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Company plans new mines in W.Va.

The Associated Press

CHARLESTON, W.Va. — Energy company Penn Virginia Resource Partners bought 69 million tons of coal reserves Friday, including an active surface mine, to add to its fast-growing West Virginia holdings.

The \$65 million deal involves about 20,000 acres in Logan, Boone and Wyoming that were owned by Tony Fork, a company owned in turn by Huff Creek Energy Co. and Appalachian Coal Holdings Inc., according to a document filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

More than two-thirds of the reserves are located deep underground, while the remainder — 21 million tons — are part of the surface mine.

Radnor, Pa.-based Penn Virginia said in a news release that the first of several mines targeting the underground reserves will begin production next year. The company, which leases its reserves to mining companies, plans additional underground mines, but did not say how many. The company said it expects production to exceed 3 million tons annually for 10 years beginning in 2009.

2 DAY FORECAST

Today
Sunny
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Tomorrow
Partly cloudy
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COUNTY BANS KITTY



photo by Tom Doty

Barry Collins, of Left Beaver, addressed the fiscal court during a special called meeting Friday and pleaded with the body to let him keep his pet lion, "Kitty," which he's had for three years. The court did not agree and passed an ordinance banning several varieties of exotic animals from being kept as pets.

Fiscal court passes ordinance banning exotic animals

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A Left Beaver man has until Wednesday to relocate his pet lion or he could start having to face fines of up to \$500 a day for violating an ordinance banning various exotic animals that the fiscal court adopted Friday.

The animal received a lion's share of press coverage last month when Left Beaver residents asked the court to intercede and evict the cat. According to County Attorney Keith Bartley, frightened neighbors had taken to keeping their children indoors and carrying pistols when they mowed their lawns.

Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson allowed the animal's owner, Barry Collins, to say a few words before the second reading of the ordinance which also bans gibbons, Komodo dragons, gila monsters and other exotic species.

Collins was brief and first said that he had a petition signed by 300 area residents who wanted him to keep his pet. He went on to

note that he would be willing to build a bigger enclosure or even a new structure to house "Kitty" so that it "probably" wouldn't ever escape. He finished his statement by acknowledging that the court had the final word, saying, "I leave it all up to you."

Bartley stepped up next and noted that he had done extensive research on the issue and consulted with wildlife departments in nearly 30 states. He reported that the advice of all departments was unanimous and each agreed that lions have no place in a domestic environment. He said that experts told him, "We've seen it result in unnecessary suffering and premature death of the cat."

Thompson concurred, saying that what he learned was, "It's a potential danger to the public and the cat."

Bartley noted that the court's first duty was to the citizens of the county, saying, "We cannot take the chance of it 'probably' never getting out." He then made it clear that the intent was never to punish Collins but protect the animal. He

said that wildlife officials across the country said that private ownership of a lion is detrimental to the animal and that they can't get proper nutrition or exercise in smaller confines. He said that bone, hip and muscle deterioration are the norm among domestically interred jungle cats.

Collins replied that he did take the animal to a veterinarian in Columbus, Ohio, regularly and that he made sure the animal got everything it needed and that in three years there had never been a mishap. Bartley retorted that one accident is more than enough and reminded the court that Las Vegas entertainers Sigfried and Roy spent nearly half a century training their famous cats but that didn't stop one from disfiguring one-half of the team during a performance two years ago.

Bartley also noted that his research revealed a Nevada county had sued their city council for failing to take action in a similar situation, which made them liable

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McDowell wreck kills Bypro man

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

McDOWELL — A single vehicle accident claimed the life of a Bypro man Friday morning.

Timothy A. Bakay II, 25, was traveling east on Route 122 in McDowell around 6:30 a.m., when his vehicle

struck a guardrail and then a tree before overturning.

Trooper Shaun Little is investigating the accident, which saw Bakay taken to Appalachian Regional Hospital in McDowell. He was pronounced dead at the hospital at 8 a.m. by Deputy Coroner Glenn Frazier.

Indictment alleges federal prisoner had heroin in jail

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

PIKEVILLE — An inmate of the Big Sandy federal penitentiary in Martin County was indicted by a federal grand jury Thursday for possessing contraband while incarcerated at the facility on Sept. 14, 2004.

The indictment was handed down by the grand jury in U.S. District Court and accuses inmate William Kyle Sweeney of having 10 grams of heroine in his possession while lodged at the federal facility.

If convicted, Sweeney could receive up to 20 more years in prison and a \$250,000 fine.



photo by Kathy J. Prater

The USDA Rural Development office held a proclamation signing Tuesday afternoon naming June as "National Homeownership Month." Pictured, from left to right, are Ken Slone, office state director; John Collins, Pike County Judge-Executive representative; Paul H. Thompson, Floyd County judge-executive; Kelly Callahan, Martin County Judge-Executive; and Lillian Wheeler, Johnson County judge-executive representative. For more information about applying for home ownership opportunities in Floyd, Johnson, Pike and Martin counties, call the office at 886-9545. The office is located on Shoppers Path, in Prestonsburg, adjacent to Super 8 Motel.

Mine deaths rise with coal prices; fatigue eyed as factor

by ROGER ALFORD
ASSOCIATED PRESS

HARLAN — In the coalfields of eastern Kentucky, it's known as the hoot owl shift.

In those wee morning hours, while most people in this small eastern Kentucky town are sleeping, crews of miners, wearing hard hats, steel-toed boots and layers of black dust, are still at work, digging coal from deep underground.

With coal prices at record highs, mining companies have been pushing to increase production, adding overnight and weekend shifts to keep conveyor belts rumbling, and generating more

overtime hours for miners who have some of the most physically grueling jobs in the country.

Now, industry groups and mine regulatory agencies are wondering if fatigue may be a common factor in the sharp increase in coal mining deaths this year. Already this year 33 coal miners have been killed on the job in the United States, all but three of them in the Appalachian coalfields. In 2005, the total was 22.

"It is something that needs to be looked at," said Bill Caylor, president of the Kentucky Coal Association. "If we're cranking out more production with the same number of employees, miners may be working six or seven days a week,

instead of five, and potentially not getting enough rest."

Companies went in search of experienced miners about three years ago when prices for Appalachian coal skyrocketed. The coal is now selling for as much as \$64 a ton on the spot market, a threefold increase over the base price three years ago, sparking a boom that has rejuvenated the mining industry in these mountains.

Now, river docks are bustling with barges coming to carry away the region's black gold. Trains, laden with coal, rumble out of the mountains en route to electric generating plants across the country. And coal operators have been pressing miners to keep up the pace.

In a memo to employees last fall, Massey Energy Chief Executive Officer Don Blankenship stirred controversy by saying producing coal is the top priority.

"If any of you have been asked by your group presidents, your supervisors, engineers or anyone else to do anything other than run coal (i.e., build overcasts, do construction jobs, or whatever) you need to ignore them and run coal. This memo is necessary only because we seem not to understand that the coal pays the bills," Blankenship wrote.

The internal memo was followed a week later by another memo from Blankenship to employees, saying safety

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Freedom of the press is not an end in itself but a means to the end of [achieving] a free society.

— Felix Frankfurter

— Guest view —

Less bad press, more leadership

The indictment of Gov. Ernie Fletcher is just the latest negative headline chronicling a long line of debacles by the state's first Republican governor in more than three decades.

Fletcher's tenure got off to a comical start when his plane ventured a little too close to Washington, prompting an evacuation on Capitol Hill.

He followed that up with an insurance plan that had teachers and state employees in an uproar.

The latest incident, however, is much more serious.

Although misdemeanors, any charge of impropriety by the governor is a black eye against Kentuckians and good government in general.

Politicians have long been known to offer up lush state jobs to political backers, which is why we have the Merit System in the first place.

We wonder why anyone would want to replace a veteran employee anyway.

It stands to reason that someone charged with doing a job and who has done said job well would be a welcome addition to any staff.

To terminate someone simply because of a political affiliation would be a disservice to the taxpayers who foot his salary and depend on knowledgeable decisions to improve their quality of life.

Granted, Fletcher has not been found guilty of these offenses and has been adamant that there was no wrongdoing.

However, his early pardons of those allegedly involved were certainly questionable, as was his decision not to fully explain why the investigation was occurring.

Dismissing the charges as a political ploy by Attorney General Greg Stumbo is a slap in face to Kentuckians, some of whom sat on a grand jury that believed enough evidence existed to indict.

Whether guilty, Fletcher needs to address the issue in an open manner with those he is sworn to serve. Silence does not bode well for someone who supposedly has nothing to hide.

Kentuckians deserve answers.

Kentucky deserves a governor who makes headlines for the positive influence he has on the state, not for breaking the law.

— Glasgow Daily Times



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Rich Lowry Column

Asia rising

Donald Rumsfeld famously made a distinction between Old Europe and New Europe. He has been scored ever since for his sweeping and impolitic language, but he wasn't sweeping enough: In geopolitical terms, all of Europe is old, the world's most tourist-friendly museum piece.

For the future of high-stakes U.S. diplomacy and of great-power politics, look no further than Chinese President Hu Jintao's recent visit to the U.S. It is Asia that should occupy an outsized place in our strategic thinking, and it is Europe that should be the relative afterthought, not the other way around.

Europe obviously still matters. It has an economy roughly as large as ours; a bigger population; and more men under arms or at least wearing nice uniforms. America needs to remain the leader of the united West, which means working with Europe, no matter how annoying that is. But in our mind's eye, Europe

should be hung with an enormous sign: "The future used to happen here."

The trend lines in terms of economic and military power all say "Asia." The future is happening there, for better or worse.



The Rich Lowry column

If we offend Europe, it still putters, and sputters, on. The stakes in Asia are much higher. Taiwan could be an occasion for a war. India and Pakistan are nuclear-armed adversaries. China could break up into feuding fiefdoms. Then,

there's the psycho-state of North Korea. Given the region's importance and potential pitfalls, Bush-administration diplomacy should get more notice.

President Bush has hitched a rising India to the U.S. At the same time, he has forged a close relationship with India's historic rival, Pakistan. The U.S. alliance with Japan, still the world's second-largest economy, has never been stronger, and relations with China are relatively friendly, too. The administration has been firm in its defense of Taiwan's de facto independence, while

keeping the island from any unnecessary provocations.

Diplomatically — putting aside the intractable North Korean nuclear problem — this is as close as it comes to running the table.

The strategic goal is to create a sustainable balance of power so Asian countries can continue to liberalize. As Walter Russell Mead of the Council on Foreign Relations argues, if the focus is exclusively on China's rising power vis-à-vis the United States, the historic model is Europe circa 1914, with China in the role of Germany. If the focus is widened out to include Japan and India — as Bush has sought to do — then the more congenial model might be Europe circa 1815, with a balance between several powers and the United States as Britain, which maintained that balance at very little cost to itself.

All of this means our lingering Eurocentrism is out of place. We should care less about Jacques Chirac taking offense at our latest alleged gaucherie and more about what Dr. Manmohan Singh — the prime minister of India — thinks of attempts in Congress to torpedo the U.S.-Indian nuclear deal. Europe is yesterday's news; Asia is tomorrow's.

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Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

beyond the beltway

It really is about cheap labor

by DONALD KAUL

That was a fine immigration speech the president gave the other night. Who among us could fail to be inspired when he said:

"We're a nation of laws, and we must enforce our laws. We're also a nation of immigrants, and we must uphold that tradition, which has strengthened our country in so many ways. These are not contradictory goals. America can be a lawful society and a welcoming society at the same time. We will fix the problems created by illegal immigration, and we will deliver a system that is secure, orderly and fair."

In terms of comforting optimism, that ranks up there with promising to balance the budget by cutting taxes and expecting the Iraq war to pay for itself.

The first thing we have to do, he said, is secure the Mexican border. To do that he is going to deploy 6,000 National Guardsmen in support of our border patrol until more border agents can be trained. Tens of thousands of troopers from Guard units throughout the nation will be rotated into border duty, 6,000 at a time, in three-week shifts.

Oh yes, and we will also build more detention centers to hold people we catch trying to sneak over the border.

And build a Great Wall at the southern edge of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California to further seal off the border.

If the president really thinks that 6,000 three-week wonders and a 2,000-

mile fence — hideously expensive though they'd be — are enough to do the trick, I'd be surprised. No one else does. It's far more likely he was trying to make a symbolic gesture that would mollify his conservative base, which wants to get really tough on enforcement.

If so, it didn't work. It's not mollified. When he suggested that the estimated 11 million illegal immigrants already here be given a path to citizenship — one that required paying a fine, learning English and sticking with a job for two years — the conservatives went ballistic. The Republican majority in the House has already passed an immigration bill that does not contemplate any kind of "amnesty" program and is adamant in opposing one.

The president also proposed a guest worker program — letting people into the country on temporary work permits to do jobs "Americans are not doing." Conservatives didn't like that either. A foolproof identification card for legal immigrants to carry was also in his package as well as a crackdown on employers who hire illegals.

(Apparently, Mr. Bush envisions an enforcement apparatus somewhat larger than the Chinese army and better funded.)

The real problem with the president's plan is that you can't really be welcoming to immigrants when you're putting more and more of them in jail.

How you feel about the two approaches is a matter of class. Richer, better-educated people tend to be in favor of loose immigration rules. It is

they, after all, who hire the nannies, the housekeepers, the gardeners who are almost all Hispanic or Caribbean and work cheap. It is they who buy the affordable fruits and vegetables picked by immigrant stoop laborers and who

send their elderly parents to nursing homes tended by low-pay immigrants.

Typically, immigrants are good workers, smiling, industrious people who don't complain or join unions and, if bullied or cheated, can't go to the authorities because they're illegals. No wonder Americans can't compete with them for low-end jobs.

American workers who rank below the middle and upper classes get little benefit from immigrant exploitation. They don't have nannies or housekeepers and they don't eat fruit. But they see their neighborhoods invaded by large families who speak a foreign language, people with different customs who undercut them for jobs. And they're angry.

Frankly, I don't blame them. A Heritage Foundation study recently stated that the guest worker program envisioned in a Senate bill that approximates the president's plan, would allow 102 million people to immigrate legally into the United States in the next 20 years.

I'm just hoping none are columnists.

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TV Listings

SUNDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON MAY 28, 2006. Table with columns for time slots (9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30) and rows for various TV channels and programs.

Best Bets

SUNDAY, MAY 28 12 p.m. ESPN2 Tennis

For the first time ever at the French Open, the men's and women's singles begin on a Sunday in Paris...

1 p.m. ABC Indy Car Racing

They're running one-two in the points race, a picture that could very well remain the same once they take it to the track for today's Indy 500.

5 p.m. FOX NASCAR Racing

It's Christmas six months early for auto-racing fans, what with the open-wheel spectacle of the Indy 500 beginning the day on ABC...

SUNDAY EVENING MAY 28, 2006. Table with columns for time slots (5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30) and rows for various TV channels and programs.

8 p.m. CBS Cold Case

Incriminating evidence in a diary found on a used computer has Lilly (Kathryn Morris) and her colleagues reopening the case of a young Internet entrepreneur's death in 1999.

8 p.m. ESPN MLB Baseball

One of the best races brewing in the early baseball season is in the American League West, where less than five games separated the four teams through mid-May.

8 p.m. check local listings PBS National Memorial Day Concert (2006)

Actors Joe Mantegna and Gary Sinise co-host this star-studded event, airing from the U.S. Capitol's West Lawn.

MONDAY EVENING MAY 29, 2006. Table with columns for time slots (5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30) and rows for various TV channels and programs.

8 p.m. SHOWTIME Patriot Act: A Jeffrey Ross Home Movie

Comedian and celebrity-roast regular Jeffrey Ross spent some time in Iraq with fellow comics Drew Carey, Kathy Kinney, Blake Clark, Kyle Dunningan, Andres Fernandez and Rocky Laporte, entertaining U.S. troops in the Sunni Triangle.

9 p.m. CBS Movie: We Were Soldiers

The first major Vietnam War battle to test U.S. soldiers - specifically, Lt. Col. Harold Moore (Mel Gibson) and his men - is recalled in this vivid and true 2002 drama, directed by "Braveheart" writer Randall Wallace.

9 p.m. DISCOVERY Iraq Confidential With Jesse James

We've heard of embedded reporters, but an embedded mechanic? In this new two-hour special, the "Monster Garage" host travels to Iraq to experience the daily life of the troops stationed there.

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TV Listings

Best

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9 p.m.

NBC

Law & Order: Criminal Intent

The body of a prostitute falls from the wheel well of an airplane in "Watch." It's only the latest in a series of similar deaths, and Logan and Earek (Chris Noth, Annabella Sciorra) suspect a federal aviation inspector who fits their profile of a sexually repressed man. But if he's the culprit, he's apparently not working alone. Brad Renfro and Ethan Embry guest star.

MONDAY, MAY 29

8 p.m.

FOX

Movie: 2 Fast 2 Furious

Speedy cars and reckless criminals draw an incognito cop (returnee Paul Walker) back into action in this break-neck-paced 2003 sequel to "The Fast and the Furious." Kicked off the force, he gets a chance for redemption by targeting the leader (Coke Hauser) of a Miami street-racing gang involved in money laundering. John Singleton ("Boyz n the Hood") directed the adventure; Tyrese Gibson plays the cop's new partner.

8 p.m.

NATGEO

SuperCoasters

Whether you love to ride roller coasters or are terrified of them, you can learn a lot from this new two-hour special, which goes around the world in search of the most thrilling of these thrill rides. It traces the history of roller coasters and explains the physics and engineering that make them work... and the role of physiology in making us coasterphiles or coaster-phobes.

8 p.m.

TCM

Movie: The Longest Day

Darryl F. Zanuck, the legendary studio mogul behind 20th Century Fox, personally supervised this mammoth 1962 war drama that re-creates D-Day. The cost of the cast probably forced the making of the film -- shot by three directors -- in black and white, since the budget had to accommodate stars such as Richard Burton, John Wayne, Henry Fonda, Robert Mitchum, Sean Connery, Peter Lawford, Rod Steiger and Robert Wagner.

8 p.m.

WB

7th Heaven

In "Xmas," everyone's in the holiday spirit and in the Camden house, that means volunteerism. Eric (Stephen Collins) plays Santa; Lucy (Beverly Mitchell) helps build a house; Kevin (George Stults) starts thinking about homeless animals; and Ruthie (Mackenzie Rosman) volunteers at the hospital. But there is a Grinch around -- Rose (Sarah Thompson) tells the twins that Santa and Jesus don't exist.

8:30 p.m.

