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Mayor revives drowning victim

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Dewey Lake came close to being the scene for a terrible accident over Memorial Day weekend, but the lifesaving efforts of a Prestonsburg public official saved a young man's life.

Memorial Day weekend is one of the busiest weekends for Kentucky's lakes, but with all the heavy traffic and

crowds of people, tragedy could be just around the corner.

Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin was one of the many people who chose to spend their weekend enjoying some jet skiing while soaking up the sun at Dewey Lake, but pleasure soon turned into near death when a group of young people took it a little too far.

According to Timothy Cooley, captain of the Floyd County Rescue Squad, a group of young people in their

20s were swimming at the lake near Terry Boat Dock when one of the young men swam out into the water too far and was unable to get back to shore.

Meanwhile, Fannin was traveling towards the dam area when he says he experienced an odd feeling.

"Something just told me to turn around and go back," Fannin said. "So I turned and went the other direction."

Upon turning around, Fannin spotted several people in the water waving

their arms in the air. At first glance, he said he thought it was someone just wanting a ride, but those waving arms quickly turned into frantic pleas for help. Fannin pulled up to the group and realized that they were holding an unconscious boy's head up out of the water.

"When I saw him, he really didn't look good at all," Fannin said.

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briefs

Pedestrian Killed trying to cross in Pike County

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

VIRGIE — A 66-year-old Dorton man is dead after he was apparently hit by a passenger car while attempting to cross a busy four-lane highway on foot.

According to Kentucky State Police, Ricky Branham was operating a 2003 Hyundai Sonata North on U.S. 23 in the Virgie community in Pike County when he struck Crit Case as he was attempting to cross the northbound lanes on foot.

Case was transported to Pikeville Medical Center, where he was pronounced dead by Dr. Tariq Mirza. The driver of the car, Ricky Branham, and his passenger, Karen Branham, were treated and released from the hospital.

Alcohol is not a suspected factor in the collision and no charges are pending at this time. The accident is still under investigation and accident reconstruction efforts are still underway.

REMEMBERING



Members of the Betsy Layne chapter of Disabled American Veterans held a Memorial Day observance Sunday at Davidson Memorial Gardens.

photos by Jess Staggs

Sports items dominate board meeting

by KATHY J. PRATER
FEATURES EDITOR

EASTERN — While Floyd County students enjoyed the beginning of the summer break, members of the Floyd County Board of Education, minus Dr. Chandra Varia and Carol Stumbo, met in regular session Monday evening at Allen Central High School.

One of the topics presented for discussion was that of a proposal to install artificial turf on the Prestonsburg High School football field. The estimated cost of the project is \$600,000.

Members of the Prestonsburg Blackcat Boosters Club, Dr. Blake Burchett and Dr. Eddy Clark, appeared before the board to address questions and concerns in regard to the project.

Dr. Clark informed the board that problems arise on the field each year during the fall rainy season when the field becomes water soaked and large puddles form on the playing surface. In order to attempt to keep the field in good condition for Friday night games, Clark informed the board that the PHS players

(See **BOARD**, page six)

DAV honors fallen soldiers

by JESS STAGGS
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

IVEL — The fourth annual Memorial Day Observance held at Davidson Memorial Gardens on Sunday was a success for the Betsy Layne chapter of the Disabled American Veterans and the

DAV Auxiliary. Chapter Commander Larry Roberts opened the ceremony with a welcome to those in attendance and a special thanks to veterans and prisoners of war for their sacrifices and to the community

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A bugler played "Taps" near the conclusion of Sunday's ceremony.

East Ky. receives disaster declaration

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

WASHINGTON, D.C. — President Bush has declared parts of Eastern Kentucky a disaster area and has ordered federal aid to assist in local recovery efforts following the severe storms and flooding the

area experienced during the month of April.

According to the White House press secretary, federal funding is available to Kentucky and eligible local governments and certain nonprofits on a cost-sharing basis for emergency repairs

(See **DISASTER**, page six)

Rescue squad raising money by selling emergency beacons

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A new emergency alert device being introduced into the immediate area could save lives in the event of a medical emergency and at the same time help support local volunteer rescue personnel in their efforts to provide quality services.

The Floyd County Rescue Squad is introducing a new "911 Beacon Light," a device designed to be mounted on or near a person's home and flash a bright strobe of light when 911 is dialed so that the home may be more easily located in the event of an emergency.

According to dispatchers and communications officers in the medical transport field, locating a particular residence,

especially in rural areas, can be daunting at times and every second counts when a person's life is at risk.

The new beacon light, which is composed of a receiver hooked to the phone line and strobe light which is mounted outside the home, will automatically turn itself on when 911 is dialed from the home, alerting police, fire, and local sheriff and rescue departments to look for the beacon light.

The device is especially useful during the nighttime hours when trying to find house and street numbers. It will eliminate the need for loved ones to flag down help and allow for a residence to be located immediately.

Beacon lights can be purchased from

(See **LIGHTS**, page six)



Captain Timothy Cooley of the Floyd County Rescue Squad explains that the new life saving 911 Beacon Light is very easily installed and is something small anyone can do for themselves which could save their lives in the event of an emergency.

photo by Jessica Hale

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High: 89 • Low: 64

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Obituaries

Knova (Nova)

Adkins Slone Conn

Knova (Nova) Adkins Slone Conn, 88, of Martin, died Monday, May 28, 2007, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, in Martin.

Born October 20, 1918, in Caney Creek, she was the daughter of the late Bud Adkins and Cora Spears Adkins. She was a homemaker.

She was twice married, first to Miles Slone, and later to Jim Conn. They both preceded her in death.

Survivors include two sons: Dan D. Slone of Prestonsburg, and Crandell Lee Slone of Shelbyville; two daughters: Lula Newsome of Allen, and Loretta McKinney of Martin; two brothers: Harold Adkins of Martin, and SESCO Adkins of Allen; a sister, Della Crum of Martin; 14 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a son, Van R. Slone; a daughter, Shelby Jean Rowe; six brothers: Willie Adkins, Brack Adkins, Carl Adkins, Garner Adkins, Lewis Adkins, and John Lee Adkins; two sisters: Stella Conn and Dakota Conn; and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, May 30, at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Bud Crum and Maynard Crum officiating.

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

Visitation is at the funeral home.

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com
(Paid obituary)



Richard Keathley

Richard Keathley, 67, of Teaberry, died Friday, May 25, 2007, at the Pikeville Medical Center.

Born March 5, 1940, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Snowden Keathley and Dora Kizer Keathley. He was a disabled coal miner.

He is survived by his wife, Elsie Hamilton Keathley.

Other survivors include a son, Terry (Malinda) Keathley of Harold; a daughter, Tammy (Jimmy) Adkins of Grethel; three brothers: David Keathley of Teaberry, and Roger Dale Keathley and Emery Keathley, both of Lorain, Ohio; two sisters: Wilmalene Moore of Minnie, and Lora Jean Bryant of Martin; four grandchildren: Heather, Maranda, Jeremy and Dereck; and three stepgrandchildren: Chris, Jamie, and Josh.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Ken Keathley and Howard Keathley; and two sisters: Viola Keathley and Lillie Keathley.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 28, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Hollifield Cemetery, in Teaberry, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Visitation was at the funeral home.

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com
(Paid obituary)



Estill King

Estill King, age 91, of Indianapolis, Indiana, formerly of Wheelwright, passed away Wednesday, May 23, 2007, at the Community East Hospital in Indianapolis.

He was born in Floyd County, on February 19, 1916, the son of the late Willie and Costa King. He was a coal miner at Inland Steel Corp.; worked as an auto mechanic; and owned a service station at Melvin.

In addition to his parents, he

was preceded in death by his wife, Edna Mae Tackett King; two daughters: Mary Louise Amburgy and Phyllis Ann Gray; and a son, Jesse Gene King.

He is survived by a son, Donald King of Indianapolis, Indiana; a sister, Opal Hobson; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 28, at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church, at Melvin, beginning at 11 a.m.

Burial was in the Buckingham Cemetery.

Visitation was at the funeral home on Sunday afternoon, from 6-8 p.m. Services were moved to the church on Monday at 10 a.m.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Hall & Jones Funeral Home, of Virgie.

(Paid obituary)



Arnold R. Lester

Arnold R. Lester, age 61, passed away Saturday, May 26, 2007.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Hazel Kirk; his father, Herschel Lester; and a sister, Etta Martin.

He is survived by Linda, his loving wife of 34 years; three children: Krista (Travis) Stewart, Anthony (Sarah) Lester, and Matthew Lester; three grandchildren: Katelyn, Gwyneth, and Jackson Lester; two sisters: Brenda Shelton and Bobbie Sue Fairchild; two brothers: Oattie Lee Lester and Clyde DeRossett; various nieces and nephews; and his dog, Jose'.

Arnold was a U.S. Marine Corps corporal in Vietnam from 1966-1967.

The family will receive friends from 4-7 p.m., Thursday, May 31, at Morris Sons Funeral Home, 1771 E. Dorothy Lane, Kettering, Ohio, followed by a funeral service at 7 p.m., Thursday, with Pastor John Parr officiating.

Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, June 1, at Calvary Cemetery.

Procession will be leaving from the funeral home at 9:30 a.m., Friday.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia/Lymphoma Society.

Condolences may be sent to www.morris-sons.com

(Paid obituary)



Clark Mills

Clark Mills, age 70, of Wayland, husband of the late Mary Annette Walker Mills, passed away Thursday, May 24, 2007, at King's Daughters Medical Center, in Ashland.

He was born July 11, 1936, in Dema, the son of the late Pete Mills and Ena Pigman Mills. He was a retired construction worker for United Steel, and was a U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include four sons: Steven C. Mills, Pete Mills, and Harold Mills, all of Wayland, and Jerry Mills, of Brinfield, Indiana; a sister, Geneva Short of Columbus, Ohio; three grandchildren: Tiffany Mills, Karen Mills, and Melanie Mills; and two great-grandchildren: Jonathan Akers, and Toby Akers.

Funeral services for Clark Mills were conducted Sunday, May 27, at 11:00 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Clergyman Red Morris officiating.

Burial was in Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, with the Hall Funeral Home, caring for those arrangements.

Visitation was at the funeral home.

Pallbearers: Harold Mills, Peter Mills, Jerry Mills, Keith Short, Rodney Bradley, Sonny Pigman, Timothy Martin, and Alger Pigman.

(Paid obituary)



Roy C. Montgomery

Roy C. Montgomery, age 77, of Prestonsburg, husband of Betty Jean Harmon Montgomery, died Saturday, May 26, 2007, at his residence.

He was born July 15, 1929, in Blue River, a son of the late Dayrus and Lula Hale Montgomery. He was a retired army veteran, and a retired truck salesman with Knoxville Mack. He attended the First Church of God, Prestonsburg, and was member of the Odd Fellows and the DAV.

While he was serving in the army as a sergeant, he served two tours of duty in Korea, one in Vietnam, and several in Germany.

While serving in the army, Roy was on R&R in Japan, where he ran into his brother, Forrest, who had been a POW in Korea for 33 months. Also, there was a cousin, Lawrence Bailey, who had been a POW at that time. All three men celebrated their good luck in finding each other by chance.

In addition to his wife, Betty, he is survived by a daughter, Pamela Kay Montgomery of Prestonsburg; and a sister, Thelma Montgomery Pruitt of Prestonsburg.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by seven brothers, Lewis P., Bert, William James, Henry C., Bun, Forrest, and Thomas Montgomery; and a sister, Darcus M. Music.

Funeral services for Roy C. Montgomery were conducted Tuesday, May 29, at 11 a.m., in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Steve Williams and Travis Risner officiating.

Burial was in Richmond Cemetery, in Prestonsburg,

with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Pallbearers: Robert May, Martin Endicott, Dough Montgomery, Forest Michael Montgomery, Ben Hale, and Tommy Hale.

Honorary: Clarence Risner, Tom Ed Music, Hershell Joseph, Buddy Bostic, Bill Henry Montgomery, and Carlos E. Neeley.

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Melvina Perry Newman

Melvina Perry Newman, age 92, of Grethel, the wife of the late Thurman Newman, passed away Sunday, May 27, 2007, in the Pikeville Medical Center.

She was born August 6, 1914, in McDowell, the daughter of the late Charlie Perry and Minnie Howell Perry. She was a retired school teacher.

She is survived by three sons: James Newman of Harold, Larry Newman of Lexington, and Gary Newman of Grethel; a sister, Wilma Alley of Dayton, Ohio; eight grandchildren: Nelson Ryan Newman, Jonathan Paul Newman, Melanie Renee Newman, Angela Rachele Smith, Kelli Nicole Newman, Jeffrey Alan Newman, Michael Scott Newman, and Adam Craig Newman; and a great-grandchild, Hunter Aaron Smith.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by three brothers: James Estill Perry, Ora Perry and Ivel Okel Perry; and four sisters: Beatrice Newsome, Altabea Castle, Stella Martin, and Oma Elkins.

Funeral services for Melvina Perry Newman will be conducted Wednesday, May 30, at 11:00 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home, in Martin, with Clergyman James and Elisha Branham officiating.

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

Visitation is at the funeral home.

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Jonathan Bruce Turner

Jonathan Bruce Turner, 25, of Hi Hat, died Sunday, May 27, 2007, on Rt. 979, in Grethel.

Born February 22, 1982, in Pikeville, he was the son of Randy and Mary Newman Turner of Hi Hat. He was a volunteer firefighter for the Mud Creek Fire Department.

In addition to his parents, other survivors include his grandmother, Selmer Johnson of Hi Hat; a sister, Angie (Alan) Osborne of McDowell; and nieces: Brandy, Melonie, and Kasseddy.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Gladis Newman; and his grandparents: Novis and Cuba Turner.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, May 31, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Larry Tackett and Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial will be in the Lucy Hall Cemetery, in McDowell, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the funeral home.

www.nelsonfrazierfuneralhome.com
(Paid obituary)



Hilda Grace Ward Weedman

Hilda Grace Ward Weedman, 78, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday, May 27, 2007, at her residence.

Born October 26, 1928, in Prestonsburg, she was the

daughter of John Ward and Kate Burchett Ward. She was a homemaker and a Gold Member of Weight Watchers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William G. Weedman in 1994.

Survivors include two granddaughters: Katie Harmon Gray and Tara Reed, both of Prestonsburg; a stepson, William Weedman III of Louisville; a stepdaughter, Susan Sharp of Chicago, Illinois; a stepgrandson, Aaron Sharp; and a great-grandson, C.J. Gray.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Paula Jo Shannon; and a brother, Otis Ward.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, May 31, at 1 p.m., at the Carter Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Roy Harlow officiating.

The family will receive guests from 11 a.m., until time of service.

In lieu of flowers, contributions are suggested to United Cerebral Palsy Center, 3601 Victory Pkwy., Cincinnati, Ohio 45229-2298.

The family has entrusted arrangements to Carter Funeral Home.

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Card of Thanks

The family of Ned Keathley wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all those who sent food, flowers, prayers, or spoke words of comfort. A special thanks to Clergyman Ralph Hall for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their professional and compassionate service.

THE FAMILY OF NED KEATHLEY

Card of Thanks

The family of Curtis Clark would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, relatives, and neighbors who helped in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to all those who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to Clergyman Tommy Reed for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the staff of Hall Funeral Home for their unsurpassed service.

THE FAMILY OF CURTIS CLARK

Card of Thanks

The family of Esta Hamilton Mitchell would like to take this opportunity to thank all those friends, relatives, and neighbors who helped to comfort our family during this difficult time. Thanks to all those who sent food, flowers, or spoke kind words to our family. We are especially grateful to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, The Samaria Regular Baptist Church for all the love and compassion shown to our family, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their loving care and hand of friendship to our family.

THE FAMILY OF ESTA HAMILTON MITCHELL

Card of Thanks

The family of Melissa Ann Lewis wishes to thank all of those friends, neighbors and family who helped in any way upon the passing of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent flowers, prayers, or words of comfort expressed. We are especially grateful to Clergyman Jack Hunt, Mark Hunt, and Jim Smith, for their comforting words, the Fellowship Church of God for all the kindness shown to our family, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and trusted services.

