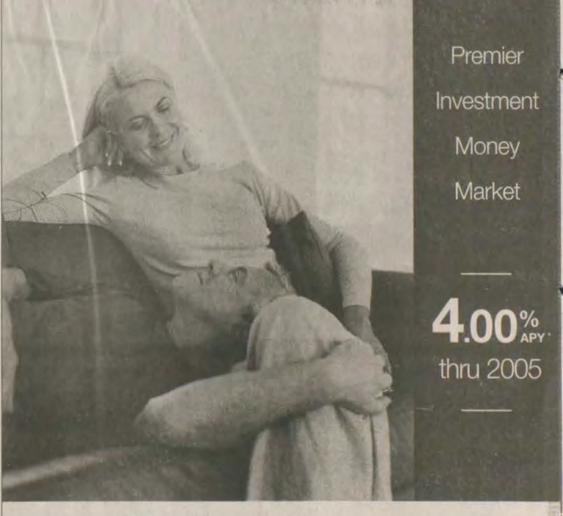
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The Associated Press

ing on Monday and sent workers to a local hospital after some of

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the Pike County Courthouse Annex at Belfry went through a

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shortly after Daniel Boone, also wrote a journal of his travels starting in 1775. It's among the collection's artifacts.

In his journal, Calk talks about his group's encounters with American Indians and describes what they cooked along the way, Winter said.

With the new technology, researchers can now view the items on their computers, and perform electronic searches more rapidly than before. They can also study the original hand-

There are also various maps, including one from 1839 which show the routes and schedules of Kentucky's earliest stage coaches and steamboats, Winter said.

With 120 counties in Kentucky, organizers thought it was necessary to show items that represent "geographic diversity." Winter said.

"The sort of thing that people are looking for mostly is Kentucky history and local history," Winter said. "So those are the things that we're going to push forth first, because we're trying to put out what people are looking for."

Users may browse, and bookmark specific items. Or they can search for specific items or categories.

Previously, viewing some of the artifacts in the collection was a "labor intensive process" because researchers would have

■ Continued from p4 to do custom searches for every request. Having the materials online allows people to do their own custom searching.

It also protects some of the pieces from excessive wear and exposure to the elements. The less amount of time certain items are handled, the better they will fare in the end, she

"Nobody is more excited that these things are up than we are," Winter said. "And we're in an era now where people expect to find things on line - we can finally do that for them."

Joe Biesk is a statehouse reporter for The Associated

Brawl

injuries McDowell Appalachian Regional Medical Center because Trooper Wolfe knocked him unconscious during the fight.

"A fight breaks out between the players and the Breathitt County coach (Trooper Wolfe) picks my son up and throws him up against the fence and knocks him unconscious. He hits him on the side of the head with his fist," she said. "My son was taken to the ER by ambulance and was treated and released for head injuries."

McDowell resident Trampus Evans, whose son is a halfback for South Floyd, said he saw a South Floyd player and a Sebastian Middle School player shoving each other on the sideline during the fourth quarter of the game. Hall's son reportedly ran over to step between the two boys, who were, by that time, surrounded by onlookers. Evans said he witnessed Trooper Wolfe run across the filed and hit Hall's son.

"The state trooper hit him a couple or three times and slung him into the fence," Evans said. "After that, it all went to pieces. A bunch of people ganged up around it. I was just in a hurry to get my son out of that situation. People came from everywhere.

After he [Trooper Wolfe] hit that little feller, he made a point to tell everyone that he was a state trooper. Me, myself, I think the

trooper should have handled it better ... The state trooper took it personally. He wanted to whup somebody.' Evans said he was uninjured and that his son walked away

Parker, who did not attend the game Saturday, said Wolfe should be disciplined for mistreating his stepson.

with a couple of bruises on his

"If you've ever been to a football game, you know that when a coach comes across the field, everybody watches him," Parker said. "It'd be better for him [Wolfe] if he'd just come clean about it. I'm sure he's worried about losing his job, but it ain't no better if he tries to lie his way out of it ... I think this is a real serious thing. If he did this to [my stepson], what's he's doing to drunk drivers? Where's his anger control training and his impulse control training? As far as the family is concerned, this man needs to be disciplined and by that, I mean incarcerat-

KSP Lt. George Gyurik, Wolfe's supervisor in Morehead, said that his investigation indiContinued from p1

cates that football coaches stepped in to separate the players and the bystanders after the fight broke out.

Gyurik said there is no reason to bring disciplinary action against Wolfe during the investi-

Wolfe was one of the coaches who "grabbed the players and pushed or threw them off the side" to break up the fight, Gyurik said.

At one point, Gyurik said that Wolfe, like many others, slipped and fell onto the wet ground. Gyurik said adults began attacking Wolfe after he fell.

"He's got a few cuts and bruises and a sore jaw," Gyurik said. "We're doing an investigation to make sure everything is legitimate. We want to make sure all the truth comes out on both sides."

KSP Lt. Bobby Johnson, who heads the investigation with the Pikeville police post, would not publicly comment about the investigation. Johnson said he could not confirm or deny whether charges would be brought against anyone.

County Attorney Keith Bartley said that a "gaggle" of people are investigating the inci-

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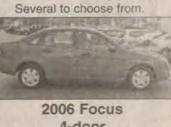
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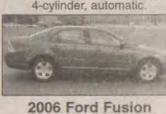
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COLUMBUS, Ohio -During her pregnancy, Sara Rhodes has been stocking up on lots and lots of baby food - for

Rhodes says she's been eating at least five jars of baby food a day and has even found herself snacking on strained fruits and vegetables in her car and at her work desk.

Her fondness for baby food has paid off. The 36-year-old from Mar Vista, Calif., who is due in November received \$10,000 this month as the winner of the "Crazy Cravings Contest."

"I first fell in love with the taste of pureed plums, rice, bananas and sweet potatoes eight weeks into my first pregnancy. I indulged in my craving all the time and often times found myself in the car or at my work desk licking the inside of baby food jars!" she explained.

Her entry was chosen the winner out of nearly 4,000 essays. Along with the scholarship money, she also gets a year's supply of Ensure Healthy Mom shakes and snack bars.

■ CHARLESTON, W.Va. — Darby Lentz was a little preoccupied when an announcement was made during her high school's homecoming football game that she had been crowned homecoming queen.

She had to accept the honor in her football uniform.

Lentz, 17, is the field goal kicker for the Harrison County school's football team. While she has yet to attempt a field goal, she has made 14 of 16 extra point attempts this season.

Lentz, a senior, already has been named prom queen. The homecoming queen title came earlier this month.

She said she began thinking about playing football during her junior year and decided to try out for the team during the summer.

"I'm the only girl, but it doesn't bother me," she said. "It's fun being around the guys. People have asked how the guys treat me. All have been really accepting. They pick on me sometimes, but if I needed them, they would be there."

■ COCOA BEACH, Fla. — Raymond Wilkins has finally received a varsity letter in track and field - 65 years after he last competed.

Wilkins completed his freshman season as a University of Alabama high jumper in 1940 when he left to serve in World War II. When he returned to school five years later, he was too old and too heavy to com- she married her husband, Jim, pete, so he never received a varsity letter.

Until Sunday, his 87th birth-

university granted Wilkins a letter, even though he never jumped for the varsity

A surprised Wilkins received the fuzzy, white A during a service at the First Baptist Church. His pastor, Ken Babbington, contacted the school after hearing the retired electrical engineer talk about how his track career had been interrupted.

Kevin Almond, an assistant athletic director at Alabama, said "it just seemed to be a nice thing to recognize a former student athlete and alumnus."

WAUSAU, Wis. - Rita Gassner fully expects to get a deer while bow hunting this fall. If so, it will be the eighth year in a row for this 80-year-old grandmother of 21.

"I really love being alone in the woods," she said, "Bow hunting to me is not just the idea of killing a deer. I enjoy listening to the sounds and trying to identify the birds.'

Gassner said she started bow

an avid hunter. She's owned four bows over the years.

"Every year, 'I say this is the end. This is the last one.' And my boys say, 'Mom, you just can't quit.' They don't want me to. You take one year at a time," Gassner said

The grandmother hunts in the late afternoons from a tree stand 8 feet high in an area overlooking a swamp and within walking distance of their cabin. So far this season, she hasn't had a

"A lot of people raise their eyebrows when they hear I'm a hunter," she said. "I have never shot a rifle. I don't go out with the guys. My husband and my sons have their own rifle camp. That is their game, and I have other things to do, like getting ready for Christmas and all that

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia - At first, the family thought their daughter was hallucinating when she told them that a python had stuck its head out of the toilet.

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newspaper reported Monday. Firefighters later trapped the python at the home in southern Johor Bahru city and released it into a nearby jungle, the report

Firefighters were not immediately available for comment, and it was unclear how the snake slithered into the toilet.

■ URBANA, III. — A new calendar called "Big Brains" feature artistically enhanced brain scans of University of Illinois campus administrators, faculty, staff and

"It's a mix of being somewhat whimsical, with a nod to science and the things we do on this campus," said Tracey Wszalek, associate director of the Beckman Institute's Biomedical Imaging Center.

The images for each individual will highlight a particular brain region or function that each person uses in his or her

The brain image of university President B. Joseph White's assistant will emphasize an area of the brain used for multitask-

Today in History

The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Oct. 26, the 299th day of 2005. There are 66 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Oct. 26, 1881, the "Gunfight at the OK Corral" took place in Tombstone, Ariz., as Wyatt Earp, his two brothers and "Doc" Holliday confronted Ike Clanton's gang. Three members of Clanton's gang were killed; Earp's brothers were wounded. On this date:

■ In 1774, the First Continental Congress adjourned in Philadelphia.

■ In 1825, the Erie Canal opened in upstate New York, connecting Lake Erie and the Hudson River.

■ In 1942, the U.S. ship Hornet was sunk in the Battle of Santa Cruz Islands during World War II. In 1957, the Soviet Union

announced that defense minister Marshal Georgi Zhukov had been relieved of his duties.

■ In 1958, Pan American Airways flew its first Boeing 707 jetliner from New York to Paris in eight hours and 41 min-

In 1967, the Shah of Iran crowned himself and his queen after 26 years on the Peacock Throne

■ In 1972, national security Henry Kissinger declared, "Peace is at hand" in Vietnam.

In 1975, Anwar Sadat became the first Egyptian president to pay an official visit to the United States. In 1977, the experimental

space shuttle Enterprise glided to a bumpy but successful landing at Edwards Air Force Base in California. ■ In 1994, Prime Minister

Yitzhak Rabin of Israel and Prime Minister Abdel Salam Majali of Jordan signed a peace treaty during an extravagant ceremony at the Israeli-Jordanian border attended by President Clinton.

Ten years ago: The House passed, 227-203, a Republican balanced-budget bill aimed at shrinking the federal government, cutting taxes and returning power to the states. Islamic Jihad leader Fathi Shakaki was shot to death on the Mediterranean island of Malta in a killing his supporters blamed on Israel. The Cleveland Indians won their second game of the World Series by defeating the Atlanta Braves, 5-4, in Game 5.

Five years ago: The New York Yankees became the first team in more than a quarter-century to win three straight World series championships, beating the New York Mets 4-2 in game five of their "Subway Series." (The Yankees matched the Oakland Athletics' three in a row from 1972-74, and won their fourth title in five years.)

One year ago: The Federal Communications Commission gave its approval to Cingular Wireless LLC's \$41 billion acquisition of AT&T Wireless Services Inc. Israel's parliament

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approved Prime Minister Ariel Sharon's plan for withdrawing from the Gaza Strip and parts of the West Bank. The final vote count in the Afghan presidential election gave a sounding victory to interim leader Hamid Karzai. The Boston Red Sox won game three of the World Series in St. Louis, defeating the Cardinals

Today's Birthdays: Actress Shelley Morrison ("Will and Grace") is 69. Actor Bob Hoskins is 63. Author Pat Conroy is 60. TV host Pat Sajak is 59. Sen. Hillary Rodham Clinton, D-N.Y., is 58. Actress Jaclyn Smith is 58. Singer Maggie Roche (The Roches) is 54. Musician Bootsy Collins is 54. Actor James Pickens Jr. ("Grey's Anatomy") is 53. Rock musician Keith Strickland (The B-52's) is 52. Actor D.W. Moffett is 51. Actress Rita Wilson is 47. Actor Dylan McDermott is 44. Actor Cary Elwes is 43. Singer Natalie Merchant is 42. Country singer Keith Urban is 38. Actor Tom Cavanagh is 37. Singer Mark Barry (BBMak) is 27,

Thought for Today: "In the time of your life, live - so that in that wondrous time you shall not add to the misery and sorrow of the world, but shall smile to the infinite variety and mystery of it." - William Saroyan, American author

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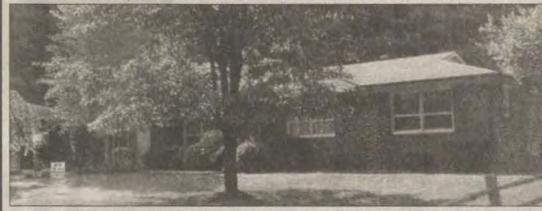


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"The funding enables the University Center of the Mountains (UCM) to keep its momentum since its creation in July 2003 and expand programs," said UCM Director Ron Daley.

"We thank and praise Rep. Brandon Smith, Sen. Daniel Mongardio, Perry County Judge Executive Denny Ray Noble and the Perry Fiscal Court for this funding to enhance higher education in Perry County and the surrounding area.'

"The funding is being used to furnish, equip and maintain the new UCM Administrative offices in the Jolly Classroom Center of Hazard Community Technical College (HCTC)," Daley explained. "The 5,700 square feet of space opened in January and houses the UCM director, administrative assistant and seven other representatives of UCM partners. In addition to paying for UCM staff, the funding is being used to pay for faculty and academic support costs to bring more classes and degree options, technology for student use, and distance education costs, and marketing," he added.

Daley said that a \$1.2 million request for annual recurring funding is being submitted for consideration in the next state budget out of the general funds designated for higher education. "The present funding is enormously valuable 'seed funding' to get us off the ground, but the state needs to make the annual financial contribution of about \$1 million for the universities to hire faculty to bring more degrees to this region."

"Our local legislators, Perry County Judge Executive and Fiscal Court, and members of this community have sent an important message that they want more higher education opportunities here and that they no longer want the KRADD area to have the lowest percentage of bachelor degrees in the Commonwealth of Kentucky," Daley said.

In July 2004, Lindsey Wilson College joined the four public UCM partners: Eastern Kentucky University, Hazard Community and Technical College, Kentucky Community and Technical College System and Morehead State University. The UCM is working to expand more academic programming and student services to all the HCTC campuses in four counties. For more information you can visit www.ucmky.org



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"Our callers are being told they can use these grants for anything they like, such as home improvements, paying off debt or going on a vacation," said Neil Kingery, BBB president and CEO. "However, the government does not give grant money away for these purposes. The government does not call people offering grant money, and would not charge a fee."

One Eastern Kentucky caller reported being lured to a website offering alleged government grants for a fee while she was on another website filling out legitimate government grant forms for college financial aid. She gave her bank account number to the company, which removed more than \$200 from her account but has sent her nothing.

Other callers had given bank account numbers to the telemarketers so the "fees" could be debited, but most were able to contact their banks about canceling the transactions after calling the BBB.

The BBB warns that companies making these grant offers

Tracy Patton, branch manag-

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are usually grant research companies or "brokers." They do not have the authority to approve or reject grants. For your money, they generally send you an information package containing a list of agencies or foundations that award grants. You must contact these groups for an application. This information is available for free on the internet or at public libraries. (One federal government web site to check is www.grants.gov.)

Grants usually are given to serve a social good, such as bringing jobs to an area, preserving history, funding a soup kitchen, or medical research not for personal use. And you are not likely to get a refund from the grant "broker" because the conditions are nearly impossible to meet: you often have to apply and be denied by each source on the list within 90 days.

"If someone wants you to pay in order to receive money in any situation, we encourage you to check it out with the BBB before pursuing the offer," Kingery said. "Never give your bank account or credit card number to unknown companies that contact you, until you've checked out the firm and its offer."

Consumers and businesses may contact the BBB to check out companies and charities, find lists of BBB member companies with whom to do business, file complaints or report scams by calling (859) 259-1008 or tollfree (800) 866-6668 or by logging on to www.ky.bbb.org.

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ing the 32 that he has worked at

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tent. With the number of witaesses and the number of invesbeating agencies involved including school boards in both districts, KSP, Floyd County Sheriff's Department and the County Attorney's office — it reay take more than a week to find out what really happened. Thoyd County Supt. Dr. Paul Fanning said the incident was unfortunate, but not unusual. He aid he's seen parents "go beyond the bounds" at cheercading elections, academic

meets and other extracurricular activities.

Fanning said the players obviously "got emotional" about some type of dispute, and then adults in the stands got involved.

"These things happen," he said. "If emotions quickly erupt, the kids involved are usually pretty manageable. When adults get involved, it goes to another level."

Fanning said he is working with principals, superintendents and athletic directors in both school districts to resolve the situation.

"We'll try to deal with it as quickly as possible without creating a bad relationship between both schools," he said. "I mean, we're talking about middle school students here."

Gyurik said Wolfe, who has worked at the Morehead post for at least five years, is an excellent employee.

"He is a good trooper who makes good, sound decisions," Gyurik said. "He never used excess force, no more than any other trooper. His time here has been exemplary."

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Both schools were disqualified from the tournament. The Sebastian Middle School team was leading South Floyd by 28. This season has been one of South Floyd Middle School's best football seasons.

Mike Holcomb, the athletics director for Breathitt County Schools, did not return inquiry calls. His silence was mirrored by Supt. Arch Turner, who also did not return calls.

Lawsuit

unfair, false, misleading or aceptive acts or practices" by everting gas payments for other ises.

Last week. Equitable desources, a company that progas services to Wheelwright during the winter months, refused to turn on gas ervices for the city because of \$96,000 tab still owed from last vinter. By Thursday, city attorey Tim Parker announced that city paid a large part of the leaving the city still owing 6,000 to Equitable Gas. immission members voted to out a loan, using city hall as Materal, to pay the bill. Mayor ammons said after the meeting at no bank would loan the city oney because the city wouldn't

During Thursday's meeting, the commission voted to raise as rates, previously set between 7 and \$8 monthly, according to boyd's affidavit, to \$21.50 MCF

or residential customers.

Monday, the commission affirmed its decision and set

Pillersdorf claims the move was wrong. Commission members have had a difficult time over the past several months trying to fill five seats on the utilities commission board, an overght board which is required for class 6 city.

Commission members have terally begged residents to sign of for the board during two eetings in recent months. During the meeting last week, oyd volunteered to serve, but er request was denied by the commission. To date, wheelwright has three utility commission members.

Pillersdorf argues that his lients, most of whom are on fixed incomes, have paid for mility services, but the commission used the money for other

In an attached affidavit, Boyd leges that she discussed the atter with Mayor David darlee Sammons, who told her hat the commission "took the coney they [the residents] paid or utility services and paid for he employee's salaries and asurance."

Boyd claims that city resients are being charged for the ame natural gas service they aid for last winter. She says at east 200 of the 284 gas cusemers in Wheelwright will be ft out in the cold this winter Continued from p1

because they cannot afford the utility rate hike.

Pillersdorf alleges that the commission — Sammons, Andy Akers, Rodney Hall, Bruce Johnson and Don Hall — mismanaged the money and hired "unnecessary" employees, many of whom are relatives of commission members.

Pillersdorf is asking that a receiver be appointed to "manage the affairs" of the commission, a request he said he made because of the injustice done to his clients. He did not know if the request would lead to any criminal charges against commission members.

Pillersdorf asks for a refund of all money "improperly assessed" against individual commission members, for an independent audit of city finances, for the payment of court costs, and for punitive damages. He also asked that each plaintiff be awarded \$100 for each alleged violation of the Open Meetings Act.

In the injunction and restraining order motion, Pillersdorf asks that the court prevent the city from implementing the "unlawful natural gas rate increase."

Wheelwright City Attorney Timothy Parker said he was "dismayed" that Pillersdorf didn't investigate the allegations more thoroughly before filing the complaint.

"I really wish Mr. Pillersdorf would have bothered to call me or the commission members of someone at the utility office because this lawsuit completely baseless," Parker said. "There's no merit to it at all."

"There is no evidence that the commission has misappropriated any funds," Parker said. "The implication, as alleged, is laughable, false, ludicrious and simply not true. There's no evidence that any of it is true."

Parker, who said the commission did not do wrong in using gas payments to pay for salaries of gas employees, also

argued that the commission has not violated any provisions of the Open Meetings Act.

