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Nicholas County Farm Bureau Annual fish fry and meeting

The Nicholas County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting and fish fry will be held at the new National Guard Army, Thursday, July 22. The fish fry will begin at 6:30 p.m. and the business meeting will begin at 8. There will be a three dollar charge per person, with preschool children free.

Ruggles Association United Methodist Men

The Ruggles Association of United Methodist men will hold its annual ladies night program on Monday, July 26. The meeting will be held at the Ruggles Campgrounds and the menu will be served at 6:30 p.m.

The main speaker for the evening will be Rev. James Loy. The Ashland District Superintendent of the United Methodist Church, Special music will be featured. President of the Association, Shelby Osborne, urges all area Methodist men to attend and hear the new District Superintendent.

Readings and Lunch with Barbara Kingsolver

Selected Readings and Lunch with Barbara Kingsolver will be held on Saturday, July 24, at the Nicholas County Elementary School at noon. The cost is \$15 per ticket (tickets are limited due to seating). Proceeds to benefit the Nicholas County Bicentennial Committee.

Retirement Reception for Lee Kanatzar

The public is invited to a retirement reception for Lee Kanatzar on July 30, from 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Nicholas County Health Center. Kanatzar has served as Center Coordinator and RN for the past 27 years at the Nicholas County Health Department.

Nicholas County Fair

Here's the list of performances:
- Thursday, August 19: Brookwood & Dunn, sponsored by Coors. Light with special guests Trace Atkins and Brad Paisley. Freedom Hall 8:00 p.m. - \$20.00.
- Friday, August 20: The Moody Blues. Freedom Hall - 8:00 p.m. - \$20.00.
- Friday, August 20: Monica and Gracie. Cardinal Stadium - 8:00 p.m. - \$18.50.
- Saturday, August 21: Red Lobster presents Reba. Freedom Hall - 8:00 p.m. - \$20.00.
- Friday, August 27: Clay Walker and Deana Carter. Cardinal Stadium - 8:00 p.m. - \$18.50.



1999 Bath County Tournament Winners

The Nicholas County Minor League Blue All-Stars won first place at the Bath County Round Robin Tournament held July 17, in Salk Lick. They won four games and scored 81 runs. They defeated Bath, Nicholas, Red, Fleming, and Grayson Counties. Front Row, left are: Cade Gilliland, Todd Byrd, Jordan Myrean, Eric McFarland, Donald R. Purvis, Zachary Lemona, and Caleb Sadler; middle row, left are: Brendon Sadler, Tyler Hunt, Jonathan Hunt, Jacob Frederick, Shane Sweet, Daniel Broderick, Steven Tolson, Brandon Price, and Tony Byrd; back row, left: Coaches, Jeff Gilchrist, Jimmy Sadler, Ricky Broderick, William Lemona, and Jimmy Price.

TV star Clarence Gilyard to help kick-off 1999 Bluegrass Games

Clarence Gilyard, co-star of the popular *Walker, Texas Ranger* television series, will help kick-off the 1999 Bluegrass State Games on Friday, July 23. Gilyard, who plays James Trivette, Chuck Norris' partner on the CBS show, will be the special guest at this year's opening ceremonies to be held on the University of Kentucky campus near Commonwealth Stadium. The ceremonies are FREE and open to the public. Before joining the cast of *Walker, Texas Ranger*, Gilyard played Conrad Masters on the *Matlock* series for five seasons, and co-starred in films *Top Gun* and *Die Hard*. The opening ceremonies, sponsored by WKYT-TV and Cumulus Broadcasting, will also feature music by local favorite Eddiepe, games, food vendors, a hot air balloon, pony rides and many other activities. Athletes participating in their 15th annual Games will start checking in at 4 p.m. that day with the parade of athletes, the formal ceremony and lighting of the Bluegrass State Games flame beginning at 7:45 p.m. Activities will continue until about 9 p.m. At the site there will be a variety of free games, from super slides to a Valvoline NASCAR simulator ride. Although some bluegrass and Georgetown July 17 and 18, most of the sports will take place July 23-25 in Fayette, Scott, Mercer, Franklin, Jessamine, Boyle, Madison and Woodford counties. Entry forms, results and other information, including links to sponsors and other events, are available on the Bluegrass State Games website at www.bsgg.org. Results from the Summer Games will be posted on the website on July 19 and July 26. About 15,000 athletes have already registered to participate in one of the 28 sports in this year's Games. Sports that will take additional registrations on site only are fencing, diving and wrestling (July 24) as well as only sports that will be held at the site are: **1999 Kentucky State Fair** concert lineup are now on site at the Freedom Hall ticket office and all TicketMaster outlets. These star-studded concerts will showcase country's finest performers and the latest hit-makers from rock to rhythm and blues during Everybody's State Fair, August 19-29. Good seats are still available; get your tickets today.