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Community Calendar

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Attention: Garrett High Alumni

Anyone who knows any basketball players who played for Coach 'Dog' Campbell at Garrett High School that have since passed away, please contact Joe Hancock at 886-0223 or write to: P.O. Box 152, Garrett, KY 41630.

Also, those wishing to make donations to help pay for a monument honoring Coach Campbell and deceased Garrett High players, to be placed in the Garrett Park, mail check or money orders to: "Dog" Campbell Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 152, Garrett, KY 41630 (C/O Joe Hancock).

PHS Cheerleader Yard Sale

To be held in front of Prestonsburg High School on Sat., June 2. Great deals!

Also, on Friday, June 1, at the Prestonsburg Foodland store, in Highlands Plaza, the PHS cheerleaders will be "Baggin' for Tips"! Allow the cheerleaders to bag your groceries for you in exchange for tips to help fund the upcoming year of activities!

Fundraiser Dinner

The Caney Bible Church Youth Group will hold a Soup Bean Dinner on Friday, June 1, in order to help raise money for the youth group to attend the world's second largest Christian music festival - Ichthus (to be held in Wilmore, KY). Call 886-7884, ext. 14 or 886-2981, ext. 27, or fax your order to 886-2981 to order a meal of Pinto Beans, Corn Bread, Kraut & Wieners, Fried Potatoes and Dessert for only \$5.

Summer Celebration!

To be held Wednesday, May 30, from 1-4 p.m., at the Maytown Center. For kids grades K-8. Activities to include water games, t-shirt design, and learning how to make homemade ice cream! Lots of prizes and FREE to all!

Camp Nathanael Day Camp

To be held June 7-9, for children who have completed the 1st thru 3rd grades. Camp will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the above dates. Cost is \$30; lunch will be provided. For more info., call 785-9822 by June 1.

Overnight camps for chil-

dren who have completed the 4th grade thru high school will also be provided this summer. Call 251-3231 for more information.

Honoring Confederate Veterans

June 3 has been designated as Confederate Memorial Day in Kentucky. David Maynard, Sons of Confederate Veterans, invites all to "Fly 'em high" on this important occasion.

Regional Water Management Planning Council Meeting

To be held June 8, at the office of the Big Sandy Area Development District, Prestonsburg, at 11 a.m.

For Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, and Pike counties.

Public attendance is welcomed.

For more info., call Tracy Wireman, Water Mgt. Coordinator, at 886-2374.

"Miss Liberty" Pageant

The "Miss Liberty 4th of July" Beauty Pageant will be held on June 24, in Olive Hill, by Paper Doll Pageant Productions. Pageant will be held at the West Carter Middle School; doors open at 1 p.m., pageant to begin at 2 p.m.

Entry fees and registration must be received by June 11.

For more info., call (606) 316-2981 or (606) 316-0777.

Betsy Layne High

Betsy Layne High will be having their parent SBDM representative election, May 31st from 1 p.m.-6 p.m., in the school.

PHS Class of '97 Ten year reunion

10 year class reunion to be held Saturday, July 14, at 7:30 p.m., at the Best Western Prestonsburg Inn. Cost will be \$50 per couple/\$25 for individuals. This will cover food, taxes, gratuity, and entertainment. Money needs to be in no later than June 14. Payment will not be able to be accepted at the door — deposits must be made and head count verified. Make your check or money order out to "Prestonsburg High Class of 1997" and mail to: Prestonsburg High School Reunion, 464 Newbury Way Lexington, KY 40514.

Auxier Lifetime Learning Center Kids Summer Camps

Super Chef Cooking Camp - May 29 to June 1, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Age 11 and up. Kids can learn how to correctly use a knife and carve food and prepare selected recipes.

Knitting Camp - June 11-15, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Quilting Camp - June 18-22, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Kids learn to craft a scrap quilt.

Sewing Camp - June 25-29, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Kids Healthy Cooking Camp - July 2-6 (class not held on July 4). Age 7 and up. 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Sewing Camp - July 16-20, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Cost of each camp session: \$10. Most supplies included. Camps limited to first 12 paying students. Call 886-0709 to register.

FCRT Memorial Service

The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association will hold their annual memorial service on Thursday, June 7, at 10 a.m., in the Josie Harkins School House, located in the Jenny Wiley Campgrounds area.

Christ United Methodist Vacation Bible School

"Vacation Bible School - Lift Off - "Soaring to New Heights with God" kick-off cook-out Sunday, June 3. Out back of church and Wesley Christian School, 6-8 p.m., with "Fun Time Inflatables" Vacation Bible School, June 4-8, 6-8 p.m. We will be giving away a bicycle, with a drawing on Friday night. It is important that the children attend each night to enter their name in drawing for the bicycle.

Allen Central Class of 1977 30-Year Reunion

The ACHS class of 1977 will have a 30-year reunion, September 22, at Best Western, 7-12 p.m. \$25 single, \$40.00 couple. Contact E-mail: class77ACHS@hotmail.com Debbie Bailey, 405 Turkey Cr. Rd., Langley, KY 41645, Lynn Isaac, 1327 Prater Fk. Rd., Huesville, KY 41640.

PHS Class of 1987 plans 20th reunion

The Prestonsburg High School class of 1987 is currently planning their 20th reunion. Please e-mail your contact information to phsclass87@bellsouth.net.

Democratic Woman's Club meets at Floyd Co. Library

The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets regularly on the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:00 p.m., at the Floyd County Library.

MCA Class of '87 to hold class reunion

Christian Mountain Academy Class of 1987 will be holding its 20th class reunion. The reunion is scheduled for June 30, at MCA in Martin. Any student who attended MCA from 1983 to 1987 is also invited to attend. Anyone interested can visit our group site at <http://groups.msn.com/mcareunion> or email mca87reunion@hotmail.com. Emails can be directed to Clarizza Singayao or Tammy Bailey.

BLHS planning 'Decades' reunion

The Betsy Layne High School reunion committee is planning an event for the classes of the 1930s, 40s, 50s, and 60s, in June, 2007. For more information contact Marvin Williamson at 478-3310; Betty Conn at 478-5987; Sue Reynolds at 874-2574; or Joe

Hinchman at (859)-373-0518.

WHS Classes of '87 and '88

The Wheelwright High School Classes of 1987 and 1988 will have a combined class reunion on Saturday June 23, 2007. A family picnic will be held at Dewey Lake Dam, Shelter #2, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. An evening event is planned at 7 p.m., at the Best Western, in Prestonsburg. Those wishing to attend should contact Reunion Coordinators Steve Cole and Jami Campbell Cole at (859) 986-1883.

ACHS Class of '96

The Allen Central High School Class of 1996 will be holding their 10-year reunion. For more information, call Amanda at 285-9491 or Leslie at 886-8003.

Hope in the Mountains

Hope in the Mountains will host public meetings on Mondays, at 9 a.m., at the junction of U.S. 23 and Rt. 80, on Watergap Rd., behind the Trimble Chapel Church.

Meetings focus will be to offer information in regard to community resources available to women seeking freedom from drug abuse. Family members are also welcome to attend. The Hope initiative proposes to help women break free from addictive lifestyles to become self-respecting contributing members of society. Call 874-2008 or 788-1006 for more information.

Prestonsburg Rotary Club

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

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

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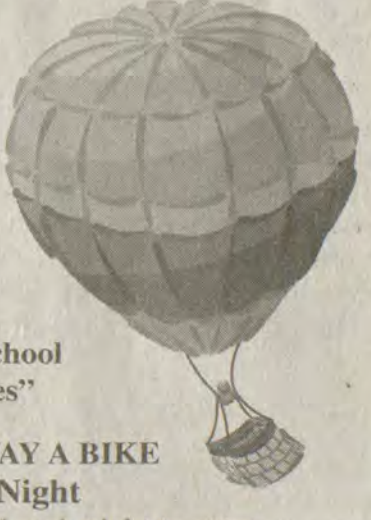
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Viewpoint

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"Speak out in acts; the time for words has passed, and only deeds will suffice."

— John Greenleaf Whittier

Guest View Tighten use of OxyContin

U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers, a Republican from Kentucky's 5th District, has joined another Republican congressman from Appalachia — Rep. Frank Wolf of Virginia — in asking the Federal Food and Drug Administration to reclassify the painkiller OxyContin so that only people in severe pain can be prescribed the drug.

In light of the recent guilty pleas by the maker of OxyContin and three of its current and former executives to charges of misleading the public about the drug's risk of addiction, the request is well-timed and appropriate. OxyContin is a more powerful and addictive drug than its maker promoted it to be.

But of course we already knew that, didn't we? OxyContin, a trade name for oxycodone, has been so widely abused in this region that it has earned the nickname "hillbilly heroin." From 1996 to 2001, the number of oxycodone-related deaths nationwide increased 400 percent while the annual number of OxyContin prescriptions increased nearly twentyfold, according to a report by the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration. In 2002, the DEA said the drug caused 146 deaths and contributed to another 318.

A number of those deaths have occurred in this region, where the abuse of prescription medicine — aided at least initially by rogue doctors who operated "pill mills" — reached epidemic proportions.

Purdue Pharma L.P., its president, top lawyer and former chief medical officer will pay \$634.5 million in fines for claiming the drug was less addictive and less subject to abuse than other pain medications, U.S. Attorney John Brownlee said after the recent guilty pleas. The plea agreement came just two days after Purdue Pharma agreed to pay \$19.5 million to 26 states and the District of Columbia to settle complaints that it encouraged physicians to overprescribe OxyContin.

Brownlee said Purdue learned from focus groups with physicians in 1995 that they were worried about the abuse potential of OxyContin. The company then gave knowingly false information to its sales representatives that the drug had less potential for addiction and abuse than other painkillers. ...

Rogers and Wolf cited the guilty pleas in asking FDA Commissioner Andrew von Eschenbach to reclassify OxyContin so it can only be prescribed to those with severe pain. Currently, those with moderate pain can get the drug.

OxyContin can be extremely effective in easing the agony of those in severe pain, particularly those in the final stages of cancer. For them, the drug can make their final days more bearable.

The problem is that too many people who probably could have had their pain eased with a less potent drug have been prescribed OxyContin and become addicted to it — often with tragic results. Further limiting OxyContin's availability is in order. Indeed, it's overdue.

— The Daily Independent, Ashland



Letters

Wreck victim gives thanks

My name is Sheila Daugherty and I am originally from Pikeville, but now reside in Jacksboro, Tenn. On Thursday, May 24, I was involved in an automobile accident on U.S. 23 at Harold.

I would like to send my sincere appreciation and thanks to all who assisted me during this really scary time for me. The paramedics, police officers and flight crew were so professional but yet they were so comforting and kind. They were able to minimize the fear I was feeling of being so far from my home in Tennessee.

I would also like to extend my appreciation to a couple who was there almost immediately after the accident. I did not get their names, but I will always call them my angels. They helped in keeping me calm and calling for help. Not everyone wants to get involved, but they did.

Which brings me to my friend Jackie Bowling. I want to publicly thank her for all that she has done for me. She was also there by my side through this and was the first to get to the hospital in Huntington.

I know now why I will always call Kentucky my home.

Sheila H. Daugherty
Jacksboro, Tenn.

Get rid of Kaul

I wish to respond to the comments made by that "liberal gun-hating nut" Donald Kaul, in the April 29 issue of The Times.

How can you as an editor keep printing the ravings of this lunatic? Don't you care that he is an advocate

for every ungodly, unholy principle known to man? He supports abortion, the killing of innocents, and homosexuality, the most sickening act that can be thought of. He is also a self-proclaimed atheist, a hater of God, and yet you help him spew his poison nationwide. The fool has said in his heart there is no God (Psalms 53:1). The statements above reflect Donald Kaul's written positions in past issues. This fool (according to the Bible) made statements in his April 29 column calling the NRA terrorists, stating, "They terrorize politicians," indicating that the politicians won't disarm Americans because they are afraid of the NRA.

No, Kaul, the politicians know that if they disarmed "we, the people" there would be total mayhem in America. The insane, murderers, rapists, child molesters and all the rest of the followers of the Devil would run rampant in our society. You and the rest of the foolish liberals in America extend every resource that can be used to lighten their punishment, including taxpayers' money. Why should "we, the people" be responsible for paying lawyers to return criminals to our streets? Kaul, you are a foolish and ignorant man.

I've been a proud member and supporter of the NRA for many years. I have never read or heard of our organization upholding any person that was irrational. You are a liar, Kaul, when you say that the NRA doesn't want guns out of the hands of those that abuse them. That's about as plain as I can say it.

Criminals of all kinds have always found ways to get what they want, including guns. Why hasn't society been able to keep drugs, pornography and all the other things the foolish want off the streets or out of the hands of the criminals? We cannot keep guns

out of the hands of anyone who wants one and if we could, criminals would find some other way to kill or maim the people they wanted to.

Yes! Yes! Yes! The killing of students at Virginia Tech is a tragedy that will live on in our hearts and minds forever. But why wasn't there someone on campus, a faculty member or a student, male or female, that was properly trained in the use of a firearm so that this ungodly act perhaps could have been prevented?

Is it not clear to everyone that our police cannot protect the citizens of this country? There are not enough police officers to monitor everything that goes on. I believe our police do the best they can, for the most part, but they cannot be everywhere.

Please, Mr. Editor, drop Donald Kaul's column and print some columns suggesting that our men and women arm themselves so they can protect themselves and their families and recommend they join the NRA.

I also want to comment on the Don Imus issue. If he can be fired for making a statement about someone that he shouldn't have, that offends, then why don't you or someone "fire" Kaul for his offensive, slanderous, un-American statements about the NRA and its members?

Why don't "they," the ones who raised such a stink over Mr. Imus's remarks, have all those girls examined by a physician to see how many of them are not sexually active? That won't happen, will it?

I ask all the people of our country to join the NRA and let us try our best to "keep the right to bear arms." Remember, if "we, the people" are disarmed, then all of our other rights will be taken from us as well. At least, that's what I believe.

Bill Tussey
Hueysville

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 “Lunch is served at noon and programs begin promptly at 12:40. Contact Mike Vance at 226-2075; David Kraus at 886-3082; or Nancy Johnson at 886-1156 for more info.

UNITE

The UNITE coalition of Floyd County will meet, beginning in March, on the SECOND Monday of each month, at 5:30 p.m., at the New Allen Baptist Church. All interested persons welcome to join UNITE's fight against drugs.

“Living Free” - A support group sponsored by the Floyd County UNITE Coalition. Group will meet weekly at the old Allen Baptist Church, on US 23 N., between Allen and Banner, on Tuesdays, at 1:15 p.m.

Living Free is a faith-based 12-step support group open to all who are searching for recovery. There is no fee to attend. For more info., contact Shirley Combs at 874-3388 or 434-8400.

Free Body Recall classes

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

“Earn While You Learn”

The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its “Senior Training Program.” You must be 55 or older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 789-6515; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

Senior employment program

Are you a senior citizen on a fixed income struggling with soaring medical bills and living expenses? Could you use some extra spending money but don't know how to get back into the workforce?

If you are at least age 55, the Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) may be able to help. Earn extra money, learn new skills, and help your community at the same time! To find out more, call: 886-2929

External Diploma Program

Kentucky residents age 25 and older can earn a high school diploma by demonstrating skills learned on the job or in raising a family. Flexible scheduling is provided and confidentiality maintained. Classes are held at the Carl D. Perkins Rehabilitation Center, in Thelma, Mon. thru Fri., with evening classes on Thursday. EDP classes are also held at the Mullins Learning Center, in Pikeville, on Tuesdays, from 4:30-8:30 p.m. Contact Andy Jones at 606-788-7080, or 800-443-2187, ext. 186, or Linda Bell, at ext. 160 to make an appointment.

GED classes are also available.

Floyd County Extension Homemaker Club Meetings

Allen: 1st Monday, 11 a.m., at Christ United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Dixie: 3rd Thursday, 12:30

p.m., Dixie Community Room.

David: 1st Monday, 1 p.m., at St. Vincent's Mission.

Martin: 1st Tuesday, 6 p.m., Martin Church of Christ.

Maytown: 3rd Thursday, 6 p.m., Maytown Learning Center.

Cliff: 3rd Tuesday, 12 p.m., Community Center.