Parker says he will "vigorously defend" the allegations.

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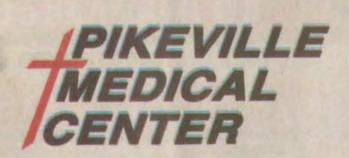
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P'burg Little League to meet

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Bears look to get back to National Tournament

by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

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Basketball fans around the state have come to know and respect the Pikeville College men's basketball program. The Pikeville College men's team has made a habit of winning 20 or more games each season and contending for both a Mid-South Conference championship and berth in the NAIA ing department are gone from starters posted impressive num-National Tournament.

Pikeville is coming off a season in which it posted a 24-9 record. The Bears lost to fourthranked Lindsey Wilson College in the Mid-South Conference championship game. It was Pikeville's third MSC Finals appearance in five seasons.

Three key players who averaged double figures in the scor-

last season's team. Guards Daniel Price (14.2 ppg, 5.2 apg), Walt Harris (12.5 ppg, 5.5 rpg) and Jarrell Jones (11.1 ppg, 2.4 apg) were all go-to players last season and will be missed.

Building. The meeting is open to the public.

Starters returning for the Bears are senior guard Laneare Anderson (6-1, 180) and senior center Chris Carroll (6-8, 235).

Each of the two returning

bers during the 2004-05 season.

Anderson averaged 6.3 points, 3.3 assists and 1.9 rebounds per game. Carroll put up averages of 7.5 points and 5.5 rebounds per contest.

Carroll played in 31 contests, making 21 starts, while Anderson started in 15 of 31 games in which he played.

Another senior back with

experience for the Bears is Emanuel Tekie. Now a senior, Tekie averaged nearly 12 minutes of playing time per game last season. He averaged four points per game during the stretch.

Newcomers to the Bear basketball program include Toronto natives Rob Cooper (6-6, 200) and Allen Kadima (5-9, 165) two talented juniors.

Two 6-9 players - Napoleon Roberts (McIntosh, Ala.) and Troy Williams (Albany, Ga.) are also in the mix for the Pikeville men's team.

The PC men's basketball program also includes homegrown Pike County player Jarrod Adkins (5-11, 175, Jr.).

A newcomer to the Pikeville

(See BEARS, page two)

Allen Central drops sixth straight

TIMES STAFF REPORT

EASTERN - No doubt, Allen Central grabbed some muchneeded momentum in its close game versus in-county rival South Floyd. Playing on Allen Central's home field less than two weeks ago, the Raiders beat the Rebels 48-42 in a game that saw the homestanding team mount a furious comeback bid. Jenkins, looking for its first win of the season, visited Allen Central Friday night. The Cavaliers had an open week to prepare for their latest district rival and when the opening kickoff sailed through the air, showed immediate focus. Jenkins posted its first victory of the season, beating Allen Central 41-28.

Phelps went on the scoreboard n first before the game was postponed due to lightening. After the delay, Jenkins came back out and maintained the upperhand.

In 2004, Allen Central won the meeting between the two teams, prevailing 50-22.

The Rebels, out of postseason contention, conclude regu-

(See DROPS page two)

Betsy Layne picks up win

TIMES STAFF REPORT

via forfeit

BETSY LAYNE - The Betsy Layne Bobcats will end the season with at least one gridiron victory. Earlier in the season, Betsy Layne came up short in a game versus Cumberland. The contest, however, eventually went the way of the Bobcats. Betsy Layne was declared the winner via forfeit over Cumberland.

Betsy Layne stretched its losing streak to six games Friday night, falling on the road at Phelps. Already headed to the

(See WIN, page two)



file photo

The Prestonsburg High School seniors will play a final regular-season home game Friday night versus East Ridge.

Prestonsburg KO's Shelby Valley

Blackcats lose Peters in district win

by JAMIE HOWELL CONTRIBUTING WRITER

PRESTONSBURG - After spending the better part of two hours in the locker room due to lightning, one had to wonder how both Shelby Valley and Prestonsburg would respond once play resumed Friday night in a key district matchup. The good news for Prestonsburg was that a game consists of four quarters and not two. Prestonsburg would take the opening kickoff and proceed to march 68 yards in 14 plays for the games first touchdown. Senior tailback Brandon Peters carried much of the load before going down with what appeared to be a knee injury in the third quarter. Peters carried 9 times for 41 yards on Prestonsburg's first possession before taking it in from one yard out to give P'burg an early 7-0 lead. Shelby Valley would respond on its first possession by marching 70 yards to the Prestonsburg 9-yard line before the first of two weather delays would send both teams to the locker room. After a one hour rain delay the teams would return to the field for two plays before being sent back to the locker room for another hour delay. After the two hour delay, the teams would return to a sloppy field and a very small crowd as the rains had forced most spectators home for the evening. Shelby Valley would return from the delay and take control of the game. John McPeek would take it in from 2 yards out as the Wildcats evened the score at 7-7 with 1:04 left in the first quarter. Before the night was over, though, Prestonsburg

would post a 48-27 win After a Prestonsburg fumble, Shelby Valley would need only 3 plays to take the lead on a 1-yard dive from McPeek to take a 13-7 lead. The extra point failed and the Wildcats had their first lead of the game. A second Prestonsburg turnover would lead to another Shelby Valley touchdown run from McPeek, this one from 44 yards out and after the two point conversion the Wildcats had taken a 21-7 lead over Prestonsburg at the half.

After trailing 21-7 at the half, Prestonsburg would come out and seize control of the game in the third quarter. Shelby Valley took the second half kickoff and proceeded to cough up the football. Blackcat freshman Blake Meade recovered the loose pigskin at the Valley 16 yard line. Prestonsburg would need only four plays for Brandon Peters to score his second touchdown, this one form 6 yards out as the Blackcats cut the lead to 21-14 at the 8:42 mark of the third quarter. Prestonsburg would come up with the second fumble recovery of the half this time, it was Senior Cody Crider who came up with the football at the Shelby Valley 35 yard line.

Shelby Valley would follow the turnover with an interception of their

(See BLACKCATS, page two)

CLASS 2A, REGION 4 Record Team Leslie County 8-1 Belfry 7-2 Sheldon Clark 6-3 Middlesboro 6-3 Shelby Valley 4-5 East Ridge 3-5 3-6 Prestonsburg **Breathitt County** 3-6 Pike Central 3-6 3-6 Knott Central 1-8 Cawood Magoffin County

Tigers tag South Floyd, 55-6

by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE - South Floyd won't be making a third straight trip to the Class A State Playoffs. The Raiders traveled to District 8 rival Paintsville Friday night and despite hanging around in the first half, couldn't shake the Tigers. South Floyd entered the contest looking to pull off a third straight win over the Tigers. But first-year Paintsville High head football coach Bill Mike Runyon and his team had other plans. Paintsville led 13-0 before South Floyd produced its first points. The Raiders pulled within a touchdown at 13-6, but could get no closer. The Tigers led 27-6 at halftime and continued to roll in the second half. Paintsville, one week after defeating Hazard convincingly, handled South Floyd 55-6.

The Raiders end the season 4-6.

Paintsville, one of the state's most improved teams, ended the game with 442 total yards of offense. The Paintsville defense held the South Floyd offense under 200 yards.

Offensively, South Floyd got the most accomplished through the air. Senior quarterback Ryan Johnson, playing in his final high school football game, completed six of 13 passes for 85 yards.

South Floyd's only touchdown came in the first half when Johnson hooked up with fellow senior Justin Slone on a 14yard scoring scoring strike.

The Paintsville offense was far from onedimensional. Senior running back Hans Doderor finished with 128 yards rushing on seven carries. Junior quarterback Daniel Pugh had 109 yards rushing on five carries.

(See TIGERS, page two)

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SCHEDULE/RESULTS

Aug. 19 Magoffin County, 40-14 (W) Aug. 26 Shelby Valley, 8-38 (L) Sept. 2 at East Ridge, 24-44 (L)

Sept. 9 Phelps, 46-48 (L) Sept. 16 Pikeville 0-30 (L)

Sept. 23 at Betsy Layne, 36-8 (W) Sept. 30 Jenkins, 52-16 (W)

Oct. 7 at Hazard, 0-53 (L) Oct. 14 at Allen Central, 48-42 (W)

Oct. 21 at Paintsville, 6-55 Oct. 28 Open

Eagles load up with promising recruiting

by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

The Alice Lloyd College men's basketball team showed vast improvement last season. The Eagles entered the 2004-05 season following a dismal 5-26 record posted during the 2003-04 campaign. Alice Lloyd finished last season with a 14-19 overall record. In the off-season, ALC men's basketball head coach Gary Gibson and his staff went out and put together what the Eagle head mentor calls the best recruiting class he's ever had.

"We are very happy with our recruiting class," Gibson said. "There's a lot of talent in this recruiting class. We play in a highlycompetitive conference with some very good basketball players. Many of our incoming freshmen will have the opportunity to step in and play right away."

With the new additions, ALC will field a more athletic team being both faster and stronger.

In previous seasons, Alice Lloyd has been one of the Appalachian

Athletic Conference's surprise teams come tournament time. Gibson is looking for his team to break through and some time in the future eventually challenge for a conference championship.

Woodrow Wilson (W.Va.) High School graduates Corey Hairston (6-2, G/F) and William Dillard (5-8, PG) both enter the ALC men's basketball program as freshmen. Other first-year players for the Eagles include Rodney Mitchell (6-7, F/C),

(See EAGLES, page two)



Gary Gibson

Our players are excited about the 2005-06 season

Games set for annual AC boys' basketball panorama

TIMES STAFF REPORT

Prestonsburg is pitted against Portsmouth Clay. EASTERN - The Allen Central High School boys basketball program is preparing to host its annual night-before-Thanksgiving panorama. The schedule for this year's panorama has been finalized. The 2005 edition of the event - scheduled for

Wednesday, Nov. 23 -

high school basketball teams.

In the openings game,

The start time for the will feature three games includ-Prestonsburg-Portsmouth Clay ing three Floyd County boys' game is 5:45 p.m.

second

Prestonsburg, the only 15th

Region boys' basket-

ball team to make it

into the regional

tournament semifi-

nals each of the last

three seasons, finished

District last season,

South

runner-up in the 58th

(See PANORAMA, page two)

Eagles

Combs (6-1, G), Preston Simon (6-3, G) and Eric Mullins (6-4, F) - all of whom are freshmen.

Mullins, a member of Hazard High School's 2004 Class A state title team, redshirted last season. Another newcomer to the ALC men's basketball team is sevenfooter Tyler Eisenman (Jenkins).

The Appalachian Athletic Conference is home to many top-notch men's basketball pro-

Sophomore K.J. Waterman and Senior Jeremy Daniels, both Appalachian Athletic Conference Player of the Year candidates, lead the Eagles into the 2005-06 season. Last season, Waterman averaged 14 points

Jordan Noble (6-3, G), Daniel and 6.8 rebounds per game while Daniels averaged 13 points and six boards per outing. A third starter back for the Eagles is Chris Hurt, who played in 30 games last season, starting in 28 contests. Hurt finished the season averaging 4.7 points and 3.8 rebounds per game.

Other top returnees for Alice Lloyd include seniors Tim Park (6-5, F) and Jeremy Jackson (6-0, G), junior Shawn Newsome (5-11, G) and sophomore Brent Prichard (6-9, C).

Parks and Newsome each averaged 7 points per game last season. Jackson and Prichard also played key roles, averaging over 5 points apiece.

Sophomore point guard

Jordan Kidd, a player who logged some key minutes last season as a freshman, returns for

a second season with the Eagles.

Jimmy Stumbo and Shannon Akers are two players lost from last season's squad. The two combined to average just over 21 points and 9 rebounds per game. Both were also regulars in the Eagle starting lineup with Stumbo starting in 30 games and Akers getting the first call in

"Our players are excited about the 2005-06 season," Gibson added.

FIRST GAME:

Tuesday, Nov. 1 vs. Kentucky

Tigers

Passing, Pugh finished four of saw a considerable amount of seven for 98 yards.

Paintsville's top underclassmen, rushing on three carries.

playing time late in the district Cody Reynolds, one of game and finished with 73 yards Continued from p1

This Friday, Paintsville will venture to Pikeville for a regular-season finale against the host

Prestonsburg

own. Bobby Hughes was picked off by Colby Newsome at the Valley 8-yard line and the Wildcats had stopped the Blackcat drive. Shelby Valley would be unable to muster any offense and after a Wildcat punt, the Blackcats would event the score at 21-21 as senior fullback Brenton Hamilton rumbled 27 yards for the touchdown, the score would remain even at 21-21 after three quarters, but the third turnover of the second half for Valley would set up the Blackcats at the Shelby Valley 32. Lincoln Slone came up with the interception for Prestonsburg. Hamilton would once again find the end zone, this time on a 2yard run, allowing the Blackcats to take the lead for good at the

Prestonsburg was able to get trict win. Prestonsburg coach John pressure on Shelby Valley quarter- DeRossett was pleased with his

back Tyler Johnson as the Blackcat defensive front registered six sacks on the night. Tyler Layne and Tyler Hamilton both picked up sacks as did Zach Ousley for Prestonsburg. Senior David Shaffer came up with a blocked punt for Prestonsburg that put the ball at the Valley 14 yard-line Brenton Hamilton would need only two

plays to add his third score of the night - this one on a 1-yard dive as the Blackcats took a 34-21 lead over visiting Valley. Lincoln Slone gave the Blackcats a 41-21 lead on a 42-yard touchdown run with 5:07 left in the

game. Shelby Valley would add one score on a 55- yard touchdown pass to cut the lead to 41-27, but Crider's fumble recovery that was returned for a touchdown gave the Blackcats 10:37 mark of the fourth quarter. a 48-27 lead and an important dis-

■ Continued from p1 team's play after the first half.

"I am really proud of our effort in the second half, it seemed like we were done at the half but our kids showed heart and battled back," said DeRossett.

Carmen Maines came up with an interception on the games final play to seal the Prestonsburg win.

Prestonsburg improved to 3-6 with the win. The Blackcats will wind up the regular season with a home game against East Ridge on Friday. It will be senior night for Prestonsburg, kickoff is set for 7:30 p.m. Prestonsburg wrapped up a playoff spot with the win and will travel to either Middlesboro or Leslie County in week one of the playoffs. Senior tailback Brandon Peters left the game with what appeared to be a knee injury late in the third quarter and did not return, Peters status for the upcoming week has yet to be determined.

Panorama

In the second game, defend- per game last season. ing 58th District champion South Floyd will take on June panorama host Allen Central will head coach battled on several Buchanan. Tip-off for the sec-

ond panorama game is 7 p.m. June Buchanan is led by sophomore guard Clark Stepp. One of the 14th Region's top players, Stepp averaged 26 the high school ranks, previously points and nearly 10 rebounds serving as Belfry High head boys'

take on Letcher County Central and first-year head coach Raymond Justice. A longtime assistant coach at Pikeville College, Justice is no stranger to

basketball. During his time at In the third and final game, Belfry, Justice and Allen Central occasions in seasons past,

Carlon Brillian

Continued from p1

"Raymond and I go back to his days at Belfry," Allen Central Coach John Martin recalled recently. "He'll have his team ready to play. That'll be a tough first scrimmage for us."

Win

Class A State Playoffs, Phelps jumped out to an early lead and defeated Betsy Layne 34-6.

Robert Gannon and Charlie rival East Ridge. Hunt led the way for the Hornets - both offensively and defensively.

Betsy Layne had an open week to help get ready for host

Phelps. The Hornets came into their game against Betsy Layne following a loss to Pike County

The Bobcats did manage to break a scoring skid in the loss to Phelps, scoring their first points since a game against South Floyd Sept. 23.

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The Bobcats will hit the road to Jenkins Friday night for a regular-season finale against the host Cavaliers. Jenkins is fresh off of a 41-28 win over Allen Central.

Phelps will end the regularseason on the road Friday at Hazard.

Drops

lar-season play on the road this Friday at McCreary Central. Kickoff for the Allen Centralfor 7:30 p.m.

At Pikeville this past Friday night, Hazard senior quarterback Durrell Olinger passed for McCreary Central game is set over 300 yards and five touchdowns to lead the Bulldogs to a pivotal Class A, District 8 game.

■ Continued from p1 52-26 win over host Pikeville. Hazard was able to get back on track and win just one week after falling to Paintsville in a

Bears

University of Kentucky standout leaving two vacancies. Dale Brown. The former Wildcat has spent two seasons coaching Association. Jerry Jenkins is another new addition to the PC men's basketball staff, Raymond Justice Jr. and Jeremy Miles both stepped down from assistant

College coaching staff is former coaching positions in the spring, to three NAIA Division I

McCoy has had a considerable amount of coaching sucin the World Basketball cess at the Mid-South Conference school. He's posted a 135-70 record in his six seasons at the helm of the Pikeville College men's basketball program. He has guided the Bears Poly Classic (Atlanta, ga.)

■ Continued from p1

National Tournament appearances. McCoy last coached the Pikeville College men's team to the NAIA National Tournament

FIRST GAME: Friday, Nov. 4 at Southern

Both ALC teams open season next week

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES - The Alice Lloyd College men's and women's basketball teams will open their 2005-06 basketball seasons next week with a doubleheader at the Grady Nutt Athletic Center on Tuesday, Nov. 1. They will open against Kentucky Christian University from Grayson. The women's game will begin at 5:30 p.m. followed by the men's game at approximately 7:30. The Eagles will travel to Kentucky Christian University on Thursday (vs. Mid-Continent University), Friday (vs. Shawnee State University) and Saturday (vs. Lambuth University) to play in the Knights Classic. Both teams will then travel to Wise, VA to play UVA-Wise Nov. 8.

Coach David Adams will begin his second season with the Lady Eagles. He is very excited about the upcoming season. Adams has an outstanding recruiting class with nine new players joining nine other players returning from last year. Belicia Mullins and Amy Jackson are the only seniors on this year's team. Returning starters include Mullins, Jackson, Whitney Lykens (Betsy Layne) and Chastity Fox. As the new players get some experience and blend with the veterans, the Lady Eagles believe that they can be a factor in the KIAC Conference.

Coach Gary Gibson will begin his fifth season with the Eagles. After a 14-win season last year, Gibson said that his players can't wait to get the

new season started. Returning starters include senior forward Jeremy Daniels (6-5, 13 ppg, 6 rpg), sophomore forward K.J. Waterman (6-4, 14 ppg, 6.8 rpg), and junior point guard Chris Hurt (5-9, 4.7, 3.8 rpg, 3.8 apg). Four other players return who started some games last year. There is also an excellent blend of newcomers who have been added to this mix of veterans. The team will be very deep and they expect to play an up-tempo game on both ends of the court.

The basketball teams will join all other athletic teams at ALC as members of the Intercollegiate Kentucky Athletic Conference (KIAC) this year. They have spent the past the past 15 years in the Appalachian Athletic Conference (AAC).

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SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

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Gordon gets early start on team rebuilding

by HANK KURZ Jr. ASSOCIATED PRESS

MARTINSVILLE, Va. - Jeff Gordon is out of the Chase for the championship, and thinks he deserves to be. These days, while he breaks in a new crew chief, Gordon talks a lot about being better next year.

That doesn't mean he's waiting until then.

Gordon and new crew chief Steve Letarte got started on the comeback Sunday, holding off Tony Stewart in a three-lap dash to win at Martinsville Speedway. It was Gordon's first victory since May 1 at Talladega, and a much-needed pick-me-up for the team.

"I don't know how long it's been since we had a top 5, so anything to really just get us a spark, get the excitement, get some chemistry going between Steve and the team and myself and just be able to build on something today meant a lot

Gordon beat Stewart by .235 with Gordon's Hendrick Motorsports teammate Jimmie Johnson third. Stewart leads Johnson by 15 points for first in the Chase.

Gordon didn't get a chance to help Johnson in his bid for a championship, as all the Hendrick teams have pledged to do. But he did start to build a history with Letarte, who has Gordon's vote as the replacement for the departed Robbie Loomis.

"It's been a tough year and we certainly could use a win and today was just phenomenal," Gordon said, patting his 26year-old crew chief. "That was a great call he made to stay out that one time - that's really what won us the race today."

of a race-record 19 cautions flew on lap 343.

Told to stay on the track, Gordon assumed the lead when he and five others didn't follow

the other top contenders onto pit speedway - the oldest, shortest place Ryan Newman, who was road. Also staying out were the Roush Racing trio of Greg Biffle, Mark Martin and Matt Kenseth. Stewart came off pil road seventh.

point, leading 283 of 343 laps, and easily passed the first six cars and seemed content to wait for Gordon to fade. Gordon was racing on tires more than 50 laps older than Stewart's, Instead, Gordon expanded his lead.

