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Hearing set for two charged with marijuana trafficking

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Connie Gardner



Dwayne Conken

Two months after their arrest, a Nicholas County man and woman who were arrested on Feb. 8 and charged with trafficking in marijuana, will have a preliminary hearing in Nicholas District Court.

Dwayne D. Conken, 59, and Connie Gardner, 58, were charged with trafficking in marijuana, more than eight ounces but less than five pounds, following their arrest at Conken's home on Bald Hill Road.

Investigators say the charges are connected with an incident in which marijuana was found at Nicholas County High School.

The investigation began when approximately one and one half ounces of marijuana was discovered at Nicholas County High School on Feb 5, by School Resource Officer Ron Allison and Carlisle Police Officer Sgt. Darrel

Layne and his K9 unit Hancock. That investigation uncovered the marijuana and led to four juveniles and one 18-year-old student being charged.

Allison and Layne continued to gather information related to the school incident and that information was forwarded to the Kentucky State Police, according to Allison and other investigators.

KSP officers worked with Drug Enforcement Special Investigations (DESI) law enforcement agents, who also teamed up with veteran Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Officer Captain Herbert Booth, to conduct a multi-agency investigation.

KSP Trooper Keith Lairson made the arrests after special investigator, Detective Keith Hensley, opened the case.

Also assisting on the investigation was KSP Post 6 Trooper Dennis Mabry

"There was marijuana still on the stalk hanging from the rafters in the attic and there was a container with baggies of processed marijuana that was also found," Captain Booth said following the arrests.

According to Booth, Gardner and a child were present at the Conken residence, though Gardner told police she does not live there.

Her citation lists her address as being on

Locust Grove Road.

Gardner was charged with trafficking in marijuana, more than eight ounces but less than five pounds; wanton endangerment, second degree, and endangering the welfare of a minor.

Conken was charged with trafficking in marijuana, more than eight ounces but less than five pounds. Firearms were confiscated during the search.

Conken and Gardner were taken to the Bourbon County Jail where both were later released after posting bail.

"The investigation went smoothly and everyone worked well together during the investigation," Capt. Booth said.

Testimony will be given during the preliminary hearing, scheduled for today, and if probable

cause is established the charges will be bound over to be heard by a future Nicholas County

Grand Jury. All persons are innocent until proven guilty or pleading guilty.



Photo by Joshua Harper

The Easter Bunny visited last week at the Easter Egg Hunt presented by Kevin Hatchett at the Clark Funeral Home. See event pictures on page 17.

Main Street accident injures two

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A two-vehicle accident at 5 p.m. on April 9 sent two women to the Nicholas County Hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Amber Jackson, 21, of Carlisle was turning right, heading east on Ky. 36 Main Street in a 1996 Lexus when she was struck by a 1997 Honda SUV driven by amber Bannon, 18, of Friendsville Tennessee. A passenger, Nancy Buckler, of Carlisle was an occupant of the Bannon vehicle.

Carlisle Police Officers Sgt. Darrell Layne and Bennie Buckler responded quickly to the scene of the accident and prevented further mishap. Members of the Nicholas County EMS also responded quickly to the scene and transported both drivers to the Nicholas County Hospital.



Photos by Joshua Harper

Extensive damage was done to both vehicles. The accident remains under investigation by officers Layne and Buckler.



Photo by Charles Mattox

Nicholas County Deputy Clerk, Darlene Davis, is shown with a new voting machine identical to the ones Nicholas voters will use in the May primary. The voting machine is available for all citizens to inspect and learn to operate from now to the May primary.

County Clerk Doug Fryman and deputy clerks invite all voters to visit them at the courthouse with any voting concerns and to learn more about the voting machines.

Davis reminds Nicholas voters that they have until April 19 to register to vote and May 11 will be the last date they can apply for an absentee ballot. The absentee voting machine is located in the county clerk's office and has been used by several voters thus far.