Prestonsburg: 2nd Tuesday, 10:30 a.m., Extension Office.

South Prestonsburg: 3rd Tuesday, 7 p.m., Home of members (call 886-2668 for info.)

Left Beaver: 2nd Tuesday, 10:30 a.m., Osborne Elem. School Library.

Special interest groups: Nimble Thimble Quilt Guild: 1st/3rd Wednesdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Extension Office.

Newbees Quilt Group: 4th Thursday, 6 p.m., Extension Office. (The Newbees do not meet during the months of January and February.)

Looking for a Support Group?

•Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at Riverview Manor Healthcare Center. Call the center for meeting times.

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

•Overeater's Anonymous -

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

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

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

•Domestic Violence Hotline - 24-hour Crisis Line manned by Certified Domestic Violence counselors. Call 886-6025, or 1-800-649-6605. Remember, “Love Doesn't Have to Hurt.”

•Kentucky Baptist Homes for Children - Free, confidential assistance for unplanned pregnancy concerns. Talk with someone who cares about you and your baby. Call 1-800-928-5242.

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

•A.S.K. (Adoption Support for Kentucky) - Support group for all adoptive parents (public, private, international, and

kinship care), foster parents and all others interested in adoption. To be held the first Monday of each month, at the Department for Community Based Services office, 1009 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, from 6-8 p.m. Childcare will not be provided. For more information, contact Dedra Slone, adoptive parent liaison, at 432-4110 or 422-7927, or email to: doslone@eastky.net.

•PARENTS! - Contact the Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. to find out about child care services in your area, the STARS for KIDS NOW licensing standards program, and how you can earn an income by staying home with your own children while caring for the children of others. Find out more by calling Cheryl Endicott at 886-1280, or 888-872-7227 (toll free).

•East Kentucky S.T.A.R.S. Homeschoolers - Will hold monthly meetings at the Paintsville Recreation Center. For more information, call Trudy at 889-9333, or 297-5147. Everyone welcome.

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Children's music and drama summer workshop to be held at BSCTC

PRESTONSBURG — Big Sandy Community and Technical College will be offering a Children's Music and Drama Summer Workshop for children ages 8 to 12.

The workshop will be free of charge and will be taught and directed by Laura Ford Hall, BSCTC music and drama director.

The workshop will be held on the BSCTC Prestonsburg Campus and will start Tuesday, July 3 and will run every Tuesday and Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. until the children's performance on Saturday, July 28, on the stage of Gearheart Auditorium, Prestonsburg Campus.

This year, the Children's program will focus mainly on vocal music, with lessons taught in music basics — notes, rhythm and techniques of singing including matching pitch, singing scales, and harmony singing.

In the area of theater, children will learn stage directions, blocking, staging, techniques of acting, costuming, and how lighting and sound



Big Sandy Community and Technical College is offering a Children's Music and Drama Summer Workshop, directed by Laura Ford Hall. Pictured are last year's workshop participants as they prepared for their production of "Snow White the Musical."

play a role in a production.

The class will finish-off with the production including both music and drama elements — in which every child participating will have a role.

This year's production will mainly focus on vocal music, and will include group and

solo singing, the production will have some drama elements as well. So, children who love to sing are highly encouraged to sign-up.

Hall has been teaching music and drama classes to children for the past nine years. She is a 14-year veteran

member of the Kentucky Opry, and studied voice for 14 years with various instructors including Dr. Tom Cleveland at the Vanderbilt Voice Clinic in Nashville. She earned a Masters Degree from Morehead State University and a Bachelor of Arts with an

emphasis in Communication/Theatre and a minor in music. Hall taught children's music and drama classes at the Mountain Arts Center, as she served as the Center's Arts Education Director for two years. She now teaches at BSCTC as well as coordinates the college's singing groups: InHarmony Women's Chorus, and

Serenade, the Big Sandy Singers, and the BSCTC Theater Troupe.

Only 25 spots are available for this Children's Music and Drama workshop. Call or email Laura Hall today to reserve a spot for your child. Hall can be reached by phone at (606) 424-2498. You can email Hall at laura.hall@kctcs.edu.

Lights

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the Floyd County Rescue Squad at a cost of \$100. Proceeds will go towards the purchase of the light and also count as a donation to the volunteer organization which helps save hundreds of lives in the area each year. The \$100 purchase is tax deductible and

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and replacement of facilities damaged in Floyd, Johnson, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, Martin, Perry and Pike counties. Funding is also available for hazard mitigation measures throughout the state.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency has

named Jesse Munoz as the federal coordinating officer for the recovery efforts in the area. FEMA has also said that additional designations may be made at a later date if requested by the state and warranted by the results of further damage assessments.

DAV

for its support.

"We are truly blessed," Roberts said, as he discussed the new flag and memorial section recently donated at the cemetery. "This community has been very good to us."

Roberts turned the microphone over to George Clark, the chapter chaplain, for the opening prayer. Clark prayed for all veterans and those families who have lost loved ones in the military.

After the opening prayer, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by remarks from Ladies' Auxiliary Commander Pauline Wallace. Wallace asked everyone to keep sick and injured veterans in their thoughts and prayers.

"We have a few members who wanted to celebrate with us, but were too sick to come out," Wallace said. "That is why we

are here today, to remember those who have suffered and served."

State DAV Commander Shular Hurd was present and spoke about remembering those who have died for their country and the countless veterans who have served in the past. His speech was immediately followed by Debbie Hurd, his daughter and a DAVA member, who spoke to those in attendance about the history of Memorial Day and how it became an official holiday in the United States.

After the last Memorial Day tribute, gunshots echoed through the mountains as a 21-gun salute was observed. Seven DAV members fired a total of 21 rounds, while those attending clutched one another and cried as they remembered fallen loved ones.

As soon as the last gunshot was heard,

a DAV bugle player began playing "Taps." The solemn song rang out as some people removed their hats and others covered their hearts.

After a moment of silence was observed, a closing prayer was conducted and those present were invited to attend a cookout following the memorial.

Even after the commemoration was complete, people lingered at the memorial site to pay their respects in their own ways. One such person was Dewey Conn, a former POW in World War II.

"I'm here to honor the soldiers that didn't make it home," said Conn, who served as an Army pilot. "Young people need to learn that the only way to honor our soldiers correctly is to stay united. The Bible says, 'A house divided against itself will fall.'"

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Board

are unable to practice on their home field and, instead, have to resort to practicing on a smaller, more constrained field that lies adjacent to the school's back parking lot. Clark informed the board that doing so puts the team at a disadvantage in preparation for game night.

Both Clark and Burchett said that they are aware that the project is an expensive undertaking and that the football boosters club is prepared to take on responsibility for a major fundraising campaign soliciting the support of private donors from the public sector.

"The PHS Boosters Club will pay for everything," Clark said, including the cost of an architect for the project.

Concerns raised by the board included possible flooding of the field in the future, as well as concerns in regard to electrical equipment that requires routine maintenance within the area.

The board received a report on the project and Fanning said that although he could not "speak for the board, I think they would be willing to listen."

Plans are for the issue to be brought up again at a later date as further progress in initiating public support is gathered.

In other business, board member Linda Gearheart again voiced her opposition to a policy currently up for approval by the board in regard to administrative staff taking on dual roles as

extracurricular activity coaches and directors.

The newly devised policy dictates that principals and other such school administrators not be allowed to serve as coaches, directors or assistants on extracurricular teams. Gearheart says that she sees no problem with allowing principals and their staff to serve in such positions and, when a roll call vote on the matter was called for, she said that she was in opposition of the new policy.

The matter will likely come up for discussion again at a later date.

Also, the board received an initial report requesting permission to begin work on a new softball/baseball field for Allen Central High School.

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Since the project is in its initial stages, board attorney Michael Schmitt informed that he would make himself available to discuss and look into any legal matters that may arise in the development of the project.

Additionally, the board approved a proposal to change the school colors and mascot of May Valley Elementary School from teal green/burgundy and Mustangs to royal blue/black and Tigers.

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Rebels edge Pike Central in region opener

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE – At the end of the 15th Region baseball and softball tournaments' opening rounds, the Allen Central baseball team was the lone 58th District team left alive. Allen Central survived the first round, beating Pike County Central 5-4.

The other 58th District teams struggled to come up with runs. Pikeville ousted Prestonsburg from the district baseball tournament, beating the Blackcats 5-3. In the 57th District Softball Tournament, two Floyd County teams were beaten a combined 27-0. East Ridge blanked Betsy Layne 21-0. The Prestonsburg softball team also suffered a season-ending setback. Defending 15th Region

champion Shelby Valley shut-out the Lady Blackcats 6-0.

Allen Central junior pitcher Scott Little earned the win as the Rebels pushed past Pike County Central. Alex Hammonds pitched the first four innings for the Rebels.

Allen Central faced a pair of early deficits before posting the win over the Hawks.

Pike County Central went out in front 2-0 in the top half of the first inning. The Hawks owned a 2-1 lead in the top half of the fourth inning when they plated two more runs.

Allen Central didn't get on the scoreboard until the bottom portion of the third inning. The Rebels managed to hold Pike County Central scoreless after the fourth inning. Allen Central tied the game with a three-run effort in the bottom part of the fifth inning. The Rebels

scored one run to win the game in the bottom portion of the seventh inning. The game was knotted at 4-4 in the bottom of the seventh inning when Chris Stumbo scored from third base on a bunt off of the bat of teammate Chad Nelson.

Allen Central scored its five runs on seven hits. The Rebels committed two errors in the regional tournament game. Pike County Central manufactured four runs on four hits. The Hawks had one error in the season-ending loss. Pike County Central finished the season 9-18.

Allen Central improved to 16-17 and advanced into the 15th Region Semifinals Tuesday evening against Lawrence County. The semifinal matchup ended too late to make this edition.



photo by Steve LeMaster
Junior pitcher Scott Little came on and closed the game in strong fashion Tuesday evening as Allen Central defeated Pike Central.

ALC men's hoops program announces new signees

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES – Alice Lloyd College men's basketball coach Gary Gibson has announced the signing of four new players for the 2007-08 season.

On Wednesday, Alice Lloyd signed Brandon Hayes and Cody Berryman. Hayes is a 6-3, 180-pound forward from Breathitt County High School, where he averaged 14 points and nine rebounds per game. Hayes pulled down a season-high 17 rebounds on two different occasions last season. He shot 59-percent from the field and 68-percent from the free throw line.

Berryman is a 6-1, 190-pound shooting guard from Estill County High School. He averaged 16.4 points, 2.3 assists and a team-high 6.8 rebounds during his senior year. Berryman shot 51-percent from the field, 37-percent from behind the three-point arc and 78-percent from the free throw line. He scored over 1,300 points in his high school career and finished as the fourth all-time scorer at Estill County High School.

On Thursday, Alice Lloyd signed Brandon Phillips, a 6-3 forward from St. Paul (Va.) High School. Phillips averaged 16.1 points, 9.2 rebounds and 2.4 assists per game this past season. He shot 54-percent from the field and 72-percent from the free throw line. Phillips also shot 39-percent from behind the three-point line. He played for Coach Patrick Damron, a former ALC player. Phillips was also an all-state football player, an all-region baseball player and advanced to the state track meet in the 400 meter run.

Alice Lloyd signed Bobby Williams on Friday. Williams is 6-1, 175-pound shooting guard from Menifee County High School. Williams averaged 16 points, 7 rebounds and 4 assists during his senior campaign. Williams shot 49-percent from the field and 86-percent from the free throw line. He also hit 38-percent of his three point attempts.

Corey Dixon (6-8, C, Pulaski County), Casey Dalton (6-0, PG, Pulaski Southwestern) and Michael Lindon (6-3, G/F, Knott Central) have already signed to play for the Eagles.

PRACTICE TIME



Professional motocross racer Matt Craft got in some practice time late last week at Beaver Junction, a new track located at Dwale. Craft is hoping to return to the Dwale track Sunday. Beaver Junction offers classes to motocross athletes of various ages.

Pro motocross racer makes stop at Dwale track

TIMES STAFF REPORT

DWALE – Professional motocross racer Matt Craft visited Beaver Junction Motocross late last week. A 21-year-old racer, Craft resides in Riverside, Calif. Craft was traveling through Floyd County en route to Mt. Morris, Penn., and the second round of the Outdoor Nationals. The California resident heard of the local track and expressed an interest to stop and get in some practice time.

Craft is a member of the MDK Honda Racing Team. His competitors include Ricky Carmichael and James Stewart, some of the sport's leading racers.

Craft's sponsors include Honda, Langston Racing and Nomad Clothing. As a pro racer, Craft gets the opportunity to ride a Honda 450 valued at approximately \$22,000. Craft hopes to have the opportunity to return to Floyd County on Sunday, June 3 and attend Beaver Junction's next racing event.



FREE FISHING WEEKEND SET FOR JUNE 2-3

TIMES STAFF REPORT

FRANKFORT – The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources will offer its Free Fishing Weekend June 2-3 throughout the state. Free Fishing Weekend events kick off National Fishing and Boating Week, which runs June 2-10. During Free Fishing Weekend, anglers may

fish statewide without a fishing license. The weekend is a great opportunity for the whole family to fish without spending any money on licenses.

There are dozens of fishing events scheduled all over Kentucky during Free Fishing Weekend. Free Fishing Weekend is open to both Kentucky residents and nonresidents. In addition to fishing licenses, trout permits are also not required during this weekend. Minimum size and creel limits are still in effect.

For general information about fishing in Kentucky, anglers also may call the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Information Center weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (Eastern Time) at 1-800-858-1549.

Meadows wins 201 Late Model feature race

TIMES STAFF REPORT

SITKA – Another dirt Late Model driver made his way into Victory Lane Saturday night at 201 Speedway. Eighteen-year-old Beckley, W.Va. driver Chris Meadows claimed the \$3,000-to-win first-place victory Saturday night. Meadows outdistanced fellow West Virginia driver Tim Dohm to the finish line. Dohm finished runner-up. Paul Harris, after leading the first two laps, finished third. Anthony Adams ended the Late Model feature race in the fourth-place position. Eric Wells rounded out the top-five. Meadows led laps 3-18 before Dohm gained the lead. Meadows went back out in front and led the last two laps of the 30-lap feature race.

A complete breakdown of the results from Saturday night's races follows.

First Late Model Heat: 47 Chris Combs; 17 Shannon Thomsberry; 97 David Powers; 10 Raymond Nichols; 3 Richie Edwards; 43K Kevin Hall; 6H Tom Hall; 9 Michael Butcher; 15 Jay Summers.

(See FEATURE, page eight)

Five players sign to join Lady Eagle basketball team

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES – Alice Lloyd College women's basketball coach David Adams has announced the signing of five players for the 2007-08 season. The five-player group is comprised of two shooting guards, two point guards and a forward. Nicole Lutes is a six-foot forward from Breathitt County High School. Lutes averaged 16 points and eight rebounds for the Breathitt County Lady Bobcats.

Bailey Gabbard is a 5-8 shooting guard from Powell (Tenn.) High School. She averaged 14 points and four assists this past season.

Ashley Sexton, a 5-7 shooting guard from Letcher County Central High School, will also join the Lady Eagles. She averaged 12 points and 4 assists per game during her senior season.

(See FIVE, page eight)



photo by Steve LeMaster
Junior first baseman Nathaniel Stephens had a single in Prestonsburg's season-opening loss to Pikeville.

Pikeville knocks P'burg out of postseason

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE – Prestonsburg reached the 15th Region Baseball Tournament for a second straight year. And for a second straight year, the Blackcats fell short in an opening round matchup. Prestonsburg faced longtime rival Pikeville Monday evening in the 15th Region Tournament. Despite withstanding an early scoring storm that had the Panthers plating five runs in the first two innings, Prestonsburg had its season end. Pikeville built on its early lead, beating the Blackcats 5-3.

The win was Pikeville's fourth straight victory. Panther pitcher Luke Huffman earned the win.

Each of the first four hitters in the Prestonsburg batting order connected in the first inning. Prestonsburg shortstop Josh Rodebaugh delivered the big hit for the Blackcats in the first inning, connecting on a two-run home run, driving in Tyler Hall, who had reached base earlier.