"We were just phenomenal once we got out front," Gordon said.

Gordon had to hold the lead through six more restarts, as well as the sight of Stewart nudging Johnson aside to take second place, but was never threatened.

"There was no catching Jeff," Stewart said. "I don't know what The call came when the 13th makes him so fast at the end of the day like that. He was just too strong to keep up with."

Gordon's 73rd career victory gave him a sweep of the season's two races on the .526-mile

and tightest run in NASCAR's premier series.

As he did in April, Gordon said he was dedicating the Subway 500 win to 10 people Stewart had dominated to that killed a year ago when a Hendrick-owned plane crashed on the way to the track.

> The runner-up finish was the second in a row for Stewart here. He led 247 laps in the spring before a tire came off with 70 laps to go. This time, he again dominated until the shadows grew longer, then wasn't as strong after his last two pit stops.

> But his dominance did give him 10 bonus points - 5 for leading a lap and 5 for leading the most in the race - to take first place to himself with four races left.

> He and Johnson came in tied for the lead in a very tight Nextel Cup chase.

Greg Biffle, who was third to start the day, just 11 points behind, wound up 20th. Fourth-

17 points back, ran 10th to grab third place.

Newman is 63 points back, and Biffle fell to fourth - 83 off the pace.

He also incurred the wrath of Stewart when it was over.

After a restart with 52 laps to go, Biffle was first in line and trying to get back on the lead lap. He made Gordon and Johnson work to get past him. Stewart was next in line, and Biffle gave him no quarter, either, holding off Stewart for several laps.

Stewart finally passed him with 37 laps to go and had three chances to take a shot at the leaders, but needed 26 of those laps to get past Johnson and was finished.

"He's an idiot. It's no wonder Kevin Harvick's wanted to kill him so many times," Stewart said of Biffle, who has had numerous high profile dust-ups with Harvick.

"They name streets after guys like that - one way and dead end," Stewart said.

Johnson was no more pleased with Stewart after being nudged aside entering the first turn when Stewart got his nose under Johnson, causing the car to wiggle

"He dove it in there. I guess got in there far enough to get into me, knock me out of the way," Johnson said, "If I could have got back. I would have repaid the favor."

The race was much tougher for Chase contenders Martin, Carl Edwards and Rusty Wallace, who started the day fifth through seventh in the points standings.

Martin finished 34th in a backup car, Edwards was 26th, one lap down, and Wallace was running fifth when he crashed on a restart with 19 laps to go. He finished 19th.

Edwards is fifth, 149 points back. Wallace is 166 back, and Martin is 170 behind.

NASCAR unveils 2006 · Busch Series schedule

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Celebrating its 25th anniversary with series sponsor Anheuser-Busch in 2006, the NASCAR Busch Series will begin its 35-race season on Saturday, Feb. 18 at Daytona International Speedway and end on Saturday, Nov. 18 at Homestead-Miami Speedway.

The schedule again will include a visit to the Autodromo Hermanos Rodriguez road course in Mexico City on March 5, site of last year's historic trip that resulted in the first points race for the series held outside the United States.

Series makes its return to Martinsville (Va.) Speedway after previously racing at the 526-mile track from 1982-94. The race on July 22 will be run under the lights. The event Pikes Peak replaces International Raceway on the

The 2006 schedule features for Oct. 28.

by JOE KAY

ASSOCIATED PRESS

felt the urge to dance.

Cincinnati crowd.

dance him, too.

CINCINNATI - Hines Ward

The Steelers receiver does-

n't usually celebrate touch-

downs by kicking up his cleats,

but this was a special occasion.

Pittsburgh was thoroughly out-

playing Chad Johnson's upstart

Bengals in front of a record

Now, Ward would try out-

"I didn't know how to do it,"

said Ward, who caught the

clinching touchdown in a 27-13

victory Sunday. "You could see

the only awkward moment for

the Steelers (4-2), who got the

victory they needed to prevent

the Bengals (5-2) from waltzing

away with their division.

Pittsburgh controlled the game

by rushing for 221 yards, and its

defense made Carson Palmer

look ordinary for the first time

sion by a half-game, but the stand-

ings are misleading. The lopsided

outcome proved that the AFC

our team but for our organization, putting ourselves back on

the map where we wanted to

its place by the team that keeps

beating it down. The Bengals

have lost six of their last seven

and nine of their last 11 against

the Steelers, a dominance that

that much better than us," said

Palmer, who's 0-3 against the

Steelers. "I think we're a better

team, but we just didn't play

for winning tough games in

The Steelers have a knack

"I don't think Pittsburgh is

transcends time and place.

well enough today."

Cincinnati again got put in

be," Ward said.

"It's a great win not only for

North is still Steelers country.

Cincinnati still leads the divi-

since the last time they met.

Ward's unrehearsed jig was

I was a bad Riverdancer."

races at 26 tracks in 21 states and Mexico. The NASCAR Busch Series will join the NASCAR NEXTEL Cup Series 27 times this season for "combination events," and will race together with the NASCAR Craftsman Truck Series twice. The series will stage six "stand-alone" events.

Bristol Motor Speedway's spring race will be held on March 25, with the first of two Nashville visits to Superspeedway set for April

Held this year on April 15, the Texas Motor Speedway spring race next season will be on April 8.

Next season, Richmond Also, the NASCAR Busch International Raceway's spring race will be held on May 5, with Darlington Raceway's event on May 12.

Kansas Speedway's 2006 event will be held Sept. 30, followed by an off-week.

The final stand-alone event of the season at Memphis Motorsports Park is scheduled

2006 NASCAR Busch Series schedule

. Feb. 18: Daytona Int. Speedway

 Feb. 25: California Speedway March 5: Autodromo Hermanos Rodriguez.

* March 11: Las Vegas Motor Speedway · March 18: Atlanta Motor Speedway

 March 25: Bristol Motor Speedway * April 8: Texas Motor Speedway

April 15: Nashville Superspeedway

 April 21: Phoenix International Raceway April 29: Talladega Superspeedway

* May 5; Richmond Int. Raceway • May 12: Darlington Raceway

 May 27: Lowe's Motor Speedway * June 3: Dover International Speedway

* June 10: Nashville Superspeedway

. June 17: Kentucky Speedway . June 24: Milwaukee Mile

. June 30: Daytona Int. Speedway. . July 8: Chicagoland Speedway

July 15: New Hampshire Int. Speedway

· July 22: Martinsville Speedway

. July 29: Gateway Int. Raceway . Aug. 5: Indianapolis Raceway Park

* Aug. 12: Watkins Glen International

· Aug. 19: Michigan Int. Speedway . Aug. 25: Bristol Motor Speedway

· Sept. 2: California Speedway

· Sept. 8 Richmond Int. Raceway

. Sept. 23: Dover Int. Speedway . Sept. 30: Kansas Speedway

* Nov. 18: Homestead-Miami Speedway

. Oct. 13: Lowe's Motor Speedway • Oct. 28: Memphis Motorsports Park . Nov. 11: Phoenix Int. Raceway

knee, Roethlisberger had to Steelers 27, Bengals 13 throw only 14 times in his role as middleman - get the ball from center Jeff Hartings, give it to the nearest running back. Roethlisberger completed nine

> franchise record with its 10th straight road victory. "We've been playing pretty good on the road every week," linebacker Joey Porter said. we play aggressive defense."

"We've got the target on us, and it was no different today even though they were the hot team coming in." Nobody was hotter than Palmer.

The second-year starter had tied Peyton Manning's record of nine consecutive games with a passer rating of more than 100, and was looking to go one better. He hadn't thrown an interception since the second week, and led the league in touchdown passes and completion percentage.

Things looked good at the outset. On the game's first possession, Palmer threw a 16yard pass to a diving Johnson that was initially ruled a touchdown. The flamboyant receiver did a giddy high-step for his latest celebration.

He danced too soon. The Steelers challenged the call, and referee Tony Corrente overturned it, concluding that Johnson got only one foot down before his hand landed out of bounds.

Rookie Chris Henry then dropped a pass in the end zone, and Shayne Graham missed a 30-yard field goal attempt.

"It was huge," lamented Palmer, who was 21-of-36 for 227 yards with two interceptions and a measly 53.8 passer rating.

Pittsburgh took it from there. Willie Parker ran for 131 yards, including a 37-yard touchdown, and injury-slowed Jerome Bettis bowled through defenders for 56 yards. The Steelers had their way against a defense that gives up 4.9 yards per carry, making things easy

tough places. After a sluggish for Ben Roethlisberger. start, they dominated in front of Back after missing one game with a hyperextended

66,104 that expected to see a changing of the guard on a wet, raw afternoon. Instead, Pittsburgh set a passes, two for touchdowns.

"Our running game was clicking, and that is our strength," Roethlisberger said. "That is what we do. We run the ball and

Notes: Roethlisberger threw his first interception of the season in the third quarter. Palmer's two interceptions were his first in 20 quarters and 169 passes. ... The Steelers held Rudi Johnson to 65 yards, extending their streak to 18 games without allowing a 100-yard rusher. Johnson was the last to do it. ... Bengals first-round pick LB David Pollack hurt his left knee and left for an examination in the second half. He and the team declined to reveal the results. "It doesn't feel good," he said. ... Chad Johnson had four catches for 94 yards, and critiqued Ward's dance steps. "We laughed about it after the game. I told him it wasn't very good," Johnson said.

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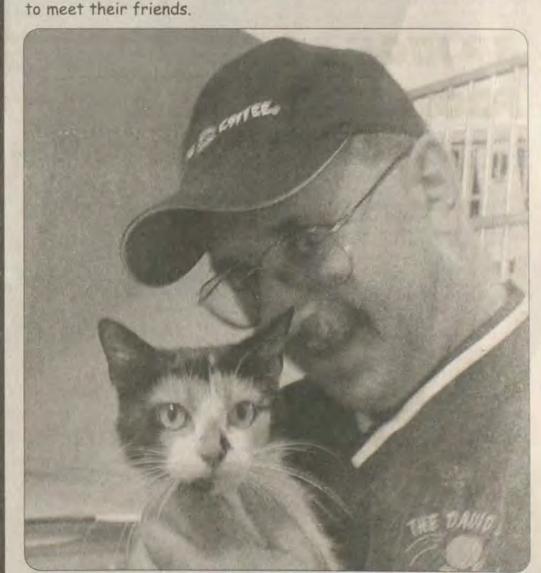
Kansas City 30, Miami 20 Sunday's Games Indianapolis 38, Houston 20 St. Louis 28, N. Orleans 17 Detroit 13, Cleveland 10 Washington 52, S. Francisco 17 Pittsburgh 27, Cincinnati 13 Philadelphia 20, S. Diego 17 Minnesota 23, Green Bay 20 Seattle 13. Dallas 10 Chicago 10, Baltimore 6 Oakland 38, Buffalo 17 N.Y. Giants 24, Denver 23 Arizona 20, Tennessee 10 Open: New England, Tampa Bay,



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OCT. 21 Apollo 42, Ohio Co. 28 Ashland Blazer 13, Johnson Central 10 Ballard Mem. 20, Muhlenberg North 0 Bardstown 41, Lou. Ky. Country Day 0 Barren Co. 28, Allen Co.-Scottsville 7 Bell Co. 26, Knox Central 20 Berea 39, Bath Co. 38 Boone Co. 49, Holmes 13. Bowling Green 56, Breckinridge Co. 0 Boyd Co. 41, Greenup Co. 14 Bullitt East 53, Lou. Valley 6 Caldwell Co. 42, Heath 13 Campbellsville 32, Fort Knox 22 Cawood 28, Knott Co. Central 23 Central Hardin 28, Bullitt Central 20 Cov. Catholic 36, Grant Co. 0 Crittenden Co. 16, Hancock Co. 0 Cumberland 45, Williamsburg 34 Danville 33, Frankfort 0 Daviess Co. 31, Grayson Co. 21 Dixie Heights 10, Campbell Co. 7 East Ridge 45, Magoffin Co. 8 Fort Campbell 56, Webster Co. 7 Franklin Co. 56, Bourbon Co. 0 Franklin-Simpson 28, Logan Co. 0 George Rogers Clark 21, Whitley Co. 13 Graves Co. 22, Christian Co. 19 Harlan 33, Pineville 6 Harrison Co. 28, East Jessamine 7 Harrodsburg 38, Carroll Co. 25 Hart Co. 35, Butler Co. 14 Hazard 52, Pikeville 23 Henderson Co. 22, Owensboro 19 Highlands 21, South Oldham 20 Hopkinsville 63, Hopkins Co. Central 27 Jenkins 41, Allen Central 28 Ironton, Ohio 33, Belfry 21 LaRue Co. 21, Washington Co. 0 Letcher County Central 19, Evans 0 Lewis Co. 6, Powell Co. 4 Lex. Lafayette 37, Lex. Henry Clay 21 Lex. Paul Dunbar 40, Scott Co. 35 Lex. Tates Creek 35, Lex. Bryan Stat.28, OT Lexington Catholic 47, Western Hills 7 Lincoln Co. 32, Montgomery Co. 0 Lone Oak 35, Reidland 12 Lou. Ballard 31, Shelby Co. 20 Lou. Christian Acad. 28, Lou. Shawnee 20 Lou. DeSales 55, Elizabethtown 14 Lou. Doss 53, Lou. Waggener 6 Lou. DuPont Manual 55, Lou. Iroquois 14 Lou. Eastern 32, Lou. Southern 0 Lou. Pleasure Ridge Park 26, Lou. Butler 7 Lou. Seneca 26, Oldham Co. 0 Lou. St. Xavier 28, Lou. Male 23 Lou. Trinity 37, Lou. Fern Creek 7 Madison Southern 52, Clay Co. 8 Madisonville-N. Hopkins 40, Union Co. 33 Marion Co. 16, Pulaski Co. 13, OT Mason Co. 33, Lawrence Co. 13 Mayfield 61, Fulton City 0 McCreary Central 48, Jellico, Tenn. 12 Meade Co. 43, Nelson Co. 0 Mercer Co. 20, Lloyd Memorial 13 Metcalfe Co. 39, Caverna 0 Monroe Co. 6, Todd Co. Central 0 Morgan Co. 23, Fleming Co. 17, 20T m Murray 31, Fulton Co. 22 Newport 33, Henry Co. 6 Newport Central Catholic 14, Bellevue 0 North Bullitt 48, Lou. Atherton 0 North Hardin 10, John Hardin 7 North Laurel 26, Madison Cent. 23, 20T Owen Co. 15, Trimble Co. 9 Owensboro Catholic 48, Glasgow 10 Paducah Tilghman 41, Calloway Co. 6 Paintsville 55, South Floyd 6 Paris 35, Nicholas Co. 8 Phelps 34, Betsy Layne 6 Pulaski Southwestern 28, Russell Co. 20 Raceland 7. Fairview 6 Rockcastle Co. 48, Perry Co. Central 7 Rowan Co. 29, Pendleton Co. 21 Russell 27, East Carter 7 Russellville 30, McLean Co. 20 Ryle 53, Scott 0 Sheldon Clark 28, Pike Co. Central 7 Simon Kenton 19, Conner 13 Somerset 41, Lynn Camp 40 Trigg Co. 69, Muhlenberg South 12 Warren Central 29, Marshall Co. 27 Warren East 56, Adair Co. 7 Wayne Co. 36, Garrard Co. 23

KHSAA board declines to recommend separating public and private prep spo

by MURRAY EVANS ASSOCIATED PRESS

LEXINGTON - The governing board of Kentucky's high school sports association declined Friday to support a proposal that would separate public and private schools during postseason competition.

The Kentucky High School Athletic Association Board of Control voted 9-7 against the proposal, a day after KHSAA member schools voted 195-78 in favor of splitting up postseason play.

Under the proposal, the Sweet 16 basketball tournaments would no longer be for all comers. Kentucky is one of only three states to still offer one-class state basketball tournaments. Hawaii and Delaware are the others.

The board's recommendation against what has become known as Proposal 20 does not end the debate. The proposal still will be sent to the state school board, which next meets on Dec. 7. The earliest the school board could vote on the

Department of Education spokeswoman Lisa Gross said. The public would also be given an opportunity to offer input before any action could be

If the school board approves the proposal, it still would require legislative approval. And at any point, the proposal could face a court challenge.

Gov. Ernie Fletcher issued a statement Friday saying the future of Proposal 20 "is best left up to those that have jurisdiction over the issue, which is the State Board of Education." Fletcher expressed "the utmost confidence in the board to review the proposal and make a decision that is fair to all sides."

Several KHSAA Board of Control members said Friday they wanted to give those on both sides of the issue more time to resolve their differ-

"We need to keep that window of opportunity open so that we can continue this dialogue," said Paul Dotson, the assistant superintendent for the Pike County School System, who suggested tabling Proposal 20 but later voted with the majority Friday.

Another concern was the proposal's financial implications. Julian Tackett, a KHSAA assistant commissioner, told board members that it would cost a minimum of \$150,000 in additional expenses to conduct separate postseason tourna-

Proponents say the proposal address competitive inequities caused by the fact that private schools can bring in students without consideration of geographic boundaries. Opponents argued that private schools are being unfairly targeted because of misinformation and unproven rumors of

Of the 282 KHSAA member schools, 48 are private or nonpublic. Of the 31 state championships offered last season by the KHSAA, 17 were won by private schools.

Rob Mullen, the president at Louisville Trinity High School, one of the private schools at the Friday's meeting as an observer. He said the state's five largest private schools - Trinity, St. Xavier, Assumption and Sacred Heart of Louisville and Lexington Catholic - have offered to establish enrollment boundaries and make other con-

But those schools also want to continue to be able to draw students from traditional feeder schools located beyond a proposed 20-mile radius from their schools. Leisa Speer, the superintendent of schools for the Archdiocese of Louisville, said Thursday that to compromise on that would be "to compromise on the faith-based aspect of our schools, and that's one area we cannot compromise on."

Gary Dearborn, an assistant principal at Pendleton County High School and the board's vice chairman, said the issue was even more basic.

"This problem is not about kids," Dearborn said. "It's about adults that get can't along, and it would be a crying shame for us to send this for-

center of the debate, attended ward endorsed by this board of control. It would be an embarrassment."

Another board member, Jim Sexton, the principal at Louisville Eastern High School,

strongly disagreed. "You're about to end the Delegate Assembly when you start messing with what their wishes are," Sexton said.

Bob Stewart, athletics director at Louisville Male High School, was equally blunt: "What are we going to do about the backlash of 195," he asked, referring to the number of schools that supported the proposal. Stewart and Sexton yould with the minority on Friday.

Dearborn said he trusted the KHSAA of Commissioner Brigid De Vries and her staff to assist the two sides in negotiating an amicable settlement.

One board member, Jeffrey Schlosser of Fort Thomas, abstained from voting, saying he needed more financial information about the proposal. Another, Sally Haeberle of Ashland, was absent.

Amburgey takes over KCC girls' program

by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

HINDMAN -Amburgey is the new head girls' basketball coach at Knott County Central High School. Amburgey replaces Rhett Gibson, who guided the KCC girls' basketball program as its head coach the last six years. Gibson resigned from both his teaching and coaching duties a few weeks

In another part of Knott County, Joel Melton has taken over the Cordia High School girls' basketball program. Justin Amburgey, girls' head coach at Cordia the last three years, has resigned and moved on to Knott Central, where he is now an assistant coach with the Patriot boys' basketball program.

Allen County-Scottsville High School hosts annually the Lady Invitational of the South girls' basketball tournament. This year's tournament will be held Dec. 27-30. Magoffin County - the 15th Region preseason favorite will represent Eastern Kentucky. Pairings for the tournament follow.

Lady Invitational

Of The South Allen County-Scottsville High School

Opening round pairings (Dec. 27) All times are Central Standard Logan Co. vs. Magoffin County

Shelby Co. vs. Cumberland Co.,

Iroquois vs. Warren Central 2:30 p.m.

Cumberland Co. vs. Nelson Co.

Butler Co. vs. Lou. Christ. Acad. 6 p.m. - Carroll County vs. Franklin-Simpson

- Allen Co.-Scottsville vs. Pope John Paul II, Tenn.

