

# Viewpoint

For what it's worth...

By: Elieha Insko  
Do parents get involved too much?

Schools back in session! Parents' just can't wait to hear those words.

No more summer, swimming, pools and no more calling mom and dad at work harassing them because children getting bored.

Now that school has started, who has time to be bored? Between homework, sports, band and all the extra curricular activities the schools offer. We all stay entertained and exhausted. But what causes all this exhaustion? It could just be running from ball games to PTA meetings or to band practice. Or could it be that we get way too involved with their children's personal problems at school.

Now we all know when we enroll our children in school from that first day on, they're always going to be competition between our child and another. Obviously, we do not want our children coming home everyday crying because he or she wears someone or is not smart enough as other students may say.

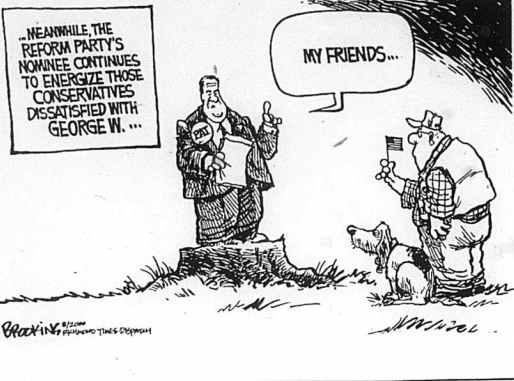
Instantly we want to run to the school, which is fine but what about when we take it as far as calling that other child's parent and cursing them in which if we actually thought about it before we done it we probably would have handled it in a different way.

I have learned with my twelve year old little sister that children hate to be cussed out one day and love each other the next. There are certain issues that need to be left between the children and let them settle as opposed to fighting throughout families.

Since our father is the sheriff my sister and brother tend to take a lot of slack. For instance if they are chosen for student of the week or get to start for the basketball team. Then it has to be because their father is the sheriff.

Although that is another subject, if my father was to go to the school over every acquisition, he might as well move in at the school. Children need to learn that these issues will pass. We have been there and we have all been through this.

So my final two cents... For what it's worth... As parents let us get involved in the things that matter and leave the stupid stuff behind.



## Letter to the Editor

**Dear Editor:** We'll leave the question of which God alone, and address the core issue of this statement. If complexity is proof of the existence of a creator, that something can't be complex unless someone made it that way. Then it really raises a question. God would have to be even more complex than we mere humans are, and if complexity proves the existence of a creator, then who created God?

Sincerely,  
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## Way To Go Bluejackets Fans!



Loyal and enthusiastic Nicholas County football fans, bashed in blue, enjoy a pregame tailgate get-together in the parking lot of the Fleming County football stadium. The football 'Jackets' fell to the hosting Panthers but look to get back on the winning track this week on the road at Ludlow.

## Tailgatin' — 'Jacket style'!

## How to reach your Elected Officials

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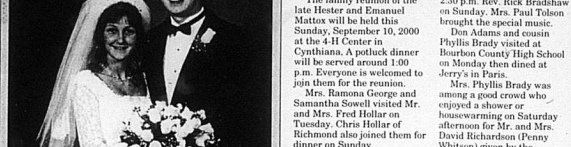
### Check Out These Web Sites:

- Here are a few web sites you may want to watch:
  - Kids 'N' Cars at [www.kidsncars.org](http://www.kidsncars.org).
  - Express at [www.expressfashion.com](http://www.expressfashion.com).
  - The Hermitage Museum in St. Petersburg, Russia is at [www.hermitagemuseum.org](http://www.hermitagemuseum.org).
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# People

## Saltwell News

By Mrs. Jeff Mattox



The family reunion of the late Hester and Emanuel Mattox will be held this Sunday, September 10, 2000 at the 4-H Center in Cynthia. A picnic dinner will be served around 1:00 p.m. Everyone is welcomed to join them for the reunion.

Mrs. Ramona George and Samantha Sowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollar on Tuesday. Chris Hollar of Richmond also joined them for dinner on Sunday.

Martha and Daley Kennedy enjoyed lunch on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ramona Kennedy of Lexington celebrating the birthday of Mrs. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stodghill and Mrs. Sharon Ellis and children of Louisville spent Friday through Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Mattox, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ritchie and Nikki, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Ford, and children of Cynthia and Mr. Billy Cameron also joined them on Saturday evening with a cookout.

Mrs. Regina Ford visited on Saturday evening with Mrs. Jean Mattox.

