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Minor League All Stars

The Nicholas County Minor League All-Stars spent the weekend of July 19th and 20th playing in a tournament hosted by Fleming County which they placed second in the tournament. The team played very well together on Saturday and won three out of four games. Sunday would prove to be a hot day for the team. They began their play on Sunday facing the Harrison County Maroon team. Nicholas County would win that one after 9 innings with a score of 22-21. They then faced Scott County Choas and took one in five innings 10-3. That put the All-Star team into the championship game to face the Harrison County Gold team. After a 30-minute rain delay the team would fall with a score of 15-8. All of the teams coaches as well as family members were extremely proud of each player and the amount of heart that they showed this weekend. The players are pictured from left to right: back row: Isaac Fryman, Kody Campbell, Preston Northcutt, Austin Blake, Sam Hamilton, L.J. Ritchie, Trina Hughes, Austin Willoughby, Drew Davis. Front Row: Dakota Hughes, Troy Davis (bat boy), Cameron Reid, Logan Campbell, and Zach Stacy. The Blue All-Stars team is coached by Steve Willoughby, Terry Hughes, Steve Northcutt, Otis Davis, Todd Reid, and Tip Fryman.

Birth Announcements

Smith son welcomed home

Kamden Timothy Smith

Kayanna and Karley are proud to announce the birth of their brother, Kamden Timothy Smith. Kamden was born to Kristy and Tim Smith at Central Baptist Hospital on June 20, 2008 weighing 7 pounds 8 ounces and was 20 ½ inches long.

Tourism dollars increase

FRANKFORT - Senator R.J. Palmer II, D-Winchester, announced today that tourism in Nicholas County increased 6.9 percent percent in 2007 and added more than $1 million to the county's economy. The Kentucky Department of Travel released these new statistics based on an annual report compiled by the Travel Industry Association (TIA) in Washington D.C.

Nicholas County's numbers are a part of an overall 6.5% percent statewide increase in tourism in 2007, which added $10.7 billion to the state's economy.

"We know that travel and tourism are an essential part of Kentucky's economy," said Mike Cooper, commissioner for the department. "Money spent on tourism throughout the Commonwealth circulates several times into the economy benefiting Kentucky communities through direct travel and in the service and retail sectors."

"Attracting tourists to our community is an on-going process and local leaders have worked diligently to increase the number of visitors to the area," said Senator Palmer. "This report is good news for the area and an indication that our efforts are paying off and, thanks to continued strong local leadership, we are looking forward to even more growth in the future."

The report shows that more than 176,600 people are employed statewide in the industry earning more than $3.4 billion in payroll. In Nicholas County, approximately 10 people are employed in the tourism industry and account for $291,765 in payroll. Nearly $7.25 billion was spent directly by domestic travelers in Kentucky in 2007. Combined with indirect spending, the complete value of the tourism industry in the state totals $10.72 billion. These amounts generate just over $1 billion in local, state and federal taxes.

Senator R.J. Palmer represents Clark, Bourbon, Harrison, Nicholas, Montgomery and Bath counties.

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on proof of repair. 2. Rear license not illuminated. MOC dismiss on proof of repair.

William D. Wilson. ARR. 1. Failure on non-owner operator to maintain required insurance. MOC dismiss on proof without proj.

James Gallagher. OH. Bond amended to $1,000.00, 10% authorized (Sub. To restitution) S.C. 8/13/08 at 10:00 a.m.

James N. Gallagher. OH. Bond amended to $1,000.00 10% authorized (Sub. To restitution) S.C. 8/13/08 at 10:00 a.m.

Patricia Kearns. ARR. operate MV w/influence alc/drugs, .08 2nd offense. Bonded out.

James D. Ritchie. OH. Bonded out.

John S. Jones. OH. 1. Failure to wear seat belts. 2. Operating on suspended/revoked operators license. Bond amended to $5,000.00, 3 rd party surety to Lena Turner. PTC 7/9/08 at 1:00 p.m.

John Spencer Jones. OH. Operating on suspended/revoked operators license.

Frankie R. Abnee. PTC. 1. Failure to dim headlights. 2. Failure to produce insurance card. 3. Operate MV under/ influence alcohol/drugs, .08, 3rd offense. 4. driving on DUI suspended license –1st offense . PTC 7/30/080 at 1:00 p.m.

Terry L. Baker. SCD/IP. S.C. 10/8/08 at 10:00 a.m. (payment in full) written counseling

Terry Lane Carpenter. PTC. 1. Theft by deception included cold checks under $300. 2. Theft by deception included cold checks under $300. 3. Theft by deception included cold checks under $300. 4. Theft by deception included cold checks under $300. 5. Theft by deception included cold checks under $300. PTC 7/2/08 at 1:00 p.m.

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