CBS

How I Met Your Mother

Ted (Josh Radnor) spent last New Year's Eve without his friends, and he's determined not to let that happen again. So he hires a limousine and invites Lily, Marshall, Robin and Barney (Alyson Hannigan, Jason Segel, Cobie Smulders, Neil Patrick Harris) to join him for an evening on the town. It isn't a perfect evening -- the limo gets a flat, and Barney loses a beloved CD -- but the new year arrives filled with promise in "The Limo."

9 p.m.

HISTORY

Washington the Warrior

We revere him as one of the greatest military leaders in United States history, but George Washington experienced his share of failures, defeats and plain old blunders. This new special traces that career from his early years fighting for the British -- and making some errors that contributed to starting the French and Indian War -- to his ultimate triumph in the Revolutionary War. Historians and a former superintendent of West Point offer commentary.

9 p.m.

WB

Everwood

The funeral of one of their own brings the people of Everwood together in the new episode "Goodbye, Love." The passing also has them re-evaluating their own lives and relationships. Amy (Emily Van Camp) reconsiders the situation with Ephram (Gregory Smith), who decides to warn Nina (Stephanie Niznik) that Andy (Treat Williams) is planning to pop the question. Gene (Charles Durning) ends his visit with a long overdue talk with his son.

10 p.m.

CBS

CSI: Miami

Is Alex (Khandi Alexander) a killer? No, but she may be responsible for a man's death in "Deviant." When a convicted child molester who had moved into her neighborhood is murdered, Caine (David Caruso) and his crew discover that quite a few neighbors were outraged that he was moving in, thanks to the posters that Alex put up warning them. If authorities can prove that her actions caused the mob mentality, she's in trouble.

10 p.m.

NBC

Medium

Allison (Patricia Arquette) has a dream

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23	TBS	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Seinfeld "The Sponge"	Seinfeld "The Betrayal"	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Friends (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	Seinfeld "The Rye"	Seinfeld "The Doll"	Friends (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	***1/2 "Lethal Weapon 2" (1989, Action) Mel Gibson	
3	NBC	News	News	News	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune (N)	Jeopardy! (N)	Last Comic Standing (Season Premiere) (N) (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Ripped"	News	News	News	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (In Stereo)	Late Night		
4	PBS	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Dragon Tales (In Stereo) (EI)	GED Connection	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	The Pacific War: They Filmed the War in Color	Frontline "The Age of AIDS" (N) (In Stereo) (Part 1 of 2)	BBC World News	Kentucky Life	GED Connection	Mental Engineering	News	News	News		
7	ABC	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	News	ABC World News Tonight	Family Feud (In Stereo)	Entertainment Tonight	According to Jim	Rodney "Celebrity"	According to Jim	Less Than Perfect (N)	Boston Legal "Live Big" (In Stereo)	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program	
15	WGN	Moesha (In Stereo)	Moesha (In Stereo)	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	**1/2 "In the Line of Duty: The Price of Vengeance" (1994, Drama) Dean Cain, Michael Gross (In Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (In Stereo)	Sex and the City	Becker (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (In Stereo)	Late Late Show		
10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News	Lawyers on Call	The King of Queens	NCIS "Head Case" (TV) (In Stereo)	The Unit "Stress" (In Stereo)	48 Hours Mystery "Deadly Secrets" (N) (In Stereo)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (In Stereo)	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late		
11	FOX	Maury	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	*** "Shanghai Knights" (2003, Comedy) Jackie Chan, Owen Wilson, Premiere (In Stereo)	News	Sex and the City	The Bernie Mac Show	Malcolm in the Middle	Paid Program	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late		
13	CBS	Dr. Phil (In Stereo)	News	CBS News	News	Hollywood	NCIS "Head Case"	The Unit "Stress" (In Stereo)	48 Hours Mystery (In Stereo)	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late		
46	ESPN	Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter (Live)	MLB Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Cleveland Indians (Live)	MLB Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Cleveland Indians (Live)	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch (N)	Deadliest Catch (N)	Baseball Tonight (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	Fastbreak	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball		
30	DSC	It Takes a Thief	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch (N)	Deadliest Catch (N)	Baseball Tonight (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	Fastbreak	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball		
31	TNT	Charmed (In Stereo)	Charmed (In Stereo)	Charmed (In Stereo)	Law & Order "Return"	NBA Pregame (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)	NBA Basketball: Playoffs -- Teams TBA (Live)		
65	A&E	City Confidential	American Justice	American Justice	Cold Case Files	Cold Case Files	Tattoo Fixation	Dog	Dog	Beyond the Da Vinci Code	Tattoo Fixation	Tattoo Fixation	Tattoo Fixation	Tattoo Fixation	Tattoo Fixation		
59	TNN	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Wildcat Police Videos	Wildcat Police Videos	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	** "Commando" (1985, Action) Arnold Schwarzenegger	MXC	MXC	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.		
53	NICK	SpongeBob	Drake & Josh	Ned's School	Danny Phant.	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Zoey 101	Full House	Hi-Jinks	Fresh Prince	Roseanne	Roseanne	Cosby Show	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
46	USA	**1/2 "Hard Target" (1993, Drama) Jean-Claude Van Damme, Lance Henriksen	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent "Unrequited" (In Stereo)		
40	FAM	Gilmore Girls (In Stereo)	7th Heaven "Leaps of Faith"	7th Heaven "Leaps of Faith"	7th Heaven "M Familia"	7th Heaven "M Familia"	** "Love Don't Cost a Thing" (2003) Nick Cannon	Whose Line? Whose Line?	Whose Line? Whose Line?	The 700 Club	Home Videos	Home Videos	Home Videos	Home Videos	Home Videos		
24	LIFE	The Nanny	The Nanny	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	**1/2 "Abandon" (2002, Suspense) Katie Holmes	"When Danger Follows You Home" (1997) JoBeth Williams	Will & Grace	Will & Grace	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier		
27	ESPN2	2005 U.S. Poker	Best of	WNBA 10th	WNBA Basketball: New York Liberty at Indiana Fever (Live)	WNBA Basketball: New York Liberty at Indiana Fever (Live)	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen	***1/2 "The Sand Pebbles" (1966, Adventure) Steve McQueen		
72	AMC	(4-15) *** "A Bridge Too Far" (1977, Drama) Dirk Bogarde, Sean Connery	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton	*** "The Godfather, Part III" (1990, Crime Drama) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton		
66	HGTV	That's Clever	Landscapers	Renovation	Weekend	Curb Appeal	House	Designed-Sell	Bad Bath	Decorating	Curb Appeal	House	Buy Me (N)	Parents	Designer	Designed-Sell	Bad Bath
61	SCIFI	The X-Files "Folie a Deux"	Stargate SG-1 "The Warrior"	"Falcon Down" (2000, Action) Judd Nelson (In Stereo)	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia	** "Dark Breed" (1996, Science Fiction) Jack Scalia		
44	HIST	True Crime Authors	Snipers: Deadliest	Modern Marvels "Bulletproof"	Modern Marvels "Bulletproof"	Modern Marvels "Bulletproof"	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano	Mega Movers: Volcano		
33	TOC	In-Fisherman	Fmr Wtr	Outdoors	Hunting	Advent. North	Fish, Wildlife	Whistling	Truth-Hunting	Hunting	Amer. Hunter	Step Outside	Outdoors	Fall Flight	Pro Hunting	NW Hunter	About Fish
14	HBO	*** Spider-Man 2 (2004)	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Terminal" (2004, Comedy-Drama) Tom Hanks, Catherine Zeta-Jones (In Stereo) PG-13		
15	HBO2	(4:00) *** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)	*** "Elizabeth I" (2006, Historical Drama) Helen Mirren, Jeremy Irons (In Stereo)		
15	HBO3	(3:30) "Falling in Love" (1998) Angelina Jolie, Ethan Hawke (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R	** "She's the One" (1996, Comedy) Jennifer Aniston, Maxine Bahns (In Stereo) R		
28	MAX	(4:30) ** "The Second Arrival" (1998) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R	** "Silver" (1993, Suspense) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin (In Stereo) R		
29	DISN	Kim Possible "Two to Tutor"	Lizzie McGuire	That's So Raven	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)	** "Walking Tall" (2004, Action) The Rock, Johnny Knoxville (In Stereo)		
22	SHOW	(4:30) ** "Grand Theft Parsons" (2003) R	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)	** "Stateside" (2004, Drama) Cook, Jonathan Tucker (In Stereo)		
25	TMC	The Census Taker (1984)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)	** "Mad Dog Barkin, Gabriel Byrne (In Stereo)		

WEDNESDAY EVENING													MAY 31, 2006			
TV Data	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30
23	TBS	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Seinfeld "The Gun"	Seinfeld "The Apology"	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Sex and the City	Sex and the City	** "A Thin Line Between Love and Hate" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Martin Lawrence, Lynn Whitfield	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (In Stereo)	Late Night
3	NBC	News	News	News	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune (N)	Jeopardy! (N)	Dateline NBC (In Stereo)	*** "The Italian Job" (2003, Crime Drama) Mark Wahlberg, Charlize Theron (In Stereo)	News	News	News	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (In Stereo)	Late Night	
4	PBS	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Dragon Tales (In Stereo) (EI)	GED Connection	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	Jubilee (In Stereo)	Frontline "The Age of AIDS" (N) (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	BBC World News	Kentucky Life	Workplace-Skills	Kentucky Time Capsule	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program
7	ABC	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	News	ABC World News Tonight	Family Feud (In Stereo)	Entertainment Tonight	George Lopez (In Stereo)	Freddie "Pilot" (N)	Lost "Man of Science, Man of Faith" (In Stereo)	Commander In Chief "The Elephant in the Room" (N)	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program	
15	WGN	Moesha (In Stereo)	Moesha "Talk of the Town"	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	MLB Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs (In Stereo Live)	News	Becker (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (In Stereo)	Late Late Show		
10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News	Ebert & Roeper (N)	The King of Queens	Gameshow Marathon "The Price Is Right" (N)	Criminal Minds "The Fox" (In Stereo)	CSI: NY "Stuck on You" (In Stereo)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (In Stereo)	News	Late Show		
11	FOX	Maury	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	Bones "Woman at the Airport" (In Stereo)	So You Think You Can Dance (N) (In Stereo)	News	Sex and the City	The Bernie Mac Show	Malcolm in the Middle	Paid Program	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late
13	CBS	Dr. Phil (In Stereo)	News	CBS News	News	Hollywood	Gameshow Marathon (N)	Criminal Minds "The Fox" (In Stereo)	CSI: NY "Stuck on You" (In Stereo)	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late	
46	ESPN	Horn	Interruption	SportsCenter (Live)	NBA Sounds	NBA	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 5 -- Heat at Pistons	
30	DSC	It Takes a Thief	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	MythBusters									

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23	TBS	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	Seinfeld: "The Soul Mate"	Seinfeld: "The Dealership"	Everybody-Raymond	Everybody-Raymond	Friends (In Stereo)	Friends (In Stereo)	** "Road Trip" (2000, Comedy) Tom Green, Breckin Meyer.	** "Son-in-Law" (1993, Comedy) Pauly Shore, Carla Gugino.						
3	NBC	News	News	News	NBC Nightly News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dateline NBC (In Stereo)	Las Vegas (In Stereo)	Conviction: "Denial" (In Stereo)	News	The Tonight Show With Jay Leno (In Stereo)	Late Night				
4	PBS	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Dragon Tales	Math Basics "Estimation"	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Jeopardy!	Comment on Kentucky	McLaughlin Group	Washington Now (In Stereo)	NOW (In Stereo)	Connections With Renee Shaw	BBC World News	Kentucky Life	To the Contrary	Eye on Washington	
7	ABC	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	Judge Judy (In Stereo)	News	ABC World News Tonight	Family Feud	Entertainment Tonight	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	Hope & Faith (In Stereo)	20/20	News	Nightline	Paid Program	Paid Program			
10	WGN	Moesha (In Stereo)	Moesha "Break a Leg"	Home Improvement	Home Improvement	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)	Shocking Behavior: Caught on Tape (In Stereo)	Shocking Behavior: Caught on Tape 2 (In Stereo)	WGN News at Nine (In Stereo)	Sex and the City	Becker (In Stereo)	America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo)				
9	CBS	News	News	News	CBS Evening News	Legends (Suzuki)	The King of Queens	Ghost Whisperer "Voices" (In Stereo)	Close to Home "Privilege" (In Stereo)	NUMB3RS "Bones of Contention" (TV) (In Stereo)	News	Late Show With David Letterman (In Stereo)	Late Late Show				
11	FOX	Maury	Maury	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	Friends (In Stereo)	Everybody-Raymond	** "Lara Croft: Tomb Raider" Jolie, Jon Voight. (In Stereo)	** "Lara Croft: Tomb Raider" Jolie, Jon Voight. (In Stereo)	News	Sex and the City	The Bernie Mac Show	Malcolm in the Middle	Paid Program			
13	CBS	Dr. Phil (In Stereo)	Dr. Phil (In Stereo)	News	CBS News	News	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer "Voices" (In Stereo)	Close to Home "Privilege" (In Stereo)	NUMB3RS (TV) (In Stereo)	News	Late Show-Letterman	Late Late				
46	ESPN	(3:00) PGA Golf (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	NBA	NBA	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 6 - Pistons at Heat	NBA Basketball: Eastern Conference Final Game 6 - Pistons at Heat	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	Fastbreak	Baseball				
30	DSC	It Takes a Thief	Cash Cab	Cash Cab	Into the Firestorm	Into the Firestorm	Into the Firestorm	Deadliest Catch	I Shouldn't Be Alive	Lost in the Wild	Into the Firestorm	Deadliest Catch	Deadliest Catch				
31	TNT	Charmed "Show Ghoul"	Charmed (In Stereo)	Charmed (In Stereo)	Law & Order "Marathon"	Law & Order "Marathon"	Law & Order "Marathon"	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.	**** "GoodFellas" (1990, Crime Drama) Robert De Niro, Ray Liotta, Premiere.				
85	A&E	City Confidential	Amer. Justice	Amer. Justice	Amer. Justice	Amer. Justice	Amer. Justice	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces	Titanic's Final Moments: Missing Pieces				
59	TNN	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Wildcat Police Videos	Wildcat Police Videos	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	The Shield "Scar Tissue"	The Shield "Co-Pilot"	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.	CSI: Crime Scene Investgtn.				
53	NICK	SpongeBob "Drake & Josh"	Ned's School	Danny Phant.	SpongeBob	Catscratch	Avatar	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (In Stereo)	Monk	House (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (In Stereo)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (In Stereo)				
46	USA	(4:00) *** "Far and Away" (1992, Drama) Tom Cruise, Nicole Kidman.	7th Heaven (In Stereo)	7th Heaven (In Stereo)	7th Heaven (In Stereo)	7th Heaven (In Stereo)	7th Heaven (In Stereo)	*** "Ever After: A Cinderella Story" (1998, Romance) Drew Barrymore.	*** "Ever After: A Cinderella Story" (1998, Romance) Drew Barrymore.	Whose Line? (In Stereo)	Whose Line? (In Stereo)	Home Videos	Home Videos				
20	FAM	Gilmore Girls (In Stereo)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	*** "Losing Isaiah" (1995, Drama) Jessica Lange.	*** "Losing Isaiah" (1995, Drama) Jessica Lange.	*** "Disappearing Acts" (2000, Drama) Wesley Snipes, Sanaa Lathan.	Will & Grace	Will & Grace	Will & Grace				
24	LIFE	The Nanny (In Stereo)	The Nanny (In Stereo)	The Nanny (In Stereo)	The Nanny (In Stereo)	The Nanny (In Stereo)	The Nanny (In Stereo)	*** "The Princess Bride" (1987, Adventure) Cary Elwes, Robin Wright.	*** "The Princess Bride" (1987, Adventure) Cary Elwes, Robin Wright.	*** "Poltergeist III" (1988, Horror) Tom Skerritt, Nancy Allen.	Pinata: Island Premiere.	Pinata: Island Premiere.	Pinata: Island Premiere.				
66	HGTV	That's Clever	Landscapers	Renovation	Weekend	Curb Appeal	Get Color	Design Remix	Double Take	FreeStyle (N)	House	House	Debbie Travis' Facelift	Get Color	Design Remix		
61	SCIFI	Battlestar Galactica	Stargate SG-1	"Sentinel" (In Stereo)	John Doe (In Stereo)	John Doe (In Stereo)	Stargate SG-1 (In Stereo)	Doctor Who "Bad Wolf" (N)	Stargate SG-1 (In Stereo)	Stargate SG-1 "Beachhead"	Stargate SG-1 (In Stereo)	Doctor Who "Bad Wolf" (N)	Doctor Who "Bad Wolf" (N)				
44	HIST	High Hitler	Secret Allied Aircraft of WWII	Modern Marvels "Canons"	Modern Marvels "Canons"	Modern Marvels "Canons"	Modern Marvels "Canons"	Storm on the Horizon (N)	Storm on the Horizon (N)	Storm on the Horizon (N)	Storm on the Horizon (N)	Storm on the Horizon (N)	Storm on the Horizon (N)				
33	TOC	Fishing	Hank Parker	Fall Flight	Pro Hunting	Backland	Am. Archer	Shooting	Guns	Get the Game	Outdoors	Quebec Adv.	Tracks-Africa	Prospecting	Hunt-America	Jim Houston	Brittingham
14	HBO	(4:00) *** "Blindman" (1999, Drama) Richard Gere, Jodie Foster. (In Stereo) PG-13	Cinderella Man	*** "Somersby" (1993, Drama) Richard Gere, Jodie Foster. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Somersby" (1993, Drama) Richard Gere, Jodie Foster. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Somersby" (1993, Drama) Richard Gere, Jodie Foster. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Somersby" (1993, Drama) Richard Gere, Jodie Foster. (In Stereo) PG-13	Big Love "A Barbecue for Betty" (In Stereo)	Big Love "The Baptism" (In Stereo)	Big Love "Where There's a Will" (In Stereo)	The Sopranos "Moe 'n' Joe" (In Stereo)	*** "Clear and Present Danger" (1994) Harrison Ford.	*** "Clear and Present Danger" (1994) Harrison Ford.				
15	HBO2	(4:15) "The Clearing" (2004)	*** "Once Around" (1991) Richard Dreyfuss. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Once Around" (1991) Richard Dreyfuss. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Once Around" (1991) Richard Dreyfuss. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Once Around" (1991) Richard Dreyfuss. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Once Around" (1991) Richard Dreyfuss. (In Stereo) PG-13	Six Feet Under "Ecotone" (In Stereo)	*** "Spider-Man 2" (2004, Action) Tobey Maguire. PG-13	Cathouse: The Series (In Stereo)	Freddy's Dead	Freddy's Dead	Freddy's Dead				
3	HBO3	(4:30) *** "Urban Cowboy" (1980, Drama) John Travolta, Debra Winger. PG-13	*** "Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney. (In Stereo) R	*** "Saturday Night Fever" (1977, Drama) John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney. (In Stereo) R	Six Feet Under "I'll Take You" (In Stereo)	*** "Miss Congeniality 2: Armed and Fabulous" (2005, Comedy) Sandra Bullock, Regina King. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Fever Pitch" (2005) Drew Barrymore. PG-13	*** "Fever Pitch" (2005) Drew Barrymore. PG-13	*** "Fever Pitch" (2005) Drew Barrymore. PG-13	*** "Fever Pitch" (2005) Drew Barrymore. PG-13				
3	MAX	(3:45) *** "Taxi" (2004)	*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) PG	*** "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004, Fantasy) Daniel Radcliffe, Rupert Grint. (In Stereo) PG	*** "The Night of the Phoenix" (2004, Adventure) Dennis Quaid, Giovanni Ribisi. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "The Night of the Phoenix" (2004, Adventure) Dennis Quaid, Giovanni Ribisi. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "U.S. Marshals" (1998, Crime Drama) Tommy Lee Jones, Wesley Snipes. (In Stereo) PG-13	Sex Games Cancun (N) 2" (2005) NR	Sex Games Cancun (N) 2" (2005) NR	Sex Games Cancun (N) 2" (2005) NR				
29	DISN	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	*** "The Parent Trap" (1998, Comedy) Lindsay Lohan, Dennis Quaid. PG	*** "The Parent Trap" (1998, Comedy) Lindsay Lohan, Dennis Quaid. PG	Even Stevens	Suite Life of Zack & Cody	That's So Raven	Hannah Montana	Kim Possible	Kim Possible		
22	SHOW	(4:35) *** "Sky Captain and the World of Tomorrow" (2004) Gwyneth Paltrow.	*** "Against the Ropes" (2004, Drama) Meg Ryan, Omar Epps. (In Stereo)	*** "Against the Ropes" (2004, Drama) Meg Ryan, Omar Epps. (In Stereo)	*** "Against the Ropes" (2004, Drama) Meg Ryan, Omar Epps. (In Stereo)	*** "Against the Ropes" (2004, Drama) Meg Ryan, Omar Epps. (In Stereo)	*** "Against the Ropes" (2004, Drama) Meg Ryan, Omar Epps. (In Stereo)	*** "Carillo's Way: Rise to Power" (2005, Crime Drama) Jay Hernandez.	HUFF "So... What Brings You to Amageddon?" (TV) (Live)	Boxing: ShoBox: The New Generation. (TV) (Live)	Boxing: ShoBox: The New Generation. (TV) (Live)	Boxing: ShoBox: The New Generation. (TV) (Live)	Boxing: ShoBox: The New Generation. (TV) (Live)				
25	TMC	(4:20) *** "Sam Whiskey" (1969) Burt Reynolds.	*** "Who's Harry Crumb?" (1989, Comedy) John Candy, Jeffrey Jones. (In Stereo)	*** "Who's Harry Crumb?" (1989, Comedy) John Candy, Jeffrey Jones. (In Stereo)	*** "Who's Harry Crumb?" (1989, Comedy) John Candy, Jeffrey Jones. (In Stereo)	*** "Who's Harry Crumb?" (1989, Comedy) John Candy, Jeffrey Jones. (In Stereo)	*** "Who's Harry Crumb?" (1989, Comedy) John Candy, Jeffrey Jones. (In Stereo)	*** "The Game" (1997) Penn. (In Stereo)	Suspense Michael Douglas, Sean Penn. (In Stereo)	*** "Code 46" (2003, Science Fiction) Tim Robbins, Samantha Morton. Premiere. (In Stereo)	*** "Wild at Heart" (1990, Drama) Nicolas Cage, Laura Dern. Premiere. (In Stereo)	*** "Wild at Heart" (1990, Drama) Nicolas Cage, Laura Dern. Premiere. (In Stereo)	*** "Wild at Heart" (1990, Drama) Nicolas Cage, Laura Dern. Premiere. (In Stereo)				

SATURDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON		JUNE 3, 2006															
ET	PT	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
23	TBS	(8:00) *** "The Day My Parents Ran Away" (1993)	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Air America" (1990, Adventure) Mel Gibson, Robert Downey Jr. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Lost & Found" (1999, Romance-Comedy) David Spade, Sophie Marceau.	*** "Road Trip" (2000, Comedy) Tom Green, Breckin Meyer.							
4	NBC	Kenny the Shark	Time Warp Trio	Trading Spaces	Darcy's Wild Life	Flight 29 Down	Endurance (In Stereo)	Tennis: French Open - Men's and Women's Third Round. (In Stereo)	Tennis: French Open - Men's and Women's Third Round. (In Stereo)	Arena Football: Conference Championship - Teams TBA. (In Stereo) Live	Arena Football: Conference Championship - Teams TBA. (In Stereo) Live	Arena Football: Conference Championship - Teams TBA. (In Stereo) Live	Arena Football: Conference Championship - Teams TBA. (In Stereo) Live				
5	PBS	Dragon Tales	Caillou (N) (In Stereo)	Ciao Italia (N) (In Stereo)	Family Kitchen	Sewing With Nancy	Ndi Arts Studio	America Quilts	Martha's Sewing Room	Glass With Vicki Payne	One Stroke Painting	Joy of Painting	Mixed Media	Workplace-Skills	Workplace-Skills	GED Connection	GED Connection
7	ABC	Lilo & Stitch "Topper"	Emperor New	The Proud Family (In Stereo)	That's So Raven	Exploration	The Proud Family (In Stereo)	That's So Raven	Paid Program	NBA Access With Ahmad Rashad (N)	PGA Tour Special (N)	American Soccer's 10 Greatest Moments	WNBA Basketball: Sparks at Liberty				
15	WGN	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Happy Days	Home Improvement	The Cosby Show	Moesha "Break a Leg"	Soul Train (In Stereo)	*** "He Got Game" (1998, Drama) Denzel Washington, Ray Allen. (In Stereo)				
10	CBS	Saturday Early Show (In Progress) (In Stereo)	Little Bill (In Stereo)	Blue's Clues (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Rodeo: PRC A Pace Picante Chute Out. (In Stereo)	PGA Golf: Memorial Tournament - Third Round. (Live)				
11	FOX	Bratz (In Stereo)	Winx Club (In Stereo)	Winx Club (In Stereo)	Mutant Turtles	Sonic X (In Stereo)	G.I. Joe Sigma 6	Paid Program	This Week in Baseball	MLB Baseball: Regional Coverage - Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Cleveland Indians or San Francisco Giants at New York Mets. (In Stereo) Live	MLB Baseball: Regional Coverage - Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Cleveland Indians or San Francisco Giants at New York Mets. (In Stereo) Live	MLB Baseball: Regional Coverage - Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Cleveland Indians or San Francisco Giants at New York Mets. (In Stereo) Live	MLB Baseball: Regional Coverage - Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Cleveland Indians or San Francisco Giants at New York Mets. (In Stereo) Live				
13	CBS	Decision	Kidz Newz	Go Diego	Backyard	Dora-Explorer	Blue's Clues	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Rodeo	PGA Golf: Memorial Tournament - Third Round. (Live)				
46	ESPN	SportsCenter	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	SportsCenter (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 7 - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 7 - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 8 - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 8 - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 8 - Teams TBA. (Live)	College Softball: NCAA Tournament Game 8 - Teams TBA. (Live)				
30	DSC	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	Return to Area 51	Strange UFO Stories	Strange UFO Stories	Strange UFO Stories	A Haunting	A Haunting "Gateway to Hell"				
31	TNT	*** "I Know What You Did Last Summer" (1997, Horror)	*** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998, Suspense) James Marsden.	*** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998, Suspense) James Marsden.	*** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998, Suspense) James Marsden.	*** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998, Suspense) James Marsden.	*** "Disturbing Behavior" (1998, Suspense) James Marsden.	*** "The Matrix" (1999, Science Fiction) Keanu Reeves.	*** "The Matrix" (1999, Science Fiction) Keanu Reeves.	*** "The Matrix Reloaded" (2003)	*** "The Matrix Reloaded" (2003)	*** "The Matrix Reloaded" (2003)	*** "The Matrix Reloaded" (2003)				
65	A&E	River Wild	Ask This Old	Old House	Old House	Old House	Old House	Combat Diary: The Marines of Lima Company	*** "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duval.	*** "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duval.	*** "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duval.	*** "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duval.	*** "Falling Down" (1993, Drama) Michael Douglas, Robert Duval.				
59	TNN	3 Stoges	3 Stoges	Most Amazing Videos	Trucks!	Trucks!	Trucks!	Horsepower MuscleCar	Xtreme 4x4	Trucks! (N)	*** "Never Say Die" (1995, Adventure) Frank Zagarino.	MXC	MXC				
53	NICK	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	OddParents	OddParents	The X's	Danny Phant.	Danny Phant.	Catscratch	Avatar	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV	Nicktoons TV
46	USA	Monk "Mr. Monk Gets Jury Duty"	*** "Gremlins" (1984, Fantasy) Zach Galligan, Phoebe Cates.	*** "Gremlins" (1984, Fantasy) Zach Galligan, Phoebe Cates.	*** "Gremlins" (1984, Fantasy) Zach Galligan, Phoebe Cates.	*** "Gremlins" (1984, Fantasy) Zach Galligan, Phoebe Cates.	*** "Gremlins" (1984, Fantasy) Zach Galligan, Phoebe Cates.	*** "Jepeters Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise, Jonathan Breck. Premiere.	*** "Jepeters Creepers 2" (2003, Horror) Ray Wise, Jonathan Breck. Premiere.	*** "Final Destination" (2000, Horror) Devon Sawa, Ali Larter.	*** "Final Destination" (2000, Horror) Devon Sawa, Ali Larter.	*** "Final Destination" (2000, Horror) Devon Sawa, Ali Larter.	*** "Final Destination" (2000, Horror) Devon Sawa, Ali Larter.				
40	FAM	(8:30) To Be Announced	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	Full House	*** "She Gets What She Wants" (2002) Piper Perabo.	*** "Summer Catch" (2001)	*** "Summer Catch" (2001)	*** "Summer Catch" (2001)				
24	LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	"Captive Hearts" (2005, Suspense) Tracy Gold.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.	"Officer Down" (2005, Suspense) Sherryll Penn.				
27	ESPN2	Beat	Day on Lake	Short List	Short List	BassCenter	Ultimate	ATV Fishing Tour (N)	LPGA Golf: Shoprite Classic - Second Round. (Live)	Tennis: French Open - Early Rounds - Day 6.	Tennis: French Open - Early Rounds - Day 6.	Tennis: French Open - Early Rounds - Day 6.	Tennis: French Open - Early Rounds - Day 6.				
72	AMC	*** "Kansas Raiders"	*** "Seven Ways From Sundown" (1960, Western) Audie Jeanne Crain.	*** "Man Without a Star" (1955, Western) Kirk Douglas.	*** "For a Few Dollars More" (1965, Western) Clint Eastwood, Lee Van Cleef.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.	*** "Jaws III" (1983, Horror) Dennis Quaid.				
66	HGTV	New Spaces	House Detect	Ground	Landscapers	Garden-Yard	Curb Appeal	Outer Spaces	Decorating	Design Remix	Get Color	Mission	Parents	KidSpace (N)	Double Take	reDesign	
61	SCIFI	"Phantom Force" (2004, Science Fiction) Richard Grieco.	*** "Lost Voyage" (2001, Horror) Judd Nelson.	*** "Thirteen Ghosts" (2001, Horror) Tony Shalhoub.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.	*** "Freddy vs. Jason" (2003, Horror) Robert Englund.				
44	HIST	Band of Brothers (In Stereo)	TBA	Mail Call	Back to the	Modern Marvels	Mega Disasters: Tsunami	Mega Disasters: Twister	Mega Disasters: Twister	Mega Disasters: Twister	Mega Disasters: Twister	Mega Disasters: Twister	Mega Disasters: Twister				
33	TOC	Pro Team	Hank Parker	Bass Champs	Prospecting	Gold Fever	Boat Test	Off Road	World of Outlaws	Monsters of Destruction	Paintball	Inside RC	Four Wheeler	Hot Rod TV			
14	HBO	*** "Ocean's Twelve" (2004, Comedy-Drama) George Clooney, Brad Pitt. (In Stereo) PG-13	*** "Paparazzi" (2004) Cole Hauser. PG-13	*** "In Good Company" (2004) Dennis Quaid. PG-13	*** "Maria Full of Grace" (2004, Drama) Catalina Sandino Moreno. (In Stereo) R	*** "The English Patient" (1996, Drama) Ralph Fiennes, Juliette Binoche. (In Stereo) R	*** "The English Patient										

TV Listings

Best

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(Charisma Carpenter), is cheating on his dad. Wallace (Percy Daggs III) starts seeing Jackie (Tessa Thompson) while Alicia (Erica Gimpel) is on vacation with Keith (Enrico Colantoni). Teddy Dunn and Jason Dohring also star.

9 p.m.
WB

Pepper Dennis

Pepper (Rebecca Romijn) starts dating a handsome football star, Grady Harper (guest star Ryan McPartlin). When Charlie (Josh Hopkins) shows up during their romantic dinner, Grady pays more attention to him than to Pepper, and off goes the gaydar. Pepper and Charlie then encourage Grady to come out. Liz Phair guest stars and performs at Chick's (Rider Strong) high-school reunion in the new episode "Charlie Babcock's Homosexual Encounter" -- Film at Eleven.

10 p.m.
NBC

Law & Order: Special Victims Unit
Stabler (Christopher Meloni) gets too close to a case in "Ripped." He works with Benson and Fin (Mariska Hargitay, Ice-T) on the rape of a teenage girl and learns the prime suspect (guest star Paul Wesley) is the son of his former partner (guest star Noah Emmerich). After the youngster attacks Fin -- and claims to remember neither the rape nor the assault -- Stabler makes some questionable decisions that lead to his suspension.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

8 p.m.
FOX

Bones

Brennan (Emily Deschanel) goes Hollywood in "The Woman at the Airport." When female body parts are found in Los Angeles, Brennan and Booth (Davidorean) go to investigate. They meet an FBI agent (Claire Coffee) who's a big fan of Brennan's books, one of which Penny Marshall (guest starring as herself) is making into a movie. Later, Brennan meets with Marshall on the set of an entertainment news show.

8 p.m.
TCM

Movie: What Ever Happened to Baby Jane?

"Butcha ahhh, Blanche, ya ahhh in that chair!" Aging screen queens Bette Davis and Joan Crawford reinvented themselves as scream queens in this campy 1962 horror tale, with Davis scoring an Oscar nomination as a demented former child star who finds a new career path late in life: tormenting her disabled sister (Crawford). Victor Buono (King Tut from the "Batman" TV series) also stars.

8 p.m.
WB

Blue Collar TV

"Lying" is the subject of this new episode, which also contains a redneck soap opera, "White Trash Days of our Lives"; the introduction of the Larrybot 7000; and a plug for Bill Engvall's Country Sausage. The popular Word of the Day and Yard of the Week features return; the former is "fixture," and the latter is in Spring City, Tenn. Jeff Foxworthy and Larry the Cable Guy also star.

9 p.m.
CBS

Criminal Minds

The Behavioral Analysis Unit has a tough case to crack in "The Fox." Their killer preys on families who are allegedly away on vacation, which means people don't notice they're missing right away. His odd M.O. involves taking them hostage and stepping into the father role. Mandy Patinkin, Thomas Gibson, Lola Glaudini and Shemar Moore star.

9 p.m.
NBC

Movie: The Italian Job

Honor among thieves goes only so far in director F. Gary Gray's ("The Negotiator") energetic 2003 update of a 1969 heist tale. Mark Wahlberg plays the mastermind behind a Venice gold robbery that goes like clockwork -- until one team member (Edward Norton) turns traitor. The others are determined to even the score in Los Angeles, where several small, very speedy cars are pivotal to the plan. Charlize Theron also stars.

9 p.m.
VH1

VH1 Rock Honors

This new special salutes some of the bands that helped shape the sound of hard rock, including Queen, Def Leppard, Judas Priest and Kiss. They're honored with spoken and filmed tributes as well as performances by the honorees and artists they've influenced, including the All-American Rejects and Foo Fighters. Jaime Pressly ("My Name Is Earl") hosts the festivities, airing from the Mandalay Bay Events Center in Las Vegas.

9 p.m.
WB

One Tree Hill

The fire at Scott Motors and the return of Haley (Bethany Joy Lenz) have Nathan (James Lafferty) tied up in knots. Brooke (Sophia Bush) is back in Tree Hill, where a new girl is after her position as captain of the cheer leading squad. Peyton (Hilarie Burton) digs into the mystery of the woman claiming to be her mother. Chad Michael Murray also stars in "Sweet Lady."

