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Marijuana removed from home KSP special operations pledges support

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A Carlisle man remains at large after Kentucky State Police officers with the Cannabis Suppression Team (CST) served a search warrant at his Carlisle home and found marijuana.

According to Kentucky State Police veteran Detective Keith Hensley of the state's CST, marijuana plants were allegedly found when a search warrant was served at the home of Dwayne Tackett, 38, of 1301 Myers Road on March 29.

"We found 29 plants, special lights, processed marijuana, and several weapons," Detective Hensley said, while he praised the efforts and assistance of local community leaders. "We couldn't be as effective without the assistance of local leaders in the community, such as County Attorney Dawn

Letcher and her staff, and the officers with the Carlisle Police Department and Kentucky Fish and Wildlife."

According to Detective Hensley, approximately one and one half pounds of high-grade processed marijuana was also found at the Tackett home.

"We believe it was what he had grown in the past," Hensley said.

Detective Hensley mentioned Sgt. Darrell Layne specifically and his K9 unit Hancock, a young German shepherd that Hensley said performed extremely well.

"Although some of the marijuana plants were in the open, the K9 hit on some processed marijuana that was hidden," he said. "We recovered approximately one and one half pounds of processed marijuana. We believe it is possible that the processed marijuana was grown from an earlier crop."

Hensley also praised

Captain Herbert Booth of Kentucky Fish and Wildlife and Kentucky State Police Troopers Dennis Mayberry and KSP Detectives Chris Lairson of the Dry Ridge Post of Kentucky State Police, which is commanded by Captain Ronald Craycraft.

Veteran KSP Detective Danny Clark also joined the CST.

"Without the support of local leaders our team would not be as effective," Detective Hensley said. "And we are very appreciative of Carlisle Mayor Ronnie Clark, who allowed us to work with Sgt. Layne and his K9," he added.

Detective Hensley said most of the plants found at the Tackett residence were what he considered "starter plants" and were not mature. He also said he will probably be taking the case directly to a future Nicholas County Grand Jury for the possibility of an indictment.

Mr. Tackett was not

home during the search and court sources say he has enlisted the counsel of veteran attorney and Nicholas County native, Gatewood Galbreath.

Tackett has not been arrested and remains at large as the Carlisle Mercury goes to press.

All persons are considered innocent until proven guilty or pleading guilty.

Detective Hensley encourages everyone with information regarding the illegal market of marijuana and controlled substances to contact the KSP hotline at 1-800-367-3847.

"We will absolutely check out every tip, even if the caller remains anonymous," Hensley said. "We are very appreciative of the assistance of local citizens and community leaders and we hope to help them rid the communities across the county and state of illegal substances."



Photo by Charles Mattox

Junior class officers left to right: Vice President Wes Hopkins, Secretary Haley McConnell, Treasurer Kyla Haire and President Andi Rector, were joined by Junior Class Sponsors Melanie Sanders, back left and Elizabeth Johnson, back right. The group gathered in front of the school upon learning of a special financial award the junior class earned for this year's prom.

The 2010 Nicholas County prom will be held in the Nicholas County High School gymnasium on May 1. This year's prom theme will be "Under The Sea," and due to the hard work of Junior class officers, who voted through an Internet contest and won; students earned an extra \$1,000 dollar gift certificate through STUMP Decorations Company, according to Junior Class Sponsor Elizabeth Johnson.

Caswell's Corner Vandalized

By Melissa Mitchell
and Charles Mattox

Vandals removed copper plumbing and electrical lines and further damaged a historic Nicholas County property last week.

The Helen Caswell Estate property on Old Paris Road was broken into and vandalized between the evening of March 31 and April 2 at noon, according to Nicholas County Sheriff Dick Garrett, who responded to the scene.

"There was extensive damage done to the house," Sheriff Garrett said. "They took copper plumbing and busted the commodes and sinks for the copper plumbing. They took exposed electrical wire and even the grates out of the fire places." This house was built in 1913 and is a piece of history that has been handed

down for many generations. This home has been broken into three different times, with the most-recent break-in being the third time, which also caused the most damage.

Police and community sources believe the perpetrators entered through a window and were searching for copper. They broke storm windows and frames, and scattered the glass throughout the yard.

Damage was done to two the fireplaces, light fixtures were torn down, sinks removed from the walls, faucets removed, copper pipes were taken and electrical wiring was removed from the water heater and the furnace. Anyone with any information regarding the criminal act is encouraged to contact Sheriff Garrett, who continues to investigate the crime.



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Paris man faces criminal charges

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A Paris man has a preliminary hearing scheduled in Nicholas District Court today.

Travis Snapp, 24, of Paris, faces charges of possession of a controlled substance, controlled substance not in proper container and a separate

charge of burglary, first degree.

Kentucky State Police Trooper Chris Lairson arrested Snapp on March 29 of this year and charged him with the burglary charge, which allegedly was committed by Snapp on Oct. 16, 2009 when he allegedly entered the home of David Thornsburg and took a 22-250 rifle.

Snapp, who is being

represented by Jennifer Wittmeyer of the public defender's office, was arrested on Nov. 14, 2009 by Carlisle Police Officer Mike Kiskaden and charged with the two controlled substance charges.

Officer Kiskaden allegedly found xanax and oxycodone in a metal container in Snapp's front pocket, according to the arrest ci-

tation.

If probable cause is found, Snapp's charges may be bound over to a future Nicholas County Grand Jury.

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Snapp remains lodged in the Bourbon County Jail on \$7,500 bond, according to court documents.

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OPINION

Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

**EASTER
APOCALYPSE AND
RESURRECTION**



**Heaven Is
A Lot Like
Kentucky**

**By
Charles Mattox**

“Brother Hansford had preached there and Morgan’s Station was taken the next morning on Sunday April 1, 1793. As soon as I heard of it, I flew down there. It was a great piece of madness to pursue them. I knew they would kill their prisoners. When I arrived, Morgan’s Station was in flames. The Indians kept back spies and I heard them whistling in the night,” John Crawford, former prisoner of Shawnee Chief Black Wolf, and member of the pioneer force that pursued the raiders of Morgan’s Station, following the April 1, Easter attack. Draper Manuscripts, volume 12 CC.

They had carried off all the movable plunder; such as clothing and bedsticks... and had gotten every creature that belonged to the place. The horses were well loaded; but if a bed turned, or a pack in a saddle, they didn’t stop to straighten it up, but just cut the cords and let it go.” James Wade, survivor of the attack on Morgan’s Station and one among the party that pursued the three dozen Native American warriors who had taken most of the

women and children as prisoners. Draper Manuscripts, volume 12 CC.
“The next morning the Indians killed the greater part of the prisoners. They were hard to track and we discontinued the pursuit near the head of Triplett Creek and returned home.”

Colonel William Sudduth, Draper Manuscripts volume 12 CC.

“Bob Craig’s wife and Betty Becraft were found tomahawked. They were taken to Montgomery’s Station, and from there, to Enoch Knox’s in Mt. Sterling, where Bob Craig’s wife died. Betty Becraft was taken on to Lexington and put under the care of Dr. Downing. He trepanned her skull and she recovered and was later married to an Owens, who lived near Maria Forge on Beaver Creek. Old Mrs. Allington got around with Harry Martin all night under the creek, at the taking of Morgan’s Station. Harry Martin had but the one load in his gun. He told his wife to run.

She was faint and like persons in such circumstances, was unable to run. He threatened to kill her if she didn’t run and sent his knife close. He cut her petticoat lose and then she ran”

Daniel Deron, Draper Manuscripts, volume 12CC

So the last shall be first and the first last; for many be called but few chosen,” Jesus of Nazareth, The New Testament, Book of Matthew, Chapter 20, verse 16.

The small band of 35 Shawnee and Cherokee raiders struck Morgan’s Station with complete surprise on Easter Sunday and after killing several inhabitants and burning the fort, They moved eastward with 19 prisoners, all women and children, whom they had tied and gagged.

James Wade let his gaze sweep around him as he mounted his horse and joined the ranks of the militia, who would be following the raiders.

He was 22-years-old and had grown fond of this land since coming here four years earlier with his oldest brother John. The two Wade brothers had made quite a name for themselves as great beaver trappers and spies along the frontier.

Indians had killed John Wade two years earlier and James had been forced to understand some grim realities.

It had hardened him.

It had also had a very despairing effect on his father and angelic mother, and though he had escaped the attack on Morgan’s Station, his mother had been told that he had been killed. He had been forced to borrow a musket as his mother had given his away to one of the men in a party that was spreading the word to the outlying settlements.

“We’re never going to catch them,” James quietly told Harry Martin just before they rode off with the others in pursuit. “They’ll kill the prisoners as soon as we start getting close,” he added, while thinking of the women and children he had grown to love as his neighbors in the past year.

“I know,” Harry Martin said as he patted James on the shoulder and then adjusted his butcher knife in his waist belt. “But... Maybe not.”

But in the end James had been mostly right.

All of the prisoners except for four young women and a young boy would be tomahawked and scalped, nine of

them were found in what would one day be called Menifee County along a tiny stream that still retains the name Murderer’s Branch..

Before riding off with the men and dozens and dozens of dogs, James counted nine different bullet holes in the stump he’d taken refuge behind as the attack began in earnest.

There had been so much close-range shooting he couldn’t believe he had escaped without a scratch. The raiders were probably drunk, he reasoned.

He had sprinted three miles to Troutman’s Station for help, then returned to his parents where his parents were overjoyed at seeing him

Harry Martin had led his wife and two children safely to Montgomery Station. Soon after running out of Morgan’s Station, Sally Martin had crossed Slate Creek and her petticoat became soaked and heavy as lead from the water. She said she couldn’t go on any further and Harry nearly panicked when he saw how closely they were being pursued by two of the warriors.

He had left his shot pouch on the kitchen table when he ran out of the fort and he thus had only one shot in his musket. He took his butcher

knife and cut the petticoat from his wife’s body and she ran naked, holding the youngest child the rest of the way to Montgomery’s Station.

I continue to research the events and individuals surrounding the attack on Morgan’s Station.

Clarenda Allington was the first prisoner taken. She was the last to be released, a decade and a half later. Betty Becraft was the last prisoner taken.

She was the first to survive the captivity, having been left for dead after being tomahawked and scalped. She was resurrected from the dead.

And just as the son of a Jewish Carpenter, in a far a way land, a long time ago, told his followers in the days before being crucified and resurrected, I have found that in many instances, even along Slate Creek, the last were often first and the first, last.

Many were called, but few were chosen.

And, if the Good Lord is willing, dear reader, in the weeks and months to come, we will examine some of the many who were called to the wilderness and those chosen lucky few who survived the hardships of Morgan’s Station.



The Crazy Horse Lady



Flowers, flowers, flowers just popping through the ground to soak up the sunshine! Truly a blessing for all of us to enjoy!

I pray you all had a blessed Easter, however you chose to celebrate it!

I was as busy as a beaver this week, as I’m sure many of you are at this time of year. Working, getting details finalized for Equine Affaire, checking lists, re-checking lists and life continues to go on at a very rapid pace.

Well, the Equine Affaire is this week so if you haven’t already marked your calendars, take some fun time for yourself, bring along the whole family to experience horses, clinics, demos and you’ll be surrounded by booths and booths of stuff for your horses, clothing and accessories for you, plus lots and lots of good food! You’ll be able to check out new items that they will be presenting this year, as well as, the opportunity to get some great ideas for barn keeping, horse care, training, including trail riding. In fact, this year the Equine Affaire has added a new Trail Riding Pavilion which will help you and your horse get ready to “hit the trail.” <http://www.equineaffaire.com/ohio/>

As many of you may have read in last week’s article, I had the opportunity to attend a RMHA Trail Obstacle Clinic. So, as you may have figured, this is what I continued to work on with Dia this week. I will be breaking it down into small pieces because she is a young horse and so that we can succeed in our training sessions! Dia just loves to learn and you should see how much her confidence is growing!

Dia and I also got the opportunity to spend some time riding. I’ve got to tell ya, she is the Cadillac of horses. I know I may be a little partial because she’s beautiful, smart, loving and MINE but you just go out and see for yourself. I guarantee you it will give you a new meaning to trail riding and horse owning!

I brought my exercise ball out to Sylvandell Farms, where she is staying at the moment, and we chased (from the ground with her on lead rope) and worked on kicking the ball and the reaction from her when the ball actually hits her body, back legs, etc. Let’s face it, not very many horses are going to just stand there and let this big, rolling, scary ball get in their space. It is definitely

something that should be introduced and it sure turns out to be a lot of fun for both, the trainer and the horse.

On Easter, after Church, I took the time to bathe her to get her ready for this week’s adventure and after I rewarded her and myself by just hand walking her in the beautiful fields at Sylvandell. I laid down in the field taking in the rays of the beautiful sunshine while she enjoyed some green, green pasture. Quiet time that the two of us just needed together with no worries, deadlines or obstacles to meet!

