

SCHOOL NEWS

Kimberling honored with 2007 Nallia Award

Steve Kimberling, school safety assessment coordinator for the Kentucky Center for School Safety, is the recipient of KASA's 2007 William T. Nallia Award.

Steve is the son of Dorothy Kimberling of Carlisle.

The award was presented to Kimberling July 20, during the association's 39th annual conference in Louisville before an audience of 600 education leaders and guests.

Kimberling has made a powerful impact on Kentucky's schools through decades of leadership in student safety.

"Steve is one of the those quiet heroes who works behind the scenes, never seeking recognition for himself, but contributing tremendously to making schools places where children can learn, thrive, and be safe," Kentucky's students benefit from his efforts every day," KASA Executive Director Wayne Young.

Kimberling is recently retired from the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE), after a career in which he held a number of positions related to student safety.

He was actively involved in issues related to safe schools for many years prior to the tragedies in Kentucky and elsewhere that made school safety a front-page news story.

His background includes work in drug-free and gun-free school programs, and serving as the primary contact from KDE for the newly created Kentucky Center for School Safety, which it was established by the General Assembly.

After retirement, Kimberling began working for the Center as a trainer and coordinator of several school safety initiatives. Most recently, he has helped implement the innovative and nationally recognized school safety assessment process, which other states are now beginning to replicate.

The award is named in honor of Mr. William Nallia, KASA executive director from 1972 to 1986.

Under his leadership, the organization experienced tremendous growth and remained at the forefront of innovation in public education in Kentucky.

The KASA board of directors presents the Nallia award annually to its education leader who reflects a spirit of innovation and cutting-edge leadership while bringing higher levels of the award.



Photo submitted

NCEMS homework omission

The following homework was omitted from last week's newspaper: A group of administrators is sorry for any inconvenience this caused.

Third Grade Teacher
Timothy Wayne Adams, William Heath Adams, Colby James Caswell, Jared Daniel Clark, Aaron Xavier Conroy, Amanda Farrow, Krump, Kaitlyn Nicole Earwinkle, Dakota Wayne Florio, Abigail Gwen Le Green, Rebecca Lynn Hatfield, Grace Lee Ellen Kluskeden, Alyssa Kathryn Livingood, Laura Ann McLeod, Laura Michelle Morris, Garrett Lee Morvey, Zachary Cammurs Richardson, Dakota Layne Ring, John Tyler Baker Sanders, James Westlee Sapp, Alexis Dawn Smith, Logan Chase Sparks, Nehemiah Chase Tinker, Megan Elizabeth Watson, Brittany Whitt and Mercer Willis.

Public Hearing
In accordance with the provisions of HB 1000 passed by the 1997 Kentucky General Assembly, a public hearing will be held on the proposed Nicholas County Public Library System for August 8, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. at the Nicholas County Public Library, 1000 S. Main Street, Carlisle, KY 40301. The purpose of this hearing is to inform the public of the proposed Nicholas County Public Library System and to receive public input on the proposed system. The tax rate on the proposed system is .43 cents per \$100 of assessed value. The total estimated operating revenue of \$26,310. The proposed system will include 4.3 cents per \$100 of assessed value. The total estimated operating revenue of \$26,310. The proposed system will include 4.3 cents per \$100 of assessed value. The total estimated operating revenue of \$26,310.

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Long to Hamm house on Stony Stony Creek; end Long Stony, North Street, Elm Street.

Bus 205 Mr. Hunter: Afternoon Route: Revere Old Paris Pike, U.S. 68, Mt. Mariah, Blue Licks, both sides of the old bridge on old U.S. 68, Abners Mill Road, Old Blue Licks, from the Park side.

Bus 971 Mr. Stone: Morning Route: Revere Old Paris Pike, U.S. 68, Mt. Mariah, Blue Licks, both sides of the old bridge on old U.S. 68, Abners Mill Road, Old Blue Licks, from the Park side.

Bus 971 Mr. Stone: Afternoon Route: Sycamore Street, Green Valley, Lake Road, down U.S. 68, Abners Mill Road, to old U.S. 68 to the old Blue Licks from the Park side.

Bus 971 Mr. Stone: Afternoon Route: Revere Old Paris Pike, U.S. 68, Mt. Mariah, Blue Licks, both sides of the old bridge on old U.S. 68, Abners Mill Road, Old Blue Licks, from the Park side.

Photo submitted

Brother Adam Schell
Sunday, August 5 - 2-4 PM
First Baptist Church of Carlisle
345 S. Locust Street
Carlisle, KY

Public Notice

**NICHOLAS COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY STATEMENT**

The Nicholas County Board of Education is committed to providing a safe and equitable educational environment for all students. This policy statement is intended to inform the public of the Board's commitment to non-discrimination in all educational programs and activities. The Board prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, age, marital status, religion, or disability. This policy applies to all students, employees, and contractors of the Board. Any person who has information regarding a violation of this policy should contact the Board of Education at 1000 S. Main Street, Carlisle, KY 40301.



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Fillies finish fourth

The Fillies 12 softball team placed 4th in the NYA Fastpitch State Tournament held in Owensboro, KY July 6-8. Members of the team are: left to right, front row, Hannah Wegoner, McKenzie Kniep, Katie Jacoby, Haley Wegoner and Tracy Hicks. Back row, left to right, Emily Hilerand, Miranda Ingram, Stephanie Frederick, Kylie Clancy and Coach Tammy Frederick.