8 p.m.
SHOWTIME

WEEKDAY MORNING/AFTERNOON		© TVData															
		9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30
23	TBS	Dawson's Creek		Movie	Varied Programs			Becker	Becker	The Cosby Show	The Cosby Show	The Steve Harvey Show	The Steve Harvey Show	The Steve Harvey Show	The Drew Carey Show	The Drew Carey Show	Yes, Dear
4	NBC	Today Cont'd		Live With Regis and Kelly	The Tyra Banks Show			News	Inside Edition	Days of our Lives		Passions		Be a Millionaire	Be a Millionaire	Oprah Winfrey	
5	PBS	Dragon Tales	Clifford's Puppy Days	Sesame Street	Calliou	Barney & Friends		Teletubbies	Mister Rogers	Varied Programs	Pre GED Connection	Reading Rainbow	Between the Lions	Zoom	Fetch! With Ruff Ruffman	Cyberchase	Maya & Miguel
7	ABC	Maury		Montel Williams	The View			News	The Insider	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Judge Joe Brown	Judge Joe Brown
15	WGN	The Beverly Hillsbillies	The Beverly Hillsbillies	Rockford Files	Matlock			Magnum, P.I.		News		Magnum, P.I.		Da Vinci's Inquest		The Cosby Show	The Cosby Show
16	CBS	Family Feud	Hawthorne Direct	Live With Regis and Kelly	The Price is Right			News	The Young and the Restless	The Bold and the Beautiful		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Green Acres	The Andy Griffith Show
11	FOX	My Wife and Kids	The Bernie Mac Show	Judge Mathis	The People's Court			Judge Hatchett	Judge Hatchett	Malcolm in the Middle	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	That '70s Show	My Wife and Kids	Jerry Springer	
13	CBS	Dr. Phil		Martha	The Price is Right			News	The Young and the Restless	Bold & B.		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		The Ellen DeGeneres Show	
44	ESPN	SportsCenter	Varied	SportsCenter	SportsCenter			Fastbreak	Baseball	Varied Programs				The New Detectives	The FBI Files	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	
39	DSC	American Chopper		American Chopper	Varied Programs									The New Detectives	The FBI Files	48 Hours: Hard Evidence	
31	TNT	Charmed		ER				Judging Amy		Judging Amy		NYPD Blue		Varied Programs		Law & Order	
65	A&E	Varied Programs			City	Varied		American Justice		Varied Programs							
59	TNN	7 Days		Maximum Exposure	Most Amazing Videos			Wildest Police Videos		Star Trek: Deep Space Nine		Star Trek: Deep Space Nine		Star Trek: Next Gener.		Star Trek: Next Gener.	
53	NICK	Dora-Explorer	Go Diego	Blue's Clues	Backyard	Wonder Pets	LazyTown	Varied Programs						Danny Phant.	SpongeBob	Neutron	OddParents
44	USA	Varied Programs		Nash Bridges		Nash Bridges		Walker, Texas Ranger		Varied Programs							
24	FAM	The 700 Club	Varied	Living	Gilmore Girls	Varied	Step by Step	Full House	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Boy World	Boy World	Full House	Full House	Grounded	Grounded
24	LIFE	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Frasier	Frasier	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Will & Grace	Will & Grace	The Nanny	The Nanny	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie			
27	ESPN2	Tennis								Varied Programs							
72	AMC	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs														
66	HGTV	Carol Duvall	Carol Duvall	Room	Room Service	Country Style	Designing	That's Clever	House		Decorating	Sensible Chic	Mission	Divine Design	Design-Dime	Designers	House
61	SCIFI	Varied Programs															Ripley's Believe It or Not!
44	HIST	Varied Programs						Modern Marvels		Varied Programs							
33	TOC	Varied Programs						Paid Program	Varied Programs								
14	HBO	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie		Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs									
15	HBO2	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie		Varied Programs										
	HBO3	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs														
	MAX	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs							Movie		Varied Programs					Movie
28	DISN	JoJo's Circus	Charlie & Lola	The Wiggles	The Koala Brothers	Rolie Polie Olie	Doodlebops	Stanley	Rolie Polie Olie	Higglytown Heroes	JoJo's Circus	Lilo & Stitch	Brandy & Mr. Whiskers	Varied Programs			
22	SHOW	Movie Cont'd	Movie	Varied Programs										Movie		Varied Programs	Movie
25	TMC	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs							Movie	Varied Programs				

"Like You Like an Arsonist."

10 p.m.
A&E

Criss Angel Mindfreak

The series' second season opens with "Building Float" -- and no, that's not a soda-fountain treat. Inspired by 19th-century Scotsman D.D. Home, Criss attempts a levitation stunt that has him going through the air from one building to another. And for those tempted to try this at home, Criss teaches the audience how to perform a somewhat less extreme levitation. Lance Burton makes a special appearance.

10 p.m.
CBS

CSI: NY

A model is killed by an arrow while having outdoor sex with a rich playboy at a party. Stella (Melina Kanakaredes), who attended the event, suspects a jealous lover; the man had plenty of them. Danny and Lindsay (Carmine Giovinazzo, Anna Belknap) investigate a young man's death in Greenwich Village and discover a turf war raging among unsigned bands and their promoters. Costar Gary Sinise shows off his musical skills in "Stuck on You."

10 p.m.
DISCOVERY

Extreme Engineering

The new episode "The Biggest Warship" catches up with the builders of an upcoming addition to the U.S. Navy's fleet: the aircraft carrier USS George H.W. Bush. It chronicles the delicate process of hoisting the 160 pieces of the 4 1/2-acre flight deck into place. Construction is about halfway complete, and when it's finished, the ship will be more than 1,000 feet long and be able to carry about 75 aircraft.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1

3:30 p.m.
ESPN

PGA Golf

Did you know Retief Goosen is one of only two players -- Tiger Woods being the other -- to win a PGA Tour event in each of the last five seasons? Goosen's overall game is as steady as his putting stroke, which he hopes will be put to good use beginning today in the Memorial Tournament. Others who've committed to Jack Nicklaus' annual get-together in Dublin, Ohio, include Phil Mickelson, Jim Furyk, Fred Couples, Vijay Singh and 2005 winner Bart Bryant.

8 p.m.
ABC

The 2006 Scripps National Spelling Bee

Two hundred seventy-five youngsters came to Washington, D.C., this week to show their spelling skills. Now it's down to the final round, which ends in the crowning of a new champion. Last year's winner, Anurag Kashyap of California, took the title with a letter-perfect rendering of "appoggiatura," a type of musical note.

8 p.m.
FOX

That '70s Show

Mary Tyler Moore guest stars as a local talk show host who hires Jackie (Mila Kunis) as her assistant. Jackie is thrilled to get the job but soon discovers it's not as glamorous as she'd imagined. Donna (Laura Prepon) wonders what Randy's (Josh Meyers) intentions are. Marriage brings another lesson for Hyde (Danny Masterson). Gavin MacLeod and Dick Van Patten also guest star in "Sweet Lady."

8 p.m.
SHOWTIME

Movie: The Machinist

Christian Bale ("Batman Begins") lost 60 pounds for this 2004 thriller, in

which he plays a drill-press operator who hasn't slept in a year. Encounters with a mysterious stranger and cryptic messages push his already troubled mind over the edge into paranoia. Jennifer Jason Leigh and Aitana Sanchez-Gijon also star.

8 p.m.
UPN

Everybody Hates Chris

Chris' (Tyler James Williams) report card is out, and the news isn't good. He got an F in math. Like kids everywhere faced with bad grades, he goes to extremes to keep his parents from finding out. At least his dad, Julius (Terry Crews), might be distracted for a bit; home with the gout, he's getting hooked on daytime soaps. Tichina Arnold also stars in "Everybody Hates the Gout."

8 p.m.
WB

Smallville

Joni Mitchell said it best: "You don't know what you've got till it's gone." Stripped of his superpowers by Jor-El, Clark (Tom Welling) is thrilled to be free of the big secret and able to get closer to Larja (Kristin Kreuk). Second thoughts come quickly, however, when she is taken hostage, along with Martha and Jonathan (Annette O'Toole, John Schneider), by a trio of thugs in "Mortal."

9 p.m. check local listings

PBS

Metropolitan Opera Presents

In August, Joseph Volpe will retire after 42 years as the Metropolitan Opera's general manager. The company pays tribute to its leader and his legacy with "The Met Salutes Joseph Volpe," a three-hour gala taped May 20. It includes performances by the opera's orchestra, chorus and ballet company, along with an assortment of acclaimed singers.

9 p.m.
WB

Supernatural

Sam and Dean (Jared Padalecki, Jensen Ackles) investigate a series of drownings in a small town. They were originally declared suicides, but they turn out to be the work of the spirit of a little boy who can move through water and has a grudge against the town. Dean bonds with a youngster who appears to have special powers of his own in "Dead in the Water."

9:30 p.m.
UPN

Cuts

In "Welcome Back, Barber-rino," Kevin (Marques Houston) crawls back from his on-the-road gig, where something went wrong. He wants his old job back, but Tiffany (Shannon Elizabeth) wants to bring in another female stylist. There's no way Kevin's going to let Tiffany know he's desperate, so instead, he comes up with your basic harebrained -- make that hairbrained -- scheme to make her see how much she needs him.

9:59 p.m.
NBC

ER

Neela (Parminder Nagra) has quite an eventful day in "Two Ships." She goes on what's supposed to be a routine ride-along in an ambulance and is soon pressed into service tending to plane-crash victims trapped in a burning building. She wins praise from her colleagues and the ambulance driver -- although in his case, it may be more than admiration for her bravery causing that warm feeling. Did we mention he's played by John Stamos?

FRIDAY, JUNE 2

8 p.m.
AMC

Movie: Insomnia

In this engrossing 2002 melodrama from director Christopher Nolan ("Memento"), Al Pacino's police-detective character has more quirks than other cops the actor has played. The investigator is investigated himself -- due to his partner's death -- while he's in Alaska to help solve a teen's murder. The chief suspect (an excellent, atypical Robin Williams) seems to know a lot about the cop. Hilary Swank and Martin Donovan costar.

8 p.m.
CBS

Ghost Whisperer

Melinda (Jennifer Love Hewitt) is hearing voices on the car radio -- and we're not talking Howard Stern and Rush Limbaugh. The spirit of an unhappy mother is trying to communicate through the so-called "white noise." Interpreting her messages -- intended for her troubled teenage son -- through the static proves challenging. Christine Baranski ("Cybill") returns as Jim's (David Conrad) mother in "Voices."

8 p.m.
FOX

Movie: Lara Croft: Tomb Raider

An impressively athletic Angelina Jolie becomes the human embodiment of the video game heroine in this 2001 adventure. Croft's quest to recover artifacts pits her against a villain (Iain Glen) who wants to control time. She seeks a key that can help her quash that scheme. Jon Voight, Jolie's real-life father, costars as Croft's dad.

8 p.m.
WB

What I Like About You

Holly (Amanda Bynes) resolves to make her relationship with Vince (Nick Zano) work despite the temporary physical distance between them. Val (Jennie Garth) teams up with Lauren (Leslie Grossman) to get Vic (Dan Cortese) out of her place so their impulsive marriage can be ended. Wesley Jonathan also stars in "Surprise."

8:30 p.m.
WB

Twins

In "Fruit of the Lunatics," Mitchell and Farrah (Sara Gilbert, Molly Stanton) realize how much they miss Alina and Lee's (Mark Linn-Baker, Melanie Griffith) experience and guidance when they take over their first big challenge as co-presidents of the lingerie company. The rents, meanwhile, come to a realization of their own: The peaceful, relaxing retirement life may not be for them after all.

9 p.m.
CBS

Close to Home

Annabeth (Jennifer Finnigan) investigates a kidnapping that may turn out to be a homicide -- possibly a racially motivated one, according to the information Maureen and Danny (Kimberly Elise, Conor Dubin) are turning up from the suspect's friends and relatives. Just as the case is starting to look good, a judge throws out some key statements made by the suspect. Christian Kane also stars in "Privilege."

9 p.m.
TLC

What Not to Wear: Worst Dressed Family in America

In past special episodes of this make-over series, style gurus Stacy London and Clinton Kelly have helped couples and groups of friends revamp their wardrobes and even taken one winner to Paris for a super-sized makeover. In this one, they work with an entire family of fashion-challenged folk who can use some expert guidance on looking their best. As always, hairstylist Nick

Arrojo and makeup artist Carmindy contribute to the process.

9 p.m.
WB

Reba

Brock (Christopher Rich) seeks Reba's (Reba McEntire) advice on dealing with Barbra Jean's (Melissa Peterman) recent weight gain. She advises him to be gentle, but he goes with Cheyenne's (JoAnna Garcia) recommendation to be more direct. Barbra Jean is receptive to that approach but wonders why Reba wasn't willing to be honest. Mitch Holleman also stars in "Have Your Cake."

9:30 p.m.
WB

Living With Fran

Fran (Fran Drescher) is looking forward to showing off Riley (Ryan McPartlin) to all the relatives at a family bar mitzvah, but she's upstaged by her ex, Ted (Charles Shaughnessy), whose date for the event is none other than supermodel Rachel Hunter (guest starring as herself). Season four "American Idol" contestant and Drescher look-alike Mikalah Gordon also guest stars, along with Drescher's real-life parents.

10 p.m.
CBS

NUMB3RS

Don, Megan and Charlie (Rob Morrow, Diane Farr, David Krumholtz) investigate the murder of a museum researcher and discover she was working on a human skull found on American Indian land. Apparently someone didn't want her to learn the truth about the skull's origins because it would require the tribe to rewrite its history. Oscar nominee Graham Greene guest stars as the tribe's chief in "Bones of Contention."

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

8 p.m.
ABC

Movie: Toy Story

In this computer-animated 1995 hit film, Tom Hanks lends his voice to toy cowboy Woody, whose happy life with his owner's other playthings is threatened by the arrival of flashy action hero Buzz Lightyear (voice of Tim Allen). Other voices provided by Don Rickles, Jim Varney, John Deery and Penn Jillette.

8 p.m.
BRAVO

Movie: U-571

Suspense runs deep for a U.S. submarine crew during World War II in director Jonathan Mostow's ("Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines") skillfully made 2000 thriller. Led by Matthew McConaughey's character, the enlisted men board a German U-boat to steal an encoding device that can help the Allies. Trapped aboard that ship, they become targets of Nazi and U.S. forces. Bill Paxton and Jon Bon Jovi also star.

8 p.m.
CBS

NUMB3RS

Don (Rob Morrow) and his team investigate the kidnapping of a jewelry store owner's wife and daughter during a robbery. The deeper they dig, however, the more strongly they suspect that this might

Regional Obituaries

FLOYD COUNTY

■ Fannie Edna Clark, 79, of Dana, died Monday, May 22, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Willie T. Crase, Sr., 54, of Wayland, died Tuesday, May 23, at the V.A. Medical Center, in Huntington, West Virginia. He is survived by his wife, Charlene Slone Crase. Funeral services were conducted Friday, May 26, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

■ Timothy Gene Francis, 50, of Garrett, died Monday, May 22, in the King's Daughters Medical Center, in Ashland. Funeral services were conducted Friday, May 26, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Sammie Handshoe, 87, of Lexington, formerly of Huesville, died Sunday, May 21, at Saint Joseph Hospital, Lexington. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, May 25, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ Loraine S. Martin, age 86, of Jacksonville, Florida, formerly of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, May 21, at All Saints Catholic Nursing Home, Jacksonville, Florida. Funeral services were conducted Friday, May 26, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

■ James Emaul Phillips, 84, of Butler, formerly of Wheelwright, died Saturday, May 20, at the River Valley Nursing Home, in Butler. Memorial services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Peoples Funeral Home, Falmouth.

■ Elizabeth Ann (Allen) Slone, died Saturday, May 20,

She is survived by her husband, Carl Slone. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday, May 30, at 11 a.m., under the direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

PIKE COUNTY

■ Betty J. Anderson, 79, of Jenkins, a native of Pike County, died Wednesday, May 24, at Letcher Manor. She is survived by her husband, Buddy Anderson. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Jerry Blankenship, 51, of Raven, Va., a Pike County native, died Friday, May 19, in Pike County. Funeral services were held Sunday, May 21, under the direction of Lucas and Son Funeral Home.

■ Azza Stewart Bowling, 87, of Caney Creek, died Tuesday, May 23, at Ridgecrest Nursing Home, Duffield, Va. She is survived by her husband, Virgil Bowling. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under the direction of Lucas & Son Funeral Home.

■ Ernie Lee Burke, 57, of Myra, died Saturday, May 20, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Wednesday, May 24, under the direction of Hall & Jones Funeral Home.

■ Jean Charles Cansler, 76, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, May 23, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Halligene Whisman Cansler. Funeral services were held Thursday, May 25, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Sandra Ann Coleman, 58, of McAndrews, died Sunday, May 21, at the South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital. Funeral ser-

VICES were held Wednesday, May 24, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

■ Lillie Fields, 92, of McCarr, died Wednesday, May 24, at her home. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

■ Jean Clair Forsyth, 85, of Pikeville, died Monday, May 22, at Pikeville Medical Center. Funeral services were held Thursday, May 25, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Elizabeth Kiser Hall, 72, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, May 24, at her home. She is survived by her husband, Manderville Hall. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Melinda "Mindy Mae" Good Hensley, 27, of Mouthcard, died Saturday, May 20, at Mouthcard. She is survived by her husband, Riley Hensley. Funeral services were held Thursday, May 25, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Zelma Hughes, 83, of Ransom, died Tuesday, May 23, at her home. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

■ David Wesley "DW" Stanley, 84, a Pike County native, died Wednesday, May 24. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Community Funeral Home.

■ J. David Stanley, 68, of Turkey Creek, died Wednesday, May 24, at Pikeville Medical Center. He is survived by his wife, Anna Bell Burgett Stanley. Funeral services were held

Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel of Toler.

■ Loretta Grizzle Stiltner, 66, of Mouthcard, died Wednesday, May 24, at Buchanan General Hospital, Grundy, Virginia. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 27, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ James Henry Vandyke, 61, of Stopover, died Monday, May 22, at Bristol Regional Medical Center, Bristol, Virginia. He is survived by his wife, Amie Coleman Vandyke. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

■ Katie Gail Ashley Watkins, 28, of Jeffersonville, formerly of Robinson Creek, died Thursday, May 18, at her home. She is survived by her husband, Repts Watkins. Funeral services were held Monday, May 22, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home.

■ Elmo C. Whitt, 91, of Pikeville, died Thursday, May 18, at Heritage Hall, Grundy, Va. Funeral services were held Sunday, May 21, under the direction of J.W. Call Funeral Home.

■ Jack Larry Williamson, 75, of Hazel Park, Mich., a native of Pike County, died Sunday, May 21, at his home. He is survived by his wife, Mary Ratliff Williamson. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

■ Jennifer Stacy Wright, 40, of Belcher, died Monday, May 22, at Regina. She is survived by her husband, Percy Foncel Wright Jr. Funeral services were held Thursday, May 25, under

the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

■ Elsie Mae Reed Yates of Kermit, W.Va., formerly of Fords Branch, died Tuesday, May 9, at Williamson Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were held, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Patsy S. Young, 47, of Sidney, died Friday, May 19, at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington. She is survived by her husband, Tracy Young. Funeral services were held Monday, May 22 under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

KNOTT COUNTY

■ Elizabeth Ann Allen Slone, 54, of Hindman, died Saturday, May 20. She is survived by her husband, Carl Slone. Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 30, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

JOHNSON COUNTY

■ Renia Blair, 75, of Paintsville, died Tuesday, May 23, at her residence. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under the direction of the Preston Funeral Home.

■ Ernest Buell "Cracker Bill" Castle, 78, of Thealka, died Wednesday, May 10, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 13, under the direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

■ Doris J. Davis, 71, of Paintsville, died Thursday, May 18, at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center in Paintsville. Funeral services were held Sunday, May 21, under the direction of the Preston Funeral Home.

■ Johnathon Scott Marcum, infant son of Gary Dewayne Marcum and Christi Hall, died Sunday, May 21, at the Children's Hospital, in Columbus, Ohio. Graveside services were held Wednesday, May 24, under the direction of the Paintsville Funeral Home.