I also had the opportunity to ride my mare, Sweets, and she is another wonderfully gaited horse. To have one horse that gaits well is something but to have two, I’m truly blessed. As many of you have read in my past articles, Sweets is a very high strung (because of breeding), barn sour, alpha mare. Don’t get me wrong, she is very, very smart and an excellent trail horse and I love her but I have always wanted more than this from her, both for her and myself. I’ve spent many, many hours working with Sweets and some of them very discouraging because of her breeding. She just had that high spirited

personality with the on alert spookiness that went along with it.

I’ve wanted to help her with her spookiness, high-strung attitude so I’ve worked her from the ground as well as under saddle. She still worried about everything even when she knew that she had done the same thing over and over before. A vet told me about a paste that I could use before I rode or worked her but I really didn’t like the idea. I also worried about her being dopey or high on whatever stuff I was going to try but I wanted her to be a calm, happier horse without worrying about everything! So...I spent the last year researching calming supplements. You probably read about them all the time but of course, I was very leery. There are so many supplements out there that are said to do this and another for that and this also made it very hard to choose which product and direction to go in.

After reading and more reading, I decided to go with a company known as SMARTPAK. www.SmartPak.com They have a veterinarian on site and you can call for a free supplement consultation anytime. Their website is very informative as well.

I placed an order for SmartCalm Ultra over a month ago and I am happy to say Sweets is a different horse. I LOVE IT and I’m sure SHE IS EVEN HAPPIER. How do I know? Just imagine if alls you did all day long was stand on alert, worrying about every sound or movement that came your way. Would you be happy? Surely not! It does not make her dopey at all and allows her to pay attention, do what she is asked in a nice, calm manner instead of being wired all the time. In addition, I don’t have to worry about picking it up at a feed store or running out because they ship it to me automatically about seven days before I would run out. Wow – what a timesaver with HUGE BENEFITS, a happy horse! I tell everyone, it sort of reminds me of Prozac for horses.

This also has allowed me to see that we actually have made much more headway than what I was noticing before she was on the calming agent because now she is eager to please, willing to do this calmly and even enjoys the fun that the two of us are now able to have together. By no means has this affected her alpha mare status out in the pasture with her equine friends!

I need to STRESS that these were my findings and my results on my precious sweet horse and they may be different for you and your horse. You need to do the research and then decide to try a supplement. I’m just giving you a website, a testimony, and my opinion to help get you started in the right direction! You and your veterinarian need to make those decisions as to which solution would be best for you and your horse.

Until next week - God Bless You, Your Family and YOUR EQUINE FRIENDS and I pray you all have a safe, blessed, horse-filled week! HAPPY TRAILS and hope to see you all at the Equine Affaire!

Crazy Horse Lady
Thought for the Week: “With my focus on the presence of God, I recover my sense of calm and balance. I clear my thoughts of everything except God, and I pray. As I relinquish control and settle into faith and love, I am restored to peace and joy. Faith fills my soul. I feel light and my heart is uplifted. I see my loved ones safe and whole. I release any worry and let God restore my inner peace.”
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GENERAL NEWS

Second annual Progressive Ag Safety Day a success

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Employees with Bluegrass Energy were also on hand to educate the young adults on electrical safety.

Nicholas County 4th grade students enjoyed a day in the sun, while learning about safety Friday, thanks to a special program coordinated through Paula Hunter, Nicholas County schools Family Resource Youth Services Coordinator.

This is the second year that Progressive Ag Safety Day has been held for young Nicholas County Students, with community participation being strong both years.

The program, Progressive Ag Safety Day, featured several safety stations at West End Park, where small groups of students learned about various safety practices.

Students spent a little over four hours participating in Progressive Ag Safety Day and enjoyed a sack lunch meal from the school during the day at the park.

Safety stations ranged from ATV safety, fire safety, drug safety, railroad safety, home alone safety, 911 safety, and several others.

Carlisle City Firefighters Jimmy Willoughby, Mike Kiskaden, Ricky Moore and Carlisle Fire Chief Jeff Jefferson helped conduct students through the Fire Safety house.

"We had good community participation," Hunter said, noting that Nicholas County Emergency Management Director Calvin Denton, Carlisle Fire Department officers and Nicholas County Fire Chief Mark Hughes, joined law enforcement officers, including Carlisle Police Officer Sgt. Darrell Layne and his K-9 dog Hancock.

Nicholas County Fire Chief Mark Hughes helped students understand the importance of making 911 phone calls and how being prepared with that information could help save loved ones lives.

"I hope they have this next year," Calvin Denton said. "It's a very good program, and I think the students gained a lot of valuable information on safety."



Fiscal court passes regional jail ordinance

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Mike Webb. Upon passage of the ordinance, Nicholas County Judge-Executive Larry Tincher engaged in consultation with County Attorney Dawn Letcher, who has, and will continue to work with Bourbon County officials to ensure a smooth transition is made with the jail.

During a special called meeting of the members of the Nicholas County Fiscal Court last week, the second reading of the Regional Jail Ordinance passed by a vote of 4-1.

The April 1, special meeting, held in the Nicholas Courthouse, also led to the passage of an ordinance to get Federated Transportation Service of the Bluegrass to make a stop in Carlisle. One of the locations discussed for a possible bus stop would be at the Community Action Center.

Magistrate Avery Thornsburg was the lone "nay" vote.

Magistrate Daryl Stacy, a vocal opponent to the regional jail concept with Bourbon County was not present for the vote.

Magistrate Jeff Randolph made a motion to pass the second reading, which was seconded by Magistrate

Nicholas County Community Center begins Food Programs for Seniors

April 6, 2010 - Community Action Council has begun operating the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) in Nicholas County. This program is administered by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture for Kentucky senior citizens over the age of 60 and whose income is at or below 130% of Federal Poverty Income Guidelines. The program provides a monthly package of food (canned meat, evaporated milk, canned fruit juice, dry milk, canned fruit and vegetables, pasta, cereal and cheese) to supplement the nutritional needs of low-income senior citizens.

en at Community Action Council's Nicholas County Community Center at 149 Scrubgrass Road in Carlisle beginning April 12 through April 23. The monthly package distribution will begin in May 2010.

To apply please bring personal identification such as a drivers license or birth certificate and proof of income which includes a Social Security award letter, a copy of your Social Security check or check stub, a bank statement or a food stamp qualification document. For more information please call Community Action Council at 859-289-7172.

Applications will be taken at Community Action Council's Nicholas County Community Center at 149 Scrubgrass Road in Carlisle beginning April 12 through April 23. The monthly package distribution will begin in May 2010.

Maysville's 16th annual antique and craft expo scheduled for April 24 and 25

Members of the Washington Lions Club have been busy since December preparing for their 16th annual antique and craft expo to be held at the King Burley Warehouse Center on April 24 and 25.

Antiques are in the east show area and crafts are in the west show area.

events. More than 5,000 people are expected to attend.

More than 125 vendors from six states will be exhibiting their wares in large, 15 by 25 feet spaces inside the 200,000 square foot facility. According to event chairperson, Miek Jones, this is two great shows under one roof.

In addition to antiques and crafts, there will be a large variety of garden plants, flowers shrubs, and trees for sale.

The expo will be open on Saturday from 9 to 5 and on Sunday from 10 to 4. Admission is only \$2.00 and parking is free.

This is the largest show of its kind in the Northern Kentucky. Southern Ohio area, and is one of the area's most anticipated annual

Customers are invited to bring in their heirlooms and have them appraised free of charge.

Barterville fire destroys van

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Mattox had almost completely extinguished the fire when Nicholas County firefighters, under the direction of Fire Chief Mark Hughes, arrived on the scene and prevented additional damage from occurring.

A fire Thursday night in Barterville destroyed a van, but led to no injuries and no additional damage.

"They arrived very quickly," Mattox said of the firefighters.

Shane and Jodi Mattox had just returned home with their two children in a separate vehicle when a few minutes after their arrival a motorist pulled into their driveway blowing the horn and alerting the family that their 2006 Chevy Van was on fire.

Mattox said he believed damage to the van was extensive, but expressed praise for the responding firefighters and the fact that none of his family members was injured and no additional property was damaged.

Mr. Mattox ran inside and grabbed a fire extinguisher while his wife called 911.

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In Re: Joseph Wayne Fryman. SETT. taken under advisement. In Re: Sarah Courtney Gum. INV. Inventory filed.

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In Re: Dylan Matthew Tubbs. SETT. Taken under advisement. In Re: Cameron S. Vance. SETT. Taken under advisement. In Re: Summer Guy. SETT. review 5/19/2010 at 8:45 a.m. probate notice to fiduciary. Nicholas Square Apts. vs. Constance Mathes. CT. forcible detainer sustained. Def to vacate premises NLT 4 p.m. on 4/7/10. Bryan Arthur. OH. SCO 4/14/10 at 10 a.m. def to be released on OR bond. Kendall L. Fryman. ARR. alcohol intoxication in a public place 1st and 2nd of. GP \$25 c SCO 4/14/10 at 10 a.m. Sarah Hunt. ARR. disregard stop sign. GP \$25 c SCO 6/9/10 at 10 a.m. Donnita J. Berry. ARR. 1. 1st degree possession of CS/drug unspecified 1st offense. 2. controlled substance prescription not in orig container 1st. PD appted. NG to both charges PH/PC 4/14/10 at 2:00 p.m. Tasha M. Cruz. OH. SCO by mail 4/14/10 at 10 a.m. Brenda McCarty Kerns. ARR. 1. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. 2. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300 NG PC 6/23/10 at 1:00 p.m. for POR in full. James Harrison Linville. REV. parent/custodian send child to school 1st off. GP \$100 c. SCO 6/19/10 at 10 a.m. Casey T. Mastin. ARR. 1. no/

expired Kentucky registration receipt. 2. no/expired registration plates. 3. failure to produce insurance card. 4. failure to wear seat belts. 5. operating on suspended/revoked operators license. ARR. cont at req of def by agreement to 5/5/10 at 12 for Def to get OL. Reinstated. Edna Morris. OH. Passed to 4/14/10 at 12 p.m. comm. to notify. Ashley R. Ritchie. ARR. 1. Failure to or improper singal. GP \$25 c SCO 7/14/10 at 10 a.m. 2. carrying a concealed deadly weapon Dism MOC for reas. Rebecca Mae Tucker. ARR. theft by deception incl cold checks under 4300. GP \$10 c SCO 4/14/10 at 12. Frankie R. Abnee. ARR. 1. operate MV under/infl alc/drugs. 08 aggravator 4th off. 2. driving DUI suspended licenses 3rd off. Aggravator. 3. resisting arrest. 4. fleeing or evading police 1st degree (on foot). 5. refuse to submit to breath/blood/urine tests. 6. fleeing or evading police 1st degree. PD appted-NG to all charges PH 4/7/10 at 2:00 p.m bond increased to \$20,000.00 cash only. Sean D. Carson. ARR. criminal trespass 2nd degree. Merged w#2 MOC. 2. alcohol intoxication in a public place 1st and 2nd o. GP \$25 c and warning not to be on school property. SCO 6/9/10 at 10:00 a.m. Sheri Truesdell Hollar. ARR. theft by unlawful taking/disp shoplifting. GP \$100 c and 30 days in jail, 6 days to serve w/ credit for 6, bal of 24 days c.d. and prob 1 yr. unsup on cond no further theft offense. Brandon S. Jones. ARR. 1. operate MV u/influ of alc/drugs w/.08 aggravator 1st off. 2. failure to dim headlights. Previously bonded out for 4/14/10 at 12. Roy Payne. OH. Theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. PC 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m. for POR def to be released on \$500.00 cash bond, to be posted in def's name only and subj to restitution. Roy J. Payne. OH. Cont to 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m. for bond see 09-M-071.