Bobby Hughes, Prestonsburg's starting pitcher, led off the first inning with a single. Seth Setser tripled for the Blackcats in the opening inning.

Trailing 2-0, Pikeville answered with a trio of runs in bottom half of the first inning. The Panthers, leading 3-2, added two more runs in the home half of the second stanza.

Neither team scored in the third, fourth, fifth or sixth innings.

Prestonsburg, attempting to pull even or go ahead, added one run in the top half of the fifth inning.

Hughes and Hall each finished with two singles for the Blackcats. Nathaniel Stephens had one single.

After a rocky first two innings, Hughes settled down and pitched well. The Prestonsburg junior, despite throwing strong, took the loss.

Prestonsburg, the runner-up out of the 58th District, ended the season 16-17. Pikeville, which improved to 18-15, advanced into the regional tournament semifinals Tuesday evening against tournament host Johnson Central.

Jenny Wiley among state campgrounds honored

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

FRANKFORT — Five Kentucky State Park campgrounds have been listed on the "Top 100 Family Campgrounds" by ReserveAmerica, a camping reservations provider. Three other Kentucky state parks were also honored with outdoor recreation awards.

The five campgrounds making the top 100 list were: Barren River State Resort Park at Lucas, Big Bone Lick State Park at Union, Columbus-Belmont State Park at Columbus, Fort Boonesborough State Park near Richmond, and Green River Lake State Park near Campbellsville.

"The Kentucky State Parks provide some great camping opportunities across the state," said Parks Commissioner J. T. Miller. "We're proud of all 31 of our state park campgrounds and look forward to serving campers this year."

ReserveAmerica reviewed nearly 3,000 parks for the top 100 campgrounds. The selections were based on testimonials, park ranger feedback, regional park managers and from campers. ReserveAmerica looked at factors such as quality of the

campground, showers, laundry facilities, hiking trails, programs and children's events.

Other Kentucky State Parks honored on other lists with outdoor awards were Natural Bridge State Resort Park near Slade for hiking trails, best bird watching and scenic views; Greenbo Lake State Resort Park at Greenup for top fishing spots; and Jenny Wiley State Resort Park near Prestonsburg for top bird watching and top tours and events.

Big Bone Lick State Park also received honors for top tours and events and top educational and historical spots and Fort Boonesborough State Park was on the top tours and events list.

Information and reservations are available for Kentucky State Park campgrounds at www.parks.ky.gov or by calling 1-888-459-7275.

Here are some details on the parks that were honored:

Barren River State Resort Park at Lucas: After a day exploring the caves at Mammoth Cave National Park, enjoy one of the 99 camp sites. There's a 10,000-acre lake, providing spectacular views of sunsets, boating and fishing, an 18-hole golf course, horseback riding, ten-

nis courts, a beach, a pool and a paved trail for hiking and biking. Utility hookups are available. A dump station and two central service buildings with showers and rest rooms are offered. This park also has a lodge, cottages and restaurant.

Big Bone Lick State Park at Union: The spacious campground features 62 campsites with utility hookups, grills, a swimming pool and playground. Showers, rest rooms, and laundry facilities are available at a central service building. A campground grocery is on-site.

Big Bone Lick State Park is considered the "Birthplace of American Vertebrate Paleontology." The fossilized remains of prehistoric animals were discovered in 1739 and displayed extensively at museums throughout the world. Big Bone Lick State Park is sponsoring a program this summer called "Lick the Wild" in which participants take part in primitive living and survival skills. The park also hosts the 22nd Annual Salt Festival on Oct. 19-21.

Columbus-Belmont State Park at Columbus: Campers relax amid beautiful settings on the river cliff campground. The campground has 38 sites

with utility hookups and grills. A central service building offers rest rooms, showers, and laundry facilities.

During the Civil War, the site was considered a strategic location for control of the Mississippi River, and the struggle to control the river led to the Battle of Belmont on November 7, 1861. The park features a museum, hiking trails and a massive chain used by the South to block Union gunboats. The farmhouse that served as a Civil War hospital serves as the museum that interprets many historic events at this site. The annual reenactment is scheduled for the weekend of Oct. 12-14.

Fort Boonesborough State Park near Richmond: The campground near the banks of the Kentucky River offers 167 sites with electricity and water hookups as well as tent camping sites. An activities building can accommodate 150 people, and a central service building provides showers, rest rooms, and laundry facilities. There is a small grocery at the check-in area, a pool, mini-golf and hiking trails.

Fort Boonesborough is the site of a fort founded in 1775 by Daniel Boone. A full scale replica of the original fort, complete with living histori-

ans is the park's main feature. Many historical reenactments are offered throughout the year, including "Women on the Frontier" on the weekend of June 9-10.

Green River Lake State Park near Campbellsville: The 157-site campground on the waterfront with electricity and water hookups plus tent camping offers a grocery, a dump station, and three central service buildings with showers, rest rooms, and a laundry facility. The park features an 8,200 acre lake with a sand beach along the lake's edge and a nearby marina offering rental houseboats, ski boats, jet skis and pontoon boats. Other activities include mini-golf, hiking, mountain biking and horseback riding.

Natural Bridge State Resort Park at Slade: This resort park is adjacent to the Red River Gorge Geological Area and offers excellent hiking and scenery. A sandstone arch spans 78 feet and is 65 feet high. This park features a lodge, cottages and restaurant.

Two campgrounds, Whittleton Campground and Middle Fork Campground, provide 87 sites with utilities. Dump stations and two central service buildings with rest rooms and showers are fur-

nished. Greenbo Lake State Resort Park at Greenup: The campground features 63 sites with utility hook ups and 35 tent-camping sites. This park also has two dumping stations, two central service buildings with showers and rest rooms, and a grocery store.

Excellent fishing is available at Greenbo Lake. This 225-acre lake is home of two state largemouth bass records and holds large bluegill, crappie, catfish, and trout. This resort park includes a lodge and restaurant as well as a marina with boat rentals. A new amphitheater opened in 2007 with music and dramatic programs.

Jenny Wiley State Resort Park near Prestonsburg: This 117-site campground offers utility hookups, two central service buildings with showers and rest rooms, a grocery store, and a dump station.

Hiking trails, fishing, disc golf, summer theater and elk tours are offered at this resort park. It also has a lodge, cottages and restaurant.

For more information about these and other Kentucky State Parks, visit www.parks.ky.gov. For more details about the ReserveAmerica honors, visit www.reserveamerica.com

University of Kentucky football recruit charged with burglary

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

COVINGTON — A University of Kentucky football recruit appeared in court on Friday after being arrested on burglary charges earlier in the week.

Covington police said Duran Jefferson, 19, was one of three who broke into a house on Monday and stole several guns, including a 12-

gauge shotgun and three .22-caliber rifles. Jefferson was charged with first-degree burglary, a felony punishable by 10 to 20 years in prison.

Jefferson played quarterback, wide receiver and defensive back for Holmes High before signing with the Wildcats in February. He was expected to play either wide receiver or defensive back for Kentucky said team spokesman Tony Neely.

"We are very concerned and are monitoring the situation closely," Kentucky coach Rich Brooks said in a statement. "His status will be under review as the facts are determined."

Jefferson remained in jail on Friday afternoon and was not expected to participate in graduation ceremonies at Holmes High.

Five

Point guard Whitney Frazier is a 5-7 speedster from Lawrence County High School. She averaged 17 points and 5 assists per game during her final prep season.

Point guard Autumn Morris (5-8) from Letcher Central High School will be back in action in late-fall after sitting

out the 2006-07 season. Morris was a member of the LCCHS Class of 2006.

The Alice Lloyd College women's basketball program won the regular season title in the KIAC (Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference) this past season. The Lady Eagles were runners-

up in the conference tournament.

Allen Central High School graduate Becky Thomas is headed into her sophomore season at ALC. Betsy Layne High School graduate Whitney Lykens recently wrapped up a stellar career with the ALC women's basketball program.

Feature

Second Late Model Heat: 33 Chris Meadows; 10 Paul Harris; 87 David Smith; 25 (Driver name unavailable); L7 Eddie Johnson; 15 Cory Wadell; 3 Scooter Lemaster; 25 Zach Dohm; 51 Randy Boggs.

Third Late Model Heat: R1 Rod Evans; 6T Tim Dohm; 24H Michael P. Howard; 8 Anthony Adams; 18 Eric Wells; 81 Brandon Fouts; 3 Jacob Ross; 81 Albert Butcher.

Late Model Consolation Race: 15 Jay Summers; 15C Cory Wadell; 9 Michael Butcher; 81 Albert Butcher; 22 (Driver name unavailable).

Late Model Feature: 33 Chris Meadows; 6T Tim Dohm; 97 David Powers; 10 Paul Harris; 8 Anthony Adams; 18 Eric Wells; 25 Zach Dohm; 15 Jay Summers; 24H Michael P. Howard; 81 Brandon Fouts; 51 Randy Boggs; 25 (Driver name unavailable); 43K Kevin Hall; 3 Richie Edwards; L7 Eddie Johnson; 17 Shannon Thornsberry; 10 Raymond Nichols; 15C Cory Wadell; 3 Jacob Ross; 47 Chris Combs; R1 Rod Evans; 87 David Smith

First Open Wheel Modified Heat: 33 Corey McKenzie; 98 Shon Flanary; 135 Clint Shutts; 911 Jason Hall; 46 Dennis Deboard; 28M Kevin Mayabb; 32 (Driver name unavailable); 1 Mickey Sanson; 30 (Driver name unavailable); 6F John Fitzpatrick.

Second Open Wheel Modified Heat: 55 Darren Muncy; 12 Kevin Copher; 11 Pete Castle; 84 Walt Mayabb;

22 Jack Tackett; 38 (Driver name unavailable); B8 (Driver name unavailable); 3 Claude Spence; 2T Jack Tackett.

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First Mr Metal Bomber Heat: 31 Albie Howell; H3 Harley Hall; P12 Dean Pennington; 20 Bo Howard; 17 (Driver name unavailable); 22 Jamie Conley; 44 Tommy Curtis.

Second Bomber Heat: 3 Shannon Richmond; R17 Don Risner; J17 J.J. Terry; B4 Bannie Blair; R18 Justin Risner; 3D Darren Damron; 08 Kyle Tackett.

Mr Metal Bomber feature: 3 Shannon Richmond; H3

Harley Hall; 31 Albie Howell; 3D Darren Damron; B4 Bannie Blair; P12 Dean Pennington; R18 Justin Risner; R17 Don Risner; 08 Kyle Tackett; J17 J.J. Terry; 20 (Driver name unavailable); 44 Tommy Curtis; 20 Bo Howard.

First Four Cylinder Heat: RA 47 Robert Hall; D6 Darren Rogers; 75 Brian Salisbury; 33 Rodney Hamilton; 22N Nick Martin; 63T Shirlye Tackett; A17 Alan Salisbury.

Second Four Cylinder Heat: 18S Shawn Ousley; Ole 7 Gary Whitt; 18K Shawn Henson; 3D Jamie Hamilton; 21 Pat Morris; B11 (Driver name unavailable); B2 Michael Blair.

Four Cylinder Feature: Ole 7 Gary Whitt (Disqualified in post race tech); 18K Shawn DI Henson (Disqualified in post-race tech); 3D Jamie Hamilton (declared winner); 18S Shawn Ousley; 22n Nick Martin; 21 Pat Morris; D6 Darren Rogers; RA47 Robert Hall; 63T Shirlye Tackett; A17 Alan Salisbury; 33 Rodney Hamilton; 75 Brian Salisbury; B2 Michael Blair.

Fish and Wildlife Commission nomination meeting set for June 12 in Hazard

TIMES STAFF REPORT

FRANKFORT — A meeting to select nominees to represent the Seventh Wildlife District on the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commission will be held at 7:30 p.m. Eastern time, Tuesday, June 12, at The Forum at the Hal Rogers Center, 101 Bulldog Lane, Hazard. Doors open at 6 p.m.

Residents of the Seventh Wildlife District who have, for each of the past two consecutive years, legally hunted,

fished or registered a boat in the state of Kentucky are eligible to participate in the meeting.

The Seventh Wildlife District includes Breathitt, Floyd, Johnson, Harlan, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Owsley, Perry and Pike counties.

Up to five nominees will be chosen at the meeting and their names submitted to Gov. Ernie Fletcher, who will appoint one of the nominees to a four-year term on the Commission.

The Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commission is a nine-member board which oversees the operations of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. The Commission approves the Department's budget, sets season dates and approves all regulations pertaining to hunting, fishing and wildlife conservation.

The current Commission member from the Seventh Wildlife District is Doug Hensley of Hazard.



photo by Steve LeMaster

POSTSEASON BASEBALL: The Allen Central Rebels continued their journey through the postseason Tuesday evening against Lawrence County in the 15th Region Tournament Semifinals. The game ended too late to make this edition.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, June 7, 2007 at 2:00 pm., at the property site, at 4940 KY Route 114, Prestonsburg KY, in Floyd County, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of \$47,604.14 principal, plus an interest credit subsidy granted in the amount of \$47,484.74, plus interest in the amount of \$5,765.610 as of February 27, 2007 and interest thereafter on the principal at \$13.0331 per day from February 27, 2007, until the date of this judgment, plus interest to the date of judgment amount (principal plus interest to the date of judgment) at the rate of 4.94% computed daily and compounded annually, until paid in full and for the costs of this action, pursuant to Judgment and Order of Sale, being Civil Action No. 06-170 GFVT on the Pikeville Docket of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on April 10, 2007, in the case of the United States of America vs. Joan M. Turner, The Unknown Spouse of Joan M. Turner, Jeremy Hale, The Unknown Spouse of Jeremy Hale, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder: House and Lot located at 4940 KY Route 114, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, KY. Being the same property conveyed by Deed dated January 4, 1988, and recorded in Deed Book 316, Page 2 in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Terms of Sale: Ten percent (10%) of the bid price (in the form of a Certified Check made payable to the U. S. Marshal) on the day of the sale with good and sufficient bond for the balance, bearing interest at the rate of \$1.83 per annum until paid, due and payable in sixty (60) days and said bond having the effect of a Judgment. Upon a default by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and retained by the U.S. Marshal as a part of the proceeds of the sale, and the property shall again be offered for sale subject to confirmation by the Court.

This sale shall be in bar and foreclosure of all right, title, interest, estate claim, demand or equity of redemption of the defendant(s) and of all persons claiming by through, under or against them, provided the purchase price is equal to two-thirds of the appraisal value. If the purchase price is not equal to two-thirds of the appraisal value, the Deed shall contain a lien in favor of the defendant(s) reflecting the right of the defendant(s) to redeem during the period provided by law (KRS 426.530). Under law, the purchaser is deemed to be on notice of all matters affecting the property of record in the local County Clerk's Office.

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U.S. General Services Administration

Mears upsets the field, wins Coca-Cola 600

by JENNA FRYER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CONCORD, N.C. — In a season of Hendrick Motorsports domination, another win shouldn't have been a surprise.

But the super team pulled off an upset for the ages when Casey Mears — the perceived weak link in the Hendrick chain — raced to his first Nextel Cup victory Sunday night, stretching his fuel to the finish in the Coca-Cola 600.

"I think I had a 10,000-pound gorilla just jump right off my back," Mears said.

It was the ninth win out of 12 races this season for Hendrick and fifth in a row. But the other victories went to Jeff Gordon, Jimmie Johnson and Kyle Busch, consistent championship contenders.

But Mears, who has never finished higher than 14th in the standings, is struggling through his first season at Hendrick and came to Lowe's Motor Speedway ranked 35th in the points.

Finally making it to Victory Lane proved the 29-year-old can hang with his superstar teammates.

"At times I've questioned myself, even though that's something you really can't do

as a driver," Mears said. "I've wondered if it was me and what I could do to be better. I always thought I was capable of winning races."

When he finally did, it put a Mears back in Victory Lane on the biggest day in racing for the first time since 1991. Mears is the nephew of four-time Indianapolis 500 champion Rick Mears.

"My uncle won four races on this day, and what a special day just because of that," Mears said with tears in his eyes.

"My family has had an unbelievable history of racing, and I've always wanted to make my mark with my family. We've got a long ways to go, a long ways to go, and a lot of races to run, but it sure feels good to win today."