■ Willa Dean Osborne, 65, of Wittensville, died Tuesday, May 23, at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg. She is survived by her husband, James D. Osborne. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26,

under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

■ Elmon Sisco, 80, of Meally, died Friday, May 19, at Mountain Manor in Paintsville. Funeral services were held Monday, May 22, under the direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home of Paintsville.

■ Elleda Stambaugh, 74, of River, died Thursday, May 18, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg. Funeral services were held Sunday, May 21, under the direction of the Preston Funeral Home.

MARTIN COUNTY

■ Dennis Blackburn, 42, of Ohio, (formerly of Martin County), died Sunday, May 21, at his residence. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 24, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

■ Elbert Dillon, 67, of Kermit, died Wednesday, May 17, at his home. Funeral services were held Friday, May 19, under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

■ Clayton "Shorty" Ferguson, 67, died Friday, May 19. Funeral services were conducted Monday, May 22, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Albert Gilman, 75, of Kermit, died Tuesday, May 16. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 29, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Fred (Bear) Hinkle, 86, of Loudonville, Ohio, formerly of Tomahawk, died Saturday, May 13, at Colonial Manor Health Care Center. He is survived by his wife, Opal Spears Hinkle. Funeral services were held Monday, May 15, under the direction of Wappner Funeral Directors.

■ Kevan Dale Horn, 25, of Tomahawk, died Sunday, May 21, at his residence. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 24, under the direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

■ Brenda Lee Puckett, 53, of Lovely, died Tuesday, May 23, at her home. She is survived by her husband, Leck Puckett. Funeral services were held Friday, May 26, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Coal

is the company's top priority.

The U.S. Energy Information Administration said coal production from Appalachian mines has increased by 2 percent over the past year. Kentucky miners produced an additional 4 million tons over the period, raising the state's total to 120 million tons; West Virginia produced an additional 5 million tons, raising that state's total production to nearly 156 million tons.

Kentucky's mining industry has had a corresponding increase in employment, about 2,000 additional miners over the past two years, raising the total number of miners to about 14,800, not counting managers, engineers and support workers, said Carlos Cracraft, a labor market analyst in the Kentucky Department for Workforce Development. West Virginia has added about 3,000 miners.

Cracraft said the miners, who earn an average \$18.35 an hour, are working an average of 49.5 hours a week in Kentucky. That, he said, suggests some miners may have a typical 40-hour work week while others may be on the job for 60 hours or more.

James Jarrett, 43, of DeBord in eastern Kentucky, said the job is far from easy.

"I would say this is about one of the toughest jobs in the country," he said. "Ain't nobody else ever been where we've been, with a mountain over top of them. About every mine is working six days a week. I may get 60 to 70 hours a week, or I may go home in 48. It varies."

Most miners are glad to get the overtime, Jarrett said, because it means more money in the pay check.

Jarrett, who took time off for an unsuccessful election campaign for Martin County judge-executive, said he enjoys the hard work of mining. He plans

to return to work next week as an electrician for Booth Energy of Inez.

"My daddy was a miner. His daddy was miner," Jarrett said. "It's a good job."

The impact of the additional hours may be greater on Kentucky miners, Caylor said, because their average age is now nearing 50.

Joe Main, a mine safety consultant and former safety director for the United Mine Workers of America, said industry representatives and regulators should look at overtime when considering ways to improve mine safety.

Coal operators are so focused on the bottom line that they're calling on miners to put in more hours instead of hiring additional workers to help carry the load, Main said.

Jane Rice Williams, chairwoman of the Kentucky Mining Board, said she hears constantly about a shortage of miners, which could be one reason why existing miners are working so much overtime.

However, Chuck Wolfe, spokesman for the Kentucky Office of Mine Safety and Licensing, said he doesn't know whether the five Harlan County miners who died last weekend were on overtime. Company representatives couldn't be reached for comment. No one answered the phone at the company office.

Main said he "would be surprised" if the average Appalachian miner works less than 10 hours a week of overtime, primarily, he said, because coal operators prefer paying overtime to existing miners rather than hiring additional workers.

A growing pool of inexperienced miners, who have passed a state test to become certified as coal miners, aren't being

hired in large numbers, despite claims of a worker shortage, Main said.

"That needs a clear examination," he said. "If you look at it from the standpoint of running a safe coal mine, you have to be the people, focused people. ... I just have a fear that the industry is in such fast motion that things like training to make sure miners and supervisors are up to speed may not be getting the emphasis that it should be."

Government officials have the same concerns. In Kentucky, Gov. Ernie Fletcher issued an executive order directing coal operators to provide refresher training to miners on how to use the air packs that they carry with them into underground mines.

"I think there's a real question as to whether the miners have had quality training in the use of those devices," Main said. "If they have not, that could be the difference between life or death."

Caylor said investigators need to determine if there's a common factor in the fatalities. He said investigators are looking at the type of seals used at the Sago mine in West Virginia, where 12 miners died in January, and at Kentucky Darby No. 1, where five miners died May 20. Both used lighter, synthetic blocks, instead of the traditional concrete blocks to close off previously mined areas. They're trying to determine if the new type of seals allowed methane to leak into working areas of the mines, or whether they simply weren't strong enough to withstand the blast.

"I don't know what single factor is causing this rash of fatalities," Caylor said. "The only legitimate factor may be if miners are worked beyond the five-day week, that fatigue may come into play. Maybe it's too much overtime. ... When you

sustain it, do it day in and day out, it does take a toll on you. That's just common sense."

Lion

when the animal injured a member of the populace.

Bartley went on to note that he didn't wish to see the family burdened by the problem and said he had researched sanctuaries and found one called "Tiger Haven" in Kingston, Tenn., that would be willing to pick up the animal free of charge. He said they specialize in "rescuing" lions and tigers from domestic pens and that they have a proven record of good care.

Collins did not indicate that he would take Bartley up on the offer and asked for extra time to help find a new home for Kitty. He was told the ordinance would go into effect on Wednesday, May 31, after it was published in area newspapers. After that Collins could have to feed the county kitty \$200 to \$500 a day until he complies with the ordinance.

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General Assignment Reporter

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U.S. General Services Administration

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Soup sold at Food City recalled

ABINGDON, Va. — The makers of Valu Time soup, a brand carried by Food City stores, recently issued a voluntary recall on their 10.5 ounce Valu Time Condensed Chicken Noodle Soup. According to the recall, although the product label reads chicken noodle, the cans affected by the recall actually contain cream of chicken soup.

While the soup itself is unharmed, the mislabeling poses a threat to those with specific food allergens as the allergen warning on the label is incorrect.

Chicken noodle soup labels carry an allergen warning that the contents contain wheat. However cream of chicken soup contains wheat, soy and milk. Food City's standard recall procedures require the immediate shelf removal of all items affected by a recall.

"At Food City, customer service is our number one priority and recalls of any nature receive immediate attention. Because the mislabeling in this instance poses a threat to those with allergens to soy and milk, we felt compelled to notify our customers in the event that they may have purchased affected items prior to issuance of the recall notification," says Steven C. Smith, Food City president and chief executive officer.

The recall affects only the 10.5 ounce cans of Valu Time Condensed Chicken Noodle Soup bearing the following label information: establishment number P-1469, upc number 0-11225-41606, with code number XCMCC9 BESTBY 01/03/08 A0306 and a number between 1600 and 1800 that indicates the time of production. No other

Valu Time soups or products are affected by the recall. All affected products have been removed from Food City shelves and returned to their reclaim center for disposal. Individuals having the affected product in their homes may bring it to any Food City location for exchange or to obtain a full refund.

While Valu Time is a member of Food City's family of store brands, the company does not manufacture or package the Valu Time products available for sale in their stores. Valu Time soups are manufactured by Morgan Foods, Inc., an Austin, Indiana based organization and shipped to Food City's warehouse in Abingdon, VA (Mid-Mountain Foods). From there, they are delivered by truck to each Food City location.



On May 8, the first annual Perfect Attendance Awards Ceremony was held at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg. One hundred eighty-five students earned Perfect Attendance Awards during the recognition. The purpose of the event was to recognize and honor students who had not missed any days this school year and had three or fewer tardies in Floyd County Public Schools. Families and community members attended to support the recognition of the students' accomplishment. Floyd County Board members Jeff Stumbo, Carol Stumbo, Mickey McGuire and Sherry Robinson presented each child with a perfect attendance award trophy, a certificate of recognition from the Board of Education, and a Perfect Attendance Citation from the House of Representatives.

KENTUCKY NEWS BRIEFS

Child missing in Kentucky flood waters

IRVINGTON — A child was missing and a woman was dead Friday following severe thunderstorms that rumbled through Kentucky.

Rescuers were searching for a 4-year-old girl who was inside a vehicle that was swept away by a rain-swollen creek in Breckinridge County, about 50 miles southwest of Louisville.

The girl's mother and another adult got out of the vehicle safely, but the child and the vehicle were still missing, said Rick Priest, the county emergency management director.

"We're trying to find the vehicle, and we're assuming that the 4-year-old is still in the vehicle," Priest said.

A sheriff's dispatcher said the driver was able to get out and release the other adult's seat belt, but the vehicle was swept away. Priest said the girl was strapped in in the back seat of the Ford Taurus.

In central Kentucky, a woman died after being struck by lightning from the storms, officials said.

School shooter may be allowed to withdraw plea, go to trial

FRANKFORT — A man who has been imprisoned for the past nine years for a deadly shooting rampage at a high school in far western Kentucky could be allowed to withdraw his plea under a ruling issued Friday by the Kentucky Court of Appeals.

Michael Carneal, 22, was a 14-year-old freshman at Heath High School in Paducah when he went on the rampage during an informal prayer service in 1997, killing three and injuring five others. He is serving a life sentence in the Kentucky State Reformatory near La Grange on three charges of murder, five charges of attempted murder and one charge of breaking and entering.

Carneal entered an Alford plea in the case, in which he didn't admit guilt but acknowledged that prosecutors had enough evidence to convict him.

Judge William L. Knopf, writing for a three-judge appeals court panel, sent the case back to McCracken County Circuit Court. The ruling left it to the trial judge to decide whether Carneal should be granted a hearing to determine whether he was competent to enter the plea. If he is determined to have been incompetent at the time, Knopf wrote that Carneal should be allowed to enter another plea or go to trial.

McCracken County Circuit Court Judge Jeff Hines denied a similar motion two years ago.

Carneal's attorney said new facts have surfaced that show Carneal was much more mentally ill at the time of his trial than anyone suspected.

Woman has filed frivolous, trillion-dollar suits all over country

LOUISVILLE — There has to be an easier way to become the world's first trillionaire.

A North Carolina woman sued a Louisville-based fast-food giant for \$9 trillion — that's twelve zeros — because one of its Atlanta restaurants

was allegedly short on chicken one day and rice on another.

The suit by Amanda U. Ajuluchuku didn't go anywhere. It was ruled frivolous and quickly tossed out of court this week by Chief District Judge John G. Heyburn in Louisville.

But Heyburn said in his ruling it wasn't the first time Ajuluchuku brought a silly suit to the courts. Her action against KFC parent company Yum Brands Inc. was one of 192 suits she's filed in federal courts in at least 16 states over the past three years. The great majority of them have been dismissed as frivolous within 90 days, Heyburn wrote.

"Obviously if someone asks for a trillion dollars, either they've got a heck of a case, or they're a little bit off the wall. Either is a possibility until you look into it," Heyburn said in a phone interview Friday with The Associated Press.

Ajuluchuku, 37, has filed big money suits all over the country against fast-food companies, banks, universities and even individuals, usually alleging that they discriminated against her because of a disability. She said in an interview that she was injured in a fall as a youth and walks with a cane.

President resigns from Delta subsidiary in bankruptcy

CINCINNATI — The president of Delta Air Lines Inc. subsidiary Comair resigned on Friday as the regional airline struggles to reach a deal with flight attendants over contract concessions that it says it needs to emerge from bankruptcy.

But Delta said the decision by Fred Buttrell, Comair's pres-

ident since January 2005, to step down does not mean changes in its operations or its stance on negotiations with the flight attendants' union. Don Bornhorst, a Comair veteran with 15 years of airline industry experience who became chief financial officer last year, will succeed Buttrell.

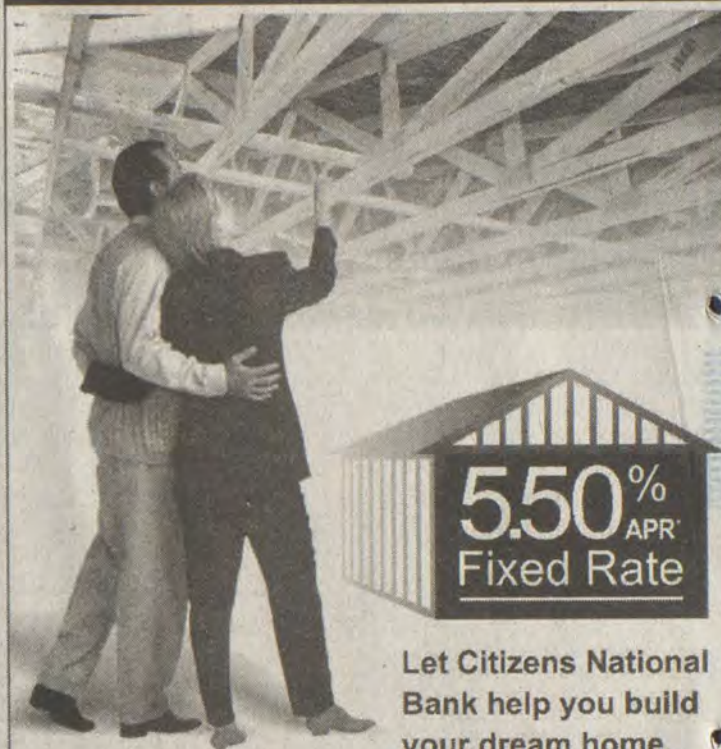
Joe Kolshak, Delta's executive vice president of operations, said he chose Bornhorst, 41, to replace Buttrell in part because of his familiarity with Comair and the negotiations with the union.

Bornhorst has worked in most areas of Comair's operations and is a native of Erlanger, Ky., near the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport that is the carrier's primary hub.

He said he hopes Buttrell's selection signals the company's desire to reach a deal that works for Comair and its unions.

"Our goal remains the same — to restructure Comair to be a viable entity so that we can once again grow it," he said.

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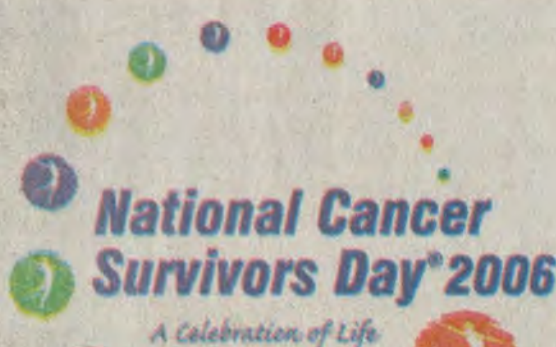


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Lady Raiders make great strides in Little's first season

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

MINNIE – Don't call it beginner's luck. In his first season as South Floyd High fast-pitch softball coach, John Little coached South Floyd to five wins. Under Little's watch, the Lady Raiders were able to snap a long losing streak that stretched nearly two seasons. Although failing to make it out of the 58th District, South Floyd managed to win five of its last nine games.

South Floyd suffered a severe blow in the opening round of the 58th District Tournament when team leader Natasha Osborne broke her arm.

Following Osborne's devastating injury, host Prestonsburg made up ground and eliminated South Floyd 21-6 in the 58th District Tournament opener.

"I am very proud of the players I had this season," said Little. "Not happy with the final outcome because without the injury to Natasha I believe

the outcome would have been different, but that is something we will never know. When the best player in the district and one of the top-five in the region goes down it is hard for a team to recover without their leader."

The Lady Raiders made a dramatic turnaround in the second half of the season. South Floyd dropped its first dozen games.

Little ended the season feeling good about the choice he made to take over the Lady Raider softball program.

"I am glad that I got to coach some of these young ladies for the first time and the to the returning players, I really appreciate their efforts and their positive attitude and look forward to getting back to work in February," Little confided. "The 18 girls that finished out the season for us are all great young ladies and I respect each of them alot. They could have quit after the first 12 when we where 0-12, but they stuck with it and believed in the changes and finished 5-4 in their last nine games.

That speaks highly of them."

Osborne ended the season with a .524 batting average. Tiffany Tackett, Ericka Moore, Trista Damron and Andrea Conn also helped lead the way for the Lady Raiders.

"Overall, I am satisfied with our season," Little added. "Yes, myself and the other coaches think we should have won three or four more in the beginning, but that was when we were still

(See RAIDERS, page two)

StoneCrest set to host State Am qualifying

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG – StoneCrest Golf Course is gearing up to host qualifying for the 2006 BellSouth State Amateur Championship. The Prestonsburg course will host the qualifying Friday, June 2. The field for the local qualifying event includes golfers from as far away as Louisville. Three Floyd County golfers are also scheduled to vie for a spot in the state championship during the StoneCrest qualifying. Sean Leslie (Prestonsburg), Tony Branham (Allen), Johnny Ray Turner (Drift) are the local golfers entered to play the Floyd County course.