Roy J. Payne. OH. Theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. PC 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m. Roy J. Payne. OH. 1. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. 2. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. ARR. 1. assault 4th degree no visible injury. 2. operate MV u/influence alc/drugs .08 2nd offense. OL pretrial suspended-Jailer to retrieve OL and surrender to court. PD appted NG PC 5/26/10 at 1 p.m. awaiting lab results. Bond set at \$5,000,10% auth cond. no driving no new offenses and no contact w/victim. William E. Ritchie. ARR. burglary 2nd degree. PD appted NG PH 4/7/10 at 2:00 p.m. bond set at \$10,000, 10% auth on cond no contact w/victim and not to go w/ in 500 ft. of 200 W. Mulberry St. Carlisle, Ky. Travis Snapp. OH. 1. 1st degree possession of cs/drug unspecified 1st offense. 2. controlled substance prescription not in orig container. PH 4/7/10 at 2:00 p.m. bond to remain as set. Travis Snapp. ARR. 1. burglary 1st degree. Pd appted NG PH 4/7/10 at 2:00 p.m. Nicholas Arellano. OH. 1. drinking alcoholic bev in public place 1st and 2nd o. 2. license to be in possession. Previously bonded out for 4/14/10 at 12. interpreter ordered. Adam Joseph Bowles. PTC. parent or custodian to send child to school 3rd o. SCO by sheriff 4/7/10 at 1:00 p.m. Charles W. Buckler. REV. 1. burglary 2nd degree. 2. criminal mischief 3rd degree. 3. criminal trespassing 3rd degree. 4. 1st degree possession of cs/drug unspecified 1st offense. 5. controlled substance prescription not in orig container. Def at KCPC awaiting evaluations PD to notify facility w/any further info necessary. Reviewcont to 4/14/10 at 1:00 p.m. Milton W. Flora. PTC. 1. op MV under/influence of alcohol/drugs etc. .08 1st off. 2. no/ expired Kentucky registration receipt. 3. failure of owner to maintain required insurance/se-

curity 1st. PC cont at req of def to 4/21/10 at 10:30 a.m. Dustin K. Hughes. PTC. speeding 26 mph over/greater. 2. improper passing. 3. improperly on the left side of road.4. reckless driving. 4. use/possess drug paraphernalia 1st offense. 6. criminal mischief 2nd degree. CW to tender Jury Instructions on 4/5/10 Def tendered instruction and filed motion. Motion to compel production of evidence. Hearing on motions 4/7/10 at 2:00 p.m. def ordered to appear. Jury trial remains 4/9/10 at 9 a.m. as previously set. Amy Jacobs. PTC. theft by deception incl cold checks under 4300. GP \$10 c SCO 6/9/10 at 10 a.m. Paul E. Johnson. PTC. 1. operate MV u/influence alc/drugs .08 2nd offense. 2. failure to produce insurance card. PC cont for entry of plea to 4/7/10 at 1:00 p.m. James H. Linville. PTC. assault 4th degree domestic violence minor injury. 2. possession of marijuana. GP w/counsel \$100 fine and 30 days in jail , days c.d. 3. use/possess drug paraphernalia 1st offense. GP w/counsel \$100 fine and 30 days in jail, days c.d. and prob 2 yrs unup on cond no further like offenses and \$5- pmt thru COL to Carlisle PD drug Dog found. 3 Use/possess drug paraphernalia, 1st offense. GP w/counsel \$100 fine. Diversion order remains in effect. SCO 6/9/10 at 10 a.m. James H. Linville. ARR. public intoxication controlled subs. Cash bond to be refunded to surety. PD appted-GP w/counsel \$50 C. SCO 6/9/10 at 10 a.m. Eleazar Navarro. SCD/IP. SCO 5/12/10 at 10 a.m. Michael R. Saylor. PTC. 1. speeding 14 mph over limit. GP \$28 c. 2. driving on DUI suspended license 1st offense. GP w/counsel-\$200 fine and 60 days in

jail, 30 to serve, bal of 30 c.d. and prob 2 yrs unsupervised on cond no driving w/o valid license; def to serve 30 days on 15 consecutive weekends from 6 p.m. Friday to 6 p.m. Sunday (2 days credit) beg. 4/2/10 , said weekend service to be as def's expense. Donielle N. Woods. PTC. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$500. Def to pay \$200.00 today; PC cont to 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m. if def pays NLT additional \$200.00 by that day, def need not appear. Jason L. Combs. PH. 1. careless driving. 2. op MV under/influence of alcohol/drugs etc. .08 1st off. 3. possession of marijuana. 4. 1st degree possession of cs/drug unspecified 1st offense. 5. controlled substance prescription not in orig container. By agreement, PH cont to 4/28/10 at 2:00

p.m 10/20 day rule cont waived w/counsel. Celia Eads. OH. Probation violation (for misdemeanor offense). By agreed order entd 3/19/10 all bond monies posted to be applied to fines costs and fees if agreed to by Circuit Clerk. Celia Eads. PH. Theft by auto. unlawful taking/disp. Amended MOC to unauth use of motor vehicle (KRS 514.100) Final PC 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m. Bond on this case amended MOC to \$500 surety bond by either parent-cond no new offenses. Celia J. Eads. OH. Probation violation (for misdemeanor offense). By agreed order entd 3/19/10, all bond monies to be applied to fine, costs and fees if agreed to by Circuit Clerk. SCO 5/5/10 at 1:00 p.m.

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VS: NOTICE OF SALE

**MARK N. WIGGINS;
 SHANA L. WIGGINS;
 COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,
 COUNTY OF NICHOLAS;
 CENTRAL BANK & TRUST CO.** DEFENDANTS

By virtue of a Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Nicholas Circuit Court entered in the above styled action on March 17, 2010, and to make enough money to satisfy said judgment lien owed Plaintiff, in the amount of \$132,936.68, with accrued interest thereon at the rate of 8.04% per annum from April 27, 2008 until fully paid, plus any other charges which have accrued, plus Plaintiff's costs expended, including costs of sale, plus Plaintiff's attorney fees of at least \$2500.00, pursuant to KRS 411.195, and any delinquent ad valorem county property taxes, all set out in said judgment; the undersigned Master Commissioner will on April 10, 2010, at or about the hour of 10:00 a.m. at the Nicholas County Courthouse door in Carlisle, Kentucky, offer for sale to the highest bidder(s) the following described property known as 306 Mary Lane, Carlisle, Nicholas County, Kentucky 40311, and appurtenances located thereon, and more particularly described as follows:

"Lot No. 40 of Law Estates, a subdivision in Nicholas County, Kentucky, as shown by plat thereof of record in Deed Book 77, Page 543, in the Nicholas County Clerk's Office, and known as 306 Mary Lane."

This being the same property conveyed to Mark N. Wiggins and Shana L. Wiggins, husband and wife, by deed dated December 20, 2000, of record in Deed Book 107, at Page 143, in the Office of the Nicholas County Clerk and by deed of correction dated November 21, 2000, of record in Deed Book 109, at Page 207, in the Office of the Nicholas County Clerk.

Upon the sale of the above-described property, the purchase price shall be payable in cash. If the purchase price is not paid in full, the highest bidder(s) shall make a deposit of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price and give bond with approved good and sufficient surety thereon for payment of the remainder of the purchase price within thirty (30) days of date of sale, said bond to have the same force and effect as a judgment and to be a lien on said property and to bear interest at the rate of twelve (12%) percent per annum from date of sale until paid, which bond and accrued interest can be paid before maturity.

Said property shall be sold as a whole "as is" and free and clear of all liens and encumbrances and interests of the parties herein but shall be sold subject to:

- 2010 and subsequent years ad valorem property taxes which shall be paid by the purchaser(s);
- Legal highways, easements, covenants and restrictions of record or otherwise affecting said property, and all governmental laws and regulations affecting same;
- Any assessments for public improvements levied against the property;
- Any facts that could be disclosed by an accurate survey and inspection of the property.
- Any right of redemption which may exist.

Neither the Plaintiff, the Court nor the Master Commissioner shall be deemed to have warranted title to any purchaser(s). Purchaser(s) shall be entitled to possession of the property, and a deed will be delivered to the purchaser(s), upon full payment of the purchase price and confirmation of the sale and approval of the deed by the Court. The Defendants or any persons holding under them are required to vacate the premises upon the confirmation of the sale. The risk of loss for subject property shall pass to purchaser (s) on date of sale.

Following sale of the above-described property, the Master Commissioner shall promptly report same to the Court, and said report shall be held over for a period of ten (10) days for confirmation or exceptions. Anyone desiring to object or except to the sale shall do so by that time or be forever barred.

s/ Joseph H. Conley, Master Commissioner
 Nicholas Circuit Court

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GENERAL NEWS

Young Nicholas artists to be showcased in annual art show

By Charles Mattox
News Editor
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Young Nicholas County artists are encouraged to participate in the annual Courthouse Square Arts Guild student show that will be held Friday April 16 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday April 17 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Sunday April 18 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The show, open to high school and middle school students, will be held at

the Blue Licks Battlefield State Resort Park and there is no entry fee or admission fee!

Courthouse Square Arts Guild President Larry Mitchell said he is expecting great works of art from Nicholas County students as he has seen in the past.

"I want to encourage everyone to come and see the art show," Mitchell said. "Get out and see some of the young local talent."

High school seniors

will have an opportunity to win prize money and their art will be shown in a separate show at the Courthouse Square Arts Guild studio in Carlisle from April 23-25.

Awards will be \$100 for first place, \$50 for second place and \$25 for third place; also the school that the winning student attends will receive \$100 for their art department.

The art will be judged on appearance, creativity, line, value, texture, color, form, space and ef-

fective use of principals, balance, emphasis, harmony, variety, gradation, movement, rhythm and proportion.

Three impartial judges will critique each work and chose the best work from all the entries.

Mitchell and Courthouse Square Arts Guild Corner Studio Executive Director Regina Barnes, both artists themselves, are happy to continue what is becoming a very rich tradition of showcasing

the artistic talent of local artists.

Students from several counties including Bath, Nicholas, Fleming, Harrison, Bourbon, Paris,

St Pat and others will be participating.

For more information, please contact Mitchell at 859-289-2185 or Barnes at 606-267-3233.

Grace Kiskaden named Nicholas County winner in 2009 Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest

Grace Kiskaden was named the Nicholas County winner in the 2009 Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest. This contest was a partnership between Kentucky Farm Bureau and the Kentucky Association of the Conservation Districts entitled: "Water: Every Drop Counts."

Students, grade K-12, from across the Commonwealth used the forestry theme to create 41,571 art entries.

Judges from the local conservation districts chose county winners, whose entries then moved on to the state-level competition. A distinguished panel of judges with diverse environmental backgrounds selected statewide winners in both writing and art categories on February 8, 2010. State, area and county winners received a check sponsored by the Kentucky Farm Bureau.



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Letter to the Editor

Editor,
You better drive careful. Because if the fire department can't run. If you get trapped. What happens then. This is not a good idea. Come on people if it wasn't for fire department what are people going to do. My mom fell once at home I was with her but I couldn't get her up. She told me to call Mark. So Mark and couple other volunteers came. We had to call ambulance but the guys were still here to help. I thank them for that. I just hope and pray. We never have a wreck in N.C. that my opinion. God Bless, be Safe.
Kathy Herrington
Carlisle, Ky.

Lexington. When the call was placed we were told that the ambulance was on the other end of town and would arrive shortly. At that time myself and several other family members headed to Lexington, imagine our surprise when it took almost three hours for them to travel from one end of town to the other. The last time I checked Carlisle was not that big.

Most recently my brother became ill and was experiencing respiratory distress. He lives less than five minutes from the ambulance service, but for some reason it took three phone calls and over 30 minutes for them to respond. Once they finally arrived the ambulance staff was rude and argumentative. The staff at the emergency room stated had he not arrived when he did he would've been dead.

I have been told that there are

three ambulances in this community but twice now my family has had to wait what I feel was an untimely manner for the services that our tax dollars pay for. Emergencies happen everyday and yeah sometimes there are more than one at a time but it just seems ridiculous to wait this long for what is supposed to be emergency care.

On a brighter note though my family and I have the upmost recent and admiration for the nurses and the staff at the Nicholas County Hospital. They made my mothers last days as pleasant and as peaceful as they could not only for my mom, but for all of us. We could never repay them for all the kindness given to our family.

Thank you,
Eddie Pettit
Carlisle, Ky.

Editor,
In recent weeks I have had the unfortunate experience of dealing with the local ambulance service on more than one occasion. First of all my mother had been ill and hospitalized at Nichols County Hospital for several days when the decision was made to transfer her to

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Matthew 5:10 Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven.
(11) Blessed are ye when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against falsely for my sake.
Proverbs 11:9 An hypocrite With his mouth destroyeth his neighbor: But through shall the just be delivered.
Proverbs 12:22 Lying lips are abomination to the Lord: but they that deal truly are his delight.
Revelation 22:14 Blessed are they that do his commandments that they may have right to the tree of life and may enter in through the Gates into the City. (15) for without are dogs and sorcerers and whoremongers and murders and idolaters, and whoso ever loveth and maketh a lie.
Revelation 21:8 But the fearful, and unbelieving and the abominable and murders and whoremongers and sorcerers and idolaters and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone which is the second death.
Proverbs 20:19 He that goeth about as a talebearer revealeth secrets, therefore meddle not with him that flattereth with his lips.
Are your lips used to spread the gospel of gossip? Who is in control of your mouth, God or Satan?
John 17:14 I have given them thy word, and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.
Romans 6:22-23 but now being made free from sin and become servants of God, ye have your fruit unto holiness and the end everlasting life. For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of god is eternal life. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
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All state park campgrounds open April 1 and all will be taking part in Camper Appreciation Weekend on April 23-24 with two nights of camping for the price of one. Many have special events scheduled for that weekend to welcome campers back for the season. There is always something special happening at Kentucky State Parks. A listing of locations and amenities are available at www.parks.ky.gov.

Reservations can be made by visiting www.parks.ky.gov/reservations or by calling 1-888-4KYPARK or 888-459-7275. Photos of individual campsites are available at the Web site. All campgrounds have sites with water and electric hookups. Campers with horses can be accommodated at Dale Hollow Lake and Taylorsville Lake.