Mears ran strong all night at Lowe's Motor Speedway, but only took the lead when others ducked onto pit road for a splash of gas. The No. 25 team pushed its Chevrolet to the finish, finally running out of gas moments after Mears took his first checkered flag.

J.J. Yeley, like Mears considered one of the drivers in jeopardy of losing their ride to make room for free agent Dale Earnhardt Jr., finished second for the first top-five finish of

his career.

"This is probably the first time in two years of Cup racing I didn't catch the bad break," Yeley said. "I've always run into bad luck."

Kyle Petty was third — his first top five in 10 years — and quickly praised Mears, who was friends with Petty's late son, Adam.

"I couldn't be more excited for Casey Mears if his name was Adam Petty," Petty said. "I am tickled to death for Casey Mears. I want to tell you something: That kid got what he deserved tonight. I want to say, on the record, a lot of great things are going to come for that kid."

Reed Sorenson was fourth, and Brian Vickers was fifth in the highest finish this season for Toyota.

In fact, the top five all celebrated their best result of the year.

Tony Stewart, who seemed to have the win in the bag after Johnson gave it away in the pits, wound up sixth after figuring he was two laps short on fuel and had to make a late stop.

"I don't know I'm just a driver. I don't calculate fuel," Stewart grumbled. It's at least the fourth time this season Stewart lost a win he seem-

ly had in the bag.

Ricky Rudd was seventh, followed by Earnhardt and Denny Hamlin. Johnson, who came into the event with five wins in the past eight races, wound up 10th after his crew dropped a lug nut during a pit stop with 62 laps remaining.

Johnson had led 82 laps and was out front when he brought the field into the pits. But his Hendrick crew made a rare mistake while changing his tires, lost time scooping up the dropped part, and Johnson came out of the stop in 10th place.

Stewart, meanwhile, had a flawless stop and came out of the pits in first. He led Mears and Earnhardt on the restart with 59 laps to go, and it should have been smooth sailing from there.

But like almost all the other teams, Stewart worried he wouldn't have enough gas to make it to the finish line. He was one of the last drivers to surrender and head down pit road for a splash of gas. It put Earnhardt out front, but he had to stop for gas and it turned the lead over to Hamlin.

But Hamlin went in for gas with five laps left, putting Mears out front for the win.

The 600 is a race of attrition and drivers typically

attack it in segments, striving to still be running when the sun goes down. That's when the track cools, the cars begin to settle and the real racing begins.

But in an unusually hectic start, 18 cars were involved in two accidents less than 150 miles into the event.

The first accident, a 13-car melee, began when Johnson's tire flew off his Chevrolet and went sailing through traffic. Drivers ducked right and left to avoid the flying rubber, but all the jockeying triggered a pileup.

Johnson escaped serious damage, as did Stewart, one of the first cars to spin. Elliott Sadler, Jamie McMurray and rookie Juan Pablo Montoya, who was convinced he had a car capable of winning, were not so lucky.

"Welcome to NASCAR, I guess," said the former Indianapolis 500 champion and Formula One driver.

As those drivers were looking over their damaged cars, five more were collected when Tony Raines spun and smashed into points leader Gordon. It sent Gordon into the wall at the same time he was hit by A.J. Allmendinger,

and the simultaneous contact sent Gordon airborne.

He was OK after a brief check at the care center, but his streak of seven consecutive top-four finishes was snapped. It's also the fifth straight time he's failed to finish at this track.

Gordon, who started the race with a 231-point lead in the standings, finished 41st and saw his lead shrink to 132 points over Johnson. But he seemed most concerned with his wife, who was watching from New York where she is awaiting the birth of their first child.

"I'm OK, and I want to say 'Hi' to Ingrid at home because I know she's probably a little nervous right now," he said. "But I'll be home soon."

Cars dropped out one at a time from there, including pole-sitter Ryan Newman, who apparently lost his engine during a pit stop midway through the race. As Newman was in the garage looking under his hood, teammate Kurt Busch lost control of his car and bumped into the wall.

The two Penske drivers had started first and second, but Newman wound up 37th and Busch finished 32nd after leading 107 laps.

Reds outfielder Freel taken to hospital after collision

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — Reds right fielder Norris Hopper thinks center fielder Ryan Freel might have been unconscious before he hit the ground after the two players collided Monday in Cincinnati's 4-0 win over the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Freel was diagnosed with contusions to his head and neck after his head collided with Hopper's right elbow while the center fielder was catching Humberto Cota's fly ball to the warning track in right center field.

"I wasn't sure what it was at first, but it was pretty hard," Hopper said after the game. "I watched the replay after the game, and I saw it was his head. I think it knocked him out, because he hit the ground pretty hard, but he was limp."

"I went over and got real close to his ear and screamed, 'Freel, Freel,' about four times. He opened his eyes slowly, and I said, 'Just lay there. They're coming.'"

Freel, known for his all-out play, was down for 13 minutes while being examined and was taken off the field on a stretcher. Scans of his head and neck taken at Good Samaritan Hospital were normal, according to the team.

The frightening scene took place in the third inning. After catching the ball, Freel's left arm was run into by Hopper. Freel was twirled around to his left and fell at the base of the wall.

"It was scary," Reds manager Jerry Narron said. "When you're going out there, you want him to get up off the ground. I was expecting to see him sit up. He hit pretty hard, and there was a lot of blood in

his mouth, which surprised me. He was saying his neck was hurting."

"It takes the life out of the game for the period of time that they're working on him," Pittsburgh manager Jim Tracy said. "That was close to being a vicious, vicious hit. There's no question that (Freel's) one of the top three or four players in the league, if you're rating them by how hard they play."

After being examined by Reds trainers and physicians, Freel was turned over on his back, strapped to a stretcher, loaded into an ambulance and taken to the hospital. He is scheduled to be evaluated again on Tuesday, the Reds said.

Hopper remained in the game.

Freel, hitting .253 entering the game, was replaced by Ken Griffey Jr.



Beaver Junction Motocross owner Ricky Crider (right) welcomed professional motocross racer Matt Craft during a practice session last week. Craft, who hails from California, competes against some of the nation's top motocross racers.

Reds option Saarloos, recall Livingston

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CINCINNATI — The day after Kirk Saarloos failed to retire any of the seven batters he faced in Cincinnati's 14-10 loss to Pittsburgh, the Reds optioned the right-hander to Triple-A Louisville and recalled left-hander Bobby Livingston.

"I don't feel like I'm the problem," Saarloos said. "I think I've had three bad innings this year. I felt like, in

the other 20 appearances, I was throwing the ball pretty (damn) good. Those three appearances are the bed I'm lying in."

Saarloos, 0-4 with a 7.04 ERA, will work out of the Bats bullpen, Reds manager Jerry Narron said.

"He's just been up and down lately," Narron said. "Hopefully, he'll be able to go down and get some consistent work."

Livingston is making his

second appearance with Cincinnati. In his previous stint, he made his first major league start on May 13 at Los Angeles, allowing 10 hits and four earned runs in 5 1-3 innings for a 6.75 ERA. He was optioned to Louisville on May 15. In his two stints with the Bats, Livingston was 0-3 with a 3.88 ERA in nine starts.

"He'll pitch in the bullpen right now, give us some length out there," Narron said.

Swartz wins Kentucky Speedweek race at PRP

by MASON BRANHAM
TRACK WRITER

PORTSMOUTH, Ohio — Audie Swartz survived a first lap accident and went on to post the biggest win of his career at Portsmouth Raceway Park Sunday.

A major pileup in turn one and two on the opening circuit left Swartz and five other cars stopped on the track with several others getting a piece of the action, but driving away. All the cars were able to return to action and Swartz went back to the pole. Given a second chance, Swartz took advantage. He jumped to the lead on the restart and never gave it up in Owen "Junior" Stephens Memorial, sanctioned by O'Reilly NARA Battle of the Bluegrass Series as part of the 2nd Annual Kentucky Speedweek. After the opening caution flag, the race went green to the finish. The race was the seventh of the season in the Battle of the Bluegrass and Swartz became the seventh different winner. The cars in the front settled in quickly. Swartz benefited from Battle of the Bluegrass rules, which provided for a complete restart, when there is a multi-

car accident on the first lap. Under regular PRP rules, Swartz and the five other cars which stopped would have been sent to the back of the pack. Eddie Carrier Jr. chased Swartz the entire way. They opened up a small lead over third place Jackie Boggs. Delmas Conley challenged Boggs for third for several laps before falling back to fourth.

Josh McGuire ended the race fifth and Martiun river Shannon Thornsberry claimed a sixth-place finish.

Doug Adkins was the winningest driver at PRP last season and he is well on his way to accomplishing the feat again this season. Adkins took his second Modified victory in three races. He was second in the race he did not win. Adkins opened up a comfortable lead early and held a straightaway lead for much of the race. Eddie Harmon, a four-time modified driving champion, moved up to claim second. He was followed by Rick Walker, Adam Jordan and Rick Hensley.

Darren Pendleton took the lead on lap one and stayed at the point. Danny Hamilton challenged Pendleton, but could not get around and had

to settle for second. Brett Carey made a late pass to get around Bill Gullion for third.

Owen "Junior" Stephens Memorial: Audie Swartz, Eddie Carrier Jr., Jackie Boggs, Delmas Conley, Josh McGuire,

Shannon Thornsberry, Mike Marlar, Nick Bocook, Greg Johnson, Jason Keltner, Tyrel Todd, Kevin Wagner, Tin Tungate, Marty O'Neal, Jerry Rice, David Webb, Justin Ratliff, Rick Combs, Victor Lee, Michael Chilton, Bobby Wolter Jr., Chris Combs, R.J. Conley, Mark Frazier.

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POISON OAK

What is so rare as a day in June?

One more day and June will be bustin' out all over. When I was a kid, I sort of looked forward to this particular month because it was the first full month of our summer vacation from school. We literally owned the world, and had an eternity to do with it whatever we decided we wanted to do.

It was generally near the end of May when those freckled-faced, pig-tailed girls and the rag-tag boys from Muddy Branch would pour out the front door of the H.S. Howes Community School and scatter like so many glass marbles hit by a steely law. Even though the community wasn't all that large, with all the many hollers and the way the houses were spread out, it was entirely possible that there might be some of the kids I'd never see until school started back again.

Some would head across the hill to Rock House or up the railroad tracks to Number Three or Silk Stocking Row or cut down the bank and shortcut across the schoolhouse bottom, then up the railroad tracks to Greentown.

Regardless of the direction they'd be taking, though, they'd be yelling like wild Indians, "School's out, school's out, teacher wore her bloomers out!" or some other such phrase of celebration.

Some would even rip the pages from their notebook backs and throw them in the creek as they hustled home to eagerly face whatever it was that summer had in store.

Apparently, June has been an important month for Kentuckians for a long time. Matter of fact, it was on June 1, 1792, that Kentucky became the 15th

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KIM'S KORNER

Gospel band truly an inspiration

Sunday before last, our church had a Sunday night youth service where we were blessed by the sounds of a gospel rock band by the name of 2nd Street Revival.

Taking no claims of being a Randy Jackson, Paula Abdul, and certainly not a Simon Cowell, still, these ears were amazed at the vocals and sounds coming from these young adults as they sang God's praises.

Kevin Harmon reminds me of a young Bruce Springsteen - not in looks (you are much cuter Kevin) but in his voice; and the band, well, they are just awesome. Bek Smallwood, their female vocalist, is amazing.

That girl can sing, really belt it out, and has been so blessed with vocals that rival the likes of Jordin, America's new American Idol, or any of those in the past, that have absolutely nothing on this girl.

We were told that Kevin writes the majority of the group's songs and the lyrics are something else. From Get Together, Here Comes the Rain, In Your Presence, River of Life, More Than Rock & Roll, Your Love is True, 28 Miles, April Sunshine, Beautiful Love, and Almost Home, it is so hard to pick a favorite for they are all truly so good.

Their CD titled 2nd Street Revival has been in my car stereo since, and it

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Floyd County roots land at NASA

by KIM LITTLE FRASURE
 ADVERTISING MANAGER

The year was 1976 and one of my best friends was about to move thousands of miles away to the state of Arkansas. From the age of five to fifteen Rita Gail, Kathi Jo, and I were inseparable. Now for the first time in our lives, we were about to experience one of life's lessons as the three amigos were about to become two.

We made promises to write and keep in touch and we did but only for a little while. For as we became more involved in our school work and extra curricular activities and the usual goings on of teen age life, the distance between us proved to be far greater than what our young minds anticipated.

As life moved on so did we. Kathi Jo married and moved to Weston, Florida, Rita married and also lives in Florida and me well, I too, am married but have stayed close to my roots.

Rita always loved math in school. And attributes to this day the excellent teaching and inspiration she received from Wheelwright High School mathematics teacher Ray Jones.

This past January, Rita Gail Patterson Willcoxon became the first woman in history to hold the position of the Launch Vehicle Processing Directorate at Kennedy Space Center.

Next to her parents, Denton and Pat Patterson of Lexington, and Suetta and Troy Curry of Melbourne, Florida, and her very proud grandmother, Maggie Hall of Price, KY and I are extremely proud of our childhood friend.

According to an article in Spaceport News by Linda Herridge, Rita's responsibilities include, "overseeing the processing of three orbiter vehicles and integrating and launching



Courtesy Photo

Rita Willcoxon, pictured in this NASA photograph, became the first woman in history to hold the position of Launch Vehicle Processing Directorate at Kennedy Space center.

the Space Transportation System missions. She is also responsible for the transition and retirement of shuttle assets as the program concludes."

The article continued, "she has recently been tasked by Tip Talone, the KSC Constellation Project Office director, to assist in planning and ultimately performing the launch vehicle and integrated processing of the constellation system. Her team is already heavily engaged in activities leading to the planned 2009 launch of the Ares 1-X test

"I've had different challenges in my career, but this is the most challenging. The Launch Vehicle Processing organization has a very exciting future and I am grateful to be a part of it."

— Rita Willcoxon

flight." "The challenge for the organization is in balancing all three of these very important KSC roles," Willcoxon said.

She said the biggest challenge will be to safely fly four to five shuttle launches per year in order to complete the International Space Station before the end of the program in 2010, while gearing up for the new Constellation Program at the same time.

"Our primary near-term challenge in Constellation is to complete the ground support system modifications to prepare for the Ares 1-X test flight," she said.

This work will be added to the existing Space Program Operations Contract in which Willcoxon has technical management representative responsibility.

"I am enjoying my new role," Willcoxon said. "I've had different challenges in my career, but this is the most challenging. The Launch Vehicle Processing organization has a very exciting future and I am grateful to be a part of it."

Rita Patterson Willcoxon has worked at Kennedy Space Center for 19 years, and has 25 years experience in government service.

Stanley, Crowe UCLA bound

HAZARD COMMUNITY TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Mike Stanley and Richard Crowe will be attending the University of California, Los Angeles, (UCLA) Health Care Executive Program June 18 - June 29 at UCLA. Richard Crowe, economics professor at Hazard Community & Technical College, will be attending as chair of the North Fork Valley Kentucky Health Board, Inc. which involves the University of Kentucky Center for Excellence in Rural Health. Stanley is the CEO/Executive Director of the UK North Fork Valley Community Health Center and UK Department of Family and Community Medicine in Hazard.

A mission of the conference is to maximize the quantity and quality of health care provided in the region. Funding comes from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and Johnson & Johnson.

"The purpose of the Center is to provide more access to health care by providing services on a sliding income scale. Services offered include dental, psychology, and primary medical care," noted Crowe.



Mike Stanley and Richard Crowe will be traveling to California to attend a health care executive program this June.

CRITTER CORNER

Dog lovers help preserve historic national landmark

The once-endangered Congressional Cemetery, in Washington, D.C., celebrated its Bicentennial on May 19, commemorating 200 years of American heritage in the nation's capitol. The 33-acre cemetery is the burial site for more than 60,000 people, including many famous Americans; among them, marching band composer John Phillip Sousa and former FBI director J. Edgar Hoover. Additionally, 19 former Senators and 71 former Representatives are interred there.