Photo submitted

Basketball attendees
Several Nicholas County athletes attended basketball camp at the University of Kentucky. Those attending are left to right, Robyn Cochran, Shelby Wade, Haley Dotson, Megan Bretz, Laken Howard, Laura van der Heiden and Emily Curran. Award winners are Shelby Wade - 1 on 1, Hot Shot and 3 on 3, Haley Dotson - 3 on 3, Megan Bretz 3 on 3 and Miklan and Robyn Cochran Figure 8 Layup and Miklan.

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SPORTS

NCHS programs heading into 2007 - 2008 athletic seasons

When Nicholas County High School student-athletes return to the classroom later in the summer, some new faces will be guiding Blue Jacket and Lady Jacket teams.

In some new moves, Michael Cofer is the new NCHS boys' golf coach. Cofer is pulling double-duty as also leading the Blue Jacket boys' basketball program. Boys' golf is a fall sport and

assistant coach was hired to guide the NCHS Lady Jacket team.

NCHS football coach Robert Hopkins is the school's new athletic director. Hopkins is a veteran coach and both football and track and field.

"Jennifer Cornett has been working for a while at high school. The Union College women's basketball player turned Lady Bulldog."

Cofer content with summer progress

Nicholas County High School boys' basketball coach Michael Cofer didn't shy away from still completing the summer. Cofer had the Blue Jackets paired up against some of the state's most formidable high school boys' basketball teams during summer scrimmages.

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Point guard D.P. Purvis and shooting guard Jonathan Mattox will also play out of key roles for the Bluejackets. Purvis and Mattox join Rose and Campbell in the Nicholas County starting lineup.

Nicholas County is scheduled to open the season on the road at Pendleton County, Central Hardin, Washington County and Harrison County. Nicholas County is slated to host its first home game when Henry Clay High School's Henry Clay is expected to rank as one of the state's top prep basketball teams.

"It was a good summer," Cofer commented. "The kids worked hard and had fun. We were able to get a lot done individually and worked on fundamentals."

"The tough competition Nicholas County faced during the summer will no doubt pay off in the winter months."

NCHS Boys' Basketball Coach

Michael Cofer

The entire NCHS boys' basketball regular season schedule was unavailable at press time but will appear in a future edition.

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AUGUST 11 - 4-9 PM

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Aug. 1 - Renee Snapp will start taking appointments. Call for your's today.

Nicholas County Schools Attendance Information

Each student is allowed five (5) parent notes to be used throughout the school year. Parent notes are to be used only for absences due to illnesses such as vomiting, fever, diarrhea, etc. Please do not use a parent note on such things as bruises, swollen fingers, a cut, etc. These types of injuries do not warrant staying home from school. You must use your parent notes very wisely in order for them to last the entire school year.

In addition to the five parent notes, the following may also be excused beyond the parent note limit:

- Death or severe illness in the immediate family (parents, siblings, grandparents, aunts, or uncles).
- Personal illness, injury or medical or dental appointment (verified by a doctor's statement).
- School activities when approved by the Board of Education and when properly supervised.
- Driver's test/court appearance.
- Emergency declared by school authorities.
- Prenatal visits, dental appointments, well-baby care, comprehensive care, and eye doctor visits will be excused for up to 1/2 day only. We encourage you to make these appointments as late or early in the day as possible so that you may be in school the remainder of the day. Always be sure to get a medical note from the doctor.
- Notes must be brought in within five days upon return to school after the school and the pupil's responsibility to satisfy the school authorities of the validity of the excused absence and to request permission to make up work missed. The student is given five days to make up his/her work after an excused absence. Work missed due to an unexcused absence may not be made up and the student will be given zero for the missed work.
- Tardies and absences fall under the law regarding unlawful transaction with a minor. The court system recognizes unexcused tardies to school as a part of truancy that is an all day absence. Three or more unexcused absences and/or tardies may result in court action. Please see that your child gets to school on time each day and is not picked up until school is dismissed unless when medically necessary. Coming in late and leaving early are both considered tardies. A note from a parent may be used for up to four tardies.
- Five unexcused absences or tardies in any grading period will result in driving privileges for those who drive to school, being suspended for a minimum of ten school days. Any student who violates the policy will have their car towed at their own expense.
- Students may not leave school for lunch or to go pick up lunch. Please do not send a note with your child requesting that we allow them to do so.
- When students accumulate at least five (5) unexcused absences, they will be required to report to the office for a conference. At this time, the consequences of having six (6) or more unexcused absences shall be explained, and the student will be required to sign a consent form verifying their understanding of the following penalties:
- The equivalent of nine (9) unexcused absences will result in the student being ineligible to attend the prom. In addition, when a student reaches six (6) unexcused absences, court action will be taken.
- The equivalent of thirteen (13) unexcused absences will result in seniors not being allowed to participate in graduation ceremonies.
- Due to a change in state law, court action will now be taken at six (6) unexcused absences and court action may now be filed on eighteen to twenty-one year old students.
- Your child will be bringing home a student handbook with a sheet to be signed and returned to his/her school. Please look over this carefully. The handbook goes into greater detail concerning all school policies.

We hope your child/children will have a healthy and safe school year.

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