Submitted by LRC Public Information

Five-year-old Sam Garvin wielded the gavel in the Kentucky House of Representatives chamber during a March 25 visit to the State Capitol with his grandfather, Bob Garvin of Carlisle. The pair was welcomed to the chamber by Rep. Sannie Overly, D-Paris.

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Single vehicle accident sends woman to hospital

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A single vehicle accident during the early evening hours of April 9 sent a local woman to the hospital.

Laura Lee Herrington, 34, of Carlisle, was the sole occupant of a late model red Oldsmobile which left the roadway and overturned, approximately one half mile east

of Carlisle, on Ky. 36.

Nicholas County sheriff Dick Garrett and Deputy Joe Herrington responded to the scene and prevented further damage or additional accidents. Nicholas County EMS arrived quickly on the scene and transported Herrington to the Nicholas County hospital.

The accident remains under investigation by Sheriff Garrett and Deputy Herrington.

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OPINION

Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

WISH YOU WERE HERE



Heaven Is A Lot Like Kentucky

By Charles Mattox

"On the second day of March, 1790, Indians killed my brother John Wade near the beaver Pond. The trail to the Beaver pond went between to large white oak tress that had fallen in opposite directions. The Indians, from what we could judge, had hidden behind these and sprang upon him as he passed along and caught at the reigns of his bridle. He had a desperate contest with them it would appear, for his tomahawk was found socked into the ground up to the handle where he flung it so hard. He turned and got back about 150 yards where they shot his mare and she fell. He got to his feet and ran a little piece where a bullet struck him in the back of his head."

James Wade, on the death of his brother, who helped settle Ralph Morgan's Station, along Slate Creek. Draper Manuscripts volume 12CC

"So, so you think you can tell, Heaven from Hell, blue skies from pain. Can you tell a green field, from a cold steel rail? A smile from a veil, Do you think you can tell?"

And did they get you to trade your heroes for ghosts? Hot ashes for trees, hot

air for a cool breeze, cold comfort for change?

And did you exchange, a walk on part in the war for a lead role in a cage?

How I wish, how I wish you were here.

We're just two lost souls swimming in a fish bowl, year after year,

running over the same old ground.

What have you found: The same old fears.

Wish you were here."

From the song "Wish you were here" by the group Pink Floyd, written by Roger Waters and David Gilmore, 1975.

My father would have turned 81 years old on Monday, had he yet lived.

He passed on Aug. 25, 2001, finally, and grudgingly, losing a bout with cancer after a valiant fight for nearly two years before his emaciated body stopped working.

I was holding his hand and looking in his eyes when he left.

My angelic mother passed on May 2, 2007, only a day or two after I officially began working for MCI Publications.

I was holding her hand

when she left.

I've been working in the field of journalism for a decade, dear reader. Or rather, I've been employed in the field of journalism.

It's not like the work I grew up around.

Not like working in a tobacco patch or other farm work.

Not like cutting a thousand sticks a day, as I did in my prime and certainly not like my father who cut 6600 sticks in five days when he was in his prime.

Journalism is not like doing mindless factory work as I did for several years, or being a drill instructor or armor gunnery instructor in the military, or the 'Big Green Machine' as my brother Doug and I called it, after he spent 30 years in the uniform.

13 years was more than enough for me, with most of it being in the Army Reserves.

Journalism isn't really like being a bartender though you do get to hear and tell some really good stories on occasion, like I did for the year I tended bar in Maysville.

Journalism is certainly not like landscaping or construction work, such as occupied my past for more than a couple of years.

But journalism has its own rewards.

My father said he enjoyed reading some of my columns before the cancer

took everything from him, including his ability to speak and move.

My mother said she enjoyed my work and even cut out a few of my columns when I wrote about my father, her husband of five decades.

I've won my share of Kentucky Press Association awards, but those pale in comparison to the nods of approval from my late parents.

It was my mother who taught me to read on a sixth grade level before I was barely through the first grade.