The dog-walking community of D.C. share a special relationship with the landmark site. In 1997, the National Trust for Historic Preservation listed the cemetery as one of its eleven most-endangered historic sites. The cemetery grounds were overgrown and unkempt and "suffering from increasing neglect, vandalism and theft," according to the National Trust. Since that time, many repairs have been made and work is currently underway to restore many of the damaged gravestones.

What makes Congressional Cemetery so unique, however, is the partnership that has developed between dogs and dog walkers that generates approximately a third of the cemetery's annual operating income (covering the costs for all lawn maintenance).

Off-leash dog recreation inside the fenced property began as long as 20 years ago, when Humane Society of the United States General Counsel and Capitol Hill resident Roger Kindler began taking his own dogs there.



This beautiful Dachshund is Lola. Lola belongs to Brittany Kinzer, of Allen. The cute and "very spoiled" (according to Brittany's mom, Sherri) puppy has one big "sis," Lily. The two little "Dachsies" keep Brittany company while she is away at college.

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School Happenings

Summer celebration today

Summer Celebration! To be held today from 1 to 4 p.m., at the Maytown Center. This is a joint event held in conjunction with the Youth Service Centers of Duff Elem., May Valley Elem., and Allen Central Middle School.

The day of fun will include: "Wild Water Wars," "Design your own T-shirt," learning how to make homemade ice cream, and more. Ages will be divided in groups. Lots of prizes to be given away and, best of all, the activity is FREE to all who attend!

For grades K-8 only.

For more information and registration forms, visit www.maytowncenter.org and click on "Summer Activities."

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center

• June 11-29 - Smarty Camp for students entering 3rd thru 9th grades; 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily at Prestonsburg High School. For registration information, call 886-1297.

• July 12 - Free athletic physicals for PHS students and their feeder schools; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Seton Complex, in Martin. Students must be accompanied by parents.

• July 18 - Back-to-School Health Fair, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the Duff/Allen Central Middle School. Many services will be offered free of charge including school physicals, school supplies, child, and drawings for free haircuts.

• July 18 - Free clothing giveaway at the Graceway Church, located on Rt. 80, at Maytown. Open to all Floyd County families in need.

• Applications and information on local summer camps available at center.

• Updated student health records may be dropped off at the center during the summer break.

• The Youth Services Center is open each weekday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will be open throughout the summer months. Coordinator is Michelle Keathley. Center telephone is 886-1297. Please call for information on center programs and services or if you need assistance during the summer.

Allen Central High School

• Center hours: 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Mon. thru Fri. Sharon Collins, coordinator. Telephone 358-3048. Center provides services for all families regardless of income.

Allen Central Middle School

• Career Decisions and Job

Development videos available in YSC lending library.

• The ACMS Youth Service Center offers services to all families, regardless of income. For more information, call Marilyn Bailey, center coordinator, at 358-0134.

Allen Elementary and Family Resource Youth Service Center

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

Betsy Layne Elementary

• Center hours are 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. thru Fri. Center offers services to all families, regardless of income.

• The Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Youth Service Center is located in the 7th and 8th grade wing. The goal of the FRYSC is to meet the needs of all children and their families who reside in the community or neighborhood by the school in which the center is located. For further information, please contact the center at 478-5550.

• Brian H. Akers, Center Coordinator.

Clark Elementary

• Nurse services: Floyd County Health Department nurses will be in the Resource Center on selected dates. Now taking appointments for 6th grade exams, WIC, and well-child exams for birth-18 years. Flu shots may also be scheduled. Call 886-0815 for an appointment.

• Lost and Found located in Resource Center.

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

Duff Elementary

• FRC is also in need of clothing, sizes 3T thru adult, for emergency clothing use and burnouts. If you have clothing to donate, please call the FRC.

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

• The J.A. Duff Elementary Family Resource Center provides services for all families regardless of income. We

are located in the tan metal building at the rear of the school. Contact persons are Judy Handshoe, coordinator.

May Valley Elementary

• July 2, 3 - 4-H Day Camp for grades K-8, at Maytown Center, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Camp is FREE, but parents must provide transportation. Call 285-0321 for more info.

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

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

McDowell Elementary and Family Resource Center

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

• Parent lending library available to all parents for video/book check-outs. A variety of topics are available.

• Family Resource Center is open weekdays, 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Center is located upstairs in the old high school building, on the McDowell Elementary School campus. For further information, call Clara Johnson, director, at 377-2678. The McDowell FRC provides services to all MES students and their families, regardless of income.

Mountain Christian Academy

• Now accepting applications for enrollment for Preschool-8th grade for the 2007 fall semester. Tuition assistance and bus transportation is available. For more information or a tour of the school, call 285-5141 or 285-5142.

• Call 285-5141, Mon. thru Fri., from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

• MCA is an accredited non-denominational Christian school.

South Floyd Youth Services Center

• June 5, 6, 7 - Basketball Camp; 8:30 to 11 a.m.; 4th thru 8th grade. FREE. Parent must accompany child

on first day.

• June 11, 12, 13, 14 - Girls Volleyball Camp; 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.; 4th to 12th grade. Free Parents need to accompany children on first day.

• Parents needing assistance with daycare may contact Mable Hall for information, or the "A Step Ahead" daycare center, at 452-1100.

• SFMS parents with concerns about your child's grades, visit the STI Home! site at <http://fiiod.ssts.com> and click on the STI program. Select state, county, school, child's pin number and password. You may view your child's attendance record, class average, schedule, grades, and discipline referrals. Questions? Call 452-9607.

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

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

• All new students and visitors, stop by the Center, located on the South Floyd campus, Room 232, and see Mable Hall. Open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Mon. thru Fri.

• For more information call 452-9600 or 452-9607, ext. 243 or 153.

Stumbo Elementary/Mud Creek Family Resource & Youth Service Center

• Lost & Found located in Family Resource Center.

• The Mud Creek FRYSC is located on the right, by the school gymnasium. Services are offered to all families, regardless of income. For more information, call Anita Tackett, center coordinator at 587-2233.

W.D. Osborne Family Resource Center

The following camps, with the exception of the Basketball Camp (date to be announced later) will be held on the campus of Osborne Elementary School. Camps will be held in conjunction with several community organizations. The Rainbow Junction FRC is, currently taking sign-ups for those wishing to participate. For more info., stop by the center or call 452-4553.

• June 5, 6, 7 - "Hands-On Learning" Camp; 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

• June 12, 13, 14 - "Camp Shawnee Activity" Camp; 10-11 a.m.

• June 25, 26, 27, 28 - "Safety" Camp; 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. (Note: This camp is geared toward parent/child activities.)

• July 23, 24 - 4-H Day Camp; 9

a.m. to 12 p.m.

• TBA - "Parent/Child Activity" Camp; 6-8 p.m.

• TBA - Basketball Camp; grades K-6; Wheelwright Gym.

• Lost & Found located in the Family Resource Center. Items not claimed within 3 weeks become the property of the FRC.

• The FRC accepts donations of children's clothing, shoes, belts, book bags, etc. May be used but need to be in good condition. Donated items will be appreciated and utilized by OES students.

• The Family Resource Center is located in the central building of W.D. Osborne Elementary. Those wishing more information about the center are welcome to visit, or call. Ask for Cissy (center coordinator). Center telephone and fax: (606) 452-4553.

Wesley Christian School

• WCS Learning Center accepts toddlers, preschool age (2-4). Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Mon. thru Fri.

• For more information about Wesley Christian School, call 874-8328.

Big Sandy Community & Technical College

Adult Education and GED

Monday: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. - McDowell FRC; Martin Comm. Ctr.; Auxier Learning Ctr.; BSCTC.

1-4:30 p.m. - BSCTC.

Tuesday: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Mud Creek Clinic; BSCTC.

9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Dixie Apartments

1-4:30 p.m. - Betsy Layne FRYSC; BSCTC.

6-8 p.m. - Auxier Learning Ctr.

Wednesday: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Martin Comm. Ctr.; Auxier Learning Ctr.; BSCTC.

1-4:30 p.m. - Layne House; BSCTC.

6-8 p.m. - BSCTC.

Thursday: 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. - Mud Creek Clinic; BSCTC.

8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. - Weeksbury CC.

1-4:30 p.m. - Betsy Layne YSC; BSCTC.

6-9 p.m. - Martin Comm. Ctr.

Also, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays at Drug Court.

Kay Hale Ross - Manager of Adult Education, 886-7334

Lisa Pelfrey - Assistant

Ron Johnson, Stephania Conn, Lynn Hall, Nancy Bormes, and Wayne Combs - Adult Education teachers.

YESTERDAYS

(Items taken from
The Floyd County
Times,
10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60,
70 years ago.)

Ten Years Ago

(June 4 and June 6, 1997)

Allen Central High School students will have their high school years behind, June 10, as they step on stage at the Don Daniels Athlete Complex to receive their high school diplomas. Allen Central's senior class consisted of 110 students...In a meeting beset with problems before it even began, the Prestonsburg Tourism Commission, Saturday, adopted a budget for its new fiscal year that included \$10,000 more in salary, and \$2,000 more in benefits than last year's budget for its tourism director, and angered at least one Prestonsburg City Councilman...More than 600 fifth graders joined in the fun, Friday, at the New Salem Association of the Old Regular Baptist Church, during the Floyd County Sheriff Department's annual D.A.R.E. Day festivities...Christopher Little, 13, of Hi Hat, saved the life of Briana Hunter, 2, Sunday, after the toddler fell into Left Beaver Creek, and was being swept away by the swift current. Christopher pulled Briana from the creek after she fell into about three feet of water, and was taken downstream approximately 15 feet...Prestonsburg City Council took the first step, Tuesday, to annex more than 500 acres of land, located in Jenny Wiley State Park. The proposed annexation will include May Lodge, the park's public swimming pool, guest cottages and boat dock, the amphitheatre; a portion of the golf course, Stratton Branch, and the Stumbo/Wilkinson Convention Center...Betsy Layne High School will conduct its graduation ceremony on June 6, at the Lloyd Hamilton Field, the high school's football complex. This year's senior class had 126 members...Prestonsburg High School will hold graduation ceremonies for its senior class on Saturday, June 14, at 8 p.m., at the high school. The senior class at Prestonsburg High School numbered 177 students...After the third day, and testimony from numerous witnesses, in the trial of two defendants charged with the July 1996, robbery of a Floyd County bank, no witnesses have identified the accused as the robbers. However, Assistant U.S. Attorney Tom Self said in his opening statement, Tuesday, that he has two witnesses who can place Nora Lee Mastin and Charles Ray Moore in all-terrain

vehicles about 30 minutes prior to the robbery of the Garrett branch of Bank Josephine...Floyd County Constable Bob Hackworth, and deputy sheriff Bobby Hackworth Jr., confiscated 20 marijuana plants on May 31, from the Smacky Bottom Cemetery at Salt Lick. No arrests were made, and the investigation is continuing...Graduation ceremonies for South Floyd High School seniors will be held at 7 p.m., Monday, June 9, in the Raider Arena at the school. South Floyd High School has 115 students in its senior class...Randy Salisbury, 41, of Printer, pleaded guilty, Thursday, to riding a horse while intoxicated...There died: Floyd Blackburn, 77, of Melvin, Sunday, June 1, at Veterans' Hospital in Huntington, West Virginia; Faye Elizabeth McGuire Collins, 75, of Mt. Vernon, Illinois, formerly of Floyd County, Monday, June 2, at her residence; Rev. Robert Lou Martin, 87, of Liberty, formerly of Martin, Sunday, June 1, at the Casey County Hospital; Veva Mondain Kendrick, 75, of Prestonsburg, Saturday, May 24, at the U.K. Medical Center, Lexington; Venelia Odell Harris Rinehart, 91, of Prestonsburg, Sunday, June 1, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home, Prestonsburg; Erlas Hall, 72, of Wayland, Friday, May 30, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital; Bernice Rogers, 63, of Grethel, Sunday, June 1, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg; Rebecca Hale Bingham, 80, of Prestonsburg, Sunday, June 1, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg; Emmalene Parsons, 59, of Harold, Thursday, June 5, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Fannie Ellen Dudleson, 89, of Martin, Thursday, June 5, at her residence; Myra Tackett, 94, of Virgie, June 4, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Twenty Years Ago

(June 10, 1987)

Former Superintendent, Pete Grigsby sued the Floyd County Board of Education for his job back as administrative assistant to the superintendent...More than 200 Left Beaver residents packed a meeting of the board of education, to make it clear that Grigsby would not be welcome as principal of either the McDowell high or grade school...Florence

Nelson, 54, was arrested for first-degree assault, in the shooting of Michael Fitzpatrick, 18, of East Point, and her husband, Ambers Nelson, 72, was arrested for first-degree arson, after allegedly setting their house on fire...At least two black bears, and possibly more, provided an evening's entertainment for a large crowd of people in the Weeksbury area...A wave of violent crime and miscellaneous mayhem swept across Floyd County...There died: Mrs. Willie B. Parker, 86, of Indiana, June 6, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Justin W. Stone, 3, of Indiana, June 4, in Indiana; Samuel Fraley, 74, of Wayland, June 5, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Earl Fields, 47, of Mare Creek, June 9; Irvin Stumbo, 84, of Harold, June 6, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Bessie Lee Stratton Sowder, 48, of Louisville, April 11, in Louisville; Charlie Johnson, 60, of Hi Hat, June 9, at the Potter Clinic at Wheelwright; Angie Wells Honeycutt, West Van Lear resident, June 8, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Darius S. Roark, 69, of Prestonsburg, June 7, at his home; Jerry Gibson, formerly of Prestonsburg, June 5, in Michigan; and Gracie Bentley, 74, of Grundy, Virginia, May 11, in Grundy.

Thirty Years Ago

(June 8, 1977)

The old school term had barely ended, when the Floyd County Board of Education, last week, employed teachers—464 of them—for the next school year...Members of the state legislature's Interim Joint Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources traveled through eastern Kentucky, last Thursday, viewing strip-mining sites in the Prestonsburg area...For the last three years, clubwomen, church groups, schools, fraternal organizations, and hundreds of individuals have participated in fund-raising efforts to meet the \$47,219 cost of equipment needed by the Area Volunteer Fire Department based at Wayland...Strikes at two Right Beaver Creek plants continue, and one reached circuit court, last week...Of the more than \$2 million damage suffered by Floyd County Schools during the April flood, HUD will reimburse the school system \$750,000, Supt. of Schools E.P. Grigsby Jr., said this

week...Congressman Carl D. Perkins will hold two public meetings in Pike County, June 18, to discuss plans and proposals for providing greater flood protection in the Tug and Levisa Forks of the Big Sandy River...Area artists and craftsman soon will have their own gallery here, at a display and outlet facility...Ronald L. Hager was employed by the Floyd County Board of Education, last Wednesday, as assistant superintendent of instruction for a three-year period, ending July 1, 1980...A special meeting of the board of directors of the Floyd County Chapter, American Red Cross, Monday afternoon, resulted in the unanimous approval, by board members, of the appointment of Mrs. Shelby Willis as new executive-director of the Floyd Chapter...There died: Darkie Sparkman Owens, 78, of Garrett, May 30, at her home; Gus Crisp, 81, formerly of Floyd County, May 20, at a hospital in Sciotoville, Ohio; Stella Gwenn Whitt Stidham, 53, formerly of the McDowell area, May 27, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Dorothy Jones Bentley, 76, of McDowell, June 3, at the McDowell home of her daughter; Elizabeth Lynch Bierman, 88, of North Pleasureville, Ky., June 1, at the Medical Arts Nursing Center, there; Inez Weddington, 62, formerly of Banner, May 25, in Baltimore, Md.; Thomas S. (Tommy) Salisbury, 71, of Harold, May 31, at his home; Benjamin Franklin Hall, 67, of Banner, June 3, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Lace Hunt, 96, one of this county's oldest residents, of Ivel, May 29, at his home.