The campground at Columbus-Belmont

State Park in western Kentucky will be adding a new family restroom and sewer hookups have been added at eight campsites. Bathhouse improvements are also planned for campgrounds at General Burnside Island, Kincaid Lake, Barren River and Natural Bridge.

For more information about Kentucky State Parks, including camping information, events and other park details, visit www.parks.ky.gov

Below is a list of state park campgrounds and some of the events planned for Camper Appreciation Weekend April 23-24, when all parks will offer two nights of camping for the price of one night:

Barren River Lake State Resort Park, Lucas, 800-325-0057

The park's Nature Fest weekend includes activities for all ages. Bird walks, wildflower and tree identification walks, introduction to canoeing, backpacking, composting, eco-arts and water safety among others. E-mail lisa.deavers@ky.gov for more details.

Big Bone Lick State Park, Union, 859-384-3522

Take part in guided hikes, crafts and nature programs at the park.

Blue Licks Battlefield State Resort Park, Mount Olivet, 859-289-5507

Special programs and entertainment planned throughout the weekend. The park's restau-

rant will be having a Cajun Buffet on April 24 from 4-9 p.m. The gift shop is hosting a Spring Extravaganza on Saturday to show off locally made products.

Carr Creek State Park, Sassafras, 606-642-4050

Join us for camping and enjoy fishing, a full-service marina and picnic areas.

Carter Caves State Resort Park, Olive Hill, 800-325-0059

A special camper's weekend with special rates that apply to mini-golf and cave tours. Programs include a Smoky Lake canoe trip, crafts, homemade ice cream and a magic show by David Cottrell on Saturday night. Also on the schedule is Wildflower Weekend,

when the park will have several wildflower walks to show guests the beautiful array of spring wildflowers of Carter Caves.

Columbus-Belmont State Park, Columbus, 606-297-8488

At Columbus-Belmont State Park, the camping special means reserving your spot on the bluffs above the Mighty Mississippi River. Besides getting one night free, breakfast is complimentary, as well as mini-golf on Saturday and museum admission on Sunday.

Cumberland Falls State Resort Park, Corbin, 800-325-0063.

Join us for a great weekend and hike along our 17 miles of trails and visit the falls.

Dale Hollow Lake State Resort Park, Burkesville, 800-325-2282

Celebrate Earth Day and enjoy a two-night weekend for the price of one. A night owl hike is schedule on Friday to explore the night life of the park. Saturday will be packed full of nature crafts, hikes and campfire entertainment with karaoke and roasted marshmallows.

Fort Boonesborough State Park, Richmond, 859-527-3131

Join us for our official kick-off to the 2009 camping season. Scheduled activities throughout the weekend including bingo, the Appalachian Troubadours singing group, arts and crafts, free historic tours, free

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

April

Notice

The Nicholas County Convenience/Recycling Center will be closed on Friday, April 2, 2010 in Observance of the Good Friday Holiday. It will re-open on Saturday, April 3, 2010.

The Census Bureau will be at the Nicholas County Health Dept on April 8th 2-4 p.m. if you would like to make an appointment call 606-314-3050.

Nicholas County-Carlisle Day Time Red Hatters will meet at the Asian Garden Buffet in Cynthiana, KY on Wednesday, April 14, at 12 Noon. If you need a ride, please be at Becky Gum's by 11:15 a.m. Don't forget your prizes (or dollar) for helping with recreational activity prizes at the Nicholas Co. Senior Citizens Center in April. Hostesses for the day will be Becky Gum and Lois Baker. Blessed Easter Season!

8 Republican Party

Republican Party will meet in the library basement at 7:00 p.m. for more information call 859-473-2686.

17 Community Hot Dog Roast
Community Hot Dog Roast at 1:00 p.m. Meet local and state candidates. Free of charge. Vanlandingham Park for more information call 859-473-2686.

21 Woodmen of the world
April 21st Woodmen of the world will be at the Senior Citizen. 9-2 to discuss insurance. 859-473-0414.

Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce

The Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce holds its monthly meeting at 7:30 am on the 2nd Friday of each month at the Neal Welcome Center. All members and interested individuals are invited to attend.

Relay for Life

Team Recruitment is underway for the 2010 Relay for Life of Nicholas County, which will

take place May 21, 2010 at the Nicholas County Courthouse Yard in town this year. Business, Clubs, Families, Friends, Hospitals, Churches, Schools, and service organizations can form teams. Theme for this year Relay is Nicholas County Relay For A Cure, and members take turns walking or running around the courthouse during the relay. Games, activities and music will held during the event to make it a festive occasion. "We invite everyone in the community to take part in the Relay for Life", said Georgia Gilvin Chairperson and Team Recruiter. "Where else can you have so much fun and support such an important cause at the same time?" Money raised from the event supports ACS research, education, advocacy and patient service programs. To register a team call Georgia Gilvin at 859-289-5972.

Nicholas County Fix

Bluegrass Veterinary Clinic, Dr. Paul Pack, at 11 East Main, Paris is honored to be participating in the Nichols co. Fix spay/neuter

program. The program is aimed at reducing the number of unwanted or homeless puppies and kittens born every year. Drawings for the free service are held each month and applications

Neal Center Heritage Jam Session

Come to the Neal Welcome Center in Carlisle, Ky for an afternoon of music and refreshments the third Sunday of every month 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Project Grad Meetings

Attention Class of 2010 Parents. The Project Grad meetings are held every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. in the High School library. We encourage everyone to attend.

Dogs available for adoption

Nicholas County Animal Welfare Society has dogs available for adoption. 473-2714 or www.ncaws.org.

Old Jailers Home Luncheons

are held the second Thursday of each month. Reservation necessary, Call Gladys Shroat 289-5174 or 749-7986 or Martha Taylor 289-5592 or 749-1948. Sponsored by Tourism Inc.

JMHC Auxiliary
Johnson Mathers Health Care Auxiliary that meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month to the Nicholas Co. Health Dept. at 10:00 a.m.

Dougherty Lodge #65 F.A.M.
Dougherty Lodge #65 meets the second Friday at 7:30 p.m. above the Mathers Gaunce Funeral Home. All masters mason are welcomed to attend.

Blue Lick Lodge #495 F. & A.M.
The Blue Lick Lodge #495 F.& A.M. meets the last Saturday of each Month at 7:30 P.M. All Master Masons are welcome to attend.

Orient Lodge #500
The Orient Lodge #500 meets the second Thursday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. All Master Masons are welcomed.

N.C. Adult Learning Center News
The Adult Learning Center offers a

flexible schedule and personalized instruction to help students successfully complete their GED. The center offers students the opportunity to study at their own pace and on their own schedule. Interested persons may stop by anytime. between the hours 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Mondays and Tuesdays and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Diabetes self-management classes
The WEDCO District Health Department will be hosting Diabetes Self-Management education classes, each month. They will be held at the Nicholas County Health Center, Dr. Robert Sparks Community Room. For more information and to register contact Crissy Culberson, 866-75WEDCO, or 859-298-4899.

If you have a community announcement, please bring it to The Carlisle Mercury at 218 North Locust. St., mail it to P.O. Box 272, Carlisle, KY 40311, email it to editor@thecarlislemercury.com or fax it to 859-289-4000.

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putt-putt, a bonfire, a movie and a whole lot more. When you pay for Friday night's camping you get Saturday night for free. For registered campers only.

General Burnside Island State Park, Burnside, 606-561-4104
Campers are the focus for the weekend and activities for all age groups unfold on Saturday.

General Butler State Resort Park, Carrollton, 866-462-8853
What a deal! General Butler's Campground will open its gates to a Camper Swap Meet where campers may sell their wares during Saturday's event. Selling areas are limited to one's campsite from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Guests at park cottages or the lodge get special parking.

Grayson Lake State Park, Grayson, 606-474-9727
Visit our 71-site campground and enjoy fishing, boating, hiking, picnic areas and Hidden Cove Golf Course.

GreenRiverLakeState Park, Campbellsville, 270-465-8255.
Camping special includes free mini-golf on Saturday.

Greenbo Lake State Resort Park, Greenup, 606-473-7324
The park in the Ashland region wel-

comes campers with a two nights for one deal. Try one of our great hiking trails while you visit. Join us as we celebrate Camper's Appreciation Weekend at Greenbo Lake State Resort Park. There will be a Bean Supper Friday night and Saturday activities will include arts and crafts, hayride, hike and mini golf.

Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg, 800-325-0142
Two for one night includes planned nature and recreation activities for all ages and a free cookout for all campers on Saturday night. Bring a covered dish and the park will provide hotdogs and buns.

John James Audubon State Park, Henderson, 270-826-2247
Enjoy fun family activities Friday-Sunday and celebrate John James Audubon's birthday at this jewel of a park. Contact Julie McDonald at juliea.mcdonald@ky.gov

Kenlake State Resort Park, Aurora, 800-325-0143
Kenlake is offering two nights of camping for the price of one with special recreation activities planned throughout the weekend.

Kentucky Dam Village State Resort Park, Gilbertsville, 800-325-0146
Camper Appreciation Weekend features rec-

reational activities to gear up for the 2010 summer season as campers enjoy the outdoors! Special activities and entertainment will be offered. Pick up a recreation schedule for all the activity descriptions, along with the times of each activity. This area is famous for its quilt exhibits, including Paducah's National Quilt Museum. Check out the National Quilt Show April 21-24. For more information, contact: Anthony. Lawrence@ky.gov or call 1-800-325-0146, ext. 412.

Kincaid Lake State Park, Falmouth, 859-654-3531
Kincaid Lake's recreation area will be open Saturday afternoon for activities and games. Join us for a hot dog roast in the campground on Saturday evening.

Lake Barkley State Resort Park, Cadiz, 800-325-1708
You won't want to miss out on an Earth weekend of activities and two nights camping for the price of one! Activities will include a hot dog roast over the campfire and an evening Owl prow through the campground. Grab a tent, gather the family and reserve your site now so you won't miss out on the fun!

Lake Cumberland State Resort Park, Jamestown, 800-325-1709
Enjoy a weekend of

beautiful spring weather and scenery at Lake Cumberland State Resort for Camper Appreciation Weekend. Celebrate Earth Day and enjoy a two-night weekend for the price of one. This weekend we are having our park's 5th Annual Geocaching Weekend. This challenging event is for the beginner to advanced geocachers. Fees apply. Contact Robert Myers for more information.

Lake Malone State Park, Dunmore, 270-657-2111
Join us at Lake Malone State Park in our campground for Camper Appreciation Weekend. A complimentary breakfast will be served Saturday morning.

Levi Jackson State Park, London, 606-330-2130
Levi Jackson State Park would like to show appreciation to all our campers by giving one free night on Saturday when you pay for Friday. A dinner will be served Friday evening and activities are planned for both days. Start the camping season off by joining us at Levi Jackson for this kick-off celebration.

My Old Kentucky Home State Park, Bardstown, 502-348-3502
Visit one of Kentucky's most famous landmarks and camp with us. We also have a golf course, picnic area and tours of

Federal Hill. Natural Bridge State Resort Park, Slade, 800-325-1710
Come enjoy spring sights and sounds here at one of two campgrounds. The famous Natural Bridge square dance on Hoedown Island begins at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday. It is also Wildflower Weekend at the park and there will be field trips and hikes along with expert speakers. Registration fee.

Nolin Lake State Park, Bee Spring, 270-286-4240
Campers come join the fun with the special deal. You pay for Friday; the park has Saturday. Check out our 1.6 mile trail that includes a waterfall. "Music Across Nolin" will provide entertainment from 6-10 p.m. Saturday.

Paintsville Lake State Park, Paintsville, 606-297-8488
Celebrate the opening of the 2010 camping season with a cookout for campers Saturday afternoon.

Pennyrile Forest State Resort Park, Dawson Springs, 800-325-1711
There is a full schedule of events that begin Friday evening and special events that have an t Earth Day-oriented theme.

Rough River Dam State Resort Park, Falls of Rough, 800-325-1713
Earth Day is great

way to show appreciation for our campers! Nature-related activities will be happening all weekend. Let the camping season begin! Two nights for the price of one. For more information, please contact Sheila Jones at sheila.jones@ky.gov

Taylorville Lake State Park, Taylorville, 502-477-8713
Check out our 42 full-service campsites that include sites for horse camping and multi-use trails. There's great fishing and boating on the lake.

Yatesville Lake State Park, Yatesville, 606-673-1490
The weekend specials begin with twilight pontoon boat rides Friday night and other activities throughout the weekend, including morning coffee and donuts. A Saturday night cookout is sponsored by the Lawrence County Tourism Commission.

In addition to the Kentucky State Park campgrounds, there is also camping at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington. The Kentucky Horse Park Campground is open year-round. To make reservations, you may call the Campground store at (800) 370-6416, extension 257, or Reserve America at (888)4KY-PARK. Please see our website, www.kyhorsepark.com for a list of activities held throughout the year.

Join Your Community in the fight against cancer!