Mrs. Ramona George and Samantha Sowell visited Mrs. Gladys Kenny and Martha Siddle at the home of Mrs. Kenny on Sunday.

Robbie Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle, Sharon and William Riggle and children and many others camped at Cave Run the past weekend. Jonathan Doyle also joined them on Sunday afternoon and spent the night.

Alberta and Ben Glass and Phyllis Brady very much enjoyed a gospel singing and homemade ice cream supper at the Blue Licks Christian Church on Saturday night.

Megan Doyle and also Bridget Doyle are in school at Omega Baptist Institute near Manchester, Kentucky.

Mrs. Phyllis Brady very much enjoyed the service at the Indian Creek Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore her mother's wedding gown. The gown was white Chantilly lace over taffeta, designed with an empire waistline and a solitary neckline, graced with lace ruffles.

The long tapered sleeves, edged with ruffles, were fastened at the wrist with tiny covered buttons. Rows of ruffles adorned the neckline and offered a pick up effect on the skirt to reveal ruffled godets, and ended in a cathedral length train. The cathedral length veil of illusion was trimmed with imported Chantilly lace appliques and was held in place by a head piece embroidered with seed pearls and sequins. The bride carried a cascade of bouquet with white roses, stephanotis, heather and baby's breath, all entwined with aparagus fern.

Melissa Gaffney of Stanton, served as maid of honor. Alicia Evans, cousin of the bride, served as bridesmaid. They wore floor length gowns of french lace and carried a trio of white roses.

Eric Saylor served as best man. Michael Farthing served as groomsman. Andrew Faulkner, cousin of the groom, was ringbearer. Carly Barker, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl. Clinton Evans, brother of the bride, and Nate Stull, cousin of the groom, served as ushers.

Music was provided by organist, Sandra Boone, of Paris. The music attendant was Tony Smith. Dennis Evans, cousin of the bride, presided at the guest book.

A reception at the hotel immediately following the ceremony in the church fellowship hall. Carol Conway, Nancy Watts and Joanita Hutchinson assisted at the reception.

After a wedding trip to Gatlinburg, Tennessee, the couple resides in Carlisle.

## Moorefield Homemakers hold first meeting Sept. 7

The Moorefield Homemakers held their first meeting at the home of Lucille Clark on September 7, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. with eight members present, including one new member, Virginia Dore Henry. Nancy Judge, President, gave the devotional. Roll call was answered by telling, "What I never get around to doing."

The minutes were read by Wanda Mathes in the absence of Wanda Shrut. Wanda also gave the treasurer's report. An environmental report was given by Alma Curtis.

"Two from our club will attend the area meeting on October 6, 2000 at the Holiday Inn North in Lexington. Our names were collected and new names were drawn for

Apple, gift baskets, cider vinegars, and other apple wares will be available. This will be a great time to do your Christmas shopping and fall decorating.

Browning Orchard is located on Hwy 1013 and 559 just 12 miles east of Morehead. From Lexington, take 1014 to Flemingburg then KY 12 to Flemingburg then KY 110 to Flemingburg. The corn mazes will be an adventure for folks of all ages to wander through and find their way out.

For more information call Browning Orchard at 559-849-2881.

## Apple festival and corn maze slated

Once again, Browning Orchard will be the site of the annual Apple Festival and Corn Maze in Fleming County on Saturday, September 23, 2000 from 9 until 5 and Sunday, September 24, 2000 from 12 until 5.

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## Mary Lou Bowles and David Wayne Linger Bowles & Linger exchange vows

Mary Lou Bowles, daughter of George Bowles, Carlisle, great-nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Ralph Linger, London, Ohio, served his brother as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall at the Assembly Church.

The bride is the daughter of George Bowles, Carlisle, and the late C. Page and Helen Linger.

Rev. Bobby Stone officiated the ceremony and music was provided by Mr. Calvin Warrick.

The bride, given in marriage by her son, James T. Stone, wore a floor length gown of champagne satin designed with a wedding band collar, elbow length sleeves, and a fitted bodice. Her fingertip illusion veil was held by a pearlized headband and she carried an arm bouquet of roses.

Amy Bowles, Carlisle, niece of the bride, was maid of honor and Jacob Bowles, Carlisle, great-nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Assisting were Lori Parrish, daughter of the bridegroom, Shawna Stone, daughter in law of the bride, and Mike Bowles, nephew of the bride.

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