StoneCrest hosted the

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2006 BellSouth State Amateur Qualifying

at StoneCrest Golf Course
Friday, June 2

Tee 1
Time: 8 a.m.
Cameron Bailey, Hazard
Jared Keaton, Paintsville

Time: 8:09 a.m.
Sean Leslie, Prestonsburg
Toby Howell, Stanton
Elmo Greer, London

Time: 8:18 a.m.
Steven Clark, Lexington
Tony Branham, Allen
Joseph Castle, Pikeville

Time: 8:27 a.m.
Johnny Ray Turner, Drift
Elmon Walters, Pikeville
Nick Perdue, Louisville

Time: 8:36 a.m.
Elmo Greer Jr., London
John Smither, Louisville
Shadd Walters, Pikeville

Time: 8:45 a.m.
Zack Charles, Clay City
Jonathan Scalf, Georgetown
James Dunaway, Beattyville

ROAD TO THE REGION



Allen Central Senior Ramon Spurlock

ALLEN CENTRAL BASEBALL SCHEDULE/RESULTS

March 27	.....Shelby Valley	6-9 (L)
March 28	.....at Magoffin County	7-0 (W)
April 4	.....at South Floyd	15-3 (W)
April 8	.....Paintsville	1-8 (L)
	(15th Region All "A" Classic at Pikeville)	
April 10	.....Belfry	10-9 (W)
April 11	.....at Lawrence County	2-4 (L)
April 13	.....at Betsy Layne	20-5 (W)
April 14	.....Ironton, Ohio	5-12 (L)
	(at Paintsville)	
April 15	.....Wolfe County	12-2 (W) (5 Innings)
	(at Knott County Central)	
April 15	.....Cumberland	11-10 (W)
April 21	.....at Prestonsburg	12-2 (W)
April 24	.....at South Floyd	20-7 (W)
April 27	.....Betsy Layne	11-1 (W) (5 Innings)
April 28	.....Prestonsburg	14-12 (W)
April 29	.....Leslie County	5-3 (W)
May 1	.....J. Kelly, Va.	2-4 (L)
May 2	.....at Shelby Valley	14-3 (W)
May 4	.....at East Ridge	13-0 (W)
May 6	.....Letcher County Central	10-13 (L)
May 6	.....Paintsville	12-7 (W)
May 8	.....Johnson Central	4-5 (L)
May 12	.....Lexington Catholic	2-12 (L)
May 13	.....Buckhorn	5-4 (W)
May 13	.....June Buchanan	20-1 (W) (5 Innings)
May 15	.....Pike County Central	16-5 (W) (6 Innings)
May 15	.....Pike County Central	8-3 (W) (5 Innings)
May 16	.....Knott County Central	6-3 (W)
May 16	.....Knott County Central	15-7 (W)
May 18	.....Johnson Central	1-10 (L)
May 19	.....at Leslie County	11-12 (L)
May 23	.....South Floyd	18-0 (W)
	(58th District Tournament)	
May 24	.....at Prestonsburg	6-1 (W)
	(58th District Tournament Championship)	



Allen Central Senior Josh McKinney

Tug Valley Bass Anglers open slated for June 11

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PRESTONSBURG – The Tug Valley Bass Anglers will hold the Third Annual Pizza 24/7 Bass Classic on Dewey Lake Sunday, June 11. The event will be a two-day tournament from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. The entry fee for the tournament is \$100 per boat. Registration and the pre-tournament meeting will begin at 5 a.m. at the swimming pool hollow boat ramp. Tournament payout is guaranteed. Payout will be as follows: First – \$1,200; Second – \$600; Third – \$300. The weigh-in show will be held at Bull Creek Marathon Station at approximately 3:30 p.m.

The third annual tournament is sponsored by Pizza 24/7, Bull Creek Marathon, Budweiser – Perry Distributors, Mason Dixon Marine, Leslie Equipment Co., JK COntacting, Dr. Donahue and Southeast Telephone.

District Wildlife: The next 7th District Wildlife Federation meeting will be held at the Preston Recreation Center Sunday, June 4.

Reds continue military ticket program

TIMES STAFF REPORT

CINCINNATI – The Cincinnati Reds have announced a continuation of the military ticket program in which they will provide active military personnel with complimentary tickets throughout the 2006 regular season.

Active military members with proper identification will receive complimentary View Level tickets, subject to availability, on day of game only for games played Monday through Thursday.

All ticket acquisitions must be made on the day of the game at the Advance Ticket Windows, located at Crosley Terrace at Great American Ball Park. Groups of 20 or more are requested to call the community relations office 21

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TENNIS

Clark earns academic honor

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LOUISVILLE – University of Louisville tennis player Jeremy Clark has been named to the 2006 ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV University Division Men's At-Large second team. The district IV team is made up of student-athletes participating in tennis, golf, rifle, ice hockey, rowing and men's volleyball from Division I schools in Alabama, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and Tennessee.

Clark, a senior from Stanville (Prestonsburg HS), carries a 3.71 GPA in biology. This year, he compiled an 18-13 overall record and is 13-8 in dual matches, playing mostly at No. 4. Clark has posted a 54-36 overall record in singles and is 63-28 in doubles in his career.

The senior duo of Clark and Gustafsson (Hollviken, Sweden) earned the BIG

EAST's automatic bid to the championship, becoming the first Cardinal doubles team to compete in the NCAA doubles championship. Clark and Gustafsson are currently ranked No. 26 in the nation and have a 22-11 overall record and are 15-8 in dual matches as Louisville's top seeded doubles team. The BIG EAST all-tournament doubles team selection was ranked as high as No. 19 in the ITA doubles rankings this season.

The ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District Team is a part of the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America program. To be nominated, student-athletes must be a starter or important reserve and carry a cumulative grade point average of 3.20 or higher. Team members are selected by a vote of the members of the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) within the district.



Jeremy Clark

Clark and Gustafsson fall in NCAA Doubles Championship

TIMES STAFF REPORT

The University of Louisville's doubles team of Jakob Gustafsson and Jeremy Clark lost to Georgia's No. 20-ranked Strahinja Bobusic and Colin Purcell 6-3, 3-6, 6-1 in the NCAA doubles championship Thursday in the first round of the NCAA Doubles Championship at the Taube Tennis Center in Stanford, California.

The senior duo of Gustafsson (Hollviken, Sweden) and Clark (Stanville, Ky.) finish with a 22-12 overall record. Gustafsson and Clark are currently ranked No. 26 in the nation and earned the BIG EAST's automatic bid to the

championship, becoming the first Cardinal doubles team to compete in the NCAA doubles championship. The BIG EAST all-tournament doubles team selection was ranked as high as No. 19 in the ITA doubles rankings this season.

"Jakob and Jeremy showed flashes of brilliance today, but could not capitalize on some opportunities," said U of L head coach Rex Ecarma. "We've come close to two NCAA tournament appearances this year and while it's frustrating not to be able to come out ahead, it still doesn't diminish the accomplishments of

(See DOUBLES, page two)

Spring hunt may reveal a squirrel renaissance

by STEVE VANTRESE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PADUCAH — Kentucky's spring squirrel hunting season should demonstrate the bounty of last autumn's hardwood nut production with a bigger crop of bushytails.

The late spring hunting period, June 3 to 16 this year, is expected to provide hunters their first encounter with a seasonal outpouring of young squirrels that is enhanced by a huge mast crop — most specifically, acorns and hickory nuts — that occurred in the fall.

A major wrinkle in the history of Kentucky's squirrel population lies in the autumn of 2004. That fall, squirrel numbers were exceedingly plentiful, the direct result of three previous years of good mast production. Biologists say the primary factor in squirrel population cycles is the previous year's mast availability, the chief food supply. Hunter harvest is inconsequential compared to the effects of mast fluctuation.

After a nut-rich fall, squirrel survival

rates are improved and the twice-per-year reproduction rates are higher. And that happened in triplicate in autumn of 2004.

But the exceptionally high squirrel population crashed head-on with an almost universal mast crop failure that season. A dearth of nuts imposed a virtual famine on the arboreal rodents, and over the next several weeks the population plummeted as a result.

Ironically, last fall brought an outpouring of mast that was almost as good as the previous year's was bad. A tremendous acorn yield, in particular, treated surviving squirrels to the good life again, and their condition going into the early-spring nesting season should have been prime.

Biologists tell us that well-fed squirrels produce larger litters, so the spring squirrel hunting season — one that is timed to intercept the new batch of young squirrels — should incur a boost from the past autumn nut glut.

Not that a great many hunters will experience the upturn. Kentucky's

spring squirrel season is typically only lightly used compared to the more traditional late summer through winter hunting season.

The spring season lacks the focal point that exists when the regular season opens in late August. In late summer, hunters can focus on early ripening hickory nuts to attract squirrels. In the spring, squirrels are more dispersed, feeding on a wide variety of buds, seeds, fruits, fungi, even insects and the occasional bird egg.

Hunters may have to do more legwork, going to areas that traditionally hold good squirrel numbers, then sneak hunting — quietly moving with alternate stops for listening and looking to detect foraging squirrels.

Spring squirrel hunting places hunters in forest or woodlots fully enveloped in foliage, so visibility is at a premium for both man and little beasts. The plentiful greenery helps hunters approach squirrels unseen, but it likewise shields the game from the pursuers.

With the visual handicap of foliage, long-range opportunities are relatively few, and hunters are nudged toward the use of shotguns rather than rimfire rifles that shine in the more open woods of late fall and winter.

Pesky bugs are not inconsequential to spring squirrel hunts. To cope with the biters and blood suckers that await man in the spring woods, hunters should be well dosed with repellents.

Kentucky has experienced a spring with some cooler-than-usual temperatures, but June squirrel hunters regularly incur some steamy times in the hardwoods. As seasonal temperatures climb, hunters may be drawn to early-morning sessions. The first two to three hours of daylight usually catch squirrels in a higher period of activity as well as offer the most bodily comfort for camouflage-clad sportsmen.

The hunters who do accept the seasonal handicaps to take to the trees this spring may well encounter a squirrel renaissance. There's a comeback afoot in the hardwoods.

15TH REGION RECORDS

BASEBALL

Team	Record
Pikeville	25-9
Sheldon Clark	24-11
Allen Central	22-10
Belfry	21-11
Paintsville	18-13
Johnson Central	18-17
Pike Co. Central	14-18
Lawrence County	14-16
Phelps	13-7
Prestonsburg	13-14
Magoffin County	12-11
East Ridge	10-22
Betsy Layne	8-19
Shelby Valley	8-20
South Floyd	2-16

FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL

Team	Record
Pikeville	26-7
Shelby Valley	22-11
Johnson Central	18-7
East Ridge	18-15
Magoffin County	17-8
Lawrence County	17-16
Paintsville	13-12
Belfry	13-16
Sheldon Clark	10-21
Phelps	9-14
Prestonsburg	8-11
Allen Central	7-10
Betsy Layne	6-16
Pike Co. Central	5-14
South Floyd	5-16

Doubles

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our team. Jakob and Jeremy will go down as one of the best doubles teams in U of L history."

Louisville finished the 2006 season with a 19-8 overall record and at No. 27 in the ITA team rankings. The Cardinals won the 2006 BIG EAST championship and achieved a program-best No. 12 ranking during the season.

Raiders

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learning. The type of games we lost at the start, we won in the last three weeks. The South Floyd Raider softball team would like to thank everybody that helped us out this season — First Choice Auto Sales for the t-shirts and everybody that donated to our program."

During Little's first season as head coach, South Floyd posted wins over eventual district champion Allen Central, June Buchanan, Sheldon Clark and Pike County Central.

Tickets

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business days in advance of desired game (513/765-7022).

In addition to the complimentary ticket program, Reds chief operating officer John Allen, a Vietnam Veteran, sponsors a ticket program that allows veterans from the Veteran's Medical Center to enjoy Reds games during business day specials on June 14, July 20, August 23 and September 14.

Disabled American Veterans Day returned Friday night when the Reds faced the Arizona Diamondbacks. Pre-game ceremonies included a ceremonial first pitch and a color guard presentation. A special DAV baseball card featuring Rich Aurilia, Jason LaRue, Felipe Lopez and Reds mascot Gapper was given away to the first 20,000 fans in attendance.

State Am

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Kentucky Golf Association men's state championship in 2005. Rick Cochran, the nephew of PGA Tour pro and StoneCrest Golf Course designer Russ Cochran, claimed the 2005 state title. Rick Cochran topped University of Kentucky golfer Cale Barr and Louisville native Bradley Ruch, a member of the Florida State University golf team, on his way to the championship.

The 92nd Kentucky State Amateur Championship will take place June 13-15 at The Cardinal Club in Simpsonville, Crooked Creek Golf Course in London and Danville Country Club will host qualifying Wednesday, May 31.

Hopkinsville Golf & Country Club will host qualifying Saturday, June 3.

Yarbrough named OVC Player of the Year

TIMES STAFF REPORT

RICHMOND — Junior first baseman Charlie Yarbrough was named Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Year and freshman starting pitcher Christian Friedrich was named Freshman of the Year the league office announced Tuesday. Yarbrough and Friedrich joined seniors Brett Bolger and Chris O'Dell as All-OVC First Team selections. Friedrich along with starting pitcher Eric Hash and outfielder Aaron Barrows were named to the conference's first ever All-Freshman Team. The squads were selected by the conference's head coaches and sports information contacts.

Yarbrough, the third player in four years under head coach Elvis Dominguez to win the conference's player of the year honor, led the conference in four offensive categories including home runs (17) and RBI (61) and was fifth in the league in batting average (.372). The Richmond, Va. native tied an ECU single game record with three home runs against Oakland on March 1, earning him Collegiate Baseball's Louisville Slugger National Player of the Week honor.

Friedrich, a native of Evanston, Ill., went 9-2 in his first year at Eastern and led the conference in ERA (1.92) and strike outs per game (13.08), the latter mark ranked him fourth in the nation as of May 14. The 6-3 southpaw also hurled the fifth no-hitter in school history and first since 1992 on March 26 against Morehead State.

Bolger, an All-Conference First Team selection last season and a Second Team selection in 2004, hit .360, starting 50 of the Colonels 51 games. The 5-11 outfielder broke Eastern's career singles record in the first game of a doubleheader on April 22 at Jacksonville State and he now has 257 career hits just 22 off the career record of 279 set by Neil Sellers.

O'Dell, a Lexington native, hit .313 with 13 home runs, the second most in the conference behind Yarbrough. The 2004 All-Conference First Team selection hit .403 (25-62) over ECU's final 20 games.

Hash went 5-1 with a 3.51 ERA in 11 starts for Eastern and Barrows hit .361 with 16 runs scored in 18 games this season.



New look for May

T&K Signs handled the details of Chuckie May's Late Model. Work on the Late Model was completed Thursday night. May was in Rossburg, Ohio this weekend, racing at famed Eldora Speedway.



Slone suffers season-ending loss for Herd No. 3 seed Tulane eliminates Marshall from C-USA Championship

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

HOUSTON — Third-seeded Tulane scored runs in seven consecutive innings in a 12-1 defeat of No. 7-seed Marshall Thursday in the 2006 Conference USA Baseball Championship at Reckling Park on the campus of Rice University in Houston. The game was called after eight innings because of Conference USA's 10-run rule. The loss eliminates Marshall from the championship, while the Green Wave advances to face the loser of the UAB-Memphis contest at 4 p.m. Friday.

Chris Monaco (Sr., Tucson, Ariz.) stole two bases in the third inning to give him the Marshall career record with 60, topping Aaron Williams' previous mark of 59, set from 1996-99. Adam Frederick (Sr., Franklin, Pa.) had two of Marshall's five hits and finished his career with a school-record 250.

Matt Riser went 4-for-5 with three runs scored to lead the Green Wave, while 2006 Conference USA Player of the Year Mark Hamilton homered and drove in

three as part of a 3-for-5 performance.

Marshall struggled to get a key hit, finishing 1-for-13 with runners on base and stranding eight baserunners.

Junior pitcher Jeremy Slone (Paintsville) gave up seven runs, 13 hits and two walks while striking out two in finishing the season with a 3-8 record. Brandon Gomes (6-6) notched the victory for Tulane, going six innings and allowing one run, four hits and four walks while fanning four.

Tulane (40-18), ranked 17th in the country, scored single runs in the second through fifth innings, then broke the game open with a three-run sixth inning. The Green Wave took advantage of three singles in the second inning, scoring on a Ty Wallace sacrifice fly to take a 1-0 lead. Tulane then tacked on another run in the third inning, as Nathan Southard tripled to center field to bring Hamilton home from first.

Tim Guidry pushed the Green Wave's lead to three in the fourth inning with a solo home run to left center field. Hamilton gave Tulane another run in the

fifth inning with a solo blast to left.

Marshall (22-32) had good opportunities early but left the bases loaded in the first inning and stranded two in the third.

The Herd scored a run in the fifth but came about a foot away from tying the score at four. With one out, Frederick singled to bring home Aaron Levinson (Sr., Seattle, Wash.). Rich Russell (Sr., Toronto, Ontario) was then hit by a pitch — his 22nd HBP of the season, tying the Conference USA single-season record. On the ensuing pitch, Brendan Murphy (Jr., Chattanooga, Tenn.) hit a drive to left field, but Riser made the catch at the wall. Adam Ptacek (Sr., Assaria, Kan.) then flied out to end the threat.

Tulane came right back with three runs in the sixth to oust Slone from the game. With one out, Riser and Cat Everett hit back-to-back singles. Warren McFadden followed with an RBI double and Hamilton was intentionally walked. Brian Chrisman (So., Pittsburgh, Pa.) came on to face Southard and surrendered a first-pitch single to plate Riser. Brad Emaus then hit a sacrifice fly to center to give Tulane a 7-1 lead.

The Green Wave added three runs in the seventh against Chrisman, then plated two runs in the eighth inning on run-scoring singles by Everett and McFadden to push the lead to 12-1.

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Ashland native Webb off to 7-0 start after signing big contract extension

by ANDREW BAGNATO
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHOENIX — When Brandon Webb agreed to a \$19.5 million, four-year contract with the Arizona Diamondbacks in January, he knew he had accepted more than money and security.

He also accepted the responsibility of being Arizona's top starter, a tag he has worn well since the contract.

Webb has won his first seven decisions this season, matching Randy Johnson's record for the best season-opening streak by a Diamondbacks pitcher.

"Obviously, he realized that he was going to be pitching at the top of the rotation," pitching coach Bryan Price said. "But he felt there was an added responsibility to be a guy that could

break up a slump if we lost a few games, a guy that could consistently win, consistently pick up innings, consistently get the club to rebound if we had a tough loss.

"It wasn't like (manager) Bob Melvin or (general manager) Josh Byrnes said, 'We now have these expectations — X, Y and Z — for Brandon Webb,'" Price said. "He took that on himself."

And he's taken the Diamondbacks to first place in the NL West, a half-game ahead of Los Angeles on Thursday. Webb, who pitches the opener of a 10-game road trip Friday night in Cincinnati, is 7-0 with a 2.44 ERA. The rest of the Diamondbacks' staff is 20-19 with a 4.68 ERA.

The contract extension, which includes a club option for a fifth year, gave Webb some much-needed securi-

ty. "When you sign this, you don't feel pressure towards the end of the year: 'Man, I've got to bat .300 so I can get paid next year,'" he said. "It's already taken care of, so you just kind of relax and go out there and play and let things happen."

Webb also has let his fielders help him. That's the biggest difference between this year and 2004, when the Diamondbacks lost 111 games and Webb led the league with 16 losses, 119 walks and 17 wild pitches.

"It's like night and day," he said. "In '04, the defense wasn't good, pretty much, is what it came down to. I'm not going to say that's where all my walks came from, but I felt like I had to be a little too fine. I was just trying to pitch around contact instead of pitching toward contact, which is what I'm

doing now."