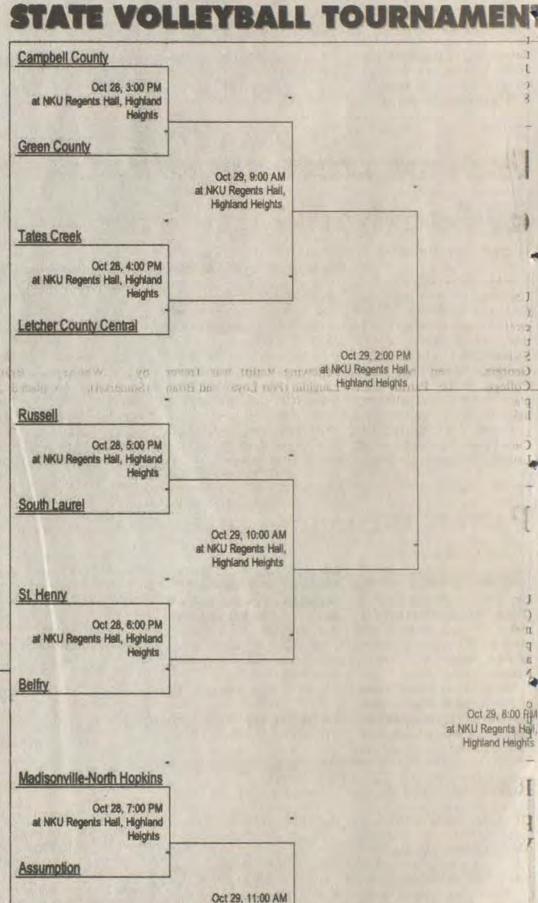
- Covington H. C. vs. Montgomery Co.

Dec. 28 Games start at 10 a.m. (8 games) Games start at 11 a.m. (6 games)

Dec. 30 (4 games);

Consolation championship, fifth-place, third-place,

and championship games start at 1 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 4 p.m., and 6 p.m.,



at NKU Regents Hall,

Highland Heights

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Oct 29, 3:00 PM

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AP HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Kentucky How They Fared

CLASS 1A

West Carter 40, Estill Co. 6

1. Bardstown (9-0) def. Lou. Ky. Country Day 41-0

Danville (8-1) def. Frankfort 33-0

Newport Central Catholic (7-2) def. Bellevue 14-0 Lex. Christian (8-1) (Last Week's Record) DNP

5. Beechwood (6-3) def. Bracken Co. 55-0 6. Somerset (8-1) def. Lynn Camp 41-40 Bellevue (8-2) lost to Newport Central Catholic 14-0

8. Paintsville (8-1) def. South Floyd 55-6

9. Lou. Holy Cross (7-2) (Last Week's Record) DNP 10. Mayfield (6-3) def. Fulton City 61-0

CLASS 2A

1. Fort Campbell (9-0) def. Webster Co. 56-7 2. Owensboro Catholic (8-1) def. Glasgow 48-10 Belfry (7-2) lost to Ironton, Ohio 33-21

4. Trigg Co. (7-2) def. Muhlenberg South 69-12 5. Russell (8-1) def. East Carter 27-7

6. Lou. Western (7-2) def. Lou. Moore 62-12

7. Lou. DeSales (7-2) def. Elizabethtown 55-14

8. Glasgow (7-2) lost to Owensboro Catholic 48-10 9. Leslie Co. (8-1) (Last Week's Record) DNP

10. Newport (8-1) def. Henry Co. 33-6

1. Bowling Green (8-1) def. Breckinridge Co. 56-0

Lexington Catholic (8-1) def. Western Hills 47-7 Boyle Co. (8-1) def. Taylor Co. 49-0

4. Bullitt East (9-0) def. Lou. Valley 53-6

5. Cov. Catholic (6-3) def. Grant Co. 36-0

6. Highlands (6-3) def. South Oldham 21-20

7. Bell Co. (7-2) def. Knox Central 26-20 8. Johnson Central (7-2) lost to Ashland Blazer 13-10

9. Franklin Co. (8-1) def. Bourbon Co. 56-0 10. Hopkinsville (6-3) def. Hopkins Co. Central 63-27

1. Lou. St. Xavier (9-0) def. Lou. Male 28-23

2. Lou. Male (8-1) lost to Lou. St. Xavier 28-23 3. Lex. Henry Clay (9-1) lost to Lex. Lafayette 37-21

4. Lou. Trinity (7-2) def. Lou. Fern Creek 37-7 Warren Central (8-1) def. Marshall Co. 29-27

6. Henderson Co. (9-1) def. Owensboro 22-19 7. John Hardin (8-1) lost to North Hardin 10-7

9. Marshall Co. (8-1) lost to Warren Central 29

Lou. DuPont Manual (6-3) def. Lou. Iroquois 55-14 10. Madison Central (6-3) lost to North Laurel 26-23

Kentucky AP Prep Football Poll

LOUISVILLE - The top teams in the Kentucky Associated Press high school football polls, with first-place votes, records, total points and previous rankings:

TP Pvs 94 1 93 2 78 3 57 4 50 5 Rank-School L. Bardstown 8-1 7-2 2. Danville (3) Newport CC 5. Beechwood Mayfield Paintsville 9. Bellevne 10. Lou. Hoty C.

2 3 4 5 6 10 8 7 Others receiving votes: 11, Metcalfe Co. 14, 12, Crittenden Co. 9, 13, Frankfort 8, 14, Lynn Camp 5. 15, Hazard 4. 15, Paris 4. 17, Pikeville 2

Rockcastle County

Owensboro Catholic

South Oldham

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Greenwood

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39 28 8. Leslie Co. 20 9. Newport 10. Glasgow Others receiving votes: 11, Middles 6, 12, Fleming Co. 5, 12, Mercer Co. 5, Rank-School

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2456389 10. John Hardin tvorus Hardin 5, 15, Ryle 2, 15, Scott Co. 2, 15, George Rogers Clark 2, 15, Lex. Lafayette 2

Patriots hold off Bears in Top 10 battle

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE - A battle of two of the nation's Top 10 teams was everything it was supposed to be, winding down to the final series before eighth-ranked University of Cumberlands knocked off No. 7 Pikeville College 25-24 Saturday night.

Senior quarterback Larry Hay threw two touchdown passes and ran for a third while sophomore Moses Cochran chewed up the turf for 150 yards in the win for 7-1 Cumberlands, which improved to 2-0 in the Mid-South Conference's East Division.

Pikeville suffered its first loss in six outings and fell to 1-I in the MSC East.

Cumberlands led 25-24 when forced to punt with 8:48 remaining, with the Bears taking over at their 38. After picking up only one first down, the bears faced 4th-and-10 at the Patriot 40 and were forced to punt.

Getting the ball back at their after a touchback, Cumberlands ran 12 plays and ran the clock out, picking up four first downs, the final one coming on a pass interference flag with less than two minutes

Cumberlands led 19-14 at the half, but the Bears scored on their first two possessions of the third period to regain the edge. Junior Kyle Briscoe connected on a 36-yard field goal with 8:32 remaining to pull within two before a beautiful touchdown pass which saw Chip English hit tailback Calvin Joplin in the right flat. He then reversed and sailed into the end zone down the left sideline for a 35-yard score.

The PAT gave Pikeville a 24-19 lead with 6:17 to play in the

But Cumberlands put together an 11-play, 82-yard drive that ended when Hay hit Cochran from 19 yards out. The PAT was blocked, but the Pats led 25-24 with 42 seconds remaining.

The Patriots got on the scoreboard first. After being turned away on a goal line stand on their first drive, the Pats recovered a fumble at the two and Hay scored on the first play. The kick failed, leaving it 6-0 with 9:14 remaining.

English put the Bears on top five minutes later when he found Lamont Sturdivant from 13 yards out, and Briscoe made

Cumberlands regained the lead with 9:30 left in the half when Jeremy Vaught hauled in a 53-yard halfback option from Cochran. Sean Mounts' kick made it 13-7.

But the Bears trailed for only 55 seconds, as English flipped a pass out in the flat to senior All-American Antwan Marsh, who sailed 66 vards down the sideline for the end zone and a 14-

But the Pats would regain it before the break, as Cochran four tackles each.

caught a 17-yard scoring pass from Hay. Again the conversion failed, leaving it 19-14 with 2:12 remaining in the half.

Cochran wasn't the only star in the Patriot backfield, as sophomore Ricky Walker had 94 yards on 18 carries.

For the game, Cumberlands had 295 yards on 67 carries.

Pikeville, meanwhile, was limited on the ground for the first time this season, picking up only 48 yards on 17 carries. Senior tailback Calvin Joplin, who had five straight games of more than 100 yards, picked up only 34 on 14 tries.

In the air, Hay was 12-of-17 for 171 and two scores, with Cochran's 53-yard touchdown pass the only other toss of the night. Jeremy Vaught, a senior from Danville, had seven grabs for 143.

Sophomore Chip English hit 15-of-32 in the air for 211 with three scores and one interception. Frank Green had five catches for 44 yards, while Joplin hauled in three for 45 and

Pikeville had two defenders in double figures in tackles. Sophomore Nathan Moore, seeing his first action since a Sept. game against North Greenville, had 13 tackles, 10 being solos, and blocked a kick. Senior E.J. Underwood had 12 tackles, including nine solos, one for loss and broke up a pass.

Four Patriot defenders had



photo courtesy of Cumberlands

Host Pikeville College fell short of the win Saturday, falling to Cumberlands, another one of the nation's top NAIA football teams.

Walker tops 1,000 yards

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE - University of the Cumberlands (formerly Cumberland College) sophomore fullback Ricky Walker (Thomasville, Ga.) joined the 1,000 yard career rushing club with his performance against Pikeville College on Saturday. at least 1,000 yards in his Cumberlands career.

Walker ran for 94 yards on 18 carries against the Bears. His career rushing total now stands at 1076 yards on 185 carries good for an average of 5.81

yards per carry. This was just Walker's 18th game as a Patriot. Walker also ranks 6th on the career rushing touchdown list He is the 12th player to rush for with 12. Three Patriots have now eclipsed the 1,000 yard rushing milestone this season.

> Walker and the rest of the Patriots will be back in action next weekend as they travel to play the University of Virginia-Wise Highland Cavaliers.

Patriot cross country teams compete Southeastern Classic

TIMES STAFF REPORT

WILLIAMSBURG - The University of the Cumberlands (formerly Cumberland College) cross country teams competed this past weekend at the Southeastern Classic in Rome, Georgia, hosted by Berry The Patriot men College. placed ninth overall while the ladies finished in seventh place.

For the men's team, the first Cumberlands finisher was Josh Laughlin (Bellbrook, Ohio), overall out of 27 teams.

Laughlin placed 26th with a finishing time of 26:23. Next to finish was Josphat Melly of Kenya, who finished 33rd and finished at 26:45. Seth Darrell (Monroe), finished 70th running a time of 27:53. Brett Ratliff (Pikeville) came in at 85th place at 28:17. Following Ratliff was Trevor Laughlin (Port Loyal) and Brian Jones (Cawood), finishing at 140th and 201st, respectively. Their times were 20:12 and 33:50. The men placed ninth

Ratliff came to the Cumberlands cross country program from Pikeville High School.

The ladies were led by Kelly Schnee (Milan, Ohio). Schnee placed ninth overall with a time of 18:50. Schnee was followed Whitney Brainard (Somerset), who placed 34th, running a time of 19:43. Next to finish was Shelly Schnee, also a native of Milan, Ohio. Schnee came in at a time of 19:48, placing 35th. Barb Davies (Gibsonburg, Ohio), placed 62nd with a time of 20:33. Vanity Vasquez (St. Cloud, Fla.), ran a time of 20:56 putting her in 77th place. Christina Stodgily (Owensboro) and Meggy Rawe (Alexandria), placed 112th and 120th, respectively running times of 21:52 and 22:07. The ladies finished seventh overall out of 29 teams this weekend.

The Patriots will be in action again Nov. 5 in Louisville in regional/conference competition.

EKU grad Taylor chosen for Southern Ohio PGA Hall Of Fame

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

WILMINGTON, Ohio -Gary Taylor, a 1975 graduate Eastern Kentucky University, will be inducted into the Southern Ohio PGA (SOPGA) Hall of Fame on November 13, 2005. The ceremony will be held at the Roberts Convention Center in Wilmington, Ohio.

Columbus Country Club's golf professional, Taylor will be part of the eighth class inducted into the Hall of Fame since its inception in 1997.

Taylor, who has worked at the Country Club for 18 years, served as President of the Southern Ohio PGA in 1994-95. The two-time SOPGA Professional of the Year (1993 and 1995) is credited for initiating and coordinating the 1st PGA of America, Teaching & Coaching Summit in 1990. Throughout his career, Taylor has also been instrumental in coordinating events for the EKU Alumni Association's Central Ohio Chapter.

Taylor joins another EKU graduate, El Collins, as a member of the prestigious Hall of Fame. He also becomes the



Gary Taylor

third Columbus Country Club member to be inducted, following Charlie Lorms and Don Shock. Jack Nicklaus was inducted in 2003.

The Southern Ohio PGA was founded in 1946 and currently carries more than 500 members. Its mission is to advance interest in the game of golf and the amateur player through countless programs including junior golf, clinics and competition.

Patriot men's golf team closes fall season on top

TIMES STAFF REPORT

WILLIAMSBURG - The University of the Cumberlands (Formerly Cumberland College) men's golf team landed a first place finish this past weekend, as they traveled to Trevecca Nazarene University.

The men shot a combined score of 596 (297-299-596). Leading the way for the men's team was Eric King (Ferguson), who took

score of (68-76-144). King not only took home a first place individual finish, but he took home his first career win and shot three under par during his first round. Other key contributors for the men's team included sophomore Willis Ring (Whitesburg) (72-78-150), Justin Price (Somerset) (79-74-153), Eric Fuldner (Alexandria) (78-79-157), and

first place at the tournament with a 158). Cornett, with his second day Jennifer Kieffer (Rockford, Ill.) score of 71, shot a career low when he broke even with par.

This was the first team win since the 2003-2004 season, for the men's team.

The women's team placed third in the tournament, as they fell behind to Campbellsville University and Trevecca Nazarene, who took first and second respectively. Leading lady for the Patriots was (85-86-171). Other Patriot finishers were Katie Bowers (Cadiz) (98-90-188), Dawn Hovda (Springfield, Ohio) (105-Shannon 100-205), and Schottelkotte (Greenfield, Ohio) (106-121-227).

This tournament concluded golf play for the fall season. The Patriot golf teams will be back in action during the spring

Rondo scores 33 points in Blue-White scrimmage

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

· LEXINGTON -Rondo had 33 points, eight assists and eight steals in the Blue-White scrimmage at Memorial Coliseum Saturday.

Rondo made 6-of-8 free throws in the closing minutes and scored 11 of the Blue team's 14 points during a 14-3 run in the first half. During that stretch, Rondo made three 3-pointers.

The Blue team won the practice game 94-85.

"I thought Rajon, his outside shooting was certainly impressive," coach Tubby Smith said. Running the team he did a good job, things we expect him to do. He created a lot of problems on both ends of the floor."

Joe Crawford scored 20 points playing a half each for the Blue and White teams.

Ramel Bradley made 10-of-13 free throws to score 22 points on White and Ravi Moss had 17 points for Blue.

Sophomore center Randolph Morris, whose eligibility for this season has yet to be determined by the NCAA, did not play due

to a toe injury. All of the proceeds for the name are being donated to the American Red Cross to benefit victims of Hurricane Katrina.

VOLLEYBALL Cumberlands defeats Pikeville

Brandon Cornett (Hazard) (87-71-

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE - Tuesday night, the University of the Cumberlands (formerly Cumberland College) volleyball team traveled to Pikeville College. The Patriots won 2-1 (30-20, 30-21, and 32-30).

The Patriots were lead in kills by freshman standout Taran Johnson (London) who tallied an outstanding 14 kills, following closely behind was Bowling junior Liz (Louisville) with nine. The Patriots were also lead by freshman Katie Tinsley as she racked-up 36 assists.

Pikeville College played from behind in each of the three games.

The Patriot ladies also showed a strong force at the net as freshman Lauren Taylor (Villa Hills) delivered six solo Defensively the blocks. Patriot ladies were lead by Anna Clemenz junior (Bellbrook, Ohio) with 21 digs and senior Traci Snyder (Harrison, Tenn.) with one.

"I think the girls are really pulling together and helping each other out," commented Cumberlands head coach Amanda Walton. "I was pleased with the way they played on Tuesday, but they still have some work to do."

PIKEVILLE COLLEGE BOWLING REMAINING 2005-06 SCHEDULE

Saturday, Oct. 29 ... at Illinois State BPA Collegiate Classic Sunday, Oct. 30at Illinois State BPA Collegiate Classic Saturday, Nov. 5 .at Brunswick/Coca-Cola Southern Classic Saturday, Nov. 26 at National Team Match Games Saturday, Dec. 17at Las Vegas Invitational Thursday, Dec. 22at Collegiate Shoot-Out Saturday, Jan, 14at Hoinke Bearcat Open Sunday, Jan. 15at Hoinke Bearcat Open Saturday, Jan. 28at Eagle Classic Sunday, Jan. 29at Eagle Classic Saturday, Feb. 4at McKendree Challenge Sunday, Feb. 5at McKendree Challenge Saturday, Feb. 18at Hoosier Classic Sunday, Feb. 19at Hoosier Classic





Mississippi 13, Kentucky 7

by JOEDY McCREARY ASSOCIATED PRESS

OXFORD, Miss. - A week after one of the Southeastern Conference's best teams sneaked past Mississippi, it was the Rebels' turn to escape against one of the league's worst.

Ole Miss beat struggling Kentucky 13-7 on Saturday in the Rebels' first game since their surprising, last-second loss to nationally ranked Alabama.

Micheal Spurlock passed for 198 yards with a 9-yard touchdown pass to Mike Espy, and redshirt freshman McSwain rushed for 104 yards to help the Rebels (3-4, 1-3

Southeastern Conference) avoid Michael Bozeman said. "Maybe worst defense in their first 0-4 start in conference play since 1984.

"Any day you get a win, it's a great day, so we're positive that we got the win," Spurlock said. "We just tried to go out and stay consistent. We wanted to feed off the game we had against Alabama and play that way through to the end of the season."

The Rebels scored the first 13 points against Kentucky in bouncing back from a 13-10 loss to mighty Alabama on a last-second field goal.

"We played better against Alabama, because they were a ranked team," Rebels lineman

we weren't as fired up today because the game didn't have the same atmosphere."

The Wildcats (1-5, 0-3) lost their fourth straight, but avoided a shutout when Arliss Beach raced 4 yards for a touchdown with 2:36 left.

The Rebels then ran out the clock behind McSwain, who rushed for 50 yards on the final drive, and gave coach Ed Orgaron his first SEC victory in

"It feels good to get a win, but we didn't play as good as we should have," linebacker Patrick Willis said.

Kentucky entered with the

Southeastern Conference, but for much of this game it was its offense that was ineffective.

The Wildcats were held to 47 yards in the first half, lost three fumbles, punted eight times and failed to advance inside the Ole Miss 20 until the closing minutes.

"We competed, but it is hard to win on the road when you make as many mistakes as we did," Kentucky coach Rich Brooks said.

Andre' Woodson was 12-of-20 for 107 yards for Kentucky. Rafael Little rushed for 77 yards and Beach had 73.

Matt Hinkle kicked field goals of 45 and 18 yards, but the

Rebels' problems in the kicking game continued.

One week after Ole Miss missed one field goal and had another blocked against the Crimson Tide, the Rebels missed four attempts against Kentucky. Two were blocked, one sailed wide right and a third hit the right upright as time expired in the first half.

"We are dealing with what we have," Orgeron said. "They will start making field goals. We just have to find the right kicker."

The slow-starting Rebels finally found a rhythm late in the first half and led 10-0 at the break

Spurlock hit Taye Biddle for

a 33-vard gain to set up his TD pass to Espy.

"At times we played defense effectively, but we failed at crit-

ical times," Brooks said. Then, the Rebels forced two turnovers in an 11-second span late in the half - but scored just three points off the miscues.

Ole Miss recovered Little's fumble at the Kentucky 27 with 14 seconds left in the half, and two plays later, Hinkle hit a 45yarder. The Wildcats muffed the ensuing kickoff and Ole Miss recovered at the 29 with enough time for another try. But Hinkle's 47-yard attempt bounced off the right upright as

time expired.

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PRESS TOP 25

The Top 25 teams in The

Associated Press college football

poll, with first-place votes in

parentheses, records through

Oct. 22, total points based on 25

points for a first-place vote

through one point for a 25th-

place vote, and previous ranking:

1. Southern Cal (55)

2. Texas (10)

4. Georgia

5. Alabama

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7. LSU

8. UCLA

9. Notre Dame

10. Florida St.

11. Penn St.

12. Ohio St.

14. Oregon 15. Wisconsin

17. Texas Tech

18. West Virginia

21. Northwestern

22. Fresno St.

23. Tennessee

25. Michigan

16. Florida

19. Auburn 20. TCU

13. Boston College

3. Virginia Tech

Record Pts

7-0

7.0

1,569

1,496

.1,413

.1,268

.1.219

1,170

1,067

.860

.846

.750

.617 .557

456

.400

.233

.165

Others receiving votes:

Louisville 126, Minnesota 113,

Colorado 75, Missouri 17,

Georgia Tech 9, Toledo 9, Texas

A&M 7, Virginia 6, Iowa 2.