accept additional entries at opening ceremonies only are track and field, bowling and chess. Sports that will take additional registrations both at opening ceremonies and on-site are: archery, dog agility, horseback, martial arts, western horse show, shooting and the 5K road race. The Bluegrass State Games are a project of the Governor's Commission on Sports, Physical Activity, and Wellness. They are aimed at providing Kentuckians of all abilities and ages an opportunity to participate in a state-wide family sports festival. The Games are co-hosted by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government and the University of Kentucky. Ashland Inc. and The Valvoline Company are Founding Sponsors of the Lexington Headliner, GTE Network Services, GTE Ductures and GTE Wireless. Other sponsors include: Kentucky Utilities Co., Lexington Convention and Visitors Bureau, Cumulus Broadcasting, WKYT-TV, Cawth, Chuck and Company, L.L.P., Lexington Area Sports Authority, McDonald's of Central and Southeastern Kentucky, Meijer, Cancer Support Network, Central Bank, Frankfort Civic Center, Frankfort Regional Medical Center, Lexington Hotel/Motel Association, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co. of Lexington, Radisson Plaza Hotel, Trust for Life, Kentucky Broadcasters Association, The Kentucky Press Association, Kentucky Cable, Cable Telecommunications Association, KET, The Kentucky Network, Kentucky National Guard, and Champions for a Drug-Free Kentucky.

Double Sunk Hog Farm is located in near Georgetown, Ky on Newtown Pike one-fourth mile north off Hwy 460. Tom and Howard Fister grow and sell all types of fresh produce. Their variety of produce includes sweet corn, cantaloupe, green beans, tomatoes, hundreds of varieties of peppers, squash, pumpkins and pumpkins. The Double Sunk Hog Farm also hosts a Pumpkin Festival that will be held September 24-25, October 2-3 and 9-10. Evans Orchard is located near Georgetown, Ky on 922 one mile south of Hwy 460. Nevan Evans and family raise a large variety of apples, pears, blackberries, tomatoes, sweet corn, beans, watermelons, eggplants and pumpkins. They are open July 14th through November. The Roadside Program promotes Kentucky farm products by providing marketing assistance to the participating farmers. A four-colored

Clarence Gilyard State Fair

Saturday, August 28: The Moody Brothers. Cardinal Stadium - 8:00 p.m. - \$18.50.
Sunday, August 29: Private Issue presents Randy Travis with special guest star Terry Clark. Freedom Hall - 8:00 p.m. - \$20.00.

Second Annual Covered Bridge Festival

The Fleming County Tourism Committee is making plans for their third annual Covered Bridge Festival to be held on Saturday, August 28, 1999 from 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. at the Goddard Covered Bridge, located on Highway 35 in Goddard, Ky. Last year's festival attracted an estimated 5,000 people to this first time event with craft booths, food booths, heritage demonstrations such as weaving, candle making, soap making, caperony, and entertainment. Home & Away magazine, which is published by ASA, recently did an article on the festival and Fleming Counties area bridges. This has promoted area interest as well as local. Self guided tours to Fleming County's other two covered bridges (Grange City and Rings Mills) will be available with local residents ready at each bridge to provide facts, as well as favorite memories of the bridges. The Tourism Committee feels that last year's festival was very successful and that this year's festival will be even more so, offering something for everyone. So mark your calendar for August 28, and join us at the Fleming County Covered Bridge Festival. For more information contact the Fleming County Chamber of Commerce Office at (606) 845-1223.