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life will be held on May 21, 2010 from 7 p.m. to 12 a.m. at the Nicholas County Courthouse Yard. at 10 p.m. all participants will share in a special Luminaria ceremony to remember those individuals who have been affected by cancer. Candles will be lit in MEMORY OF SOMEONE OR IN HONOR OF SOMEONE and placed around the perimeter of the yard. You are invited to support this effort by ordering a Luminaria. Simply fill out this form and mail your order to the address below or see one of the team members to purchase your Luminaria.



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GENERAL NEWS

Kentucky Mesonet expanding to Nicholas, Lewis Counties

The Kentucky Mesonet is expanding its weather and climate monitoring network to Nicholas and Lewis counties. A Mesonet station is being installed this week in Lewis County, just off the AA Highway near the Charters community. A station in Nicholas County was installed last week near the Nicholas-Bourbon county line on the farm owned by Bob and Carolyn Berrisford. "We are extremely pleased to have a new station installed in two more counties as part of the Kentucky Mesonet," said Dr. Stuart Foster, director of the Mesonet and the Kentucky Climate

Center at Western Kentucky University. "These sites will provide valuable data to assist National Weather Service meteorologists in producing forecasts and severe weather warnings, and will also provide benefits to a wide range of interests in the local area." Since the Mesonet's first station at the WKU farm in Warren County became operational in May 2007, 49 stations have been installed toward a goal of 100 stations statewide. The Mesonet stations collect real-time weather and climate data on temperature, precipi-

tation, humidity, solar radiation, wind speed and direction. Data is packaged into observations and transmitted to the Kentucky Climate Center at WKU every five minutes, 24 hours per day, throughout the year and is available online at www.kymesonet.org. The statewide automated environmental monitoring network supports a variety of needs across Kentucky in agriculture, education, emergency management, energy, engineering and construction, recreation, transportation, water supply management and weather forecasting.

Stations are located in Adair, Allen, Barren, Boone, Breathitt, Breckinridge Bullitt, Caldwell, Calloway, Campbell, Carroll, Casey, Christian, Clark, Clinton, Crittenden, Cumberland, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Graves, Grayson, Hardin, Harrison, Henderson, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Knott, Knox, Lewis, Lincoln, Logan, Madison, Marshall, Mason, McLean, Mercer, Metcalfe, Morgan, Nicholas, Ohio, Owen, Owsley, Rowan, Taylor, Trigg, Union and Warren counties. Site license agreements have been reached in

Marion and Muhlenberg counties with preferred sites identified in Boyd, Nelson and Shelby counties. Mesonet officials are actively pursuing sites in about 20 other counties, including Bath, Bell, Harlan, Lawrence, McCreary, Pendleton, Pike and Todd. State Climatologist Stuart Foster is director of the Kentucky Mesonet and the Kentucky Climate Center. Dr. Rezaul Mahmood, associate professor of Geography and Geology, is associate director of the Kentucky Mesonet and the Kentucky Climate Center. The Kentucky Mesonet staff includes

meteorologists and staff with expertise in instrumentation, information technology, quality assurance, and education outreach. The Kentucky Mesonet also provides opportunities for WKU student employees and interns to work side-by-side with professional staff. Initial funding for the project was secured by U.S. Sen. Mitch McConnell through a \$2.9 million federal appropriation for the Kentucky Climate Center, part of WKU's Applied Research and Technology Program in the Ogden College of Science and Engineering.

Independent Candidate Deadline for Statement of Candidacy Approaching

Candidates seeking public office as an independent or political group candidate for a partisan office must file their Statement-of-Candidacy form with the appropriate filing office by Thursday, April 1, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. in order to be placed on the ballot for the November 2nd general election. The Statement-of-Candidacy form for independent candidates is required by KRS 118.365(5) which was enacted by the 2003 General Assembly.

The filing of the Statement-of-Candidacy, but the failure of candidates required to file the Statement of Candidacy shall result in the rejection of any nominating petition submitted to the appropriate filing official by the August 10, 2010 deadline for attaining ballot access in the November 2, 2010 general election. The following offices that file with the Secretary of State are scheduled for a regular election in 2010 and would require the filing of a statement of candidacy:

- Jailer
- County Commissioner
- Coroner
- Magistrate/Justice of the Peace
- Constable
- Surveyor
- Mayor (1st Class City Only)
- City Legislative Body (1st Class City Only)

Candidates for federal offices, nonpartisan offices, and partisan city offices in cities of the second to sixth class are exempt from filing the Statement of Candidacy. In order to help candidates seeking political office, the Office of the Secretary of State previously developed a ballot access procedural manual titled: Declaring Your Candidacy. This publication provides Kentuckians with a quick guide to filing for political office. Although the manual focuses primarily on candidate filing procedures, sample forms for attaining ballot access, and quali-

cations for each elective office, it also includes other important and pertinent election information that may affect candidates. The publication contains an election schedule, sample filing forms of various types, contact information for state election agencies, and answers to candidates' most frequently asked questions. For the first time, citizens who are interested in running for an office that files with the Secretary of State will be able to obtain the proper filing papers online, twenty-four hours a day, via FastTrack Elections. These forms can be printed out and submitted either by hand delivery or by mail. The forms will have detailed instructions to help the candidate fill out the forms properly. The application will also provide sample forms for offices that file with the county clerk.

Your Candidacy, access FastTrack Elections, or to view a list of candidates, please visit www.sos.ky.gov/elections.

"The requirement for independent candidates to file a Statement-of-Candidacy form is relatively new in the Commonwealth," said Secretary of State Trey Grayson. "Candidates are encouraged to utilize our 'FastTrack Elections' application on our website or contact our office to receive the necessary paperwork in order to be eligible for candidacy." There is no filing fee for

- State Senator (Even Districts)
 - State Representative
- Offices that file with the local county clerk that are regularly scheduled to occur in 2010 include:
- County Judge/Executive
 - County Attorney
 - County Clerk
 - Property Valuation Administrator
 - Sheriff

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For more information about filing to run for elected office in Kentucky, to obtain a copy of Declaring

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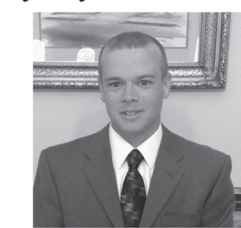
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Adopt a Highway

Volunteers will be out in full force soon to "spring clean" highways. The Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) has announced that the Adopt-a-Highway Spring Clean Week will be held March 21-27. "The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet appreciates the efforts of our Adopt-a-Highway volunteers who help keep our highways and communities beautiful and litter-free," Acting Transportation Secretary Mike Hancock said. Nearly 1,100 groups now participate in Kentucky's Adopt-a-Highway program, which the cabinet established in 1988. Volunteers clean approximately 8,800 miles of roadsides annually, setting an example of responsible environmental stewardship.

shows that Kentuckians place a high value on maintaining and improving the scenic beauty of our state," Hancock said. The Adopt-a-Highway program promotes public environmental awareness and supports tourism. The program also creates a partnership between citizens, community and government, and establishes a sense of pride in the Bluegrass State. GET INVOLVED! How can you contribute to the community, make a difference, send a message and educate others - all while having fun with friends and family? Join Kentucky's Adopt-a-Highway Program. By taking responsibility for an area roadway, you set an example in your community. The environment is everyone's responsibility. Adopt-a-Highway provides the opportunity to be a part of the solution. Each year, the KYTC spends about \$5 million and 200,000 worker hours to remove 96,000 bags of highway litter. Adopt-a-Highway volunteers help save thousands of taxpayer dollars and demonstrate that a clean environment is a shared responsibility. Any permanently established business, association, community or public organization can adopt a stretch of highway. A wide range of groups throughout Kentucky now participate, including home-maker clubs, Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops, high school organizations, service clubs, veterans, college fraternities and sororities, sports teams and church groups, among others. Volunteers adopt two-mile sections of highway under

a two-year, renewable contract with the Transportation Cabinet. Adopt-a-Highway coordinators can explain the fundamentals of the program to volunteer groups, work with group members in locating an available highway, and keep them notified of news and upcoming events. Litter pickups are held at least four times per year or as many times as necessary to keep adopted areas reasonably litter-free. The cabinet coordinates three annual clean-up efforts. HOW DO I JOIN? Groups interested in becoming members of the Adopt-a-Highway Program can find details and district coordinator information at <http://adopt-a-highway.ky.gov/>. Safety guidelines are provided to volunteers and should be reviewed prior to each cleanup. The Adopt-a-Highway coordinators help volunteers get in touch with the county maintenance crew superintendent to arrange warning sign placement on the date of pickup. Trash bags and safety vests can be obtained at each state maintenance facility, and litter removal is provided by the state highway crews. For more information, please visit our Web site at www.adopt-a-highway.ky.gov or call Jenny Perkins at (800) 817-2551 in Flemingsburg.

- Fleming - 20 percent
 - Greenup - 31 percent
 - Lewis - 57 percent
 - Mason - 42 percent
 - Nicholas - 21 percent
 - Rowan - 90 percent
- * Based on total state primary, state secondary, rural secondary and state supplemental roads per county.

In Department of Highways District 9, about 35 percent of roads, or nearly 700 miles in Bath, Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Fleming, Greenup, Lewis, Mason, Nicholas and Rowan counties, are adopted. In Rowan County, Landon Dickerson's family has adopted two of those miles on KY 801 near Cave Run Lake in honor of the late Hayse Dickerson, who enjoyed drives along the scenic highway. "It's doing something good for the environment, doing something good for the community, and something in remembrance of our grandfather," Dickerson said. "Plus, we want people coming here to see a clean community. Adopt-A-Highway is a great way to help achieve those goals." The Carter County volunteers are not alone in striving for a cleaner community. "The increase in group enrollment in the program

Percent of Department of Highways District 9 roadways adopted under the Adopt A Highway program:

- Bath - 10 percent
- Boyd - 46 percent
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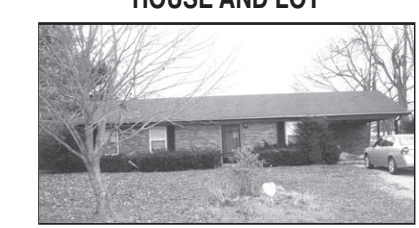
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GOVERNMENT FORECLOSURE SALE

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 2010 AT 10:00 A.M.

AT 154 LOCUST GROVE RD., CARLISLE KY/NICHOLAS COUNTY
HOUSE AND LOT



It consists of a living room, kitchen, three bedrooms and one bath. This property is considered suitable for the Rural Development, Housing Program. This would be an excellent buy for an investor interested in rental property or for resale after repairs.

An Open House will be held on April 13, 2010 from 10:00-11:00 a.m.

The minimum acceptable bid for this property is \$35,510.00

Payment of the current year's property taxes are the responsibility of the purchaser.

Clear title to this property is not warranted. The U.S. Marshal's Deed is not a general warranty deed. Buyers are advised to have the property's title examined. Written notification regarding encumbrances on the property must be made to the Rowan County Rural Development Office within 30 days.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 20, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. at 154 Locust Grove Rd., Carlisle, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of \$70,247.51 principal, together with interest credit subsidy granted in the amount of \$3,010.80, plus interest in the amount of \$5,074.93 as of September 22, 2008, and interest thereafter on the principal at \$10.8198 from September 22, 2008, until the date of Judgment, plus interest on the Judgment amount (principal plus interest to the date of Judgment) at the rate of 0.39% computed daily and compounded annually, until paid in full and for the costs of this action, pursuant to Judgment and Order of Sale, being Civil Action No. 5:09-CV-00027-KSF on the Lexington Docket of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on October 29, 2009, in the case of United States of America vs. Joshua D. Carr, et al, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder: A certain tract of land lying on Locust Grove Road in Nicholas County, Kentucky, and being Lot No. 1 Locust Grove Subdivision, which lot is more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at a point corner to Vices' land and center of Locust Grove Road; thence leaving the road and running with the line of Vices N 86 deg. 00 min. East 200 feet to a corner with Stone; thence with the line of Stone N 12 deg. 12 min. East 100 feet to a corner of Lot No. 2 and Stone; thence S 84 deg. 00 min. West 200 feet to a point in the center of Locust Grove Road and Lot No. 2; thence S 12 deg. 12 min. West 100 feet along the center of said road to the point of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten percent (10%) of the bid price (in the form of a Cashiers Check made payable to the U.S. Marshal) on the day of sale with good and sufficient bond for the balance, bearing interest at the rate of 0.39% per annum until paid, due and payable in sixty (60) days and said bond having the effect of a Judgment. Upon a default by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and retained by the U.S. Marshal as part of the proceeds of the sale, and the property shall again be offered for sale subject to confirmation by the Court. This sale shall be in bar and foreclosure of all right, title, interest, estate claim, demand or equity of redemption of the defendant(s) and of all persons claiming by, through, under or against them, provided the purchase price is equal to two-thirds of the appraised value. If the purchase price is not equal to two-thirds of the appraised value, the Deed shall contain a lien in favor of the defendant(s) reflecting the right of the defendant(s) to redeem during the period provided by law (KRS 426.530). Under law, the purchaser is deemed to be on notice of all matters affecting the property of record in the local County Clerk's Office.

