

Renovation

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This is a major safety concern... An estimated 1.2 million is still owed on the renovation and addition project.

In other school board issues the board voted to lower the Real Estate and Tangible Tax Levy to 37.2 percent. The Real Estate portion was 37.7 last year while the tangible was 37.8. The total property tax levy that goes to the building fund is 5.8 compared to 6.1 from last year.

The estimated budget for the 1999-2000 school year is \$7,007,508.00. This is an increase of \$45,793 over last years budget.

The board approved the following superintendent's report: Resignations: Sara Case as special education teacher at Nicholas County Elementary School; Karla King Allison as special education teacher at

Nicholas County High School; Alan Godby as vocational agriculture teacher at Nicholas County High School; and Phillip Coldren as bus driver.

Employments: Travis Sims as eighth grade boys basketball coach at Nicholas County Elementary School; Barry Bretz as seventh grade boys basketball coach at Nicholas County Elementary School; Rhonda Seithers as assistant middle school coach at Nicholas County Elementary School.

Barbara Kenney as middle school girl's basketball coach at Nicholas County Elementary School; Becca Johnson as middle school cheerleading sponsor at Nicholas County Elementary School; Stephanie Duncan as assistant middle school girl's basketball coach at Nicholas County Elementary School.

Sandy Sweeney as middle school yearbook sponsor at Nicholas County Elementary School; Tony Smith as middle school academic team sponsor at Nicholas County Elementary School.

Elizabeth Cunningham as first grade teacher at Nicholas County Elementary School; Phillip Coldren as maintenance technician for 4 hours daily for 240 days per year; John Fritsch as vocational agriculture teacher at Nicholas County High School.

Jack Holbrook as chemistry/physics teacher at Nicholas County High School; Diana Sue Herrington and Tammy Jo Cook as substitute teachers, and John Ecton as bus driver.

Superintendent Gene Jett, said the association began with 330 customers in 1970 and now has over 3,000 customers.

A spokesman with the association said they are looking ahead about 50 years and are designing the project to meet the

needs of the area. Judge Executive Larry Tischer said that this is a great opportunity for Nicholas County to get an abundant supply of drinking water, but will take some time due to distance and the installation process.

"Driving always demands our full attention, but this is especially important this time of year," said Chief Finch. "AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky is a not-for-profit auto club with 121,000 members in 61 counties in central and eastern Kentucky and parts of Virginia and West Virginia.

"Avoid using cell phones while driving, especially in the hours before or after school.

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has, Campbell, Pendleton, Harrison, Montgomery, Clark, Madison, Garrard, Boyle, Washington, Mercer, Woodford, Fayette, Grant, Gallatin, Boone, Kenton and Jessamine counties.

The new exchange may not affect all parts of the counties listed above. The old 502 area code is now being Kentucky getting the new 270 code. Use of the 270 code will be mandatory on November 1.

The new area codes were needed because of telephone exchanges simply running out.

With a little ingenuity and less expensive materials such as Paul Mason wire canvas, it can be easy to make inexpensive but artistic keepers.

The term restaurant was first used by Bismarck who opened the first establishment of its kind in Paris in 1765.

Did You Know?

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Fern said the association is one of the few water utilities in the state having the distinction of providing safe, dependable drinking water to practically all the households of their service district.

AAA

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"said Lilla Mason, Director of the Blue Grass Auto Club Safety Foundation. "We really want to get the work out so we can reduce the risk of a tragedy."

"The AAA offers these tips for drivers: Get in the habit of recognizing school zones Scan between parked ve-

hicles and other danger zones for hidden children.

Drive with headlights on at all times so children and other drivers can see you.

Be prepared to take evasive action—fast.

Avoid using cell phones while driving, especially in the hours before or after school.

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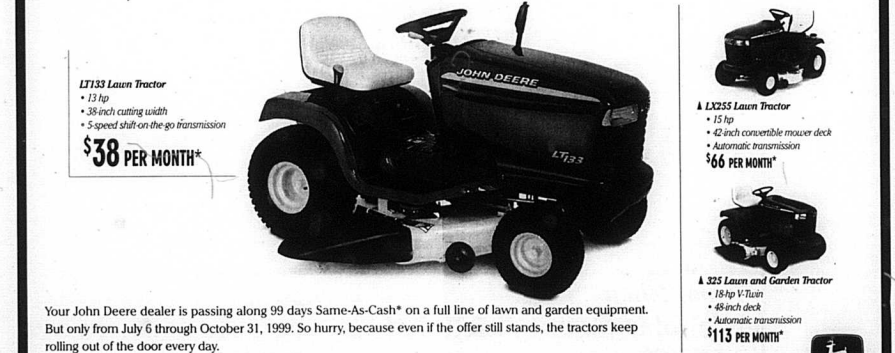
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SALTWELL NEWS

By Mrs. Jeff Mattox

Mrs. Ada Snapp was taken by ambulance to Harrison Memorial Hospital... Mrs. Kim Switzer and Cody of Cynthia visited with Mrs. Jeff Mattox...

Mrs. Phyllis Brady enjoyed a gospel singing on Saturday night held at Harrison County 4-H fairgrounds to benefit the Baptist children homes...

Mrs. Phyllis Brady visited Mr. & Mrs. John Paul McCree and others the past week. Fifteen people enjoyed a prayer service at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Brady...

The Headquarters Methodist Men & Ladies will have their regular monthly meeting this Wednesday night, Aug. 18th at 7 p.m.

Multiple Sclerosis Association of America offers free referral information. Individuals with multiple sclerosis can receive free state-wide referral information from the Multiple Sclerosis Association of America (MSAA)...

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elderly citizens face special hazards in summer's heat

Newspapers say that a half-dozen Kentucky residents have died as a result of the extreme heat that has gripped much of the country this summer...

The elderly are particularly at risk because they frequently live alone and may be unable to seek help if overcome by the heat.

As a consequence of aging, the elderly have a lowered ability to adjust to changes in temperature. They may dress too warmly for the weather...

Many low-income elderly people are unable to pay the utility bills for their homes comfortably. The federal government recently approved a program...

Community Action Agencies use its funds to help pay utility bills for eligible residents of all 120 Kentucky counties.

Household income cannot exceed 100 percent of the federal poverty level. The poverty varies depending on the size of the household.

For additional information, contact your local Community Action Agency, the Kentucky Association of Community Action Agencies...

KY State Reformatory hosts emergency squad training

The Kentucky State Reformatory (KSR) will host the 1999 Emergency Squad Training Session this coming weekend between August 20-22, 1999.

The Emergency Squad Training Session is not only a type of improvement and "on-the-job" development but is an opportunity to maintain and improve communication between agencies...

The Kentucky State Reformatory, KSR, is a medium life-size helicopter and an OH-58 Kiowa which is a reconnaissance and surveillance helicopter.

Wedco

The WEDCO District Health Department is taking applications for the following positions:

DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING: who will, under the direction of the Public Health Director, direct a comprehensive public health nursing service...

COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING SUPERVISOR: who is enthusiastic, highly motivated and positive individual to coordinate the activities of the Nicholas County Health Center...

Salaries for the above positions will be based upon experience. We have excellent benefits plus travel reimbursement.

FILING DEADLINES: August 30, 1999

SUPPORT SERVICES COORDINATOR: for the Scott County Health Center located in Georgetown, Kentucky. The person chosen for this position will be responsible for overseeing the support staff...

FILING DEADLINE: August 27, 1999

Applications, along with copies of the job descriptions may be obtained by calling the Central Office at 606-234-8750 or writing the WEDCO District Health Department at P.O. Box 218, Cynthiana, Kentucky 40301.

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