Rutgers 1, Southern Miss. 1.

SCORES FROM SATURDAY.

OCT. 22

Louisville 46, Cincinnati 22



by JOE KAY ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI - Only 2 yards separated the Bearcats from a momentum-turning touchdown. It might as well have been a mile.

Cincinnati failed to score on a first-and-goal, and Brian Brohm followed the defensive stand with a 98-yard touchdown drive Saturday that sparked Louisville to a 46-22 victory and its first Big East win.

The Cardinals (5-2, 1-2) rebounded from a triple-overtime loss to West Virginia that knocked them out of the Top 25 and dashed their hopes for a breakthrough bowl appearance.

They had to dig out of their dejection against Cincinnati (3-4, 1-2), which emptied its playbook and had a chance to pull ahead just before halftime. Instead, the Bearcats chose the wrong plays and never recovered.

"I firmly believe if we get that ball in there on first-andgoal from the 2, it's a football game," Cincinnati coach Mark Dantonio said. "I don't know if we re going to win, but it's a football game."

It wasn't much of a game after Louisville held, then went the length of the field in less than 2 minutes - the perfect salve for the sting from that triple-overtime loss.

"We needed a win today, whether it was by a point or half a point," said Montrell Jones, who had a team-high six catches for 73 yards.

Brohm was 21-of-26 for 303 yards and two touchdowns, another high-percentage game for one of the nation's most efficient passers. Michael Bush ran for 127 yards and three touchdowns, but fumbled three times.

Redshirt quarterback Dustin Grutza caught a pass from a receiver on a reverse, and the Bearcats converted a fake punt as they took some chances and kept it close. They trailed 12-7 when the fake punt started a drive to first-and-goal at the 2 late in the first half.

Shifty tailback Greg Moore carried on seven consecutive plays for 48 yards on the drive, then yielded to straight-ahead threat Bradley Glatthaar at the 2. Glatthaar carried twice for losses, and Grutza's third-down pass intended for Brent Celek was intercepted by safety Brandon Sharp.

"It was a big thing," Celek said. "When you get to the 2yard line, you've got to score. It doesn't matter what the coaches call, you have to score. We didn't, and it was a 14-point swing right there."

Fans booed the play-calling when the Bearcats came off the field, and several players punched the air in frustration that would soon get worse.

"That was big as far as the momentum, a game-changing play," said Cardinals defensive end Elvis Dumervil, who broke the Big East record with his 19th sack and tied the NCAA record with his eighth forced fumble. "It was something we

All Brohm needed was four throws - all completions - to evaporate Cincinnati's hopes of an upset. He completed passes of 29, 15, 43 and 7 yards, the last one for a touchdown to Harry Douglas that finished a

For Southeast Missouri, run-

ning back Tim Holloman led all

players with 161 yards rushing

and 95 yards receiving. He found

the end zone four times as well -

The Redhawks quickly

jumped out to a 16-0 lead less

than eight minutes into the

game. Eastern Kentucky fum-

bled the opening kick-off to help

set up SEMO's first score before

Justin Komondoreas sacked

Greco in the end zone to put the

Redhawks ahead, 9-0. On

Southeast Missouri's ensuing

drive, Holloman recorded a 16-

Two Dunn rushing touch-

downs cut the Colonel deficit to

10 heading into halftime, 23-13.

EKU then found the end zone on

its first two possessions in the

second half to leap in front of

Southeast Missouri, 27-23. A 33-

yard throwback from Dunn to

Greco highlighted the first scor-

ing drive. Dunn picked up his

fourth touchdown of the evening

with a 22-yard scamper on

and an EKU punt, Southeast

Missouri put together a 62-yard

touchdown drive to reclaim the

lead, 32-27, and set the scene for

the final Eastern possession.

Quarterback Mike Haley found

T.J. Milcic down the right side-

line for a 37-yard completion to

move the Redhawks inside the

Colonel 10 yard-line. Two plays

later, Holloman tallied a one-

yard touchdown run.

After a Redhawk field goal

Eastern's next possession.

yard touchdown run.

two rushing and two receiving.

1-minute, 48-second drive the length of the field.

"That was a big change of events," Louisville coach Bobby Petrino said. "We didn't want to just sit on it (at the 2). We wanted to get a touchdown."

Louisville came into the of 2-point conversion tries.

The Cardinals looked like

yard drive snapped them out of it.

"It wasn't an easy week,"

Cincinnati was determined to make up for a 70-7 loss in Louisville last season, but its young defense - five freshmen starters - couldn't keep up. The Cardinals topped 500 yards midway through the fourth

Douglas, a sophomore playing more because starter Mario Urrutia hurt his knee last week, caught five passes for 87 yards, including a 43-yard reception during the decisive 98-yard

Bush's three touchdown

Morehead State claims PFL South title

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

MOREHEAD - Morehead State claimed the 2005 Pioneer Football League South Division title with a 31-13 win over Davidson Saturday afternoon at Jayne Stadium. The Eagles, who won their fourth consecutive game, are 7-1 overall and finished a perfect 3-0 in the division. Davidson is 3-5 overall, 1-2 in the league.

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MSU has either shared or won outright the PFL South each of the last four years and has now earned a spot in its fourth consecutive Championship Game. The championship game will be played on Nov. 19 at the site of the North Division champion. San Diego currently leads that division, but Dayton and Drake are still in the race.

On Saturday, the Eagles got on the board first when Adam Jones kicked a 21-yard field goal with 12:42 left in the first quarter. Davidson took a 7-3 halftime lead on an 11-yard run by Jonathon Hubbard and a Southern (Nov. 12).

Brad Smith PAT kick with 13:47 left in the second quarter.

The second half belonged to MSU as the Eagles outscored the Wildcats 28-6 following intermission. Eagle quarterback Brian Yost hit all 10 of his second half passes, four of them for touchdowns. For the game, Yost was 15-of-20 for 243 yards with no interceptions and the four scores.

Four different receivers caught touchdown passes. Ricky Cornelius hauled in a 41-yard strike from Yost on MSU's first possession of the second half. Brandon McRae grabbed a 33-yard bomb later that period. Eli Parkes caught a six-yard touchdown pass early in the fourth quarter. And, Nick Feldman scored the game's final touchdown on a 37-yard reception late in the final period. Jones tacked on the extra point after each of the scoring passes.

Davidson's only score of the second half came on a 27-yard pass from Ryan Alexander to Brett Dioguardi late in the third quarter. Smith's extra point attempt following that score was blocked by MSU's Justin Nichols.

Morehead State will conclude the home portion of its schedule with a 1 p.m. EDT game against Tiffin next Saturday (Oct. 29). The Eagles end the regular season with road games at Missouri-Rolla (Nov. 5) and Georgia

Wildcats hope for a pleasant return to Commonwealth Stadium

by MURRAY EVANS ASSOCIATED PRESS

LEXINGTON - The last visual image many Kentucky football fans have of the Wildcats isn't a pleasant one.

The team surrendered touchdowns on seven consecutive first-half possessions to Florida in its last home game. They fell behind 49-7 and prompted a mass exodus of fans from Commonwealth Stadium, which was barely half-full as the Wildcats rallied to make the final score (49-28) seem more respectable.

Since then, the Wildcats have had two non-televised road games (losses to South Carolina and Mississippi) interspersed with two bye weeks, and the start of basketball practice has served as a distraction from Kentucky's football misfortunes in this hoops-crazed state. So how many fans will return to Commonwealth on Saturday, when Kentucky (1-5, 0-3 Southeastern Conference) will host fellow SEC bottom-feeder Mississippi State (2-5, 0-4)?

Perhaps more importantly, what kind of reception will the Wildcats receive?

Coach Rich Brooks said Monday he really wasn't sure and seemed to suggest that fans ought to come see his team for themselves and not believe everything they've heard about Kentucky in recent weeks.

"I hope that the UK 'faithful' will be there," Brooks said. "The fans that stayed for the second half of the Florida game saw some young players make some plays and do some good things. The last two games, they've had (radio broadcaster) Tom Leach's voice to visualize what has been going on with UK football and all of the media reports, but other than that they really haven't seen us

"I'm hopeful we'll do something early to get our fans enthused and give us a little bit of a boost

emotionally to carry forward." Brooks spent much of his regularly scheduled news conference discussing how his team is handling the adversity swirling around the program. Not only has Kentucky lost four straight games and had to deal with numerous major injuries - 18 players have had to undergo surgery this year but Brooks' job status has become an issue for the second straight season.

Brooks praised his players' ability to deal with the negativity.

'Most of our team has handled that about as well as I could have possibly expected them to handle it," he said. "I think they're doing a miraculous job at this point in trying to put that aside and come back each week and go out and try to get it right."

Senior defensive end B. Jay Parsons said he understood why some fans were frustrated with the Wildcats - "We haven't produced on the field like I'm sure the fans want to see" - but added that he appreciated their continued support.

Senior cornerback Antoine Huffman acknowledged that the players were aware of discussions about how many fans might - or might not - show up to watch Kentucky play the Bulldogs, but said the attendance figure Saturday won't negatively affect how hard the Wildcats play.

Huffman said they play for themselves, their teammates, the university and the fans.

"If we only have 1,000 people out there, that's who we play for," Huffman said.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCOREBOARD

SOUTH Alabama 6, Tennessee 3 Alabama A&M 28, Ark.-Pine Bluff 13 Alcom St. 38, Southern U. 16 Appalachian St. 49, Wofford 17 Charleston Southern 48, Savannah St. 28 Clemson 37, Temple 7 Coastal Carolina 27, Liberty 21, OT Delaware St. 41, Morgan St. 14 E. Illinois 35, Murray St. 28 E. Kentucky 33, SE Missouri 32 Florida A&M 31, Norfolk St. 17 Florida St. 55, Duke 24 Purman 45, Elon 6 Gardner-Webb 55, VMI 52, OT Georgia 23. Arkansas 20 Georgia Southern 49, The Citadel 14 Grambling St. 52, Jackson St. 21 Hampton 14, S. Carolina St. 10 Houston 28, Mississippi St. 16 Howard 16, N. Carolina A&T 6 Jacksonville 33, Austin Peay 26 Jacksonville St. 33, Tennessee St. 3 LSU 20, Auburn 17, OT Louisiana Tech 40, North Texas 14 Louisiana-Lafayette 13, M. Tennessee 10 MVSU 35, Texas Southern 28 Memphis 27. East Carolina 24 Mississippi 13, Kentucky 7 Morehead St. 31, Davidson 13 North Carolina 7, Virginia 5

Richmond 43, Hofstra 37, OT

Salisbury 41, St. Peter's 16

Samford 30, Tenn.-Martin 22

SE Louisiana 37, McNeese St. 13

South Carolina 35, Vanderbilt 28

W. Carolina 38, Chartanooga 20

Wake Forest 27, N.C. State 19

William & Mary 44, Towson 13

MIDWEST Army 20, Akron 0 Dayton 52, Valparaiso 7 Illinois St. 38, N. Iowa 3 Iowa St. 37, Oklahoma St. 10 Louisville 46. Cincinnati 22 Miami (Ohio) 24, E. Michigan 23 Michigan 23, Iowa 20, OT Missouri 41, Nebraska 24 N. Illinois 34, Kent St. 3 Northwestern 49, Michigan St. 14 Notre Dame 49, BYU 23 Ohio 38, Ball St. 21 Ohio St. 41, Indiana 10 Penn St. 63, Illinois 3 Prairie View 40. Lincoln, Mo. 8 S. Illinois 42, Indiana St. 20 St. Joseph's, Ind. 23, Butler 7 Texas A&M 30, Kansas St. 28 Toledo 38, Buffalo 15

W. Kentucky 42, W. Illinois 7

Wisconsin 31, Purdue 20

W. Michigan 45, Bowling Green 14

Youngstown St. 31, Missouri St. 7

Late TD lifts EKU TIMES STAFF REPORT back Mark Dunn tied a school single-game record by scoring four touchdowns, all rushing.

RICHMOND - Junior tight end Patrick Bugg caught a 23yard touchdown pass with 1.4 seconds remaining in the game to lift the Eastern Kentucky football team to a 33-32 win over Southeast Missouri Saturday night at Roy Kidd Stadium. With the win, the Colonels improve to 4-4 overall and 4-1 in the Ohio Valley Conference while the Redhawks fall to 0-7 and 0-4.

Trailing 32-27 with 4:08 left in the fourth quarter, the host Colonels marched the ball 76 yards on 14 plays to score the winning touchdown. A 25-yard reception by senior Andre Ralston moved Eastern Kentucky into SEMO territory. Later in the drive, sophomore quarterback Josh Greco found fellow sophomore Kyle Barber for a 12-yard pitch-and-catch to put the Colonels inside the Redhawks' 20-yard line.

However, a holding penalty and two incomplete passes left Eastern facing a 4th-and-16 from the Southeast Missouri 23 with only 10 seconds showing on the clock. Greco lobbed EKU's final desperation pass into the right corner of the end zone where Bugg outjumped two Redhawk defenders and came down with his team-leading seventh touchdown reception of the year.

Greco finished the game 18of-32 through the air for 247 yards and in the process established two school records completions (174) and pass attempts (299) in a season. On the ground, sophomore running

Western Kentucky 42, Western Illinois 7

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MACOMB, III. Breathitt County High School Justin Haddix completed 10 of 17 passes for 192 yards and three touchdowns Saturday to lead Western Kentucky over Western Illinois 42-7.

Haddix hooked up twice with Cory Clemons on scores of 13 and 3 yards, and once with Maurice Perkins for a 41-yard touchdown. Haddix also ran for a touchdown in the win.

Western Kentucky (6-1, 4-0 Gateway) dominated the Leathernecks early, with Lerron Moore scoring on runs of 32 and 2 yards in the first quarter. Haddix added two of his three touchdown passes and his touchdown run to give the Hilltoppers a 35-7 lead at halftime.

Steve LaFalce Western Illinois (2-6, 0-4 Gateway) with 112 yards on 14-of-19 passing. Travis Glasford added 37 yards on 11 carries, including a 9-yard touchdown run in the first quarter, the Leathernecks' only score of the game. In spite of Glasford's efforts, Western Illinois managed just 19 yards on 24 carries in the loss.

The Associated Press contributed to this article.

game ranked third in the nation averaging 47 points a game, but was slow to get rolling. A 23yard touchdown pass by Brohm was nullified by an illegal formation penalty in the first quarter, and Bush fumbled on the next play. Louisville also missed an extra point and a pair

they were still suffering the effects of that triple-overtime loss, which prompted extra meetings during the week to try to get everyone beyond the disappointment.

The goal-line stand and 98-

Petrino said. "It was very difficult on all of us. This (win) wasn't easy. We didn't execute on all cylinders. But there was a lot of energy on the sideline, and that was good to see."

quarter, finishing with 547.

runs gave him 18 for the season, two shy of the school record. The junior has 31 in his career, moving into second place on Louisville's career list.

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For us older folks

POISON OAK

I've long since decided that most of those who read this column are pretty much folks about my age, who an identify with some of the stuff I write. Fact is, though, we're growing older, and we can do one of two ofhings: we can laugh about it, or we Hean cry about it. ni I prefer laughing.

There's the story about the lady of the house who was in the basement preparing to

Clyde Pack

do the weekly laundry, when she had some sort of seizure and fell to the floor, totally unconscious. Her hus-

band saw her fall, and when he realized he couldn't revive her, called 911.

While waiting for the EMTs, he grabbed an old throw rug and covered her, so she wouldn't get a chill.

She hadn't said a word nor otherwise shown any evidence of consciousness when medical help arrived, and went to work on her.

"How old is your wife?" the paramedic asked.

"She's 65," the husband answered. From the until-now-silent, carpet-26overed figure, lying on the floor, came a barely audible correction. "Am not. I'm 63."

Then there's the story of the old gentleman who just returned from a senior bus tour of Las Vegas. He was sporting a huge diamond ring he'd bought from a man in one of the casinos. "Wow," said a friend. "That's one

big diamond. It is real?"

"If it's not," the proud owner answered, "I've been cheated out of four dollars."

And finally, since folks our age still enjoy a bit of trivia fun, try these.

Name:
(1) the Dynamic Duo; (2) The Katzenjammer Kids; (3) The three wise men; (4) The three chipmunks; (5) The three Jews cast into the fiery furnace by Nebuchadenezzar; (6)

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Honor Guards and the job they do

tary service who has honorably served their country is called by the Supreme Commander to their final resting place, people who know the person, if asked, would indicate they would do most anything to show their respect for the deceased. However, how many would put on a uniform, drive to the funeral site, and stand out in all kinds of weath-

When a former member of the mili- er just to render due honors for a person they have not even known and, in many cases, have never even met?

There is a group of individuals who do just that. These volunteers who perform this service of respect are all former military members themselves. They have the deepest respect for any person who has served their country honorably.

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Kneeling, left to right: Frank Buskirk, Norman Miller, Billy G. Lewis, Sr., Bill Leedy, and Ballard Shepherd. Standing, left to right: John Salyers, John Wallen, Shaun Isaac, Jake Runyon, Chester Webb, Robert Hannah, James Harris, and Sam Hopson.







Ray Tackett, Floyd County Extension Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources, presented Suzanne Stumbo with the "Outstanding Agriculture and Natural Resources Leader Award." James Shepherd received the "Outstanding Producer Award."

Donald Hicks, Floyd County Farm Bureau Federation Board of Directors, accepted the "Outstanding Civic Organization Award" from Suzanne Stumbo, chair, Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee.

Tony Grubb, Floyd County Conservation District, received certification naming him a "Master Gardener." Susan Adkins, right, happily accepted her "Master Gardener" award. Those in attendance at the banquet enjoyed a meal of fried chicken, mashed potatoes, cole slaw, rolls and dessert.







Floyd County Extension Office hosts first annual Agriculture Banquet

Recognition awards presented

by Kathy J. Prater FEATURES EDITOR

Ray Tackett, Floyd County Extension Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources, hosted the first annual Agriculture and Natural Resources Recognition Program and Banquet this past Thursday evening, October 20, at the Floyd County Extension Service Office, located on South Lake Drive, in Prestonsburg.

Tackett said that the work of volunteers and those that serve on the Agriculture and Natural Resources Board and its committees are the driving force behind the success of its local programs. "I just thought that it would be nice to hold a ceremony recognizing them, and thanking them, for their efforts," he said.

Among those receiving awards were: Suzanne Stumbo, Outstanding Agriculture and Natural Resources Leader Award; James Shepherd, Outstanding Producer Award; Donald Hicks, Outstanding Civic Organization Award, accepting on behalf of the Floyd County Farm Bureau Federation Board of Directors; Susan Adkins, Master Gardener; Tony Grubb, Master Gardener; Bonnie S. Coleman, Master Gardener; Teresa Justice, Master Gardener; Susan

Brenner, Master Gardener; Clara Hartgrove, Master Gardener; Marcella Damron, Master Gardener; and Gary Perkins, Master Gardener.

Adkins, in speaking of the Master Gardener program, said that "it's a lot of work, but I really enjoyed it." Those participating in the Master Gardener program are required to serve 50 volunteer hours, locally, in order to complete the program and receive their title.

Donald Hicks, and wife, Delphia, representatives of the Floyd County Farm Bureau, were proud to report on the Bureau's newly constructed building and the fact that the entire project was paid for without the need to borrow money. "The whole thing is completely paid for," said Delphia, "and we're very proud of that.'

Tony Grubb, technician, Floyd County Conservation District, and Daniel Branson, supervisor, FCCD board member, reported at the banquet that their organization gave away approximately 8,000 trees in 2005, in addition to a large quantity of seed packets. "We also participated in the first annual Home and Garden Show this past spring, something we plan to continue," Grubb said.

The Home and Garden Show, held at the Jenny Wiley Convention Center this past spring, offered educational information, practical tips and more to local homeowners. Tackett reported that

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Halloween fun at the East Kentucky Science Center

Halloween Laser Ozzfest

Saturday October 22nd and 29th

Enjoy Halloween fun at the East Kentucky Science Center's Laser Ozzfest!

This creepy show features bands that define what it means to be scary, including Black Sabbath, Rob Zombie, Tool, System of a Down and

Don't forget to dress up on the 29th for the adult costume party and have the chance to win DVDs and other prizes. This Halloween show will be full of surprises-complete with new special effects, and some of the most intense tunes that'll blow you out of your seat! Definitely more fun than a haunted house!