Webb's prime pitch, a sinker, is so tantalizing that hitters can't resist hacking away at it, beating a stream of grounders to the Diamondbacks' sure-handed fielders, who lead the majors with 68 double plays. In Webb's last start, a 13-0 victory over Atlanta on Saturday, he recorded 18 groundball outs and one in the air.

Despite his success this season, the 27-year-old Ashland native remains a "pretty simple guy," Melvin said.

"That's just the way he is, and that's not going to change," Melvin said.

For Webb, the biggest personal change came in March, when his wife, Alicia, gave birth to their first child, daughter Reagan. Otherwise, he's the same laid back guy whose unassuming manner endears him to teammates.

One day this week, Webb showed

up at the ballpark wearing flip-flops, shorts and a polo shirt — pretty much the same look he had when he was an unheralded rookie in 2003. Before home games, Webb relaxes by strumming a guitar in front of his locker, joining teammates Conor Jackson, Brandon Medders, Brandon Lyon and Russ Ortiz for impromptu jam sessions.

Webb has his share of superstitions, including dining at the same restaurant on the days he pitches at home. When a reporter asked this week if the restaurant might provide free meals as a reward for the win streak, Webb shook his head and smiled.

Webb can afford to pick up the tab. "It's IHOP, so it's not that big a deal," he said, referring to the International House of Pancakes.

EKU Football ranked in Preseason AGS Poll

TIMES STAFF REPORT

RICHMOND — In the preseason "Any Given Saturday" (AGS) Division I-AA football poll released yesterday, the Eastern Kentucky Colonels were given a national ranking of 24th. The AGS Poll has been the first released national poll each year since its inception in 2004.

Only one other Ohio Valley Conference team was ranked among the top 25 and that was last year's champion, Eastern Illinois, at number 15. The Colonels will be returning seven starters on both offense and defense from a team that finished second in the OVC for the third consecutive year. Two of the prominent starters back for EKU are reining OVC Offensive Player of the Year, quarterback Josh Greco, and 2005 first team All-American tight end Patrick Bugg.

In comparison to other polls, the AGS Poll had more of its preseason top 25 finish in its final regular season poll than either of the other two polls — ESPN/USA Today.com and SportsNetwork.com — have in the past two years. Just one year ago, the preseason AGS poll included the eventual I-AA champion, Appalachian State, while the Mountaineers were not listed on either of the other organizations' preseason polls. In the past two years, the AGS Poll also had as many or more of its preseason top 25 make the playoffs than either of the other two polls.

AGS is the world's largest online community devoted to all of the NCAA Division I playoff football. The AGS Poll was created in 2004 to give distinguished members of the AGS community a place to voice their opinion, vote for the top 25 I-AA programs in the nation and provide the media and coaches of I-AA a valuable resource to gauge general sentiment.

In order to ensure that the poll is accurate and fair, a committee of AGS veteran members has established guidelines for voter eligibility and accountability. The AGS Poll will be announced weekly throughout the season on Mondays and a final poll will be announced shortly after the national championship game.

Eastern Kentucky will be in search of its 29th consecutive winning season and its first league title since 1997 next fall when the Colonels open the 2006 campaign at Big East foe Cincinnati on Sept. 2.

Any Given Saturday Poll Preseason Top 25

(First place votes in parenthesis)

1. Appalachian State (45)
2. New Hampshire (31)
3. Northern Iowa (7)
4. Montana (2)
5. Furman (2)
6. Cal Poly
7. Youngstown State
8. James Madison (2)
9. Illinois State
10. Delaware
11. McNeese State
12. North Dakota State (1)
13. Georgia Southern
14. Massachusetts
15. Eastern Illinois
16. Hampton
17. Southern Illinois
18. Coastal Carolina
19. Montana State
20. UC Davis
21. Texas State
22. Nicholls State
23. Eastern Washington
24. Eastern Kentucky
25. Richmond



BATTER UP

The Prestonsburg Blackcats are on their way back to the 15th Region Tournament. Draws for the 15th Region baseball and softball tournaments will be held today. Pictured for Prestonsburg are Allen Craynon (right) and Seth Setser (above).

photos by Steve LeMaster



Feisty Barbaro greeted with fresh carrots, St. Francis statues

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

KENNETT SQUARE, Pa. — Kentucky Derby winner Barbaro is being showered with gifts, from flowers to religious ornaments, as he recovers from his shattered leg in the Preakness.

The 3-year-old bay colt eagerly greeted a treat-bearing doctor Thursday morning, delighting on the fresh baby carrots she brought.

"He approached the door like a good, healthy colt would," said Corinne R. Sweeney, executive hospital director at the George D. Widener Hospital for Large Animals at the University of Pennsylvania's New Bolton Center. "His ears (went) forward and he gobbled them down. And that's just what you want."

Gifts continued to pour into the hospital Thursday for the 3-year-old bay colt, who endured a six-hour surgery that left him with a plate and 27 screws

in his right hind leg. They included flowers, food and several medals and statues of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals to Roman Catholics.

Jockey Edgar Prado was back at work, finishing seventh aboard Mighty Good in the second race at Belmont Park, but his thoughts were still with Barbaro.

"I'm a human being, you know? I have feelings," a somber Prado said. "Even the toughest men cry, right?"

Prado, one of the nation's leading riders, has been praised for reacting quickly to bring Barbaro to a halt and likely saving his life, but he insists that the horse deserves credit, too.

"I think he figured out right way something was wrong," Prado said. "Instead of fighting me, he tried to help himself, too. It was a combination of both of us. He's very athletic."

Barbaro remains in the hospital's

intensive care unit, where visitors are limited to select staff and owners Roy and Gretchen Jackson.

His vital signs, which are checked frequently, continue to look good.

"He looks great. He looks as good as he possibly could," said Dr. Dean Richardson, his surgeon.

Prado has not seen Barbaro since the colt was loaded into an ambulance last Saturday night and taken to the hospital, which is less than five miles from the Jacksons' farm in West Grove, Pa. The jockey said he hopes to find time to make a call on Barbaro soon.

"When you are attached to a horse who has brought you so much joy only a few weeks ago, and put you in the spotlight and makes your dreams come true, it definitely breaks your heart," Prado said of his first Derby winner.

"A lot of people, not only me, said this horse could have been a Triple Crown horse."

Mets acquire Williams from Cincinnati

by MIKE FITZPATRICK
ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — The New York Mets made another trade to help their injury-depleted pitching staff Thursday, acquiring Dave Williams from the Cincinnati Reds for a minor leaguer.

The Reds got right-hander Robert Manuel in the deal and assigned him to Class-A Dayton. They also sent about \$500,000 to the Mets to cover half of Williams' remaining salary this season. Williams is making \$1.4 million this year.

The 27-year-old lefty was designated for assignment by Cincinnati on Saturday. He was 2-3 with a 7.20 ERA in eight starts.

"We've added to our stockpile of pitching," Mets general manager Omar Minaya said. "It enables us to fill some holes caused by the injuries to some of the players we had. It gives us numbers."

In his last start, Williams gave up six runs in three innings of Cincinnati's 9-8 victory over Pittsburgh on Thursday. He went 10-11 with a 4.25 ERA for the Pirates last season and is 19-29 with a 4.56 ERA in 74 major league games, including 66 starts.

Cincinnati acquired him from Pittsburgh last offseason for first baseman Sean Casey and cash.

"We see Williams as a starting pitcher and we're going to send him to Triple-A with that in mind," Minaya said.

The 6-foot-3, 190-pound Manuel is 22 years old. He went 8-1 with a 2.06 ERA in 12 games of rookie ball with the Gulf Coast Mets last season.

Trying to upgrade the back of their rotation, the Mets acquired veteran right-hander Orlando Hernandez from Arizona on Wednesday for reliever Jorge Julio.

Victor Zambrano is out for the season following elbow surgery and rookie Brian Bannister is still sidelined with a hamstring injury. John Maine, who filled in for one start, is also on the disabled list because of inflammation in his right middle finger.

After trading starters Kris Benson and Jae Seo in the offseason, New York has been scrambling to fill the void, using Jose Lima and Jeremi Gonzalez behind the steady trio of Pedro Martinez, Tom Glavine and Steve Trachsel.

Gonzalez was designated for assignment Thursday after New York's loss to Philadelphia. He allowed three runs and seven hits in six innings of a no-decision, leaving him with a 7.71 ERA in three starts. The Mets have 10 days to trade, release or send him outright to the minors.

If Gonzalez clears waivers, New York manager Willie Randolph said the team would like to send him back to Triple-A Norfolk.

The right-hander was cut to make room on the roster for Hernandez, expected to join the team Friday in Florida and make his Mets debut with a start on Sunday.

Another reason Gonzalez became expendable was the promising major league debut of Cuban defector Alay Soler on Wednesday night against the Phillies.

"We're going to go with Soler in the rotation for now," Minaya said. "This gives us some comfort zone and we'll have to see how it works out."

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Question about NASCAR? Check out 'The Girl's Guide'

by TERESA M. WALKER
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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Liz Allison wasn't sure how much appeal her latest book about NASCAR would have for men. She was worried the title, "The Girl's Guide to NASCAR," would shut out half her potential audience.

Then she went to her first book signing at Talladega, Ala., where half the books she signed were for men.

"I would say, 'Oh, is this for your wife or girlfriend?' But no, it was for them. They heard Darrell Waltrip say, 'Hey, you guys need to get this book too. Put your hand over the title,'" Allison said.

"If guys can't get past the title, I think they'll really enjoy it."

Open "The Girl's Guide to NASCAR," and fans of either gender will find a book filled with tidbits and information for those who never get closer to a racetrack than the television set, or even the faithful who plan their vacations around the yearly series schedule.

Anyone who doesn't recognize Allison's name — she's the widow of former NASCAR star Davey Allison — can reassure themselves with endorsement blurbs from Rusty Wallace, Bobby Allison and Benny Parsons on the first page. Waltrip wrote the foreword.

This isn't the first book written about NASCAR and won't be the last. But Liz Allison said even the popular "NASCAR for Dummies" has become dated by the sport's constant changes.

"This book to me, it was a must. It was a necessity. NASCAR needed to have a book like this whether it was me or someone else who wrote it. They needed to do it," Allison said.

She didn't leave anything out. Want the Web site address for Kasey Kahne or Jeff Gordon? It's in there.

Bored with camping out in the track infield days before the race? Allison has addresses and telephone numbers for hotels, shopping malls, restaurants, the chambers of commerce and area hospitals. Hospitals?

"When Murphy comes calling,

you've got to be prepared," Allison said. "Unfortunately, sometimes it's at the race track. It happened to me three different times. I had to visit emergency rooms with my kids traveling around the NASCAR circuit."

And when a NASCAR fan needs to find a hospital, no offense guys, but thank goodness when a woman's around.

"They're usually the one who has to know because the guy would have no clue," Allison said.

Don't have time to read a 213-page book? No problem. The 16 chapters are short and cover topics such as the race car itself and safety devices, complete with drawings. She includes history on the sport's top families, such as the Frances who control NASCAR and racers including the Allisons and Pettys.

Tidbits are featured in boxes called "Girlfriend to Girlfriend."

"I'm a mom, so everything has to be done in a hurry with me. If I'm going to read anything, it has to be quick reading, informative and fun. I don't have time to sit down and go into a long

study in something," she said.

Allison perhaps is the perfect person to write this type of book.

She was married to Davey Allison for 17 years until 1993, when he was killed in a helicopter crash in the infield at Talladega after a career that featured 19 Winston Cup victories. That's how she knows that some tracks offer trophies for winners to buy, because the official trophy goes to the car owner.

The winner's checkered flag? Not available for the winner's collection.

"I like to know those things, and I think most women do," Allison said. "We're a little more detail oriented, probably a little more naturally curious/nosey than the guys. And I think it answers a lot of those questions."

Allison, who has written three other books — two on her late husband's career and "NASCAR Wives" — includes personal tidbits, such as the time her clothing got caught on a fence when she tried to climb over to reach Victory Lane where her husband was celebrating.

Since Davey Allison's death and the

first two books, she moved into the media, first as a pit reporter for TNT and then into radio. She now hosts a weekly radio show in Nashville, writes for different racing publications and travels to half NASCAR's 36-race schedule each year.

Allison also became an announcer for the Nashville Superspeedway in 2004.

"A lot of drivers' wives think that's the weirdest thing. 'How did it happen? How did you cross to the other side?' It's fun. I can't imagine not being a part of the media now covering this sport. It's been so long. I'm so deep in it I can't imagine being on the other side of the fence," she said.

Allison wrote her latest book in six weeks. Even so, with new drivers joining the Nextel Cup circuit in December and other NASCAR changes, she had to keep updating the manuscript before finally going to press.

"It really goes in line with where NASCAR's going, where the whole fan base is, where the female audience has been, and where it's going," she said.

Motorsports degree programs racing into popularity

by ASHLEY M. HEHER
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INDIANAPOLIS — Inside Panther Racing's mobile command center at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Mike Sheridan reads reams of data from 75 sensors mounted to the team's race cars.

The 27-year-old junior at IUPUI, who is studying mechanical engineering technology with an emphasis on motorsports, hopes his specialized degree and 50-hour-a-week internship will help him become an engineer for a racing team.

"It helps that I won't have to work for three years taking out trash," he said. "Hopefully, I'll have my foot in the door."

But he'll have competition. Dozens of colleges and universities are responding to the racing industry's growing popularity by creating motorsports programs designed to give students degrees in mechanics, engineering and management.

Motorsports programs began cropping up in the mid-1990s as NASCAR's popularity soared. Clemson and Charlotte, schools

deep in the heart of NASCAR country, were among those leading the way. In 2002, NASCAR joined forces with Universal Technical Institute to open the \$12-million NASCAR Technical Institute in Mooresville, N.C., to train automotive technicians.

Now, schools from Indiana to California to China are jumping into the fray. Industry experts and educators say the surge in motorsports degrees shows an acceptance of the industry in academic circles.

"I think that higher education is starting to realize that there are careers out there in significant numbers and we should develop programs to target them," said Joe Harder, a professor of management information systems at Indiana State, which will offer a motorsports minor starting this fall.

That recognition stems from changes in the industry itself.

"It's evolved from just a group of guys racing cars on an oval to an enormously large business that's generating billions of dollars in revenue," said Philip Bayster, chairman of the

business department at Belmont Abbey College in Charlotte, N.C., which will launch a bachelor's degree in business management focused on motorsports this fall.

"It's become so sophisticated that there has to be an upgrade in the talent levels of people that are part of the industry."

That means teaching students about the nuances of running a race track, working with exotic metals, handling corporate sponsors and the logistics of moving an entire racing team from venue to venue each weekend.

At the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Sheridan is learning about making race cars more aerodynamic and faster as Panther's driver, Vitor Meira, prepares for this Sunday's Indianapolis 500. Sheridan says the internship has helped him apply the theory behind his classes in engine performance and vehicle dynamics.

"There's a lot of stuff that's good to understand, but you never know when you're going to apply it," he said. "On my first day here, I applied it."

The programs can foster economic development. One study found the motorsports industry, which employs more than 24,000 workers in North Carolina, had a \$5 billion economic impact on that state in 2003.

"It's so easy for people to focus just on drivers," said NASCAR spokesman Ramsey Poston. "But beyond the drivers there are crew members, mechanics and engineers, accountants, PR professionals and marketing professionals. Every day the sport gets more competitive."

Guy Faulkner, a professor at the University of Westminster in London, has helped design motorsports programs around the world and says they can help attract students to colleges and universities.

"It's glamorous, it's sexy, it's fast-moving, it's exciting," he said.

Europe has a long tradition of motorsports education, thanks in part to the popularity

of Formula One racing. Now, academic motorsports programs are cropping up in China, Malaysia and Singapore, Faulkner said.

Kristi Willocks began her master's degree in sports management, with a concentration in motorsports operations, at East Tennessee State in January. The longtime racing fan hopes the degree will help her get a job doing event planning at a race track.

"I don't know 100 percent it will help me, but I think it will put me a little bit ahead of someone else who has a sports management degree," she said.

John Griffin, a spokesman for the Indy Racing League, wouldn't be surprised.

"I would look at motorsports, more so than any other sport out there, as a sport where the business side is such an essential part of your success," Griffin said. "Racing has become increasingly sophisticated and a platform where someone can become educated and enter the

sport being finely tuned in what he's going to be working on. That's an advantage for all of us."

NASCAR driver Ryan Newman studied vehicle structure engineering at Purdue on the advice of drivers Ken Schrader and Jeff Gordon.

"I said, 'If you could do it all over again, would you go to college?' They both said 'Yes,'" said Newman, who graduated in 2001.

Newman says the degree has helped him better understand the science and engineering behind racing. Now, he tells budding drivers to consider a similar path.

"The people who have that engineering degree or motorsports background will have a better opportunity to be involved in NASCAR, to get what they want for a high-paying job in the future," he said. "I don't think it's going to change the sport. But it's going to be a better opportunity for them to be part of the sport."

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women and that his theory has been proven out. He added that it would be tough for women to make a living in the sport.

Petty, a seven-time champion and NASCAR's all-time winningest driver, was one of the many people who gave Guthrie a cool reception when she came to Lowe's Motor Speedway for her first NASCAR event.

Skinner to sub for Kauffman at Dover

MOORESVILLE, N.C. — FitzBradshaw Racing announced Wednesday NASCAR veteran Mike Skinner will pilot the No. 12 Dodge in the Stonebridgeracing.com 200 at Dover International Speedway.

Skinner replaces rookie Joel Kauffman at the tough one-mile oval in a one-race deal. As part of the mutual decision by owner Armando Fitz and Kauffman, the two selected a number of races they felt the rookie would benefit the most from running this season.

"It's so hard for a young driver to develop in the Busch Series with all the Cup drivers who are entered week in and week out," Fitz said. "We feel Joel needs more time to develop into a great driver, and we want the best possible experiences for him to be able to do that."

Skinner is no stranger to the Monster Mile, recording a top-five finish in 2001. His last

Busch Series start was at Indianapolis Raceway Park in 2003, where he finished seventh.

"Dover's been a good track for me, I've run well there, led some laps, it's where I got my first top-ten finish in Nextel Cup," Skinner said. "It's been a tough year for this team, hopefully I can be of some help, do some good, give some different feedback that may be helpful."

Kyle Busch fined \$150 for improper driving

RICHMOND, Va. — NASCAR driver Kyle Busch pleaded guilty Tuesday to improper driving and was fined \$150.

Busch was ticketed April 12 in suburban Richmond for reckless driving after he pulled out of a gas station and into a fast-food restaurant. Busch has said he "chirped" his tires but didn't exceed 10 mph.

Under the misdemeanor reckless driving charge, Busch could have received up to one year in jail, a \$2,500 fine and a driver's license suspension.