Forty Years Ago

(June 8, 1967)

The U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity, last Thursday, announced a grant of \$469,175 to the Big Sandy Area Community Action Council, to provide a comprehensive health program to poor residents of Floyd County...Floyd County's annual Cleanup Drive began Monday, to continue through the month, and officials and civic leaders joined in urging citizens of the county to cooperate in the work of making the county more beautiful and livable...Former Governor Bert Combs, who

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began his public career in Prestonsburg, left the political arena, Monday, when he donned the robe of a judge of the Sixth U.S. Court of Appeals...Fertilization of Dewey Lake began, Tuesday, with employees of the Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources engaged in the project, the first of its kind to be undertaken of a major impoundment...Mrs. Edith F. James, Prestonsburg woman who has made the preservation of folk music a work of years, has been honored with the Award of Merit in the 1967 Parade of American Music...Married: Miss Patricia Baldrige and Mr. David W. Allen, both of Prestonsburg, May 26, at the First Methodist Church, Paintsville; Miss Elizabeth Lee Clark, and Mr. Terry Gene Kinzer, both of Allen, May 19, at the Allen Methodist Church...There died: Mrs. Jane Vance, 71, of Martin, Sunday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Myrtle Adkins Damron, 78, former Floyd teacher, May 25, at Lincoln Park, Mich.; Mrs. Sarah Hall, 69, of Melvin, Tuesday, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Fifty Years Ago
(June 6, 1957)

Three Democratic nominations to county office could be decided by the count of absentee ballots. Tightest race of all, is that for the Magisterial nomination in District 1, where Grover C. Holbrook, incumbent, held at the end of precinct tabulation, a one-vote (776 to 775) edge over James Wesley Howard. Tensest race of all, however, is the County Clerk's battle-to-the-wire finish between DuRan Moore, incumbent, and Banner Meade. The latter holds a lead of 95 votes...A suit to restrain members and representatives of a United Construction Workers local from interfering with work on a 12-inch pipeline project from Warco to Boldman, except for peaceful picketing, and to collect \$35,000 damages from them, was filed in circuit court, Saturday, by the Jackson Pipeline Construction Co., contractor on the job...A Floyd County safety council was organized at the courthouse, here, last week, by Frank O. Parker, field representative of the state

Division of Accident Control of the Department of Public Safety...Born: to Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Webber, of Wheaton, Ill., a son, Richard Jay; to Mr. and Mrs. Ess Ell Reed, of Martin, a daughter, Jane Ann, May 15, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin...There died: David H. Hatcher, 75, retired Floyd attorney, last Wednesday, at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville.

Sixty Years Ago
(June 5, 1947)

A reconnaissance of the Dewey dam reservoir area will be made, June 17, by representatives of the National Park Service, the Kentucky Park Commission, and others, it was announced this week...Talks between Southern operators and UMWA representatives have, at least temporarily, broken down, with the union rejecting operators' offer of new wage boosts...An even dozen more teachers were employed by the Floyd County Board of Education at its Tuesday afternoon meeting, leaving only a few vacancies in the county's schools. Date for opening of the rural

term was set for July 14...John R. Eibner, former University of Kentucky grid star, will direct the athletic activities of Prestonsburg High School for the next year, it was announced this week...Playing his first game in Prestonsburg uniform this season, Frank Heinze turned in, at Pikeville, Sunday, the first triple play to be executed in the Eastern Kentucky Baseball League...There died: Mrs. Stella Fielder Vaughan, 53, Tuesday morning, at her home here; Mrs. Artie Moore Hamilton, 55, Friday, at her home near Craynor; William Conley, 61, Tuesday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Cleve Miller, 62, Sunday, at his home on Bull Creek; Jimmy Joe, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Waverly King, of Osborn, Friday, at the Gearheart Hospital, Martin.

Lackey road on Right Beaver, from the end of the pavement near Dinwood, to the Knott County line, will be concreted...Ten coal company officials from Floyd County were elected to the board of directors of the Big Sandy Coal Operators Association at its annual meeting in Ashland, June 1...Graduation exercises for 192 seniors from 10 high schools were held, Tuesday night, in the Prestonsburg gymnasium at the inaugural countywide commencement exercises...Fireworks, free shows, gifts and souvenirs will be awaiting visitors to Prestonsburg's "Free Day," Saturday...Memories of Civil War days, of steamboats paddling up the Big Sandy, and of life in Prestonsburg during the 1850's, 60's, and 70's, were recalled by 92-year-old William Johnson, of Halo, when he visited Harry Hill, here, a few days ago...Married: Miss Marie Blackburn, of Yeager, Ky., and Mr. Luther Herald, of Prestonsburg, Sunday, at Yeager...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. May, a son, Wilkie Dean...There died: John McCarthy, 47, May 28 at Betsy Layne.

Seventy Years Ago
(June 4, 1937)

With the funds appropriated, last fall, for this purpose, the Left Beaver road is to be surfaced, the portion about Clear Creek is to be graded and drained, and the Allen-

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state. Furthermore, June is Turkey Lover's Month, National Accordion Awareness Month, and National Ice Tea Month. More particularly, June 4 has been designated as Old Maid's Day, June 7 as National Chocolate Ice Cream Day, June 9 is Donald Duck Day and June 16 is National Hollerin' Contest Day. Mostly, however, at least as far as I'm concerned anyway, June is looked forward to and appreciated for its good stuff - like vacations, the first day of summer, pretty flowers, and of course, the June bride.

Allegedly, despite June 4 being Old Maid's Day, more folks get married in June than any other month. The month itself, according to some sources, was named for Juno, the patron-goddess of marriage.

What all this is leading up to is that even I was a June groom. This Friday, June 1, Wilma Jean and I will celebrate our 44th year on the road to forever together. Forty-four years is not all that long, but I'm sure some men married a lot longer still aren't as married as I am.

Maybe it's because we've been together so long, but sometimes I think she can read my mind. Like she'll answer a question before I ask it. We even finish each other's sentences and I'm convinced she's equipped with a sixth sense that enables her to be aware of things that even she isn't aware that she's aware of them. Hopefully, even though I fail to tell her sometimes, I hope she's still aware of just how much she means to me and that I still think of her as my little June bride.

Happy anniversary, Hon.

Critter

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Now, the "K-9 Corps" of dog walkers, who each pay annual membership dues to the Association for Historic Preservation of Congressional Cemetery, counts about 650 dogs in 500 member households, with others still on a waiting list.

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(Article information courtesy of the Humane Society of the United States.)

Korner

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is truly a blessing every time it's heard.

To witness these young twenty-something adults using their God given talents to praise Him and bless others in the process is such a wonderful sight and so uplifting that I only hope their travels and CD's soar.

To each of you - Kevin, Tim, Kirk, Bek, Jared, Curt, and Brett - hats off for a job well done and may it continue for as long as your heart's desire.

Til Next Week,
May God Bless ...

50th Anniversary

Joe and Lillie Goodman

Joe D. and Lillie E. Goodman will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house reception at the Blanchard Valley Center; June 2, from 1-4 p.m., at 1700 E. Sandusky St., Findlay, Ohio.

Joe D. Goodman and the former Lillie G. Greer were married on June 2, 1957, at the Freewill Baptist Church in Bonanza, Ky. by Rev. Orbin Dickerson.

Parents of the couple are the late Garland L. "Dommer" and Lily M. Goodman and the late Ransom and Leona Greer.

The couple have two daughters; Deborah (Randy) Dillingham, and Carolyn (Todd) Clark and a son, Joe Davidson Goodman II who is deceased. They are also blessed with three grandchildren; Melissa Greiner, Anna Dillingham and Kara Dillingham. Two great-grandchildren, Kendyl and Asher Sammet.

Joe D. Goodman retired from Cooper Tire in 1994.

Lillie Goodman is currently employed at the Blanchard Valley Center.

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JOB OPENING
Prestonsburg Health Care Center has an opening for LPN's or RN's; full time and part time positions are available. We offer competitive wages and excellent benefits. If interested please stop by or send resume to 14 North Highland Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (Beside of Prestonsburg Elementary) or call 886-2378.

JOB OPENING
Renos Roadhouse in Prestonsburg is now hiring for all positions. Shifts-Day and Night. Apply in person only.

Services

COMPUTER REPAIR! \$35.00 FLAT FEE! 1/2 price of competitors price. Call 226-1654. 5/20 1wk

MERCHANDISE

FOR SALE
8 Horse power wood chipper, Lows 42 inch 14.5 riding mower, Ariens tiller, 1985 TRX 200 4 wheeler. 1978 Buick Park Avenue. \$28,000. Original miles, excellent condition. Call 226-5791.

FOR SALE
American Standard 3 ton gas air + heating unit with four years warrantee left on it. \$1,000. Call 874-8519

Furniture

ALLEN FURNITURE ALLEN, KY
Furniture, used appliances, living / bedroom suits, bunk beds, and lots more! Call 606-874-9790.

Yard Sale

YARD SALE
Huge yard sale. June 1 & 2 8AM-? Rain or shine at Green Acres Community Buildings. Little girls, ladies clothes, shoes, Playstation 2 games, what knots TOO MANY THINGS TO LIST.

YARD SALE
10 Family neighborhood sale. Where-Next to Big Sandy Wholesale Layne bottom, Harold, KY. Signs will be posted. Date- June 1, 2 rain or shine. Time- 9AM-? Items-All size clothing (infant and adult) furniture, antiques, appliance, bed spreads, curtains, toys, and much more to list. Call 478-9624 or 478-1329 or 478-0232 or 478-2253

YARD SALE
Indoor Moving sale/Yard sale 3 family! Women's clothes, children,

mens, boys, girls, purses, shoes, what nots, and lots of extras! June 1st and 2nd at The Woodmen of the world building at Allen. 8-? Watch for signs and balloons.

YARD SALE
10 Family yard sale. Saturday June 2, 8:00AM-1:00PM (Ball Park DR, Allen 1st St. near laundry mat-home of Ralph Elkins) Clothes, games, household, accessories, shoes, books, movies.

YARD SALE
Boys size 3,4,8,10 women's size 12, mens large. Ladies shoes, boys shoes, purses, toys, home decor. June 1st 8am-? 2 blocks from Prestonsburg High School.

YARD SALE
3 Family yard sale 3 miles up Arkanasa Crk at Martin, KY. First house on Left Fork. June 2nd 9-5.

YARD SALE
4 family yard sale June 1st and 2nd U.S. 23 across from Drains Unlimited. Blue house on hill. Boy ad girls clothing, toys, baby bed, car seats, misc.

YARD SALE
3 Family Carport sale, rain or shine May 30, 31- June 1, 2, 4 from 8-5. Juniors, Plus size, baby boys, mens, clothing, light fixtures, fish pond, doors, bath tub, weight bench, house hold items, coffee tables. 3 miles from Save-A-Lot at Martin on Rt. 1210 to top of hill.

YARD SALE
5 Family yard sale. Fri, Sat, Sun at JP Wells, beside of P-burg Auto Mart. Inside, lots of household items and lots of baby items.

YARD SALE
Estate sale: June 1, 2 9am to 4pm directions: Exit off new 80 Allen Central High School (RT. 550) turn left go to Rt. 850 (Bush Creek), turn right Prater Fork, about one mile to Madison Tyler Road, right turn. Brick house with deck. 358-9241

YARD SALE
Three car garage sale 205 South Arnold Avenue Prestonsburg, KY May 30-31- June 1st 8:00-3:00 Large two story gray house. Look for signs. Huge assortment of clothing, lawn furniture, household items, and much, much more. Rain or shine.

YARD SALE
June 2nd and 3rd. Huge 6 family at Hueysville on Saltlick Rd off Rt. 7 onto Rt. 2029, one mile on right in the straight. Pack rat cleaning out!! Clothes-Baby and adult, some plus size. Toys, quilts, comforters, dishes, some antiques, some furniture, tools, muzzle loader gun, compound bow (serious hunters) and much more! Dealers and flea marketers welcome! If rains will be June 9th and 10th.

YARD SALE
Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church will be having a HUGE RUMMAGE SALE! from 9AM to 6PM on June 2. Rain or shine on Abbott Creek Rt. 1427 off of US 23 follow signs. There will be hot dogs, chips and pop as well

YARD SALE
Appraised Mans ring. 5 diamond cluster, 10KT. \$495

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE
Appraised Mans ring. 5 diamond cluster, 10KT. \$495

firm. Call 859-351-4408.

Want To Buy

WANT TO BUY
Pre-Owned 2-3 BR doublewide or single wide mobile home. The need for minor repair is okay. Call anytime 791-7381.

REAL ESTATE

House

HOUSE FOR SALE
3 BR 1 1/2 bath located in Daniels Creek subdivision. Excellent neighborhood, very child friendly. Call 874-3094.

HOUSE FOR SALE
Located on Front Street at Wayland. Third house above Castels store on right on Front Street. Central heat and air. 5 BR 2 bath LR 30X18 and dining room & sunroom. Huge cobbel stone chimney, carport. 2 lots, fenced in. Asking \$65,000 call 606-358-4137 for appointment

HOUSE FOR SALE
1 1/2 Story 3 BR 2 bath home. 2700 sq. foot with red metal roof on house, and detached 28x32 garage. 13 acres in Allen area. 844 Allen Banner Road. call 606-285-4425

Sale or Lease

FOR LEASE
Extra nice home with 3000 sq. foot walk in basement area. Ideal for small business and residential combination. Located at Junctions of Rt. 80 and 680 at Eastern, KY. Call 606-377-6607.

FOR SALE
Morgan County Farm and home. 127 acres fenced, four ponds, two barns. Call 606-743-1509.

FOR SALE
Restaurant for sale, land building and equipment stock. Located at Garrett, KY. Asking \$90,000. For more info call 606-358-9311 or 606-358-0072.

FOR LEASE
Former location of Tire Sales car dealing and Steves Farm Home. Large Fenced in lot. Call 886-6906 after 7:00pm

FOR SALE
16 Acres with house and barn on Right turner Branch road. with garage, cellar, and a picnic shelter, pond on property Call 606-768-3040.

FARM FOR SALE
Floyd county 75 acres more or less, rt. 1100 off US 23 East Point Upper Little Paint. Lum Derosssett Branch. Call 606-325-4430 or 606-325-2809. Level- Sloping and timber.

RENTALS

APARTMENT

FOR RENT
2 BR Bath and 1/2 townhouse. Also, 1 BR apt located in Prestonsburg. No pets! Call 886-8991.

FOR RENT
Apt. on 23 at lvel above Unisign. 2 BR 1 bath. Call for pricing. 606-478-8100.

FOR RENT
2 BR, 1 Bath, newly renovated apt. W/D hook up, above Safe Light Auto Glass in Prestonsburg. Please call for pricing. 606-478-8100

APT FOR RENT
Now Renting Park place Apartments. Rent starting at: 1BR - \$280, 2BR - \$304. All electric HUD accepted. Call 886-0039 Equal Housing Opportunity

FOR RENT
Branham Heights Apartments - Now accepting applications for 1 and 2 BR apts. Rent based on 30% of income. Appliances furnished. very nice, central heat and air, water, garbage and sewer included. Please contact the manager 606-452-4777. Equal Opportunity housing.

APT FOR RENT
1 BR APT. Oak cabinets, Oak floors. \$500 per month, 2 miles up Abbott. Call 886-0893.

Furnished 1 bed room Apt. Central heat & air. Rent starting at \$375. month, + \$300. deposit water included. Located near HRMC. 606-889-9717.

Houses

FOR RENT
2 BR House at McDowell. Call 377-2869

FOR RENT
3 BR house at Allen. \$700 per month plus deposit. 794-0249.

HOUSE FOR RENT
3 BR 2 Bath Log Home in Oaklawn, Hager Hill. Central H/A low utility bills. Large covereddeck, Large storage barn. Acres of privacy. \$980.00 month. 850-222-2226. Leave message. See pix at www.washington-publishers.com/For Rent/index.htm

FOR RENT
2 BR house. Newly remodeled with forced heat and air, located 5 miles East of MAC. Call 886-2288

MobileHomes

FOR RENT
Trailer for rent. 2 BR, newly carpeted, W/D, Refrigerator, Stove. \$325 per month plus \$325 deposit. Call 478-9529 after 7P.M.

LOTS FOR RENT
New Mobile home park at Allen/Dwale area in Floyd Co. Restrictions apply. Paved streets, lighted area and all sizes available. City utilities. Call 606-377-2357

FOR RENT
Nice 2 BR MH in Prestonsburg. Call 874-0875 or 226-3207.