Laser Fright Light

Friday October 21st and 28th

"Fright Light" is a flashy and fun (not scary) family show suitable for all ages featuring your frighteningly favorite tunes from "Monster Mash" and "Purple People Eater" right up to modern songs by popular artists. Forty-five minutes of incredible music and laser animation. Don't miss it! No tricks, just a big treat! Bring your fam-V& Don't miss it!

Pet Halloween safety

by Dr. Carol Combs-Morris, DVM

As Halloween is upon us, and things frequently get crazy in a very short time frame, I thought I should remind readers about keeping their pets safe during this

Most pets should be shielded from what we consider to be the "fun" of this particular holiday. The truth is, most animals really don't like things that are out of the ordinary and unpredictable. And most of them REALLY don't like Halloween.

Dressing up your pets in costumes can be a riot, but they don't always share the humor in the situation. Very few animals will tolerate, let alone enjoy, being taken out in public like this. (However, I saw a Siamese cat this past weekend at the Pikeville Humane Society Pet Show dressed up as a little witch, calmly riding in a child's wagon through a sea of dogs,

CRITTER CORNER ferrets and other odd assorted critters dur-

ing a costume contest!) Many animals in this situation would have panicked and run off or become aggressive. Of all my dogs there have been only a

few that I would even consider taking out in a costume. Of these only one or two actually seemed to enjoy the experience. Trust me, an unhappy Beagle in an Indian outfit or a bored Pit Bull in a hula skirt are not recipes for a fun night out.

If you decide to dress up your pet, but he becomes stressed out, put the stuff on, take a quick photo and get him out of the outfit. A nervous animal is also likely to try to remove his costume himself, possibly swallowing rubber bands, fabric, safety pins and the like in the process.

Most animals are better off being kept completely away from all the strange goings-on on Halloween. Secure them safely in a back room with food, water, and a radio or TV providing some back-

(See CRITTER, page three) the Friday edition?)



This is "Cassie." Cassie, a Beagle, is one year old and is the pet of six-year old Cody Slone, of Eastern. She's beautiful, Cody! Thanks for sharing! (And, by the way, did we just see Cassie's "master" in

School Calendar

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center is open each weekday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The center offers services to all families regardless of income. For more information about any of the activities or services of the center, please contact the center at 886-1297. The center is now located in the 7th grade wing of the school. Center Coordinator - Michelle Keathley.

Allen Central Middle School Oct. 26 - Spotlight cere-

Oct. 28 - Attendance social hour

■ The ACMS Youth Service Center is open each day from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., or later by appointment. For more information about the center, call LaDonna Patton, coordinator, at 358-0134.

Allen Elementary and Family Resource Youth Service Center

Call Allen Elementary Youth Service Center at 874-0621 to schedule your child's Hepatitis B vaccination, immunizations, and WIC appoint-

Betsy Layne Elementary

The Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource

Youth Service Center is located in the 500 building of the campus. The goal of the FRYSC is to meet the needs of all children and their families who reside in the community or neighborhood by the school in which the center is located. For further information, please contact the center at 478-5550 or 478-9751.

Brian H. Akers, Center Coordinator; Charlotte Rogers, Program Assistant II; Debra Hayes, School Nurse.

Clark Elementary

A nurse from the Floyd County Health Dept. is in the center weekly and sees WIC patients, does well-child exams (birth-18 years), and gives immunizations.

■ The Clark Elementary Family Resource Center provides services for all families regardless of income. We are located in the Adams Middle School building.

Duff Elementary

Oct. 27 - "Spotlight" ceremony, K-5th, 9 a.m.

Oct. 27 - Open house, 5-7

Oct. 31 - "Lights on for Louie," 9:30 a.m., Headstart thru 5th grade.

Nov. 12 - Fun Fair for New & Expectant Parents, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mountain

Nov. 17 - Parent meeting, 1:45 p.m. (topic and place TBA later).

Nov. 22 - Headstart parent meeting, 1 p.m., FRC.

**School is collecting Food City receipts! Receipts must be dated Sept. 11, 2005 to March 11, 2006. Top three school winners will receive a gift. In anyone in the community would like to donate their receipts, they may mail them to: Duff Elementary, P.O. Box 129, Eastern, KY 41622; may also drop receipts off in school front office.

Floyd County Health Dept. is on site three days per month. Services include 6th grade school entry physical; kindergarten, Head Start and well-child physicals (age birth to 18 years); T.B. skin test; T.D. boosters; and WIC services. Please call 358-9878 for appointment if you are in need of any of these services.

■ The J.A. Duff Elementary Family Resource Center provides services for all families regardless of income. We are located in the tan metal building at the rear of the school. Contact persons are Judy Handshoe, coordinator, and Ruby Bailey,

May Valley Elementary

Parent Lending Library is available to parents for video check-outs. A variety of topics

Floyd County Health Dept. nurse at school every Wednesday. Services include Head Start physicals, kindergarten physicals, 6th grade physicals, well-child physicals, immunizations, TB skin test, WIC program, blood pressure checks, and more. Must call the FRC at 285-0321 for an appointment.

McDowell Elementary and **Family Resource Center**

Floyd County Health Department Nurse Joy Moore, is at the center each Monday to administer immunizations, T.B. skin tests, well-child exams, WIC, prenatal and post-partum services, and school physicals. Call 377-2678 for an appoint-

Mountain Christian Academy Mountain Christian

Academy is a non-denominational Christian school.

Now accepting applications for enrollment for Kindergarten for the 2005-06 school year. Call 285-5141 for more information.

Prestonsburg Elementary and Family Resource Center

■ The Family Resource Center is open weekdays 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and later by appointment. Office provides services for all families, regardless of income.

After School Child Care, 3-6 p.m., school days.

Call 886-7088 for additional information regarding the Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center or its programs.

South Floyd Youth Services Center

Floyd County Substance Abuse Counselor will be on the South Floyd campus each Tuesday. If you need to contact the counselor, please call the Youth Service Center.

Parent volunteer training will be conducted throughout the school year. If you wish to participate, watch for announcement of dates and call youth service center to register.

School will be participating in the Food City "Apples for Students" program, please save your receipts.

■ Committee sign-ups may be done through the Youth Services Center office.

■ Walking track open to public (track closed during special events).

■ The center has a one-stop career station satellite that is available to the community as well as students.

Anyone interested in Adult Ed may contact the center for information.

All new students and visitors, stop by the Center, located

on the South Floyd campus, 3H Room 232, and see Mable Half. 259 Open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Mon. 344

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thru Fri. For more information call 452-9600 or 9607 and ask for Mable Hall, ext. 243, or Keits to

Smallwood, ext. 242.

Stumbo Elementary/Mud Creek Family Resource Center

FRC monthly Advisory the first Wednesday of each 10 month, at 4 p.m. Call for more

Lost & Found located in M Family Resource Center.

Resource Center hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Parents and community members are welcome to visit. For questions call 587-2233 - ask for Tristan Parsons, Center Coordinator, or Anita Tackett, Assistant.

W.D. Osborne "Rainbow Junction" Family Resource Center

Oct. 24-28 - Red Ribbon Week. (Campaign against 154

Tuesdays & Thursdays 6:30 p.m. - Community-wide ADULT exercise program. If you would like to participate, 199 contact the center.

Mondays, 6 p.m. - School as and resource center will host a

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Ten Years Ago

October 25 and 27, 1995

Some employees at American Standard will be getting a pink slips in the next few months, but not as many as rumors circulating around the area indicate. About 60 to 63 people will be permanently laid off from the plant in Johnson County, according to Ron Belhasen, plant manager...Floyd County interim Judge-Executive Bob Meyer could not budge the county's magistrates toward changing the county's outdated administrative code a work session, Tuesday morning...Terry Amburgey, 37, of Bypro, was arrested, Sunday morning, and charged with conspiracy to commit murder against Wheelwright Police Chief Tommy Engle...It looks like the battle between Floyd County Solid Waste and Medisin Inc., is coming to a head, regarding the medical waste disposal facility's refusal to participate in the county's mandatory garbage collection...The ghosts, goblins and witches will be out on Tuesday, October 31, which is the date Trick or Treat will be observed throughout the county...County Attorney Jim Hammond, who has been openly critical of Judge-Executive Bob Meyer, failed in his efforts, Friday, to persuade the court to delay implementation of the county's E-911 service...Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond and his wife, Janie, will be arraigned Friday in U.S. District Court in Frankfort, on bank fraud, mail fraud, and loan fraud charges... The proposed annexation of Little Paint into the City of Prestonsburg has been put on hold..Floyd County's school system could be almost \$1 million in the red at the end of the 1995-96 school year, but board members don't expect to trim expenses by that amount...Six former Elkhorn City High School football players were awarded civil damages, Wednesday, in Floyd Circuit Court, more than six years after being burned by lime that was placed on the Wheelwright High School football field in August 1989...Timothy Lee Slone, 35, of Martin County, accused of breaking into the home of Phyllis Hall of Allen, on October 15, was referred to a Floyd County Grand Jury Wednesday, after a preliminary hearing in Floyd District Court. He was charged with two counts of first degree wanton endangerment, burglary and fourth degree assault for the incident...A bill that could give small telephone company owners like Harold Telephone Company and

Thacker-Grigsby, more money, is being Company office office as a write-in candidate...Local probation and parole officer Paula Gayle Johnson of Weeksbury, has been promoted to the position of supervisor. She will supervise 16 probation and parole officers in an 11-county area...There died: Rebecca Conley, 62, of Garrett, Saturday, October 21, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Alice Gibson Ward, 83, of McDowell, Thursday, October 19, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Margaret Sloane Phillips, 91, of Willard, Ohio, formerly of Estill, Wednesday, October 18, at Twilight Gardens Nursing Home in Norwalk, Ohio; Clyde Henson, MSG US Army retired, 57, of San Antonio, Texas, October 4; Ruth Compton Hall, 72, of Prestonsburg, Friday, October 20, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center; Mathus Salisbury, 72, of Hunter, Monday, October 16, in Florida; Magaline Horn, 62, of Prestonsburg, Sunday, October 22, at U.K. Medical Center in Lexington; Charlie Harris, 92, of Prestonsburg, Saturday, October 21, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Martha Ellen Owsley, 93, of Marion, Indiana, Saturday, October 21, at Marion General Hospital; Josephine Collins Evans, 76, of Lexington, Saturday, October 21; Carl Samuel Humble, 72, of Eastern, Wednesday, October 25, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Alex Weddington, 84, of Banner, Wednesday, October 25, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Eloise C. Shank, 96, of Stanville, Tuesday, October 24, at St. Joseph Hospital, in Lexington.

Twenty Years Ago

October 23, 1985

The application of an East McDowell man for renewal of his entertainment license was turned down, last Thursday, after evidence was presented that the premises were disorderly...Women appear as likely as men to be arrested on drunk driving charges here, district court records suggest...A night blaze which destroyed the former Inland Steel

building, considered by a legislative subcommit- Wheelwright, last Thursday, was preventtee...RND Design Inc., a lighting manual ed from spreading to other structures by a Chapter 11 bankruptcy petition in order far away as 30 miles—working with to reorganize its debts...Candidates want- Wheelwright firefighters...Abbott Creek ing to register as a write-in candidate for brothers facing burglary and arson counts the November election have until in Floyd Circuit Court, last week, were Monday to file with the county clerk. convicted only of criminal Drift, Tuesday, October 15, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness...William (Bill) Stapleton, 78, of Harold, last Thursday, October 17, at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital following an extended illness...Lee Caudill, 91, of Ligon, last Wednesday, October 16, at his residence following an extended illness...Warren Steele, 76, of Harold, Monday, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington, following an extended illness...Mrs. Malta Snipes Richardson, 65, of Little Paint, Friday, at Highland Regional Medical Center followng an extended illness...The Rev. Charlie Rowe, of the Goble-Roberts Addition, oldest surviving minister of the Free Will Baptist Church in this county, Monday, at the age of 83, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home, here.

Thirty Years Ago

October 22, 1975

"What's Right with America" will be proclaimed in speech, music and pageant, Saturday, when the sixth annual Red, White and Blue Day will bring its thousands to Prestonsburg...A commitment by the state of \$250,000 made, last Friday, apparently assures federal funding of Mountain Comprehensive Care, for perhaps the next nine months, Richard Stai, executive director of the multi-county health agency, said here, Tuesday...There died: Ezekial (Zeke) Prater, formerly of Salyers Branch near Hueysville, Thursday, at his home in Wawaka, Indiana; Roy Lee Davidson, 61, of Leburn, Knott County, Oct. 10, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Mrs. Kate Chaffins Craft, 76, of Garrett, Monday, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; John Stidham Ison, 57, of Martin, Sunday, after being stricken by an apparent heart atttack during services at the Martin Methodist Church; Opal May Sparks Horn, 64, of Hi Hat, Friday, Oct. 10, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; John Milton Cyrus, formerly of

Prestonsburg, Oct. 14, at his home in

Orange Park, Fla.; Mrs. Virginia Mae (Velma) Camp, 43, of Pekin, Ill., formerly of Wheelwright, Tuesday, October 14, facturer in Floyd County, has filed a dozen fire departments—some, from as in Pekin Memorial Hospital; Rebecca Hicks Shepherd, 64, was found dead in bed at her home at David, early Sunday morning; Mrs. Emma J. Hall, 33, of Harold, last Wednesday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Curtis Hollins, October 30 is the deadline to file for an trespass... There died: Ed Moore, 68, of 70, of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of this county, October 8, at his home; Charles E. Robinson, Jr., Oct. 9, in Dallas, Texas: Rev. Woodrow Branham, 59, Friday evening, after suffering an apparent heart attack at his home on the Auxier road; W. C. Ratliff, former resident of Prestonsburg and David, early Tuesday morning, in a Newport News, Va., hospital.

Forty Years Ago

October 21, 1965

Dec and At least six Floyd Countians have been Bell bitten by poisonous snakes this year, a remi survey of Floyd hospital records showed land this week...Robert Elkins, 20, formerly of Tram, who was found fatally hurt, early Sunday, in Clermont County, Ohio, near Batavia, is believed to have been a murder victim...Killed in separate auto crashes, Saturday, were Homer Lee Slone, 19, of Hueysville, in a wreck near Pontiac, Michigan, and Rube Arnett, 33, in a col-Silver lision near Lake, Indiana...Although time for outdoor outing and play is almost over for the year, with work continues at the new city park here toward its completion and its outfitting wie for the 1996 season...There died: Mrs. 1990 Martha Hughes, 79, of Prestonsburg, Saturday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Maude Langley Spurlock, 86, last Thursday, at Lucasville, Ohio; Mrs. Lula J. Hayes, 40, October 16, at bins Willard, Ohio; Mrs. Arizona Clifton, of Allen, October 14, at Huntington, Wester Virginia.

Fifty Years Ago

October 20, 1955

The third confirmed polio case from Floyd County during the summerfall season was reported this week from St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. The patient is eight-year-old Shelly Hood, daughter Malakai Hood, Wheelwright...Observing the anniversary of its founding, Saturday, the

(See YESTERDAYS, page three)

Magoffin Baptist Institute at Mountain W.S. Frazier, of Martin...The Silver Star Valley, Breathitt County, had as an honored guest and featured speaker the man who was its first president, the Rev. A. C. Harlowe, of Prestonsburg...All employees of the county road system, except one, were ordered dismissed, effective Nov. 1. due to a reported lack of funds, the fiscal court announced...The Prestonsburg Blackcats won their third football game of the season, last Friday night, in downing the Louisa Bulldogs, 24-6, as all-state quarterback, Lowell Hughes, behind some fine blocking by Buford Crager, Paul Hughes and Monty Rice, scored all four touchdowns...There died: Joseph Ousley, 71, last Sunday, at his home at Risner; Lewis Webb, 91, of Dwale, last Sunday, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin; Mary Dodd Blanton, 50, Monday, at the home of a sister at Drift.

Sixty Years Ago October 18, 1945

John L. Lewis, UMWA chieftain, suddenly declared an end to the strike, which had paralyzed coal production in Virginia West and the past two weeks...Auxier residents have been told that by April 1, the coal supply in the mines there, owned by the Northeast Coal Company, will have been exhausted and the operations shut down...John Hall, 36, Glo Miner, was found dead at the roadside near Lackey, early Wednesday, believed to have been the victim of a hitrun driver...Mrs. Sallie Pearl Meade Tendzilgoskie, 36, of Ligon, was shot and killed, Thursday afternoon at Ligon...The Virginia Francis Coal Company began operation this week at Martin under the ownership of Lawrence Keathley and of her daughter at Glo, Tuesday night.

and the Bronze Star have been posthumously awarded to Lt. Darwin Caudill, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Caudill of Garrett...There died: Mrs. Victoria Tackett, 63, at home, at Ligon, Saturday morning; Mrs. Rebecca Moore, 76, of Salt Lick, Thursday, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin; Isaiah Combs, 10 months old, of Garrett, Friday, at the Stumbo Memorial Hospital.

Seventy Years Ago

October 18, 1935

Mel Petry was awarded the Democratic nomination for Representative from the 93rd legislative district in an opinion handed down, Tuesday, by Judge John W. Caudill of the Floyd Circuit Court...Roy Stilton, 35, Betsy Layne miner, and Jimmy Patrick, 25, of Tram, were instantly killed shortly after midnight, Saturday, when struck by a train on the C&O tracks near the old St. Paul tipple, below Betsy Layne...Veteran of the Confederacy, Preston Spencer, 89, of Drift, died October 9, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, of injuries sustained when struck by an auto the previous day on the highway at Drift...Bill Milburn, of Garrett, was fatally injured, Friday afternoon, at Garrett, and Bartee Estep, 29, also of Garrett, was seriously hurt when a truck toppled from the highway and over an embankment onto them...Virginia Murrill, Prestonsburg High School librarian, announced, this week, that a gift of 63 books had been sent the school library Spurlock, Burl of Prestonsburg...There died: Kenton Vaughn, 28, of Bays Branch, October 4; Mrs. Jesse Ward, 79, of Glo, at the home

Kentucky, Pennsylvania for

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Hans and Fritz; (3) Melchior (gold), Gaspar or Caspar (frankincense) and Balthazar (myrrh); (4) Alvin, Simon and Theodore; (5) Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego; (6) Sunshine, rain, played "The Magnificient the roses that bloom in the lane, Seven," and (10) Santa's eight and somebody I adore; (7) Huron, Ontario, Michigan, Erie, and Superior; (8) Dopey, (1) Batman and Robin; (2) Sleepy, Doc, Grumpy, Happy, Sneezy, and Bashful; (9) Yul Brynner, Steve McQueen, Horst Buchholz, Charles Bronson, Robert Vaughan, James Coburn and Brad Dexter; (10) Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Cornet, Cupid, Donder and Blitzen.

If you got them all right, let us know. And please include the names of three credible witnesses, who can attest to that fact.

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ground noise before the trick-ortreaters are scheduled to arrive. In the excitement, they might run outside accidentally, or might even bite the scary people at the door.

What the four leaves stand for in

the song, "I'm Looking over a

Four-Leaf Clover:" (7) The five

Great Lakes; (8) The seven

dwarfs; (9) The actors who

Check your own paper.

Holiday decorations always pose some particular hazards. Jack O' Lanterns lit with real candles are not as common as the used to be, but they can be dangerous around curious puppies and kittens or klutzy older animals. Accidents can result in burns or starting a fire. Halloween decorations seem to involve lots of "dangly" things that could be chewed or swallowed. Hang the bats, electric you need to pay special atten-

lights, spiders and decorative webs well out of pets' reach.

Be careful of where the kids leave their Halloween loot; chocolate is not good for dogs or cats, and neither are the wrappers they have to chew through in order to get to the candy. I've noticed a trend toward healthier treats, so you need to be aware that raisins (and grapes) are dangerous for pets as well.

Finally, you need to remember that while most of us have come to regard Halloween as a pretty harmless time for the kids to have some scary fun, it still has its darker moments. Just as

tion to your children's safety, you need to think about your pets as well. Keep all animals under close supervision, but especially don't let black or white cats out to wander at this time. Many animal shelters even suspend adoptions of these cats this time of year. There are just too many sick minds out there to chance it.

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Whatever your plans for this week, think safety first when it comes to children and pets, and have a happy Halloween!

Editor's Note: Part II of "Cat Scratching Behaviors" will appear next Wednesday.

Banquet

"about 38 volunteers" showed up to help out with the show, making it a complete success.