Deadline finds counties ready with water supply

A July 15 deadline for counties to have water supply plans submitted and approved by the Kentucky Division of Water was met by 101 of the state's 120 counties. The plans were required by legislation passed by the 1990 General Assembly. Guidelines developed by the Division of Water and set out in regulation in 1991 required each county to submit its plan in two phases. Phase I involved data collection and analysis to project which water systems will have adequate water supplies for the next 20 years. Phase II included: (1) plans to supply that quantity of water, (2) plans to prevent contamination from reaching the water supply source, (3) emergency response plans if contamination of the supply should occur, and (4) drought management plans for the water supply. With the exception of Fayette and Jefferson counties, Area Development Districts (ADDs) worked with local planning committees in each county to develop plans. Local planning committees are made up of local officials, water system operators, and interested citizens. Seven counties' Phase II plans were received on July 15 but have not yet been approved. They are Bullitt, Henry, McCracken, Oldham, Shelby, Trimble, and Spencer counties. Counties that have not yet submitted Phase II plans include Breckinridge, Carroll, Fayette, Gallatin, Grayson, Harlan, LaRue, Marion, Meade, Nelson, Hickman, and Washington counties. Any counties without an approved plan will be ineligible for state or federal funding for any project that may impact water. The Division of Water will continue offering technical assistance to help the remaining counties attain approval. To see the status of your county water supply plans, check this World Wide Web address: <http://water.nr.state.ky.us/wsp/>.

Ale-8-One to be distributed by Pepsi Cola

Frank A. Rogers, III, President and Chairman of the Board of Ale-8-One of America, Inc., of Winchester, Kentucky, has announced that Ale-8-One and Pepsi Cola Bottling Company of Corbin, Kentucky, have executed a Franchise Agreement wherein Corbin Pepsi will distribute Ale-8-One soft drink in its territory. The Agreement further provides for future bottling of Ale-8-One in Corbin. Distribution of Ale-8-One began July 1, and Mr. Rogers has been pleased with the initial volume of sales of Corbin Pepsi. "I think it is wonderful to see two family-owned, Kentucky companies enter into a mutually beneficial arrangement, proving that independent owned companies have a future in modern business." Corbin Pepsi, with its headquarters located in Corbin, Kentucky, will be distributing Ale-8-One, along with its other products, in Bell, Knox, Clay, Jackson, Lincoln, Laurel, Whitley, Pulaski, Rockcastle, and McCracken counties.

KY Farm Bureau announces 1999 Roadside Farm Markets

The Kentucky Farm Bureau Certified Roadside Markets are expecting one of their best seasons. With a combination of an excellent growing season and the markets becoming more well-known, sales of plants, flowers, fruits and vegetables are increasing," said Kentucky Farm Bureau President, Sam Moore. Market operators receive a large, colorful membership sign designating the roadside market as having been certified under program guidelines. Those standards for product quality and availability were established by a committee comprised of market operators and marketing specialists. For more information please contact Kentucky Farm Bureau, Commodities Relations Department, P.O. Box 20700, Louisville, KY 40220-0700, (502) 495-5000. E-mail at info@kyfb.com or homepage: www.kyfb.com.

General Assembly to obtain research and development grants

On July 1, 1999 the General Assembly's Interim Committee on Seniors, Military Affairs and Public Safety were briefed by representatives of the DEPS/SCOR Program to discuss efforts to obtain research and development grants from the Department of Defense. The committee monitors issues that affect Kentucky's aging population, members of the armed services and conditions in the state's sanitation plants, garbage and refuse disposal programs. On August 2, members will travel to



Rep. Carolyn Belcher studies a report at the July 1 meeting of the General Assembly's Interim Committee on Seniors, Military Affairs and Public Safety. Members of the committee were briefed by representatives of the DEPS/SCOR Program about efforts to obtain research and development grants from the Department of Defense.