

**AUG**  
**3**  
**2000**

**Back-to-School**

**Homeroom**  
**List...**  
**plus more**  
*• Page 4-5*

**Calendar**

Hughes Family Reunion  
*• Page 2*

**People**  
Saltwell News  
*• Page 3*

# THE CARLISLE MERCURY

Vol. 134, No. 31

*"Proud to be serving Nicholas County since 1867"*

**50¢**

Thursday, August 3, 2000

## BRIEFS & NOTICES

### Washington Civil War Reenactment

The "Civil War Living History Weekend" in Washington will be held starting Friday, August 4th, and end on Sunday August 6th. For more information contact the Log Visitor's Center at 606-758-7411 for more information.

### Applications still accepted for TLAP

Sign up for the Tobacco Loss Assistance Program will be taking place until September 2, at the Bourbon-Nicholas County FSA office. No late-filled applications will be accepted. Payments will reach farmers between October 1-20, 2000.

### UK Alumni Club to meet

The Bourbon-Nicholas County UK Alumni Club will feature UK Football Coach Hal Mumme at the Big Blue Tailgate Party on Tuesday, August 8, at 6:30 p.m. at the Stoner Creek County Club. The cost is \$15 per person.

The night will include an auction of two sets of tickets to a future football game and of a Mumme autographed football. All alumni and friends of UK are invited. For more information, contact Proctor Blair at 606-987-3544.

### NCHS Site Based Council

The Nicholas County High School Site Based Council will have its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, August 10, at 6:00 p.m. at NCHS council office.

### City Council monthly meeting

The Carlisle City Council will have its regular monthly meeting on Monday, August 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the city building.

### Fiscal Court to meet

The Nicholas County Fiscal Court meeting has been changed to August 15, 2000 at 6:30 p.m. at the Fiscal Court room located at the Courthouse.

### Board of Education to meet

The Nicholas County Board of Education will have its regular monthly meeting on Monday, August 21, at 7:00 p.m. at the School District's central office.

## Fair brings old fashioned family fun to Nicholas Co.

If you didn't attend the 2000 Nicholas County Fair and Horse Show that was held last week, then you and your family missed some good old fashioned family fun. During Wednesday night's opening events, Alison Hammonds, daughter of Ricky and Cindy Hammonds was crowned - 2000 Nicholas County Fair Queen, by Sate Representative Carolyn Belcher. Hammonds will advance to the Miss Kentucky County Fair which will be held in October. Miss Congeniality went to Jenny Hunter, the daughter of Patty and Billy Ray Hunter. Thursday night the tractors came to the fair as tractor

competition began for ages 9 and older. The FFA members showed up for the FFA Tug Pull. Family Night was held on Friday and Saturday with activities from kiddie pull sack races, and the ever most

see FAIR page 2



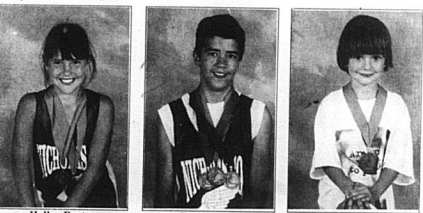
2000 Nicholas County Fair Court

Mike Hance/McManns & Moore



Alison Hammonds is named 2000 Nicholas County Fair Queen. Alison is the daughter of Ricky and Cindy Hammonds.

## Local residents place at 16<sup>th</sup> annual Bluegrass State Summer Games



During the 16th annual Bluegrass State Summer Games held two weeks ago, Nicholas County residents made their mark at the event with six local residents bringing home honors. 17 people from Nicholas County traveled to Lexington for the amateur event. The Bluegrass State Games is a project of the Governor's Commission on Sports, Physical Activity and wellness, and are designed to provide Kentuckians of all ages and abilities the opportunity to participate in statewide, family-oriented sports festivals styled after the Olympic Games. The games are co-hosted by the Lexington-Payette Urban County Government, the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the University of Kentucky.

see GAMES page 2

## Nicholas County blood drive to be held Aug. 7

Blood is needed everywhere, everyday. The Nicholas County Hospital asks you to ensure blood is available for area hospital patients by donating on Monday, August 7, 2000 from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. at the CKBC bloodmobile located in the parking lot. The drive is being sponsored in conjunction with the support of volunteer donors and drive the Central Kentucky Blood Center. Every three seconds in the United States someone receives a blood transfusion. Blood and blood components are used to treat accident and burn victims, cancer patients, and other patients undergoing surgeries and medical treatments. Donors must be at least 17 years of age, with a minimum of 100 pounds a be in general good health. The complete process takes less than one hour, with the actual donation of one pint lasting ten minutes. Blood can be donated every 56 days. Through the support of volunteer donors and drive the Central Kentucky Blood Center provides blood to 68 hospitals in 54 Kentucky counties. All donors on August 7, 2000 will receive a free thank you gift. For more information call David Moore at 1-500-775-2522.

Newsprint Holdings, Inc.

**Weather**  
Chance of Thunderstorms  
HI 88 Low 64

**Inserts**  
American Liberty

The Carlisle Mercury  
PUBLISHED WEEKLY  
BY CARLISLE MERCURY CO.  
1999

**Inside** 10 Pages  
Calendar.....2  
Classifieds.....9  
TV Week.....6  
Agriculture.....7

**How to reach us**  
Phone: 859-289-2464  
Fax: 859-289-7900  
Mail: PO Box 232, Carlisle, KY 40311  
Location: Corner of Main and Locust,  
(below the Deposit Bank)

© 2000 All rights reserved