James Shepherd, recipient of the Outstanding Producer Award (hay), said that local offices such as the County Extension Office and FCCD have been of invaluable aid to him throughout the past years and that he has enjoyed working with the staff of both offices.

Suzanne Stumbo, recipient of the Outstanding Agriculture and Natural Resources Leader Award, said that "agriculture is something that is very near and dear to me. believe in it strongly."

Tackett said that his office plans to continue in the coming year with programs such as teaching children how to produce vegetable and flowering plants; programs dealing with the use of forestry products (shiitake mushroom workshops, wreath making, the production of maple syrup, etc.); animal production (cattle, goats, horses); fruit and berry production; commercial vegetable production (small farm); beekeeping/honey marketing; how to produce viable pasture; and more.

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and Natural Resources Committee include: Suzanne Stumbo, chair, CEC; David Crisp; Floyd Allen; James Shepherd, CEC; Saul Akers; Solomon Kilburn; Chris Slone; Tony Grubb; Michelle Goble; Eileen Schepers; Lloyd Wells; Clark Allison; Daniel CEC: Donald Stambaugh, CEC; Joe Ryan, CEC;

Donald Stambaugh, a Floyd County beekeeper, offered five quarts of "Floyd County honey" that were presented to some of those in attendance as door prizes and Joe Ryan, board member, presented a reading of "Bridges to Build" as a closing thought to the evening.

An upcoming Shiitake Mushroom Workshop is next on the agenda of events for the agriculture and natural resources team. The workshop will be held on November 12, at 10 a.m. For more information, contact Extension Council members)

the extension office at 886-2668, or email to: atackett@uky.edu. Members of the Agriculture

Branson, Monty Frazier, CEC; and Regina Becknell. (CEC - Cooperative

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Have those irreplacable photos repaired now, before further deterioration. Creases, specs, tears, and stains removed. Also prints made from photos.

Phone 886-1545



Family Literacy program. We will read and study about different cultures/themes and then work on a related craft/activity. Refreshments will be served. Call the

resource center to sign up. Lost & Found: Located in the FRC. Items not claimed within two weeks become the property of the resource cen-

School

If you would like more information on the programs and services offered by the FRC, please call or come by for a visit. Center is located in the main building at W.D. Osborne Elementary. Center hours are: Mon. thru Fri., 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Telephone: 452-4553; ask to speak with Cissy Williams (coordinator) or Karen Williams (clerk). You may also leave a message and we will return your call.

Wesley Christian School

Wesley Christian Daycare and Infant/Toddler Care accepts infants and toddlers up to 2 years and Preschool age 2-4. Daycare hours: 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

For additional information, call 874-8328. Summer office hours: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

H. Guards

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The men that perform this detail are members of the Big Sandy Chapter #18, Disabled American Veterans (D.A.V.), of Auxier.

The service is initiated when a family member of the deceased person indicates to the funeral director that they would like military honors at the grave site. The funeral director then calls the Ballard Commander, Shepherd. The Chapter 18 Commander then calls all the members on the honor guard to meet at the Chapter to get rifles and travel to the grave site to perform last honors to the deceased.

So, the next time you attend a funeral and see this group in uniform, carrying rifles, a bugle, and standing in military formation, you will know this is a military funeral and the honor detail is paying final respects to the person who has served his country

The D.A.V. also attends parades and other special functions - Memorial Day, Labor Day, Fourth of July, and all military functions - where colors are posted. All of this is done on the members' own time. Many take off from work, using their leave. The only pay they receive for the honors they perform is "thank you." So, when you see these men, be sure to take a tiny part of your time to stop and say "thank you." It costs nothing and it means so much.

Honorable Anv Discharged Veteran can join the Disabled American Veterans by calling the numbers below or by attending a meeting or ask any veteran. You may contact: Ballard Shepherd at 1-606-226-2354 or Bill G. Lewis at 606-297-7551. Chapter #18 D.A.V. meetings are held at the Auxier Fire Department, at 6 p.m., on the first and third Friday of each month.

Military services deceased honorably discharged veterans is offered at no cost to the family, completely free of charge.



Fitch-Baca

Melissa Ann Fitch and Jonathan David Baca were joined in marriage on August 27, 2005, at the Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, Abbott Creek. Pastor Jimmy Brown officiated. Melissa is the daughter of Helen Skaggs, of Paintsville, and the late James Walters. Jonathan is the son of Andrew Baca, of Martin, and the late Wanita Kay Baca. The newlyweds reside at Martin.

Birthdays



Taylor is 9!

Taylor Briana Caldwell celebrated her ninth birthday on October 1, 2005, at her home, in Grethel, with a McGuire" theme birthday party. Those in attendance to help Taylor celebrate her special day included: Chris Stricklin, of Grethel; Sharon Stricklin, Ida Akers, Megan Akers, Ashley Akers, and Danielle Kendrick, all of Harold; Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis, Tonya Lewis, Heather Lewis, and Holly Lewis, all of Tram; Ann Case and Sara Case, of Betsy Layne; and Carolyn Stricklin, of Ivel.

Taylor is the daughter of Lisa Stricklin and Loren Caldwell. She attends Betsy Layne Elementary where she is in the third grade.

New Arrivals

October 4, 2005

A daughter, Daisy Mae Gabriel Tackett, to Dalana and Noah Tackett

October 5, 2005

- A son, Nathan Dean Cole, to Deanna Ousley

A son, Jacob Isaiah Maverick Hamilton, to Jeanene and James Hamilton

- Ason, Rodney Ershel Howell Jr., to Loretta and Rodney Howell A son, Lucas Kain Carter, to LeAnn Michelle Spradlin - A daughter, Brittany Mae Hamilton, to April and Jamie

Hamilton

- A son, Brayden Ryan Standifer, to Amanda and Brad Standifer - A son, Aaron William Richard Hicks, to Lisa and William Hicks

- A son, Ethan Tyler Blevins, to Kristy and Danny Lee Blevins, Jr.

A daughter, Alana Grace Cheek, to Jessica Michelle and Billy Jason Cheek

- A daughter, Santana Marie Sturgill, to Crystal Ritchie A son, Ian Shaun Maximus Stewart, to Katrinka and

A son, Gavin Conner Slone, to Jamie and Edward Slone

October 7, 2005 - A son, Logan Scott Reed, to Kristina and Lewis Reed October 8, 2005

- A son, Weston Gage Campbell, to Christie and Thor Campbell - A son, Andrew Grant Justice, to Kelly and Dustin Justice A daughter, Natalie Grace Turner, to Heather Grace and Willie John Turner

October 10, 2005

.- A son, Malachi Isaac Barnett, to Diana Marie Barnett - A son, Talan Avery Bailey, to Katrina Leigh Bailey - A son, Brian Scott Sizemore Jr., to Christie and Brian

October 12, 2005

- A daughter, Ashley Michelle Mullins, to Janel Lynn and Billie Richie Mullins

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AUTOMOTIVE

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FOR SALE: 474 New Holland Haybine Very good condition. \$2,800. Call after 6 pm. 874-0024.

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FOR SALE: 87 Ford 150 Truck. 300 6 cyl engine. \$1200 478-5173.

FOR SALE: 1975 Ford dump truck, tilt front end, 12' bed. For more info call 606-478-9150.

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When responding to Employment ads that have reference numbers, please indicate that entire reference number on the outside of envelope. vour Reference numbers are used to help us direct your letter to the correct individ-

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Sales Representative: Looking for enthusiastic, career-minded people to join a

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Please send résumé to: Applications P.O. Box 56 Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653

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Ventless gas heater,

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Myra, KY, is now accepting applications for the following position:

Electrician with 3 years plant electrical and repair experience. Must be able to cut and weld. PLC experience required. Requires State and Federal Electrical certifications. Also requires KY Surface Mine Certification.

Applications will be accepted at:

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> **PART-TIME** SALESPERSON

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STEEL BUILDINGS Factory surplus, 2 remain. Never erected, mint condition. Pay less than clearanced price exchange for small deposit. Can ship immediately 1-800-222-6335 x6000.

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610Apartments

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2 BR APT 1 BA appliances included & utilities. Located at Ivel. \$695 month plus deposit. Call 478 5173.

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886 8991 Furnished 1 bed room Apt. Central heat & air. Rent starting at \$375. month, + \$300. deposit water included. Located near HRMC. 606-

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620Storage/Office OFFICE SPACE for

889-9717.

lease Prestonsburg. Approximately 1850 sq feet with parking only two blocks from courthouse. Call 874-1700, 285-0900 or 874-9976.

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Kentucky Department for Employment Services 138 College Street Pikeville, KY 41501

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Certifications: Valid Kentucky Operators License. Candidate must pass a written exam and pass Physical Agility Test. Criminal Back-ground check. Complete police academy training. Physical and drug testing required. Résumés will NOT be accepted.

Submit Applications By: 11/11/2005 Applications available at:

City of Pikeville Pikeville City Hall Building Attn: Human Resources Dept. 118 College Street Pikeville, KY 41501

OR: Visit us online at www.cityofpikeville.com **Departments**Employee Information

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CARPENTRY WORK all types. New construction or remodeling Garages, decks, etc Concrete work & siding. Free estimates Call 886-8896

LEGALS

ADVERTISE-MENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court will accept sealed bids, until Wednesday November 2, 2005, at the hour of 4:00 o'clock p.m., for the following:

Fifty Thousand Feet (50,000') of Four Inch (4") SDR-21 PVC water line, in 20' joints, for installing water Floyd lines in County, Kentucky.

Prospective bidders may submit sealed bids for the specified amount and type of water line, either in person or by postage delivery, at the Office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, located on the Second Floor of the old Floyd County 149 Courthouse, South Central Avenue, Suite 9, Prestonsburg Kentuc-ky 41653 [Telephone: (606) 886-9193] during business regular Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. unti

Wednesday. November 2, 2005, at the hour of 4:00 o'clock p.m., and no further bids will be accepted after that time and date The bid will be

awarded to the lowder at the Special Meeting of the Floyd County Fiscal Court, held on be Thursday, November 3, 2005, at the hour 12:00 o'clock Noon, in the County Courtroom, located on the Second Floor the old Floyd County Courthouse. 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg. Kentucky.

The Floyd County Fiscal Court has the mit is a Surety bond right to accept or in the amount of Paul Hunt

Thompson, Floyd County Judge/Executive

NOTICE OF **BOND RELEASE** (1) In accordance

with KRS 350.093, hereby is given that the Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC, 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a Phase II bond release on permit No. 836-5474, which was last issued on 04/22/05. The permit covers an area of approximately 4.40 acres, located 1.30 mile northwest of Price, Kentucky, in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 2.0 miles southeast from KY Rt. 122's junction with Spewing Camp Branch Road, and located on Spewing Camp Branch Road of Left Beaver Creek. latitude is 37º24'25". The longitude is 82º43'10" (3) The bond now

in effect for the permit is a Surety bond the amount of \$14,200.00 Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$14,200 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching, completed in the Spring of 2003. (5) Written com-

ments, objections, public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hollow, Hudson Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 11/28/05. (6) A public hearing

has been scheduled for 11/29/05, at 10:00 a.m., at the Kentucky Environmental and Protection abinet, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Suite Drive. 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a public hearing or informal conference

This is the final advertisement of this amount of \$89,300 is Drive. application.

NOTICE OF

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11/28/05.

BOND RELEASE (1) In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that the Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC, 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg,

Manpower is seeking individuals interested in a variety of office and industrial

assignments in Floyd and surrounding

counties. Office applicants are required

to have at least 1 year of office experi-

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applied for a Phase II bond release on permit No. 836-5475. which was last issued on 04/22/05. The permit covers an area of approximately 5.20 acres, located 2.60 miles south of

in Floyd County. (2) The permit area is approximately 1.4 mile southeast from KY Rt. 122's junction with Spewing Camp Branch Road, and located 1.0 mile southeast of Pilgrim Rest Church. The latitude is 37º25'04". The longitude 82º43'48'

(3) The bond now in effect for the perreject any or all bids. \$8,800.00. Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$8,800.00 is included in the application release

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Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 11/28/05. (6) A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 11/29/05 at 10:00 a.m., at the Kentucky Environmental and Protection Public Cabinet, Prestonsburg

Office. Regional 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, 41653-1410. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a public hearing or informal conference is received 11/28/05.

This is the final advertisement of this application.

NOTICE OF

BOND RELEASE (1) In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, and requests for a Kentucky 41653, has applied for a Phase II bond release on permit No. 836-5173 increment #5, which was last issued on 01/25/99. Increment #5 covers an area of approximately 2.40 acres, located 1.50 mile north of Craynor on the application Kentucky, in Floyd

County. (2) The permit area is approximately 0.5 mile west from KY Rt. 979's junction with KY Route 680, and located immediately south of Hamilton Branch. latitude 37º27'17". The longitude is 82º39'47".

(3) The bond now in effect for increment #5 is a Surety bond in the amount \$1,600.00. of Approximately 100% of the original bond included in the application for release.

(4) work performed includes: Backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching, completed in the Spring of 2000. (5) Written com-

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Kentucky 41653, has informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky

40601, by 11/28/05. (6) A public hearing on the application has been scheduled McDowell, Kentucky, for 11/29/05 at 10:00 a.m., at the Kentucky Environmental and Protection Public Cabinet, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive. Suite 6, Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653 1410. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a public hearing or informal conference received

> This is the final advertisement of this

NOTICE OF

BOND RELEASE (1) In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a Phase II bond release on permit No. 836-5287 increments #1 & #2, last which was issued on 10/22/01 Increment #1 covers an area of approximately 1.97 acre, and increment #2 covers an area of approximately 0.14 acre. located 1.30 mile northeast of Hi Hat, in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 1.8 mile southeast from KY Rt. 122's junction with Spewing Camp Branch Road, and located 0.1 mile east of Spewing Camp Branch. The latitude 37º24'26". The longitude 82º43'08'

(3) The bond now in effect for increment #1 is a Surety bond in the amount \$11,700.00. Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$17,600 is included in the application for release. now in The bond effect for increment #2 is a Surety bond in the amount of \$ 1 0 0 . 0 0 Inc., 544 South Lake Approximately 25% Drive, Prestonsburg, of the original bond amount of \$100 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation (4) work performed includes: Backfilling, grading, seeding and mulching, completed in the Fall of 2002.

(5) 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 11/28/05.

(6) A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 11/29/05 at 10:00 a.m., at the Kentucky Environmental and Cabinet, Prestonsburg Regional 3140 South Lake

Suite 6 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-Reclamation 1410. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a public hearing or informal conference received 11/28/05.

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TDD No. 1-800-648-6056 Hearing Impaired)

LEGAL NOTICE have been appointed by the

Clerk, Floyd Circuit Court Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Civil Action No. 05-CI-537 now pending in Floyd Circuit Court styled:

Grantees of Malcolm Brown and Heirs of Emma Webb Brown, et al. vs. Edie Faye Brown and David Slone, Floyd Circuit Court, Division II, 537

land purchase. If you ence is received by are David Slone the December 9, 2005. heir of Abe Slone who was an heir of vou are hereby warned and notified that you need to file an answer to the or informal confercomplaint. If you fail to do so, the relief demanded in the complaint may be awarded to the plaintiffs. This may be a South, matter for which you, may want to consult December 9, 2005. an attorney.

Gerald DeRossett Warning Order Attorney

124 West Court

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Susanne Gullett, being a sole partnership and business owner, do hereby state I am no longer responsible for debts incurred by Sheila Stanley who only worked in my business. She was employed from June of 2004, through September 22, 2005.

Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653 (606) 886-6090/ Fax (606) 886-6148

NOTICE OF

BOND RELEASE In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Henson Branch Coal, Inc., 512 KY Route 680 McDowell, Ken-tucky 41647, has applied for Phase II/III bond release on Permit Number 836-0310. which was issued on May 31, 2005. The application covers an area of approximately 8.51 acres, located 0.25 mile east of Drift. Floyd County. The permit area is approximately 0.25 mile east from KY 122's junction with Frozen Creek (CR) and located 0.6 mile Station. The latitude

> 82º45'05' The bond now in effect is a Certificate of Deposit in the amount of nine thou dollars sand (\$9,000.00).percent hundred (100%) of the original nal bond amount of \$20,200 is included in this application for

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release Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading, seeding mulching

Written comments objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by December 9, 2005. A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for

Monday, December 12, 2005, at 11:00 a.m., at Department Natural Resources' Prestonsburg gional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite Prestonsburg, Kentucky This hearing will be canceled The nature of this request for a hearing action is closure of or informal confer-

This is the final advertisement of the Emma Webb Brown, application. Written comments, objecfor a public hearing with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by

> NOTICE OF **BOND RELEASE** (1) In accordance

Kimber McGuire

303 University Drive

(606) 886-0008 (Office)

(606) 886-9483 (Fax)

Prestonsburg, Ky.

with KRS 350.093, notice Is hereby civen that Kentucky May Coal Company, 1876 Yellow Creek Sassafras,

Kentucky 41759, has applied for a Phase I-III bond release on permit No. 836-5276 was last issued on 08/05/03. The permit covers an area of approximately 1.80 acre, located 0.78 mile southwest Weeksbury, Kentucky, in Floyd County.

(2) The permit area is approximately 2.2 miles southwest of KY Rt. 466's junction with KY Rt. 122, and located 0.02 mile west of Left Fork of Left Beaver Creek. latitude 37º19'22". The longitude is 82º41'54"

(3) The bond now in effect for the permit area is a Surety bond in the amount \$22,700.00. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$22,700 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation performed includes: Backfilling. grading, seeding and mulching, completed in the fall of 2000.

(5) 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 12/09/05. (6) A public hearing

on the application has been scheduled for 12/12/05 at 9:00 a.m., at the Kentucky Environmental and Public Protection Cabinet's Department for Natural Resources, Prestonsburg Office Regional 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a public hearing or informal conference is received by

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING (PURSUANT TO 401KAR5:006 SECTION 4 & 5; KRS-424, AND 40CFR 25.5 & 6)

Southern

Water and Sewer District, P.O. Box 610, McDowell, KY 41647, has drafted a 20-year Regional Facilities Plan (RFP) containing waste water require-ments for collection and treatment and its cost, within the planarea. ning as described therein, to be served. Interested citizens may obtain further information, including copies of

the draft RFP by contacting Bob Meyer, at the above address, or calling (606)between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on Monday to Friday. A public hearing will

be held on Monday.

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p.m., at the Southern

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APPLICATION

NO. 836-5478

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to the above given with Director, Division of Permits, NOTICE OF Hollow Hudson INTENTION Complex, U.S. 127 TO MINE South. Frankfort **PURSUANT TO** Kentucky 40601

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PUBLIC NOTICE Intent to fill in small Mud Creek, approximately 3 miles from Harold, Kentucky. Property owned by Charles and Towana Frasure, located on Rt. 979, across from of Clark

WEDNESDAY, UCTOBER 26, 2005

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-5238 AMENDMENT

Branch.

NO. 3 1) In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that CONSOL Kentucky Inc., P.O. mining. The surface Box 130, Mousie, Ky. 41839, has applied for an amendment to an existing surface underground mining and reclamation operanortheast of Handshoe, in Knott CONSOL

and Floyd Counties. This amendment will bottom land along not add any surface disturbance, but will underlie an additional 1992.0 acres, making a total area of 3595.7 acres within the amended permit boundary. amendment approximately

2) The proposed IS from mile west County Road 1280's junction with Ky. Hwy. 2029, and located along Lick

Fork. 3) The proposed amendment is located on the Handshoe minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the underground method of area is owned by CONSOL Of Kentucky Inc., and Leslie Bradley. The amendment area will underlie land owned Kentucky Department of Transportation, of Betty Compton. The

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an area within 100' of comments, public road Ky. Hwy. 2029 and Lick Fork will not involve relo-Commonwealth cation or closure of Division of Permits,

has been filed for Frankfort, Kentucky public inspection at the Department for Reclamation and Enforcement's Offfice, Regional 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6,

Prestonsburg,

operation will affect 41653-1410. Written Road. The operation must be filed with the Director 4) The application U.S. 127 South, 40601

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



NOTICE TO PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS

NATURAL GAS FACTS

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Natural gas is lighter than air, non-toxic and contains no poisonous ingredients. Breathing natural gas is not harmful as long as there is adequate air to breath along with it. Natural gas will not burn by itself. Combustion can occur only when there is a mixture of gas and air containing between 5 percent and 15 percent natural gas and between 95 percent and 85 percent air. Because of its unique qualities of being lighter than air with a narrow band of combustion, natural gas is one of the safest energy sources available. It is also one of the most economical sources. Understanding and following safety procedures will make natural gas an even safer choice.