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SPORTS

Defensive woes sink BlueJackets against Colonels

By Brad Laux

Defense let Nicholas County down on Saturday, Mar. 27 in its game against Bourbon County. Coach Travis Sims' club committed six errors that led to three unearned runs as the Colonels came away with an 8-5 win.

"We didn't swing the bats and our defense, which I thought would be our second-best strength (coming into the season), wasn't good today."

Bourbon County (3-0) did most of its damage in the fourth inning when it scored five times to rally from a 3-1 deficit to take a commanding 6-3 lead that it never relinquished.

Nicholas County (2-2) scored a run in both the fourth and fifth innings to cut the deficit to one at 6-5, but the Colonels put the BlueJackets away with back-to-back run-scoring doubles in the sixth inning.

The Bourbon County contest was the second one of the day for Nicholas County, which earlier had fallen to Lewis County 7-4.

"I am really disappointed in the way we played today," Sims said. "I thought our pitching depth would be our worst enemy, but through our first four games it is the best thing going for us."

Nicholas County, which was playing for the fourth time in four days to open its season, surrendered a run in the opening inning after committing three consecutive errors, the last of which allowed Chase Mullins to drive in Keenan Freitag.

The BlueJackets bounced back in the bottom of the third, scoring three runs to take their only lead of the game.

Casey Fryman singled to center field and Dylan Fryman reached on a fielder's choice. Kyle Campbell then singled to left-center field that drove in Casey Fryman. With two outs Dylan Fryman scored on an error during J.D. Wagoner's at bat and Cody Fryman followed by beating out an infield single that allowed

Campbell to come home for the team's third run.

Bourbon County answered in the top of the fourth. Kyle Harris and Justin Vaughn led off with back-to-back walks. A fielder's choice during Spencer Sledd's at bat got Vaughn out, but Seth Robertson followed with a walk to load the bases. Freitag then singled to left field to score both Harris and Sledd's courtesy runner Brian Poe. Chris Norman followed with a single to left-center field that drove in Robertson's courtesy runner Matt Hager, and an error on the play allowed Freitag to also come home. Tyler Clark capped off the scoring with an RBI single that drove in Norman.

A pair of solo home runs got Nicholas County back on the board. First came Casey Fryman's fourth-inning, two-out shot over the fence in right-center field. Then Campbell led off the fifth inning with a solo blast to straight-way right field that closed the gap to 6-5.

Norman earned a one-out walk in the sixth, before Mullins drove a shot to left-center field that scored Norman. Then Clark followed with a double to left field that sent in Mullins.

Nicholas County made a change on the mound to Kalep Brierly and the senior right-hander struck out two of the next three batters to prevent any additional runs.

Campbell added a single to right-center field in the bottom of the seventh, but Robertson struck out the side in the sixth and then added two more strikeouts in the seventh to secure the victory.

"I was getting to my spot and keeping the ball away from the batters," Robertson said. "My change-up was working well and I was hitting my spots with my fastball."

Robertson went the distance, striking out 11, and allowing only one walk and a hit batsman.

"Any time Seth is out there, he gives us a chance to win," Bourbon

County coach Nelson Faris said. "He's going to throw strikes. He is our only senior pitcher."

Campbell led Nicholas County at the plate with a 3-for-4, two-RBI performance. He also scored two runs. Casey Fryman added two hits, two runs and an RBI. Cody Fryman had the BlueJackets' only other hit and RBI. Dylan Fryman scored the team's other run.

Dylan Fryman earned the start and pitched five and a third innings on the mound. He surrendered eight runs on six hits, while striking out eight and walking six. Brierly pitched an inning and two-thirds of hitless, shutout baseball in relief. He finished with three strikeouts and two walks.

"I thought we threw enough strikes to get the win, but our bats and our defense let us down," Sims said.

Clark was the lone Colonel to collect more than one hit, finishing 2-for-4 at the plate with two RBI. Freitag added a hit, two RBI and two runs; while Mullins had a hit, two RBI and scored once. Norman also had a hit, an RBI and scored twice. Poe also finished with a hit and scored a run. Robertson and Harris also each scored once.

"We didn't play defense. We got some big hits, but the kids have got to step up," Faris said. "We are young. We only have three seniors and they are doing a good job. We had one bad inning defensively."

Nicholas County followed up the game by dropping its next three contests to Mason County (5-1 at home on Mar. 30), George Rogers Clark (5-1 at home on Apr. 1) and Harrison County (9-2 on the road on Apr. 2), respectively, before bouncing back with a 5-4 home win over Bath County on Saturday.

The BlueJackets return to action on Monday at Henry Clay, before opening the 10th Region All "A" Tournament next Thursday against Bracken County.

Jackets drop home games to Mason, Clark

The Nicholas County High School baseball team dropped back-to-back home games to 10th Region opponents Mason County and George Rogers Clark last week. After opening the season 2-2 following convincing wins over Silver Grove and Fleming County and losses to Bourbon County and Lewis County, Nicholas County fell to Mason County and George Rogers Clark in home games on back-to-back days. More on each game follows Mason County 5, Nicholas County 1 (Tuesday, March 30): Visiting Mason County took advantage of Nicholas County's defensive woes on Tuesday, March 30, defeating the Jackets 5-1. Nicholas County suffered its third straight loss despite a solid performance from senior pitcher Kyle Campbell.

"We continued our sloppy defense and went to 2-3 for the season," Nicholas County Coach Travis Sims commented following

his team's loss. "Kyle Campbell threw well in the loss." JD Wagoner had Nicholas County's lone RBI in the loss to the Royals. The Jackets (2-3) pushed across one run via four hits. Kalep Brierly manufactured a triple for host Nicholas County. Brierly later scored on a sacrifice fly from Wagoner.

Mason County moved to 1-2 after posting its first win of the season. The Royals opened the season with back-to-back losses to Bryan Station (1-11, five innings) and 38th District frontrunner Harrison County (0-10, six innings). Nicholas County is scheduled to visit Mason County on May 15 for a late regular-season game.

Clark County 5, Nicholas County 1 (Thursday, April 1): The visiting Clark County Cardinals prevented the Nicholas County Jackets from returning to the win column on April Fools Day, prevailing 5-1 in another 10th Region matchup.

Clark County used four unearned runs to get past the Jackets. The game was knotted 1-1 headed into the third inning when Clark County outfielder Jake Robin broke up the tie game with a solo home run. Tyler Cain led the Clark County offensive effort with two hits. Clark County, a perennial postseason contender, moved to 5-1 after recording the win. Senior Robert Bell was the winning pitcher for the Cardinals after opening the game in a starting role. Taylor Howard and Will Wittman also pitched out of relief roles for Clark County in the road game. Senior Zach Lemons took the mound and pitched very well for Nicholas County despite ultimately suffering the loss. Kalep Brierly provided the biggest bat at the plate for Nicholas County. Brierly belted a home run and two doubles for the Jackets. John Lee Allison also had a hit for Nicholas County (2-4) in the setback.

MERCURY TRIANGLE
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The Ellisville Homemakers met on Thursday April 1 at the beautiful home of Bill and Jo Ann Martin in the meeting to order. Phyllis Brady gave the devotional, reading scripture from St. John 20:18-29 and an Easter poem and commented a lot or one might say "Gave Witness" and had prayer. We also had the pledge to the U.S. flag. There were 13 members present and three visitors including Carolyn Belcher. Faye Buzzard passed out the minutes of the last meeting. Debbie Workman gave the treasurer's report. Much discussion was held about upcoming events. The annual county International Banquet is April 26. Besides our heritage dishes we are to bring items from other countries for a table of "Show and Tell". Plans were made for our June outing. Our trip to Maysville Theatre for the 2:00 p.m. matinee is next Sunday. Pizza kit orders are to be turned in Monday. The annual county meeting is June 15 at the Neal Center. The WOW program, walking on Wednesdays is at 4:00 p.m at the Extension office through April. The leader lesson is given for May on April 15 on making "Edible Centerpieces." Today's lesson was not given because the lady that was to teach it was ill. Faye gave blessing for our most bountiful meal and Jo Ann Martin and Patsy Smoot gave each one a nice ceramic egg and also had it in a cute porcelain Easter Egg holder. After lunch was more business then Phyllis Brady had a game about flowers and John Snapp won the prize. A door prize was won by Debbie Workman, but first was an empty box that said "April Fool" but she then was given a pot of tulips. Everyone had a wonderful day.

Don Adams, Rev. Vernon and Sue Adams and Phyllis Brady were among a very large crowd who enjoyed an Easter dinner on Saturday, in Paris at the home of Pete and Peggy Adams Tracey. A host of cousins etc. enjoyed two egg hunts. One first for the children and then another for the adults and prizes for everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gaunce had a family dinner on Sunday for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Feeback daughter, Rosa spent the week from Maryland, with them. She was on a spring break from teaching. Nanette, another daughter spent the weekend and Julia from Louisville visited before Easter.

Don Adams, Phyllis Brady enjoyed a very good Easter play and Cantada at the First Baptist Church in Paris on Saturday night. It was presented 3 nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Flora and part of their family spent a few days the past week in Dollywood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle had a supper on Thursday night and again on Friday night for Easter and for family to be with Rob Aleta and Elijah Doyle from Alexandria, Virginia. Thursday night was for their children and grandchildren and now 4 great grandchildren, then on Friday was for Donnie and Melba Doyle, Wanda and A.J. Doyle, Marjorie Fryman, Doris Doyle and Phyllis and Bobby Brady. They prepare it all from scratch.

Such nice Easter services for Holy week was held Monday through Friday at Carlisle Methodist Church. Ministers for the week were Re. Adam Schell, rev. Alan Murphy, Rev. Steve Smith, Rev. Julian Hammonds and rev. Rocky Wallace. Special singing each day and lunch provided by several churches. On

Good Friday Rev. Wallace brought a message entitled "This is Friday but Sundays coming" The a video was shown about the same title that Br. Smith had. It's amazing how God works things out.

The Headquarters church had a few visitors for the service Sunday of course if they've been there before we don't like to call them visitors anymore. We had a good sermon and also a special song by 4 different people. Sharon Beckett, Pastor Brenda Routt, Mary Peck (one of songs she wrote) and also a full song by Ashlyn Reed, granddaughter of Cheryl Flora. Children enjoyed an egg hunt after church and prizes.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Brady (Sheila) on the death of her mother, Mrs. Grace Sumpter 79 of Berry, Ky. a very large crowd attended her funeral one night the past week at Ware Funeral home. She had 12 children. All living but one who was killed in Veit Nam.

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LIFESTYLE

Local Author to sign book at Public Library

Jimmy Brannon, Paris and Carlisle Attorney and editor of The Bourbon County Citizen newspaper will be holding a book signing for his new release-I love you my Goose- a book about his son's battle with cancer.

Brannon's son Patrick Brannon was diagnosed with cancer at age 11 and fought a courageous battle with the disease until the day before his 13th birth-

day. The book signing will be held at the Nicholas County Public Library on Monday April 12, 2010 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

The book is a tribute to his son but Brannon also says that the book seeks to raise awareness of children's cancer and help begin a national commitment to end childhood cancer with the next decade. "Not only do some 3000

children die every year in America due to cancer, but they and thousands more that survive suffer horrendous treatments often leading to severe physical impairments," Brannon said.

This book tells the story of a father's love for his son but also seeks to tell the story of Patrick and all the other children like him "who have fought so hard to live and deserved

so much better." In addition to being a practicing attorney and newspaper editor, Brannon served for eight years as a city commissioner in Paris and was a member of the Kentucky Bicentennial Commission, which planned the Commonwealth of Kentucky's 200th birthday celebration and left as its legacy The Kentucky Encyclopedia.



Evin Clay

The proud parents of David and Jenna Smoot would like to announce the birth of their son Evin Clay. He was born on March 1, 2010 at Central Baptist Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces and was 18 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Richard and Amy McDonald. Maternal Great Grandparent is Dollie

Lyons, Paternal Great Grandparent is Dennis McDonald. Great Great Grandmother is Lillian Lister. Paternal Grandparents are Kenny and DeAnna Smoot, Great Grandmother Bonnie Grimes. David and Jenna would like to thank all of our friends and family for the support, gifts and baby showers.



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One Hundred Dollars

Michelle Dunn was the winner of the \$100 gas card from Marathon. The Nicholas County High School Softball team sold tickets for a chance to win a \$100 gas card.

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THOUGHTS FOR THE PASTOR

Be careful this Easter. During the time of my surgery recuperation I watched a little TV and was disturbed by more than a few things I saw—relative to Easter. I watched one program on a very highly regarded Channel. The discussion concerned Jesus and the Resurrection.

It was disheartening to hear the proponents of "higher criticism" virtually explain away who Jesus is and make the Resurrection meaningless. Yet, these people claim to be people of faith. If one listened to their postulations, hypotheses, doubts, assumptions and waverings—there would be no faith left!