The plea was entered in Henrico General District Traffic Court, and Busch also had to pay \$61 in court costs. The 20-year-old Busch drives for Hendrick Motorsports.

Staff, wire reports

Riggs, Mayfield land on front row

CONCORD, N.C. — Scott Riggs and Jeremy Mayfield made it an all-Everham Motorsports front row by taking the top two qualifying spots for the Coca-Cola 600.

Riggs, who went out midway through qualifying, put himself on the pole with a lap of 187.865 mph. He then had to wait out the competition, which included Jimmie Johnson, winner of seven of the last 10 races at Lowe's Motor Speedway.

Mayfield was the final driver to qualify, and his first lap of 187.292 was good enough for second place.

Petty still opposes women drivers

CONCORD, N.C. — Richard Petty didn't think women belonged on the race track when Janet Guthrie became the first female driver to compete in the Coca-Cola 600 in 1976.

Thirty years later, his opinion hasn't changed.

Petty said in an interview with The Associated Press that auto racing isn't a sport for

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Amendment No. 4
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The proposed amendment area is located approximately 3,700 feet due east of Pike/Floyd Hollow County Road's junction with US Route 23, and/or US Route 460, and located in Pike/Floyd Hollow and Coldwater Branch.

The proposed amendment is located on the Broad Bottom and Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Fairview Land, et al., Harold and Wanda M. Buer, Elsworth and Marlene Stumbo, East Kentucky Energy Corporation, Thomas and Thelma Spears, Ricky and Vertie Stratton, and Larry and Teresa Smith.

The currently approved operation will use the underground method of mining. This amendment application proposes to add a ventilation access roads and the associated ventilation areas and contour mine site area, and auger methods of mining.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501-9331. Written comments, objections, (or requests for a permit conference) must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601-4321.



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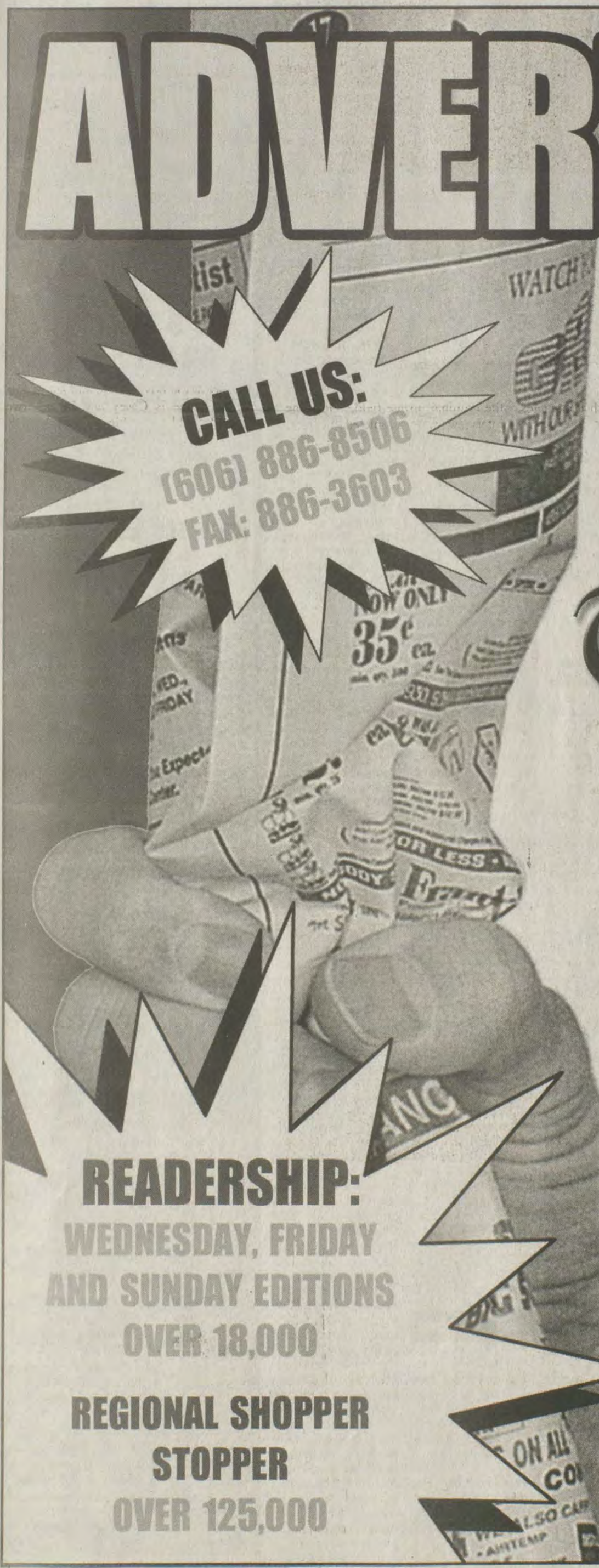
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This Town, That World

Editor's Note: For years, Floyd County Times founder and former publisher Norman Allen wrote a weekly column that looked at Floyd County through his eyes. His columns are being reprinted due to request.

THE BURDEN PRESSES DOWN

It's not the shooting of Senator Robert F. Kennedy, alone, that leaves one by turns, numb, sickened, infuriated—and not necessarily in that order—but it is the cumulative effect of all, these insensate assaults on human life that, to put it mildly, have one less proud of being an American.

Other presidential candidates have been the targets of cranks, malcontents and plain madmen. Three presidents were slain before President Kennedy. This latest attempt at the murder of a prominent figure is nothing new in a nation that may have been accurately described, when we were termed "a violent people." It is the disregard for human life, in a land where we hear so much of human rights, in a land that is contemptuous of the greatest right of all, to live, that makes us less than proud.

Where else in this troubled world of ours cannot a leader, with at least a fair degree of safety, make a public appearance? There was a time when we of this country joked about the mortality rate among political figures in Latin America where, we cracked, the winner of the election was the fellow who got in the first shot. Now, we are the butt of the cruel joke.

Anarchy, may be nearer to everyone of us than we think. The attempts at settling issues by bullet, fire and mad force are, at any rate, long steps in that direction.

LOST—THE BEST DOG IN THE WORLD

My granddaughter has lost her dog. I contend Blue was, or is, mostly beagle. She says he's fox-hound. I wouldn't give a whole lot for Blue, good old dog that he was. But the granddaughter wouldn't give him for a dozen of this superb animal of mine, that I maintain is top dog in the dog kingdom...Anyway, I'd like to help the kid find her dog.

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My neighbors, the Howards, across the street, had a nice flower box going till somebody dug out the begonias and petunias, the other night. Strange to record an item like this, in a week when big and terrible things are happening to people and nations.

WELCOME THE LEAGUE OF SPORTSMEN

Make the League of Kentucky Sportsmen welcome when members from all over Kentucky come here, this weeke-end. These are important people. They are interested in more than merely good hunting and fishing. These are the people who lead the fight for cleaner streams, for conservation of forests and other resources.

(See ALLEN, page eight)



ACHS senior Matthew Reed, left, participates in a mock interview with Worldwide Equipment representative Judy Lusk.

ACHS students participate in mock interview program

Allen Central High School seniors spent a portion of their last weeks in school preparing for real world job interviews. Several community members who work in various administrative positions visited the school to conduct mock interviews with the students. Prior to the interviews, students learned how to prepare a resume, practiced answering interview questions, and received tips on how to appropriately dress for a real job interview. They also

learned how to research companies and organizations that they were interested in, in order to learn more about the companies and about the various job positions offered.

Representatives Randy Rice and Judy Lusk, from Worldwide Equipment, Inc., interviewed students who were interested in becoming mechanics or welders. Greg Ratliff, federal probation officer, interviewed students who indicated that they were interested in careers in

the criminal justice field. Once the interviews were completed, the interviewers offered suggestions to the student on ways in which they could improve their interviewing skills, thereby increasing their chances of landing the type of job they are interested in.

Hopefully, this process will prove to be very valuable to the students now that they have graduated and are moving forward on their chosen career paths.



Greg Ratliff, right, finishes up a mock interview with ACHS senior Brittany Webb.

MOVIES FROM THE BLACK LAGOON

'Clown House'

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

People tend to fall into one of three categories when it comes to circus clowns. They:

(A) Are big-time fans of the antics perpetrated by those whey-faced rascals.

(B) Can take or leave them, as they are just mimes with distinctive noses.

(C) Are totally terrified of them and run screaming from the room if they hear so much as a honk.

Here is a film for the growing list of C people. It opens with a tense prologue in which a boy dreams that he is walking around his house after dark and everything is eerily quiet until a leaflet blows against his window with an accompanying thunderclap. A closer examination of the flier reveals that the circus is coming to town and a sinister clown icon on the paper winks at the boy and he bolts upright in bed to learn that his sheets are going to need a visit from Mr. Clean.



Tom Doty
Staff Writer

The audience is then treated to a day at the boy's home and learns that his name is Casey and he has two older siblings, which include middle brother Jeffrey, a supportive, understanding lad, and oldest brother Randy, who is a bit lacking in the social graces and prefers to torture Casey with his clown phobia in a misguided effort to cure him of his fear of the knights of the greasepaint.

There is also a mom who doesn't have time for the boys and a dad who is, once again, on a business trip. All this and mom will be out late that night, so she's purchased the boys three tickets to a traveling circus.

That's right, folks, step right up and see the worst night in this kid's life, as three maniacs choose the same evening to break out of confinement and make their way to the circus, where they promptly brain three bozos, steal their costumes and literally become an "insane clown posse."

All of Casey's worst nightmares come true as the three psycho clowns invade his home when nobody remembers to lock the front door (humph, who's feels like a clown now?). The clowns proceed to terrorize the youngsters, who must eventually band together to fight back and it all comes down to Casey making up his mind whether he's going to continue to be a bozophobe or if he's going take a page from Dr. Seuss, namely, "I Had Some Trouble in Getting to Solla Sollew," and pick up a bat (like his namesake) and bring some troubles to bear on his source of misery.

It all builds up to the ultimate clown smackdown, which should appease members of group who might just want to skip to the final 20 minutes if they are anxious to see some clown carnage.

Chiefly this all works because of talented first-time director Victor

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The favorite vase

by BELLADONNA RICHUETTI
AGE 12

"CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE KID'S SOUL"

My younger brother and I were home watching cartoons while my father slept and my mother was out shopping. I left my brother in the living room and went to get something to drink. As I was pouring some orange juice, I heard something break. First, I looked in to see if my father had woken up, and he hadn't. Then I quickly ran to

see what had happened. When I went into the living room, I was shocked. My brother had broken my mother's favorite vase.

"What did you do?" I gasped.
"I broke it!" my brother answered.
"It was an accident!"

Knowing that he was freaked out, and not wanting him to get in trouble, I did what any friend would do. I tried to help him. I quickly ran and got some glue. I didn't know what time my mother was going to be back or when

my father was going to wake up, so I tried to hurry. I frantically gathered up all of the broken pieces and started to glue them together. It took me an hour, but I finally fixed the vase. Then came the real disaster.

"Oh my gawd! Oh my gawd!" I screamed.

I had fixed the vase, but I had accidentally glued my hair to it!

While my brother looked at me like I was some kind of idiot, I carried the vase — with my hair attached to it — into the bathroom. I looked in the mirror.

"My beautiful hair," I cried. Realizing that there was no way to pull my hair from the vase, I grabbed a pair

of scissors. With every single strand of hair I cut, I cried again. My hair was ruined, and the vase looked like a wig was attached to it! As I was leaving the bathroom with my ridiculous new hairdo, I heard a key turn in the front door.

"Hey, guys. I'm back!"

My mother was back! My brother ran to his room and quickly pretended to be asleep, leaving me to deal with her all by myself. Before I could explain, my

mother yelled at me and grounded me because she thought I had broken the vase. I went to my room to think about what had happened. I was grounded and I was also going to have to go to school looking like an idiot!

While I was lying on my bed looking up at the ceiling, I realized that what I had done for my brother was an act of friendship. I knew that even though my

(See SOUP, page eight)



Random honking gives reader a headache

by TOM and RAY MAGLIOZZI

Dear Tom and Ray:
Every once in a while, I will come to a stop in my 2001 Chevy Venture, and just as I complete the stop, the horn will honk. It scares the crap out of me, because I think some idiot is honking at me before I realize it is my own car. At first, I thought it might be caused by those signal activators that firetrucks have to keep a light green or change a signal, because the first two times it happened, a firetruck with sirens blazing was close. But today, it happened at a stop sign with no emergency vehicles nearby. What could cause this? — Shannon

TOM: Well, fortunately for you — and us — Shannon, horn technology is not rocket science.

RAY: There are a couple of metal contacts underneath the padding in the middle of your steering wheel. When you push on the padding, you push these two contacts together. That completes an electrical circuit, and blows the horn.

TOM: So, one possibility is that these contacts have gotten too close together through the years from lots of horn use. Are you a heavy honker,

Shannon?
RAY: The other possibility is that the horn circuit is closing somewhere else down the line. The next thing I'd suspect is a bad horn ring in your multifunction switch. That's the switch inside your steering column that controls stuff like the directionals and wipers. If the horn ring is bad, the whole switch might need to be replaced.

TOM: Start by having your mechanic check the horn contacts in the steering-wheel pad. That's very easy to do, and it's easy to fix. Just tell him you'll be waiting outside in case he sets off the air bag by accident.

RAY: If the problem isn't right there under the pad, then you'll have to decide if you want your mechanic to start digging deeper. Or you can practice looking annoyed in the rearview mirror when the horn blows, as if it's the impatient guy behind you who's honking.

Slick idea stuck in neutral
Dear Tom and Ray:
Dinner at a nice restaurant is riding on your response. I told my girlfriend that if you shift into neutral on slick roads, the vehicle will stop more quick-

ly. The reason is, there would be no power going to the drive wheels when you shift to neutral. She said that she would only believe this if it came from you guys. Well? — Rob

RAY: You should marry this girl, Rob. She has already demonstrated keen intelligence by refusing to believe a single word you say. I like this girl.

TOM: You're buying dinner, Rob. With fuel injection and electronically controlled automatic transmissions, there's no advantage to taking the car out of gear when you stop.

RAY: There was a time, 25 or 30 years ago, when cars had carburetors, and fuel metering was rather barbaric. In those days, it was possible for a mis-adjusted carburetor to be pouring so much gas into the engine that the idle speed would always be too high.

TOM: If your idle speed is too high, and you slow down to 5, 4 or 3 miles per hour, the car can feel like it's trying to keep "pushing you along," even though your foot's off the gas pedal. And on a slick surface, you might have to lock up the wheels and skid to stop the car. But even back in the old days, that was the exception rather than the rule.

RAY: And now, with all cars being

fuel-injected, abnormally high idle speeds are rarely a problem.

TOM: Plus, the key to stopping in slick weather is to anticipate your stop, begin stopping early and brake as smoothly as possible. Today's electronically controlled transmissions will actually downshift as you're slowing down. Rather than making it hard to slow down, that helps you slow down by taking advantage of the car's natural engine braking.

RAY: And perhaps most importantly, when you're trying to stop on a snow-covered street, facing the potential of skidding through a red light in front of an oncoming UPS truck, the last thing you want to do is take your eyes off the road and one hand off the wheel, and fumble with the shifter, trying to nudge it into neutral without accidentally throwing it into reverse.

TOM: So you're toast, Rob. If you want to win the next bet, take the position that the best strategy for driving on slick roads is to always drive slowly. Get her to bet against that, and we'll back you up 100 percent next time.

RAY: But in the meantime, over a nice dinner (one that you'll be paying for, Rob), you're going to have to behave like a man: Insist that you never said anything about shifting to neutral.

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Lagoon

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Salva, who went on to helm "Jeepers Creepers 1 and 2." Salva builds up suitable tension over the course of the story and saves the home invasion scenes for the last act.

He also uses a talented cast of youngsters, which include a pre-stardom Sam Rockwell ("Confessions of a Dangerous Mind") who has some fine moments as the bullying Randy. Salva also chooses to keep his clowns silent, which adds to the

tension.

All this and one of the best screen credits in film history which include the casting of an actor named Tree as Cheezo, the clown's leader. The only drawback here is an asleep-at-the-wheel sound man, which necessitated overdubbing every actor.

Best line: "You're ugly and will probably pee the bed again."

1989, rated R.

Soup

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brother and I fight a lot, I had made a sacrifice for him. This was a huge sacrifice though — my hair and my freedom!

"Knock, knock," sounded someone at my door.

"Who is it?" I asked.

My brother walked in and gave me a hug.

"Thank you," he said.

"You're welcome," I replied.

"I guess that's what a big sister is for, to be a friend when you need one."

Jean Dorton appointed to Kentucky Arts Council



Jean Dorton

FRANKFORT — Gov. Ernie Fletcher has appointed four members to the Kentucky Arts Council. Included among them is Jean M. Dorton, of Paintsville, community and legislative liaison for Big Sandy Community and Technical College. Dorton holds two associate degrees from Prestonsburg Community College as well as a bachelor's degree in environmental science from Morehead State University. She is a member of the Morehead State University Board of Regents and the Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence. She also chairs the Personal Responsibility in a Desirable Environment (PRIDE) program. She is married to Dennis Dorton. Dorton is a reappointment to the council.

Other appointees are: H. Dean Jones II, of Owensboro,

executive for Texas Gas Transmission, LLC. Jones holds a degree in chemical engineering from the University of Kentucky. He is on the Owensboro Museum of Fine Arts Board of Directors. He is married to Christina Jones.

K. Gail Russell, of

Louisville, is an attorney for Goldberg and Simpson, P.S.C. Russell holds a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Mississippi and a juris doctor from the University of Kentucky. She is a member of the Kiwanis Club of Louisville, Junior League of Louisville, Kentucky Opera Guild, Fillies Inc., and Jefferson Club Executive Women's Council. She also serves on the board of directors of the Louisville Deaf Oral School Foundation, Kentuckiana Girl Scout Development Advisory Board, the Louisville Bar Association, and the Kentucky Bar Association.

Wilma Brown, of Danville, is the founder and executive director of the Community Arts Center, in Danville, and a professional portrait artist. She holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Kentucky and

a master's degree from Marshall University. She is a founding member of the Gathering Artists of Danville and a founding member of the Arts Commission of Danville/Boyle County.

The Kentucky Arts Council is made up of 16 members appointed by the governor. The council develops and promotes a broadly conceived state policy of support for the arts in Kentucky.

Allen

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They will be needed for a long time, for this fight to preserve a little of what the Creator gave us, is no brief skirmish—it might be thought of as a war, and a test of who sticks longest to his guns.

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