THE POTENTIAL HAZARDS OF NATURAL GAS

Gas accidents can be avoided if you understand the potential hazards.

Natural gas can be a fire hazard, if you let it. Don't let it. A very hot stove, open flame or pilot light can ignite any combustible materials that happen to be near. Keep paper, curtains, paints, solvents, etc., away from gas applicances.

(2) EXPLOSION

Natural gas can be ignited by open flames or sparks. That's why unburned natural gas should never be allowed to escape into a room. A spark, flame, lit match or cigarette, even the flick of a light switch, may be enough to cause an explosion.

(3) CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING

Even though natural gas itself isn't poisonous, gas burners that aren't adjusted propertly can produce deadly carbon monoxde. You can't see or smell carbon monoxide, but it's a killer. To avoid its dangers, always make sure that any natural gas appliances in your home are properly adjusted and vented to the outside...so they'll burn safely and efficiently.

(4) SUFFOCIATION

Natural gas can cause suffociation if it replaces air containing oxygen. (Only air that has oxygen can sustain life.) This is another reason why natural gas should never be allowed to leak from appliances or build up in an enclosed area or room.

FOLLOW THESE COMMON SENSE SAFETY RULES...IT'S UP TO YOU TO USE SAFE GAS APPLIANCES AND TO USE GAS APPLIANCES SAFELY!!!

(1) KEEP COMBUSTIBLES such as papers, fluids, paints, curtains and rags away from furnaces, water heaters, gas ranges

(2) TEACH CHILDREN never to light or play with the controls of any gas appliances.

(3) KEEP PILOT LIGHTS of your gas range lit. If you put them out to save energy, a dangerous gas build-up can occur if someone accidentally turns on the range.

(4) KEEP GAS RANGE CLEAN—make sure burner bowls are free of used matches, grease, paper, etc.

(5) AND, NEVER USE YOUR GAS RANGE to heat your home or apartment; this practice creates a serious fire hazard and puts you and your family at risk from dangerous carbon monoxide fumes.

(6) MAKE SURE APPLIANCES ARE VENTED-Natural gas needs air containing oxygen to burn safely and efficiently. Without enough air, dangerous carbon monoxide is produced. For this reason, always make sure that your gas furnace and water heater are vented to the outside of the building. If you're not sure your appliances are vented properly, have them checked by a qualified heating contractor or plumber.

(7) KEEP FLUES AND CHIMNEYS CLEAR—Have your fluepipe and chimney checked to make sure they're not blocked with debris, such as nests, branches, or ivy. (Your heating contractor can inspect and clean fluepipes for you.)

(8) SIGNS OF POOR FLUE VENTILATION—Indoor wetness (condensation); unusual smell in your home that doesn't go away; sick houseplants; yellow or wavering appliance flames; soot in your home; pilot light that keeps going out.

CERTAIN OLDER GAS CONNECTORS MAY BE DANGEROUS!

Gas connectors are corrugated metal tubes used to connect gas appliances in your home to fuel gas supply pipes. Some older brass connectors have come apart, causing fires and explosions, resulting in deaths and injuries.

These older brass connectors have a serious flaw in the process used to join their tubing to their end pieces. Over time, the end pieces can separate from the tubing, and cause a serious gas leak, explosion, or fire. To our knowledge, these dangerous uncoated brass connectors have not been made for more than 20 years, but many of them are still in use. The older these connectors get, the greater the possibility of failure.

Although not all uncoated connectors have this flaw, it is very difficult to tell which ones do. Therefore, any uncoated brass connector should be replaceed immediately with either a new plastic-coated brass or a new stainless steel connector. Connectors can wear out from too much moving, bending, or corrosion. Connectors should always be replaced whenever the appliance is replaced

Warning: Only a qualified professional should check your connector and replace it if needed. Don't try to do this yourself! Moving the appliance, even slightly, whether to clean behind it or to inspect its gas connector, can cause the complete failure of

one of these older weakened connectors, possibly resulting in a deadly fire or explosion.

DO NOT MOVE YOUR APPLIANCE TO CHECK THE CONNECTOR!!

HOW DO I KNOW IF A GAS HAZARD EXISTS???-YOUR SENSE OF SMELL SHOULD TELL YOU.

(1) A GAS LEAK IS POTENTIALLY VERY DANGEROUS! - Gas may leak from faulty appliances, broken pipes or broken mains. Make sure all members of your family know what to do if they smell gas.

(A) IF THE ODOR IS STRONG:

1) Do not light matches.

2) Do not turn lights on or off.

3) Do not operate any controls or pull any plugs from outlets. 4) Do not use the telephone

5) Notify everyone in the building or house to leave immediately, and leave the door open. 6) If possible, ventilate the building by opening doors and windows, starting where the odor is strongest.

Do not re-enter the building for this purpose.

7) Call the utility company or fire department from a nearby building or house. Do Not use the telephone in your house. 8) Do not re-enter your home until the utility company or fire department has released you to do so.

9) Never take chances! If your safety is threatened, get out quickly.

PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION

Phone Number-606-886-6871, Day or Night

Phone Number-606-886-2900, Day or Night

HOW TO RECOGNIZE A GAS LEAK OUT-SIDE HOUSE OR BUILDING-Gas leaks out-side are uncommon, but it is a good idea to know how to recognize them. Common signs include:

1) A gas odor.

2) A blowing or hissing sound.

3) Dirt being blown or thrown into the air.

4) Water bubbling or being blown into the air at a pond. 5) Fire coming from the ground or burning above the ground.

6) Brown patches in vegetation on or near gas pipeline.

If you detect any signs of a gas leak outside, call Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission immediately.

NOTICE TO PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS ABOUT CUSTOMER SERVICE LINES

 Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission does not maintain customers' service lines beyond the gas meter setting. Customers are responsible for properly maintaining and repairing their service lines.

2. If customers' buried piping is not maintained, it may be subject to the potential hazards of corrosion and leakage.

3. Buried gas piping should be:

I. Periodically inspected for leakage. II. Periodically inspected for corrosion, if piping is metallic.

III. Repaired, if any unsafe conditions are discovered.

IV. Repaired, located, inspected and maintained by plumbers or heating contractors. 4. When excavating near buried gas piping, the piping should be located in advance, and the excavation done by hand.

Safety comes first with Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission. Below are some of the steps taken by Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission to insure the safety of our employees and customers.

1. Continuous patrolling of gas system.

2. Monitoring pressures at various points in gas system.

3. Annual/semi-annual leak surveys.

4. Immediate response to any reported problem. 5. Proper operation and maintenance of system.

6. Continuing education of gas pipe line employees, including emergency response to gas emergencies/ accidents.

Together, with the help of our customers, we can maintain a safe and reliable gas system.

NOTICE TO ALL CONSTRUCTION AND EXCAVATION COMPANIES

In accordance with federal and state regulations governing natural gas pipeline safety, Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission is pursuing a damage prevention program to minimize accidents and/or disruptions that could involve its underground pipeline facilities. If you observe any type of construction or excavation, or if you plan to do any work requiring digging near a company pipeline, please call the Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission so that we can send qualified personnel to locate and properly mark the exact location of the pipeline. Knowing the exact location of the underground pipeline will reduce the possibility of property and/or personal and financial loss to both parties.

David M. Ellis, Superintendent **Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission**



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NOTICE (OF FINAL SETTLEMENT)

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF FLOYD ... SCT

I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following settlements of estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exceptions to said set-

tlements must do so on or before November 30th, 2005, at 9:00 a.m. Case Date Estate Of: Settlement Number Fiduciary Filed 03-P-134 William C. Mullins Patsy Mullins Final 9-19-05 05-P-85 Final Carl Baldridge Jennie Baldridge 9-26-05 03-P-120 Final John Glenn Terry Joyce Bush & Judy McGuire 9-27-05 Final 05-P-57 Alex Prater Velvia Prater 9-27-05 04-P-00099 Josephine Bentley Tim Bentley 10-05-05 03-P-00399 Champ H. Clark Violet Slone 10-11-05

05-P-00106 Melissa Meade Jimmy D. Flannery 10-11-05 05-P-00442 Don Fraley Sr. Don Fraley Jr. 10-11-05 Mary Edna Fields 03-P-00352 Gerald Fields 10-12-05 05-P-00116 Ray Hamilton Jr. Clozetta Hamilton 10-13-05 04-P-00068 Susie Stambaugh Betty Wallen 10-13-05 Merleen Combs 05-P-00084 Orleen Flanery 10-14-05 04-P-00169 David Ollie Blackburn Deborah Blackburn

LEGAL NOTICE: NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF FLOYD...SCT

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

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate of:
9-23-05	05-P-334	Paul Hopkins
9-23-05	05-P-333	William J. Hunter
9-27-05	05-P-339	Renis Ousley
9-28-05	05-P-340	Linda Gail Tackett
9-29-05	05-P-342	Margie Reeves
9-30-05	05-P-343	Effert Parsons
9-30-05	05-P-344	Margaret D. Collins
10-05-05	05-P-350	John Paul Pitts
10-11-05	05-P-351	June Goble
10-11-05	05-P-352	Talmadge Thompson
10-11-05	05-P-353	Estill Howell
10-12-05	05-P-355	Claude Howell
10-12-05	05-P-356	Kermit Allen Boyd
10-12-05	05-P-357	Samuel Bentley
10-13-05	05-P-358	Janet R. Smith
10-13-05	05-P-360	Douglas Hayse Tackett
10-14-05	05-P-361	Harold Lloyd Adkins
10-14-05	05-P-363	Lester Fred Mitchell
10-17-05	05-P-354	Franklin L. Smith
10-17-05	05-P-364	Raymond Garnet Goble

Fiduciary June Hopkins Delores H. Ousley Taylor Ousley Scott Tackett Mona Reeves Loisie Jean Osborne Terri Ison Louellen Pitts Roy Lee Goble Silas Burke Jr. Anna Jean Howell Irma Darlene Newsome Marguarita Boyd Avenell Bentley William L. Smith Jack David Tackett Wanda F. Stump Beatrice Mitchell Revia Smith Kerby Goble

Larry D. Brown

Attorney

Timothy B. Matthews

Supplemental Notice to the Public of Kentucky Power Company RE: Proposed Changes to its Base Rates

Please Take Notice that on September 26, 2005 Kentucky Power Company (KPCo) filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission) in Case No. 2005-00341 an Application pursuant to Chapter 278 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes for authorization to adjust the rates it charges its customers for service rendered on and after October 27, 2005. If approved, KPCo will apply the new rates to all customer bills rendered on and after October 27, 2005 to recover costs of providing

The amount of the change requested in both dollar amounts and percentages change for each customer classification are as follows;

Gustomer Classification	Current Revenues	Proposed Revenues	Proposed Increase	Proposed Increase Percent Change
Residential Service	\$130,089,965	\$165,598,634	\$35,508,669	27.30%
Small General Service	\$6,396,711	\$7,374,636	\$977,925	15.29%
Medium General Service	\$40,049,839	\$45,380,651	\$5,330,812	13.31%
Large General Service	\$41,639,263	\$48,355,182	\$6,715,919	16.13%
Quantity Power	\$39,023,377	\$44,231,003	\$5,207,626	13.34%
Commercial and Industrial				
Power Time-of-Day	\$74,184,655	\$83,689,239	\$9,504,584	12.81%
Municipal Waterworks	\$367,037	\$420,810	\$53,773	14.65%
Outdoor Lighting	\$4,776,969	\$6,130,512	\$1,353,543	28.33%
Street Lighting	\$815,872	\$959,260	\$143,388	17.57%
CATV Two-User Pole	\$61,802	\$132,184	\$70,382	113.88%
CATV Three-User Pole	\$382,803	\$456,180	\$73,377	19.17%
COGEN/SPP1	No Customers	N/A	N/A	N/A
COGEN/SPP2	No Customers	N/A	N/A	N/A

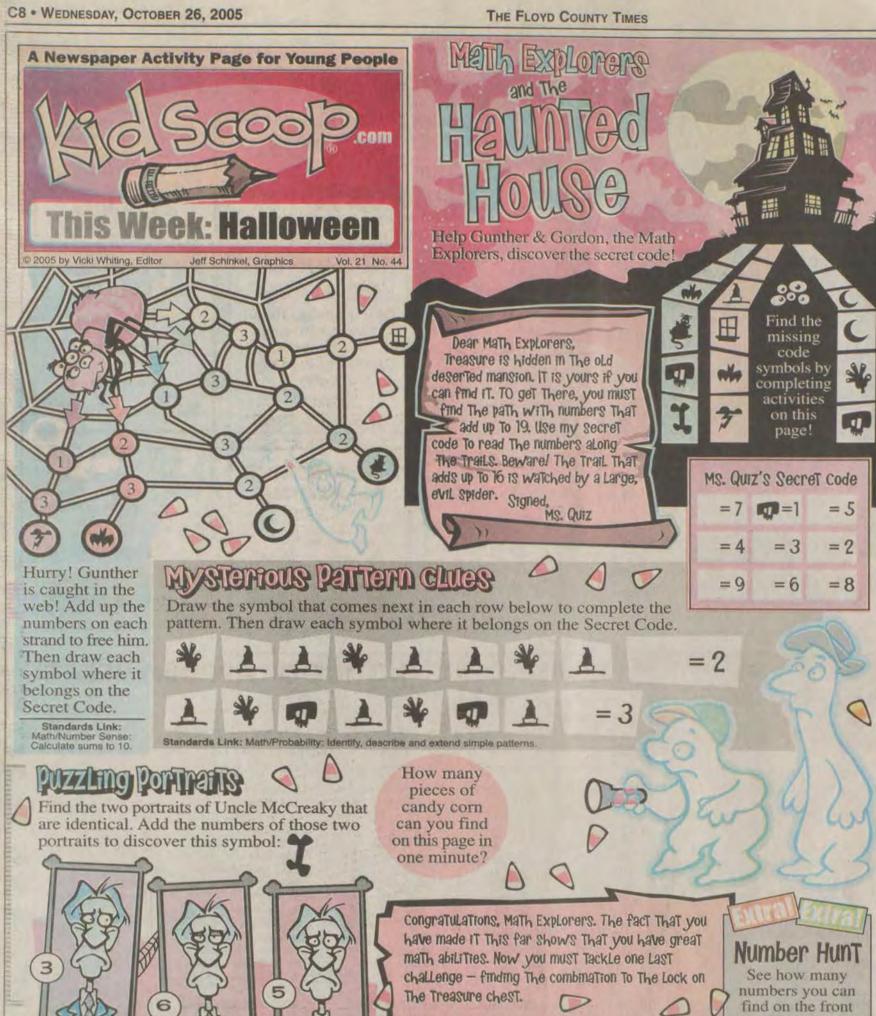
The effects upon the average bill for each customer class to which the proposed rate change will apply are as follows:

Customer Classification	Average Customer Consumption /Demand	Present Average Billing	Proposed Average Billing	Average Billing Change	Average Percent Change
Residential Service	1,353 KWH	\$75.11	\$95.61	\$20.50	27.29%
Small General Service	323 KWH	\$29.27	\$33.74	\$4.47	15.27%
Medium General Service	4,450 KWH / 19 KW	\$288.41	\$326.80	\$38.39	13.31%
Large General Service	77,667 KWH / 272 KVA	\$4,006.86	\$4,653.12	\$646.26	16.13%
Quantity Power .	952,607 KWH / 2,343 KW	\$38,713.67	\$43,879.97	\$5,166.30	13:34%
Commercial and Industrial					
Power Time-of-Day	12,984,522 KWH / 22,766 KW	\$441,575.33	\$498,150.23	\$56,574.90	12.81%
Municipal Waterworks	28,879 KWH	\$1,456.50	\$1,669.88	\$213.38	14.65%
Outdoor Lighting	72 KWH	\$8.31	\$10.67	\$2.36	28.33%
Street Lighting	12,447 KWH	\$1,236.17	\$1,453.42	\$217.25	17.57%
CATV Two-User Pole	377 Attachments	\$1,873.69	\$4,007.51	\$2,133.82	113.88%
CATV Three-User Pole	2,098 Attachments	\$11,601.94	\$13,825.82	\$2,223.88	19.17%
COGEN/SPP1	No Customers	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
COGEN/SPP2	No Customers	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

The average billings contained in this notice are based upon the rates proposed and noticed by KPCo during the weeks of September 25, 2005 through October 15, 2005. However, the Public Service Commission may order changes to the Company's tariffs and proposed rates that could differ from those proposed. Such action may result in average billings for customers that differ from those contained in this notice.

Any corporation, association, body politic or person may, by motion within thirty (30) days after publication or mailing of notice of the proposed rate changes, request leave to intervene in Case No. 2005-00341. The motion shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 221 Sower Boulevard, P. O. Box 615, Frankfort Kentucky 40602-0615, and shall set forth the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. The Public Service Commission's phone number is 502-564-3940.

Intervenors may obtain copies of the Application and testimony by contacting Kentucky Power Company at 101 A Enterprise Drive, P. O. Box 5190, Frankfort Kentucky 40602-5190, attention Errol K. Wagner or calling 502-696-7010. A copy of the Application and testimony is available for public inspection at KPCo's district service buildings located at 12333 Kevin Avenue, Ashland, KY 41102 with a phone number of 606-929-1463 or 1400 E. Main St. Hazard, KY 41701 with a phone number of 606-436-1330 or 3249 North Mayo Trail Pikeville, KY 41501 with a phone number of 606-437-3824 or at the Public Service Commission at the address and phone number stated above.



page. Circle in green numbers that show amounts of money. Circle in red the numbers that show dates. Find and circle in other colors at least three other kinds of information the numbers on the front page provide, such as time, dates,

populations, page numbers, etc. Standards Link: Number Sense: Identify numbers, money amounts, dates.

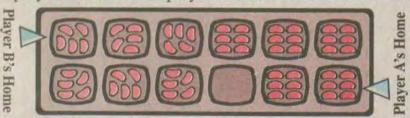
Ms. Ouiz's Bean Game

How to Play

1. Put 5 beans in each empty egg cup in an egg carton. 2. Each player picks one cup at one end of the egg carton to be home.

3. Taking turns, players pick up all of the beans in one cup (never from the "home" cups, though). Put one bean in each space, moving counter-clockwise around the carton. If you pass either home cup, drop a bean in

4. The game is over when all of the beans are in the players' homes. The player with the most beans wins.



This is what the egg carton will look like after one turn. Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow multiple-step directions.

Double

HALLOWEEN HAUNTED MANSION

My grandfather brought three chests home from a

Trip To a strange count's castle in Transylvania. To

discover which one holds The Treasure, find The

Lock with the combination: 13 - 9 - 13/

0-1-0

Find the words in the puzzle, then in this week's Kid Scoop stories and activities.

SEMPSCLYOC YMATHEKCOL MREEYACHTU BASEETARBE OTNRHUIEES LOCSNPHAWT MCUTILIART MNEEWOLLAH NDTEDSNAEB

Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognized identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

SECRET BEANS **MCCREAKY** MONEY LOCK SYMBOL

WEB CHEST CLUES MATH TRIP TRAIL

Create a Problem

Choose an article or advertisement in today's newspaper and use the information in it to make up a math word problem. Trade problems with a friend and compare your answers.

Standards Link: Math Reasoning: Make decisions about how to set up



Weekly Writing Corner

Halloween Jokes

Here are some of your favorite Halloween jokes and riddles.

Sometimes I smile, sometimes I frown. I come in all sizes big and small. What am I? A: Why a jack-o'lantern of course!

> Madeleine, 6th grade

I have an orange coat and a green hat on my head. I sometimes smile and sometimes frown? Who am I? A: A pumpkin.

5th grade

Where does Count Dracula usually eat his lunch? A: At the casketeria!

Nigel, 5th grade

How does a girl vampire flirt? A: She bats her eyes!

Grecia, 5th grade

What did the skeleton say when he was laughing?

A: My bones are cracking up! Jayme, 5th grade

Knock, knock. Who's there? Hello! Hello who? Hello - ween!

> Sabrina, 3rd grade

What do vampires have in their sleep? A: Bitemares!

6th grade,

Two dragons are chasing a knight in armor. Just as they are about to catch him, the first knight says," You remembered the barbecue sauce, right?" The second dragon answers, "Yes, and I hope you remembered the can opener!"

Caroline, 6th grade

Why did the orange stop rolling down the hill? A: It ran out of juice!

Marco, 5th grade

What is gray, has big ears and a trunk and weighs less than a pound?

A: A mouse going on vacation. Marissa, 4th grade

What is it called when you cross a bee and a seagull? A: A beegull (beagle)!

> Grecia, 4th grade

Why did Humpty Dumpty have a great fall? A: To make up for a bad summer!

> Selena, 4th grade

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