I am quite certain we have

not seen the last of this kind of programing— as well as radio and print media. Everyone wants to take a shot at Jesus. People who are struggling in their faith—overwhelmed by life and circumstances—people of weak faith—could be finished off by this misrepresentation of Truth. The following story by Andrew Chan is great. Read it and Happy Easter.

"A couple of F-15's are escorting a C-130 Hercules, and their pilots are chatting with the pilot of the transport to pass the time. Talk comes around to the relative merits of their respective aircraft. The fighter pilots contend that their airplanes were better because of their superior speed, maneuverabil-

ity, weaponry, and so forth, and pointed out the Hercules deficiencies in these areas.

After taking this for a while, the C-130 pilot says, "Oh yeah? Well, I can do a few things in this old girl that you'd only dream about." Naturally, the fighter pilots challenge him to demonstrate. "Just watch," comes the quick retort. And so they watch. But all they see is that C-130 continue to fly straight and level...

After several minutes the Hercules pilot comes back on the air, "There! How was that?"

The fighter pilots reply, "What are you talking about? What did you do?"

And the Hercules pilot replies, "Well, I got up, stretched my

legs, and got a cup of coffee."

Similarly, many of us don't really recognize what God has done in the Easter story. We've got hi-tech toys, with great graphics and things that generations before us could only dream of. And the simple 2000 year old Easter story comes along and it feels like a great old C-130 Hercules. We figure, it's old and so what can it do! We search the world wide web, we think we've got Christianity nailed down. I mean look at the colossal failures of Christians through the centuries and they are numerous. But one thing through the centuries and even with modern hi-tech sophistication and our evolved sensibilities, no one can explain away its

— the resurrection of Jesus from our consciousness, and somehow the dead. The resurrection of we hear a voice in that Easter story "There! How was that?"

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SPRING SPORTS

Strong senior class looks to lead BlueJackets back to regionals

By Brad Laux

After a campaign in which the BlueJackets advanced all the way to the 10th Region semi-finals and posted their first winning record in coach Travis Sims' eight-year tenure, despite not having four key players due to injuries and suspensions, Nicholas County could be better in 2010.

"When it came down to it, we were without two of our three best pitchers, our starting catcher and our starting left fielder, and we still managed to make it to the regional semis," Sims said. "We all came together. The kids responded and we still had important pieces in place and pulled it together and had a good year."

The BlueJackets have qualified for the regionals in each of the last three seasons, the first time they have achieved

that feat in more than a decade. Eleven seniors look to extend that streak to four in a row.

Despite graduating five players from last year's 16-11 team, Nicholas County actually gets back the services of two starters who sat out last season, which is one reason Sims thinks his squad has a chance to be better than 2009.

"I feel like we should have another good year," Sims said. "Hitting is our strength and it has not been the last two or three years."

The team's question mark is its pitching, a reversal of past successful BlueJacket squads. How the pitchers do will determine whether Nicholas County has an outstanding season or just an average one.

"Pitching depth is a question. This year we have three to five kids who, if they can throw strikes, will keep us in

games," Sims said. "We may struggle or we may do well."

The heart of the team's pitching staff will be senior Kyle Campbell. The honorable mention all-state performer also is the team's defensive anchor and its best hitter.

"Kyle is a good high school pitcher," Sims said. "He hit .500 last year and might have set the school record. If we can get three-fourths of what he did last year this year, we'll be pretty good."

Seniors Kalep Brierly and Ben Layne, both of whom missed last season, along with their classmates Zach Lemons, Cody Fryman and Jake Bowles; junior Justin Jones; sophomores Dylan Fryman and John Lee Allison; and freshmen J. D. Wagoner, Austin Allison and Jake Kirby, all factor into the team's pitching plans. Brierly,

Lemons, Wagoner and Dylan Fryman will join Campbell in the starting rotation.

"Pitching could be a strength if it comes together, but we will throw a lot of young guys," Sims said. "They need seasoning and how they react is the question. I think we'll be all right, but it may take a while to get into the groove. I'll have to be patient with our pitchers."

The boost the BlueJackets get with the return of Brierly and Layne is big, but the fact that they did not play last season means that other players picked up key experience.

"Shane Mattox started at catcher last year as a freshman and did a nice job," Sims said.

This season's infield should be made up almost entirely of seniors. Brierly should return

behind the plate with Mattox serving as his back up. Cody Fryman is back at first, Campbell will be at shortstop when he is not pitching, and Lemons and Bowles will rotate at third.

The only spot where an underclassman might crack into the lineup is at second base where sophomore Dylan Fryman is battling with senior Casey Fryman. Allison, a sophomore, also will get a shot at first base, but may spend most of his time as either a pinch hitter or the designated hitter, a position Sims plans to utilize more this season.

The outfield will feature the team's youth. With the exception of Layne in left and Ray ShROUT in right, juniors Wes Hopkins and Kevin Agee, sophomore Dylan Fryman, and freshmen Wagoner and Zach Howard all are in

the mix. Seniors Cody Watkins, Jordan Hollar and Roman Mueller also may play some there.

Campbell is not the only player who can hit for average. All three Frymans, as well as Brierly, Layne and Wagoner all can put the bat on the ball.

Sims' goals are to win 20 games and return to the regionals again this season. With 20 home games on the schedule as well as hosting the 38th District Tournament, those targets should be within reach.

"We are capable of (winning 20 games) and if we get to the regionals, we've got a shot (at advancing)," Sims said. "But our pitchers have to come out and throw strikes, and we have to hit like we can and be solid on defense. If our pitching doesn't come together, it could be a struggle."



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SPRING SPORTS

Lady Jackets look to earn championships behind pitching and defense

By Brad Laux

In softball, pitching and defense are the cornerstones to a successful program. Nicholas County has both in spades, which is no surprise why the LadyJackets are looking to return to the 10th Region Tournament for the eighth consecutive year, capture the regional All "A" Tournament for the third time in four seasons and repeat as the Bluegrass Conference Tournament champions.

"The strength of our team is that we have three good pitchers," coach Barry Bretz said. "Our infield also is really solid. We allowed the least amount of runs in the 10th Region last year and our defense is stronger this year."

Thirteen players return from last season's 13-8 club, which gradu-

ated only two starters. So, Bretz has ratcheted up the schedule to challenge his team. The LadyJackets record may suffer, but in the long run it should help prepare the club to chase the titles they seek.

"We have strengthened our schedule to match our talent. We want to get ready for the post-season at the end of the year," he said. "Playing good teams will give us experience playing in big games."

Bretz is not ready to hang the banners just yet, however.

"We don't have experienced depth like we've had in the past," he said. "We can go from a contender to a pretender real fast."

The LadyJackets will rely on left-handed senior pitcher Shelby Brown, a starter since the seventh-grade. Junior Emily Curran

and freshman Reesa Martin will serve as Brown's back-ups. Both Curran and Martin are outstanding hitters.

"Shelby Brown is our leader. She loves to play. She is a competitor," Bretz said. "She is a crafty pitcher. She is not the fastest, but she makes plays."

The anchor of the team's defense is in the infield, where fourth-year senior starter Shelby Sosby returns at shortstop and three-year senior starter Petrea Mitchell is back at first base. Senior Morgan Kelly will move from catcher to third base this season, while sophomore McKenzie Hopkins will split time between the outfield and catcher. Senior Chelsea Markland also will play some at third base when Kelly catches. Sosby also may spend time as the team's backstop.

"Shelby hits with power and has speed. She can bat anywhere in the lineup. She knows how to play the game and has a God-given talent running the bases. She has the green light to steal," Bretz said.

"We have five or six kids that can hit for power, but we also are a good base running team and will do a lot of hit and run (plays). We like to move players around (the bases) and be aggressive, but we don't play a lot of small ball," he added.

Setting the table will be Kelly, a left-handed slapper who bats in the leadoff slot.

"We try to do the fundamental things. We rely on good base running and being smart," Bretz said. "We work on taking advantage of others' mistakes."

The LadyJackets will need to find a new sec-

ond baseman, losing last year's starter to graduation. Who takes over that position remains a question. Sophomore Hannah Coldiron will get the first crack.

"We are going to experiment with positions early in the year. We will have new players in new positions," Bretz said. "We can be a better team with the new lineup."

In the outfield five players will battle for spots, including seniors Christian Dunn, Haley Blakeman and Julia Patschke, sophomore Jania Wagoner and freshman Shannon Bretz.

"Our goals are to make it to the region for the eighth year in a row and win the All 'A,'" Bretz said. "Winning the region is our big goal, but we'd have to have a few breaks to do that. We have a shot this year.

Last year I thought we had no chance.

"We want to position ourselves to make the state tournament," Bretz added. "We've never been there before."

Despite having eight seniors, if the LadyJackets reach their goals, do not expect the run to end after this season. There are 26 players on the roster with 11 of them freshmen.

"This is the largest team we've ever had," Bretz said. "I hope the freshmen can step up and contribute. They are a talented group. The future looks bright with them. But, we need to be on the field for our younger girls to get experience."

"This team believes it can win," Bretz concluded. "We have to have good pitching and be confident. If everything goes well, we'll be good."



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SPRING SPORTS

Jackets level Silver Grove, Fleming County

The Nicholas County High School baseball team opened the 2010 season in commanding fashion last week, compiling back-to-back wins over familiar foes Silver Grove and Fleming County. Nicholas County defeated the two long-time rivals a combined 30-4. More on each game follows.

Nicholas County 20, Silver Grove 2: The Nicholas County Jackets made a strong first impression on the baseball diamond last Wednesday (March 24), defeating Silver Grove 20-2 in a home game. Accomplished

pitcher Dylan Fryman got the starting nod and performed particularly well for the Jackets. In all, four different Nicholas County pitchers worked from the mound during the convincing victory over Silver Grove. JD Wagoner belted a home run for Nicholas County in the season-opener. Nicholas County is slated to face Silver Grove in the 10th Region All "A" Classic on April 12. Nicholas County 10, Fleming County 2: Senior hurler Kyle Campbell pitched visiting Nicholas County past Fleming County 10-2 on

Thursday (March 25). Campbell turned in a superb pitching effort for Nicholas County, tossing six strong innings for the Jackets. Kalep Brierly came on and pitched the seventh inning for the Nicholas County squad. The Jackets continued to produce offensively early on in the season, thriving at times while at the plate during the second game of the campaign. "We really hit the ball well over there," Nicholas County Coach Travis Sims said, looking back at his team's victory over defending 61st District Champion Fleming

County. "They have a nice team and I was proud of the way our guys played." Brierly was a leader at the plate for Nicholas County (2-0), smacking a three-run home run for the Jackets. His round-tripper put the Nicholas County club out in front 5-2 during the middle of the game. He also doubled in the first inning. Brierly was the game's most productive hitter, finishing the contest 3-for-4 with six RBIs. "It was nice to get Kalep back playing baseball for us after not having him last year," Sims commented.

Nicholas County High School Softball

Coach: Barry Bretz
2010 Schedule/Results

- Mar. 24 Silver Grove, 15-0 (W) (3 innings)
- Mar. 31 at Pendleton County, 14-0 (W) (5 innings)
- Apr. 1 George Rogers Clark, 0-15 (L) (4 innings)
- Apr. 6 Augusta, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 6 Augusta, 6:15 p.m.
- Apr. 12 Deming, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 14 at Sayre, 5:30 p.m.
- Apr. 15 Bourbon County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 16 at Harrison County, 5:30 p.m.
- Apr. 19 Pendleton County, 5:30 p.m.
- Apr. 20 at Lexington Christian, 5:30 p.m.
- Apr. 21 Silver Grove, 5:30 p.m. (10th Region All "A" Classic at Paris)
- Apr. 26 at Paris, 5 p.m. (10th Region All "A" Classic)
- May 3 at Fleming County, 5:30 p.m.
- May 5 Paris, 5 p.m.
- May 6 Harrison County, 5 p.m.
- May 10 at Bath County, 5:30 p.m.
- May 11 at Bourbon County, 5 p.m.
- May 12 at Mason County, 5 p.m.
- May 15 Clinton County, 11 a.m. (at Pulaski County Round Robin)
- May 15 at Pulaski County, 4 p.m. (Pulaski County Round Robin)
- May 15 West Jessamine, 2:30 p.m. (at Pulaski County Round Robin)
- May 17 at Bracken County, 5:30 p.m.
- May 18 at Lexington Catholic, 7:15 p.m.
- May 19 Montgomery County, 5:15 p.m.
- May 21 Holy Cross (Covington), 5 p.m.
- May 21 Holy Cross (Covington), 6:15 p.m.