LEGALS

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE
Pursuant to Application Number 836-0334 Amendment No. 2

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Miller Bros. Coal, LLC, P.O. Box 990, 433 Daniels Creek Road, Allen, Kentucky 41601 has applied for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.9 miles northeast of Hueysville in Floyd County. The amendment will add an additional 242.1 acres of surface disturbance and add and additional 4.9 acres of under-

ground acres making the total area within the permit boundary will be 858.68 acres.

The amendment area is approximately 1.5 miles northwest from Route 2029's junction with KY Route 7, and located in Salyers Branch and Raccoon Branch of Saltlick Creek, and Mudlick Branch and Shepherd Branch of Brush Creek.

The proposed amendment is located on the Martin and David U.S.G.S. 7?1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The amendment will use the area mining method of mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Nelson Prater, John Henry Hale, and Jerry Banks.

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

COMMON-WEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION No. 1
Case No. 06-CI-1023
Ersal Ray Wilcox and Peggy Ann Lantz

Petitioners vs. Carl Thomas Wilcox and Shelly Wilcox, his wife; Bobby Dean Wilcox and Stephanie Wilcox, his wife; Teva Pattison and Brett Pattison, her husband; Jackie Vernon Wilcox and Jane Wilcox, his wife; Connie S. Kindle, single; Carl Douglas Wilcox, and Marcia Wilcox, his wife; William (Bill) Wilcox, single; Billie Jean Bolen and Ricky Bolen, her husband; Cindy L. Leham, single; Tommie Frances Thompson and Edward Thompson, her husband; Charles G. McKinney, single; Connie Lynn Bays and William Bays, her husband; and Lorena Guyton, single Respondents
NOTICE OF

COMMISSIONER'S SALE BY VIRTUE OF Default
Judgment and Order of the Floyd Circuit Court, entered on the 21st of February, 2007, in the Floyd Circuit Court, in the above styled action, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 2007, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., the following described surface property, located and lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

TRACT No. 1
The following described, real estate tract, Lot No. 3 situated in the county of Floyd, state of Kentucky

CITY OF PRESTONSBURG BID PROPOSAL FOR MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2007, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2008

The City of Prestonsburg is accepting bids for materials and/or supplies, that will be purchased during fiscal year 2007-2008, for use in the operation of City Government during that time. The general type of materials/supplies for bid:

- Heavy Equipment with Operators
 - Hourly Rates
 - Double Walled Plastic
 - Gravel
 - Custodial/Cleaning Supplies
 - Heating & Cooling Hourly Rates
 - The Grade and Placement of Concrete Slabs and Footers
 - Per Yard
 - Pipe and Gablon Baskets
 - Supply Only, and Supply & Placement of Bituminous Asphalt
- Bid proposal forms can be picked up in the City Clerk's Office, located at 200 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, or can be mailed or faxed by contacting Sharon Schoolcraft at (606) 886-2335, ext. 16. **BID PROPOSALS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 12 p.m., JUNE 25, 2007.** The City of Prestonsburg reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

beginning at a stake near Wallen Branch at the land of the Big Sandy Railway company; thence up the branch SH 2 1/2 W 104 poles to a stone set in the field and to a corner of a survey made in the name of Robert Brown and with line of same up the hill S 35° 639 poles and eight links to two beech jacks on top of point; thence down the same with-meanders N 27 E24 poles to a stake N 32 1/2° E 20 poles to a dogwood and cedar S 70° E20 poles to a stake on the end of the point near a path N 20° E24 poles to a poplar N 18 E26 poles to a stake N 26 E10 poles N 76° E10 poles to a beech N 32 1/2 E7

PUBLIC NOTICE
RE: Public Service Commission of Kentucky Case No. 2007-001188
Notice is hereby given that East Kentucky Network, LLC, dba Appalachian Wireless has applied to the Kentucky Public Service Commission to construct a tower near Auxier, in Floyd County, Kentucky. (37-43-00.0 N / 82-46-50.0 W). The proposed tower will be a 300-foot self-supporting tower.
If you would like to respond to this notice, please contact the Executive Director, Public Service Commission, 212 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602. Please refer to Case No. 2007-001188.

7th DISTRICT FISH AND WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION NOMINATION MEETING
Tuesday, June 12, 2007
Time: 7:30 p.m., Eastern Time (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)
LOCATION: The Forum at The Hall Rogers Center, 101 Bulldog Lane, Hazard, KY.
DIRECTIONS: Traveling South on Hwy. 15 around the bypass, Hardee's on the left—Bulldog Lane on the right. The Forum is the 1st building on the right after you turn onto Bulldog Lane. Traveling North on Hwy. 15, turn left onto Bulldog Lane at the caution light just past the Hazard Community College, before you enter the City of Hazard.
WHO MAY PARTICIPATE? Residents of the Seventh Wildlife District who, for the past two consecutive years, have either purchased a Kentucky hunting or fishing license, hunted or fished in Kentucky, but were not required to purchase a license; or have registered a boat in Kentucky.
The names of up to five nominees will be chosen at this meeting and submitted to Governor Ernie Fletcher, who will appoint one nominee to a four-year term.
Counties in the Seventh Wildlife District are Breathitt, Floyd, Johnson, Harlan, Knott, Lawrence, Leslie, Letcher, Magoffin, Martin, Owensley, Perry and Pike.
Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources
Frankfort, KY 40601
Dr. Jon Gassett, Commissioner

Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission Current Water, Sewer, and Gas Rate/Fee Structure

	WATER	
	Inside City	Outside City
0-1,000 Gallons	\$7.25	Minimum Bill \$10.50
Next 99,000 Gallons	3.99/1,000	5.49/1,000
Over 100,000 Gallons	3.53/1,000	4.19/1,000

Fees:
Service Tap: \$450.00 Base
\$600.00 if road or stream must be crossed

	SEWER		
	Inside City	Outside City	Allen/Dwale
0-1,000 Gallons (Min. Bill)	\$10.05	\$12.25	\$24.36
Over 1,000 Gallons	4.25/1,000	5.15/1,000	2.86/1,000

Fees:
Service Tap: \$400.00 Base
\$400.00 + labor and materials if additional work required.

	GAS	
	Inside City	Outside City
0-1 MCF	\$11.90	\$14.49
Over 1 MCF	11.28	12.06

Fees:
Service Tap: \$300.00 Base
\$450.00 if road or stream must be crossed.

David M. Ellis, Superintendent
Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission
2560 South Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
(606) 886-6871

poles to the corner of Big Sandy Railway company and with the same N 44°W23 poles 10 links to the beginning containing twenty three and three eights (23-3/8) acres.

There is excepted from the above tract No. 1, a lot conveyed to Peggy Ann Lantz by Goldie Wilcox, widow; Erma Wilcox, widow and Carl T. Horne, single, heirs of E. I. Horne by deed dated the 15th day of October, 1990, recorded in Deed Book 342, Page 605, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

TRACT NO. 2
Beginning on a rock set in the ground marked on the map learner no. 1, this rock being a corner between Vaughan and Edie Horn; thence up the branch with Millie Vaughan on the right, S. 63-1/4 W 170 feet to a poplar, a corner to Lot no. 1; thence leaving said Vaughan and with Lot No. 1, S. 11-1/2 W 178 feet to a stake in the mouth of a drain, about 75 feet above where Wesley Chilens now lives; thence around the hill, S 79-1/2 W. 175 feet to a stake; thence crossing the creek, N 19-1/2W, 200 feet to an apple tree in the garden; thence leaving Lot no. 1 and with Lot no. 3 reversed, S 72-1/2 W. 285 feet to a large rock, across on the lawn corner of the rock; thence up the hill, S 13-1/4E, 1200 feet to an X on a large rock on top of the hill, leaving Lot no. 3 and with the Northern Coal & Coke Company, down the ridge, N 72-1/2E. 327 feet to a stake; N 35 E. 207 feet to a stake; 29E, 146 feet to a stake by a large chestnut oak; N 34 E321 feet to a stake; N 48-1/2 E. 204 feet to a small black oak, a corner to Ed Horn; thence leaving Northern Coal & Coke Company and with Ed Horn down the hill N 35 W. 672 feet to the beginning, containing 19-3/4 acres.

Being the same property conveyed to Carl T. Horn from Gold Wilcox, et al., by deed dated July 15, 1992, and appearing of record in Deed Book 358, Page 595, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk.

TERMS OF SALE
(a) At the time of sale, the successful bidder, if the other than the Plaintiff, shall either pay cash or 10% of purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

(b) The successful bidder shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said

property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum, from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment.

(c) The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office, and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 2410 or KRS 426.530.

(d) The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all Floyd County, Kentucky, real property taxes for the year 2007, and all subsequent years which are not yet due and payable. Any and all delinquent Floyd County, Kentucky, real estate taxes will be paid from the sale proceeds.

(e) If the successful bidder is a party to this action, he/she shall be given credit on the balance of the purchase price to the extent of his/her ownership interest in the above described real property, subject to payment of sufficient funds to satisfy the costs of sale and for the master commissioner.

Any announcements made on date of sale take precedence over printed matter contained herein.
Plaintiff's Counsel:
Barkley J. Sturgill, Esq.
119 E. Court Street
2nd Floor
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
William S. Kendrick
Master
Commissioner
P.O. Box 268
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 898-0721, Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.055 notice is hereby given that CAM -

Kentucky LLC, P.O. Box 901, Pikeville, Kentucky, 41502 has applied for renewal of a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation. The operation disturbs 879.37 surface acres located 1.1 miles northwest of McCombs in Pike County.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.06 miles southwest from Brushy Fork Road's junction with State Route 194 and located on Bevins Branch.

The operation is located on Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the auger, area and contour methods of surface mining. The surface area is owned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, DFM, Inc., Alma Land Company, Cliff Blackburn, M&M Enterprises, Appalachian Land Company, Denzil & Janice Allen, Hatton-Allen Insurance Agency, Inc., & David P. Allen. The surface area overlying auger works is owned by the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers, and Alma Land Company.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources', Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch Rd., Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

given that CAM Mining LLC, P.O. Box 1169, Pikeville, Kentucky, 41502, has applied for a renewal of a permit for a surface and reclamation mining operation affecting 227.35 acres located 1.1 miles northwest of McCombs in Pike County.

The operation is located on Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the auger, area and contour methods of surface mining.

The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Ross Harris estate, Cliff Blackburn, Denzil Allen, Bluebird Collieries, Inc., Ray Taylor, Unit Coal Corporation, Bill Burchett, Martin Collinsworth, Nick Cooley, Bobby Thompson, and William & Sue Wilkerson. The operation will underlie land owned by Ross Harris estate, Cliff Blackburn, Denzil Allen, Ray Taylor, Unit Coal Corporation, Nick Cooley, and William & Sue Wilkerson.

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NOTICE (OF FINAL SETTLEMENT)

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF FLOYD...SCT

I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following settlements of estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exceptions to said settlements must do so on or before June 30, 2007, at 10:00 a.m.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Date Filed
Final	03-P-54	Lizzie Hays	Esther H. Sammons	3-19-07
Final	06-P-253	Phyllis Jean Hurd	Shular Jackson Hurd	4-17-07
Final	05-P-308	June G. Robinson	Bruce Barrowman	4-19-07
Final	05-P-91	Randall Elmore McGarty	Amy E. McCarty	4-19-07
Final	06-P-356	Ernest Johnson	Danny Johnson & Wanda Little	4-19-07
Final	06-P-358	Cathy S. Ousley	Dormal Ousley	4-19-07
Final	06-P-364	Billie Pleasant	Gloria Pleasant	4-24-07
Final	06-P-128	Eunice Evelyn Fraley	Sandra Branham & Judy F. Slone	4-25-07
Final	06-P-235	Jeffery Wayne Caudill	John J. Caudill	4-25-07
Final	05-P-62	Louise Carey	Myra Lynn Polk	4-26-07
Final	05-P-75	Wanda C. Tackett	Wade D. Tackett	4-26-07
Final	06-P-378	Sola Crum Frasure	Gene Frasure	4-30-07
Final	06-P-374	Ishmael Hall	Sue Jones	5-1-07
Final	03-P-377	John W. Dotson	Amanda B. Rogers	5-1-07
Final	06-P-243	Thomas James Blackburn	Carolyn Kay Wingham	4-30-07
Final	06-P-289	Romie Gene Osborne	Sandra L. McGarey	5-3-07
Final	06-P-338	Bessie Jacobs	David Justice	5-3-07
Final	06-P-117	Tait Johnson	Roger Johnson & Donald Johnson	5-4-07
Final	06-P-442	Garnett Burchett	Bill Goble	5-4-07
Final	06-P-388	Lorene Brown	Shirley Faulkner	5-7-07
Final	05-P-102	Roy Shannon Martin	Caulene B. Martin	5-18-07

LEGAL NOTICE: NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF FLOYD

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

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Attorney
3-13-07	07-P-99	Henry Harvey	Kathy Mahan	
4-20-07	07-P-153	Wiley Sparkman	Rita Sparkman	
4-23-07	07-P-154	Patricia Sue (Susie) Burke	Traci Ann Burke Vicars	
4-25-07	07-P-158	Dave Marsillett Jr.	Doris J. Marsillett	
4-27-07	07-P-159	Lloyd H. Allen	Pauline Allen	David A. Barber
4-27-07	07-P-161	Thurston Endicott	Delcie Endicott	Timothy Parker
5-1-07	07-P-167	William C. Clevenger	Peggy Clevenger	
5-1-07	07-P-169	Carlos Wayne Artrip	Virginia Lee Artrip	
5-1-07	07-P-170	Martha Keathley	Gary Keathley	
5-2-07	07-P-174	Larry Newsome Jr.	Larry Newsome	Jerry Patton
5-3-07	07-P-176	Darrell Platkus	Connie Platkus	
5-3-07	07-P-177	Fred Johnson	Kathryn Slone Johnson	
5-7-07	07-P-178	Denny Hoover	Mary Patton Allen	
5-8-07	07-P-180	James Thomas Ladd	Lori Weier	
5-11-07	07-P-182	Hayden Murray Burke	Sharon Gale Burke	
5-11-07	07-P-183	Archie B. Dale	Bonnie Dale	
5-11-07	07-P-185	Edith Sadler	Maurice Sadler	
5-14-07	07-P-189	Albert Benjamin Robinson	Charlotte Crum	
5-16-07	07-P-119	Josephine Scalf Collins	Chad Collins	Robert F. Wright
5-16-07	07-P-191	Freddie Collins	Charles T. Collins	
5-16-07	07-P-192	In Re: Jeremy Lykens	Guardian: Kathy Likens	Sandra Spurgeon
5-17-07	07-P-194	Ancil Stumbo	Lenore Stumbo	
5-18-07	07-P-195	George E. Faine	Margot Faine	
5-21-07	07-P-198	Curtis Clark	Kimberly R. Hinkle	
5-21-07	07-P-199	Russell Dean Shepherd	Caren Lynn Shepherd	William S. Kendrick
5-23-07	07-P-200	Sandra Lynn Ousley Shepherd	Mallory Ousley	

Big Sandy Community & Technical College
Anticipated Opening
Art Instructor (10 month contract): Duties will include classroom instruction, academic advising, committee work, internal and external service and professional development. Faculty will teach on campuses where there is a demonstrated need.
Requirements: Candidates must have a Master's degree with 18 graduate semester hours in art. Preference given to candidates who have a strong interest in teaching art courses for freshmen and sophomore level students, including but not limited to: Introduction to Art, Introduction to Art Education, Drawing, Design, Ceramics, Sculpture, Painting and Visual Exploration. The candidate will have the knowledge and desire to teach in a learning college environment where student learning is emphasized.
Procedure: Formal applications are available at Big Sandy Community & Technical College, Office of Human Resources, Johnson Administration Building, Room 110, or via email: jackie.cecil@kctcs.edu or by phone: (606) 886-3863, Ext. 67370, or on our website: www.bigsandy.kctcs.edu. Applicants must submit a completed application, current resume with list of references, three original, current letters of recommendation, and all college transcripts to: Jackie B. Cecil, Director of Human Resources, One Bert Combs Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Initial review of applications will begin July 1, 2007.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College is an equal opportunity employer and education institution. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

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