Jackets reloaded for 2010 season

The Nicholas County High School baseball team is poised to contend for a 38th District title in the 2010 season. Nicholas County is fresh off of compiling a winning record during the 2009 campaign. "I feel like we can have a really nice season," Nicholas County Coach Travis Sims said. "Our expectations are to compete for the regional championship. I believe our hitting will be the strongest it has been since I have been the head coach. Our pitching depth is a question mark at this point. We will be looking for players to step it up on the mound. Our defense should be very capable of making some nice plays with a few spots still up for grab." The Jackets ended the 2009 season 16-11 following a loss to Scott in the 10th Region Tournament Semifinals. After finishing runner-up in the 38th District behind long-time powerhouse Harrison County, Nicholas County knocked off Mason County in the opening round of the 10th Region Tournament. The Nicholas County coaching staff will look for a solid all-around effort from this year's squad. "I feel like our team as a whole has to play well in order for us to be successful," Sims added. "If everyone does their job we will have a fun season. Our seniors have to be good leaders and work hard everyday. We have 12 seniors so we should have plenty of upperclassmen to lead by example for the younger guys. The biggest challenge as a coach will be trying to fit the pieces together. I have 33 players fighting for their own playing time. It will be very hard trying to find playing time for everyone. The players will definitely have to play roles on this team. If everyone buys into that concept we could have a very nice year." Veterans Kalep Brierly, Zach Lemons, Cody Fryman, Kyle Campbell and Casey Fryman will lead the Nicholas County baseball program from the senior class.

The Baseball Jackets' latest roster features players in grades 8-12. In addition to the 38th District second-place finish, Nicholas County is also the reigning runner-up in the 10th Region All 'A' Classic and Bluegrass Conference. The Jackets will again look to rack up wins and contend for championships. Nicholas County will once again compete for a small-school regional championship in the 10th Region All "A" Classic. "Our goals are to win 20-plus games for the season and to compete for the regional championship," Sims said.

Nicholas County High School Baseball Coach: Travis Sims

2010 Schedule

- Mar 24 Silver Grove
- Mar 25 at Fleming County
- Mar. 27 at Lewis County
- Mar. 30 Mason County
- Apr. 1 George Rogers Clark, 5:30 p.m.
- Apr. 2 at Harrison County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 3 Bath County, Noon
- Apr. 5 Model, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 12 Silver Grove, 5:30 p.m. (10th Region All "A" Classic)
- Apr. 17 at 10th Region All "A" Classic, TBA
- Apr. 19 at St. Patrick, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 20 Pendleton County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 21 at Deming, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 23 at Bourbon County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 26 at Pendleton County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 28 Harrison County, 5 p.m.
- Apr. 29 Rowan County, 5:30 p.m.
- May 4 at Silver Grove, 5:30 p.m.

- May 5 Paris, 5 p.m.
- May 6 Morgan County, 8 p.m. (Tanner Dodge Classic at Powell County)
- May 6 at Powell County, 5 p.m. (Tanner Dodge Classic)
- May 10 at Bath County, 5 p.m.
- May 11 Sayre, 5 p.m.
- May 12 St. Patrick, 5:30 p.m.
- May 14 at Bracken County, 5 p.m.
- May 15 at Mason County, 10:30 a.m.
- May 15 Menifee County, 2 p.m.
- May 17 Powell County, 5:30 p.m.
- May 19 at Paris, 5 p.m.
- May 20 Fleming County, 5 p.m.
- Nicholas County High School Baseball 2010 Roster
- Kalep Brierly C/P/OF Sr.
- Zach Lemons IF/P Sr.

- 9 Cody Fryman IF/P Sr.
- 12 Kyle Campbell IF/P Sr.
- 5 Casey Fryman IF/OF Sr.
- 4 Jake Bowles IF/P/OF Sr.
- 11 Ray Shrout OF Sr.
- 16 Cody Watkins OF Sr.
- Jordan Hollar OF Sr.
- Roman P Sr.
- Ben Lane Sr.
- 22 Wes Hopkins OF/IF Jr.
- 8 Kevin Agee OF Jr.
- Justin Jones P/IF Jr.
- 14 Dylan Fryman IF/P/OF So.
- 25 John Lee Allison IF/P So.
- 1 Shane Mattox C So.
- 31 John Dalton Wagoner OF/P/IF Fr.
- 23 Nolan Woosley C Fr.
- Ethan Smith IF Fr.
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- Zach Howard OF Fr.
- Jacob Denton OF Fr.
- Sam Watkins IF Fr.
- Austin Hedges OF Fr.
- Jake Kirby IF/P Fr.
- Gannon Parsons OF Fr.
- Logan Brown IF/P/OF 8th
- Dalton Pope IF/P 8th
- Jacob Wiggins IF/P 8th

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GENERAL NEWS

Telemarketing scams return

By Charles Mattox
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Telemarketing scammers are at it again in Nicholas County.

County Attorney Dawn Letcher has received information this week regarding telemarketing scam attempts involving individuals who have contacted Nicholas County residents and tried to obtain personal information.

Letcher and Nicholas County Sheriff Dick Garrett confirmed that attempts have been directed at one individual by telemarketers who

stated they would be sending a new Medicaid/Medicare card out and needed the information to verify if the information on the card was correct.

Both believe the telemarketers were working a scam to obtain personal financial information.

Letcher commented on the latest scam.

"If anyone calls you and depicts themselves as a Medicare/Medicaid representative do not give them any personal information, especially financial information," Letcher cautioned and warned that one report she has thus far received

indicates the telemarketers are very assertive and aggressive in their attempts to illicit personal financial information.

Letcher urges anyone who is subjected to such telemarketing scams to please contact her office immediately upon being contacted.

General Attorney Jack Conway cautioned Kentucky senior citizens about fraudulent phone calls on April 5. During the phone calls the scammers are asking them for personal information so that new Medicare cards may be issued to the consumers. The caller claims

to represent Medicare or the Social Security office and asks the consumer to verify or provide information, such as a Medicare number. The calls are being received here in Kentucky and other states.

Calls reported so far to the Attorney General have originated from 866-234-2255. When investigators dialed the number, they reached a recording that states that 'the number is being spoofed' by "Medicare scammers," and that calls should be reported to the Attorney General or the Federal Communications

Commission. General Conway reminds all consumers to be cautious when speaking to unknown individuals on the telephone, and to never give out any personal information over the phone: including date of birth, Medicare or Social Security number, policy numbers, credit card numbers or bank account information.

"If you receive one of these calls, hang up the phone immediately," General Conway cau-

tioned. "Medicare or Social Security employees will not contact you via phone requesting this type of information. If you have any questions about the status of your Medicare or Social Security benefits, you can contact the agencies directly."

People wishing to report these calls may contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division toll free at 1-866-877-7867 or by filing a complaint at www.ag.ky.gov.

LRWW

Are you concerned about the quality of the water in the streams in your community? Licking River Watershed Watch, Inc. (LRWW) a volunteer citizen-based organization is hosting two workshops for interested volunteers. Volunteers monitor

streams throughout the watershed, conducting synoptic sampling three times each year, during high flow (spring), normal flow (summer), and low flow (fall) conditions. A variety of data has been collected since 1998. This data includes dissolved oxygen, pH, conductivity, temperature, nutrients, fecal coliform (including E. coli),

flow conditions, habitat and biological macroinvertebrate assessments. This water quality information is used by the state and others to improve the health of the streams.

Interested volunteers will be trained to conduct water quality monitoring. Two workshops will be held in the Licking River watershed

on April 10, 2010. The locations are Bourbon County Cooperative Extension Office (9:30 AM to 1:30 PM), Paris and Boone County Cooperative Extension Office, Burlington. To become a volunteer, register for a workshop and learn more about LRWW go to <http://www.lrww.org> or call Marie Halpin 859-289-6010

Madison Brandenburg Birthday

Madison Brandenburg hosted a Fancy Nancy 7th Birthday Tea on April 3rd at the home of her Grandparents Bruce and Regina Barnes. Her guest from left to right(back) Leanne Brandenburg, Ellie Peterman, and Olivia Watkins (front) Anna Barbee, Madison Brandenburg and Annabell Peterman. Madison is the daughter of Shawn and Sabrina Brandenburg of Flemingsburg.



Dwaine Curran from Carlisle and Sarai Pearce from Paris were wed Saturday, March 27th at the LDS Louisville Kentucky Temple. Sarai is the daughter of Steven and Beverly Pearce of Paris and Dwaine is the son of Howard and Louise Riley Curran of Carlisle. They would like to express their appreciation to all the friends and family who attended the ceremony and the reception, which was held in Paris.

LOST DOG

Family Pet: Female Sheltie, wearing a Pink Collar, Last seen on Saltwell Brunner Road. Please call 859-289-7029. Answers to Lassie.



GOVERNMENT FORECLOSURE SALE

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 2010 AT 10:00 A.M.
AT 154 LOCUST GROVE RD., CARLISLE KY/NICHOLAS COUNTY
HOUSE AND LOT



It consists of a living room, kitchen, three bedrooms and one bath. This property is considered suitable for the Rural Development, Housing Program. This would be an excellent buy for an investor interested in rental property or for resale after repairs.

An Open House will be held on April 13, 2010 from 10:00-11:00 a.m.
The minimum acceptable bid for this property is \$35,510.00
Payment of the current year's property taxes are the responsibility of the purchaser.
Clear title to this property is not warranted. The U.S. Marshal's Deed is not a general warranty deed. Buyers are advised to have the property's title examined. Written notification regarding encumbrances on the property must be made to the Rowan County Rural Development Office within 30 days.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, April 20, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. at 154 Locust Grove Rd., Carlisle, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of \$70,247.51 principal, together with interest credit subsidy granted in the amount of \$3,010.80, plus interest in the amount of \$5,074.93 as of September 22, 2008, and interest thereafter on the principal at \$10.8198 from September 22, 2008, until the date of Judgment, plus interest on the Judgment amount (principal plus interest) at the rate of 0.39% computed daily and compounded annually, until paid in full and for the costs of this action, pursuant to Judgment and Order of Sale, being Civil Action No. 5:09-CV-00027-KSF on the Lexington Docket of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on October 29, 2009, in the case of United States of America vs. Joshua D. Carr, et al, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder: A certain tract of land lying on Locust Grove Road in Nicholas County, Kentucky, and being Lot No. 1 Locust Grove Subdivision, which lot is more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at a point corner to Vices' land and center of Locust Grove Road; thence leaving the road and running with the line of Vices N 86 deg. 00 min. East 200 feet to a corner with Stone; thence with the line of Stone N 12 deg. 12 min. East 100 feet to a corner of Lot No. 2 and Stone; thence S 84 deg. 00 min. West 200 feet to a point in the center of Locust Grove Road and Lot No. 2; thence S 12 deg. 12 min. West 100 feet along the center of said road to the point of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten percent (10%) of the bid price (in the form of a Cashiers Check made payable to the U.S. Marshal) on the day of sale with good and sufficient bond for the balance, bearing interest at the rate of 0.39% per annum until paid, due and payable in sixty (60) days and said bond having the effect of a Judgment. Upon a default by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and retained by the U.S. Marshal as part of the proceeds of the sale, and the property shall again be offered for sale subject to confirmation by the Court. This sale shall be in bar and foreclosure of all right, title, interest, estate claim, demand or equity of redemption of the defendant(s) and of all persons claiming by, through, under or against them, provided the purchase price is equal to two-thirds of the appraised value. If the purchase price is not equal to two-thirds of the appraised value, the Deed shall contain a lien in favor of the defendant(s) reflecting the right of the defendant(s) to redeem during the period provided by law (KRS 426.530). Under law, the purchaser is deemed to be on notice of all matters affecting the property of record in the local County Clerk's Office.

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COMMUNITY



Photo by Charles Mattox

Lady Blue Jackets ace pitcher Shelby Brown threw a strong three-inning game against Silver Grove last week as the Lady Jackets started softball season with a 15-0 victory.



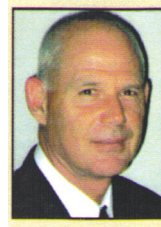
Photo by: Charles Mattox - A beautiful Aristocrat pear tree fully bloomed following Easter this week. Courthouse sources say Bill Straw planted the tree over 30 years ago.



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Elvis, Conway Twitty and Tom Jones to perform in Millersburg on Friday

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Terry Turner, a well-know singer, will entertain with the music of Elvis Presley, Conway Twitty and Tom Jones.

Admission will be \$15 at the door, with all proceeds benefiting the U.S. Army Cadet Corps' refurbishment of the historic campus of Millersburg Military Institute. Refreshments and food will be available.

For more information, contact the U.S. Army Cadet Corps at joseph.m.landjr@armycaets.org or at (859) 484-2100, Extension 23,

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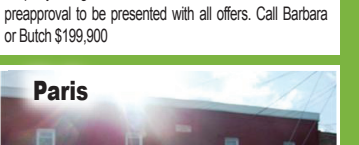
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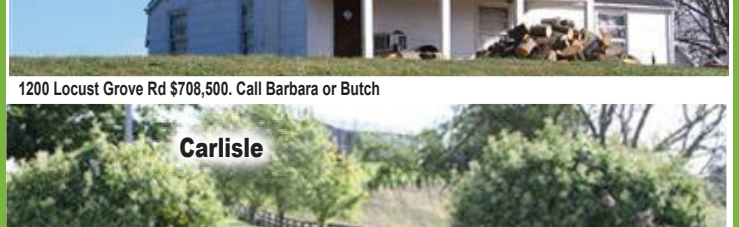
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