I owe everything to my parents and my older siblings, who taught me so very much as the youngest of our family.

Dad, who was an avid outdoorsman and a child of the Great Depression, quit school shortly before his 16th birthday to join the military during World War II.

He knew a thing or two about survival and was the greatest outdoorsman I've ever met.

He taught me about survival.

You can teach a man that two plus two equals four.

But you can never "un-teach" that.

Luckily for me I haven't forgotten many of my father's lessons, nor my mothers'.

My mother was always calm.

My father was always excitable.

My mother took things in stride, finding humor in all things.

My father looked upon the world with a hard eye, preparing for the worst in each and every situation, though he seemed totally at ease in the fields and streams or on a baseball diamond, where he had a near clairvoyant understanding of the game and passed along what he knew to several generations as a coach.

Neither he nor my mother were strangers to hardship, though I knew that my mother's life was somewhat easier than my father's as a child and young adult, as far as material comforts went.

And I think of Roger Waters' youth, having grown up without a father who perished defending Great Britain in the Royal British Military, when Waters was only five months old. How the music of Pink Floyd influenced my generation and those to follow in ways beyond measure.

My own father wasn't much of a Pink Floyd fan.

"Sounds like they're on dope," I remember he said with a slight tone of disgust after I played him a song once. We didn't agree much on musical tastes and for a few years there, when I was

a young man, we didn't agree on much else, either. But Dad was a consummate researcher of Daniel Boone and loved the wilderness, and I shared that love and extended my wilderness research to include dozens of other early Kentucky frontiersmen.

Both my parents led very full lives, as did my late brother Doug, before his passing.

For my father, mother, my late brother, and my late brother-in-law, David Roaden, who introduced me to Pink Floyd and so many other fine artistic groups and joyous camaraderies, I can only think of one thought during each day when their individual and collective memories fill my heart.

It's the same thought that James Wade, survivor of the attack on Morgan's Station, carried with him throughout his long life upon Peeled Oak Creek in that ancient and hauntingly beautiful section that characterizes much of Bath County; and I feel as if I join James Wade in some small way when he would reflect in his later years on his dear brother John Wade and surmise his thoughts into one simple yet poignant phrase echoed so many years later. Wish you were here.



The Crazy Horse Lady



Another week has gone by with the hope of Spring getting closer! I know I'm waiting for her with open arms! I check my flower gardens daily to see if I can see any signs of Spring. Nothing much yet, but I know it is only a matter of patience and time!

Speaking of time, breeding season is upon us! I say this with mixed feelings! There is nothing that makes me happier than seeing a new baby foal coming into this world, but unfortunately this is not where it stops.

You see, there is nothing that makes me sadder than seeing the number of horses that are continually being bred with no where to go. Yes, I said it! No one to buy them and no where to go! I watch these horses just existing with no extra attention or care given to them.

What is happening is a lot of breeding goes on, lots of precious foals are born, and then the great revelation hits the pocketbook. You figure out you really can't afford to feed, train or care for them. The cycle begins here. The horses aren't vaccinated, fed properly, left untrained and if they are lucky, sold for

nearly nothing. Does this stop them from being bred again? Fortunately for some - YES, but for a greater number - NO.

I feel the responsibility begins when the decision to breed your mare is made. You need to take the responsibility that you may end up caring for these precious creatures for many, many years, before the opportunity to sell them comes around.

This means they need yearly vaccinations, proper feeding, water, hay, and of course, the hard work of training. They deserve this from you. You decided to bring them into this world knowing ahead of time the cost, time and energy that this foal is going to realistically need from you.

I also want you to know that this is not just happening with the backyard breeders, but also with the larger commercial breeders as well.

I guess I am really just asking you all to start by just looking at the economy. Take a day off when the stockyard is open, watch those animals being brought in and out trying to find some kind of home for these animals that are not

wanted by their current owners. You can talk to other equine owners and find out that the market is saturated with horses that already need homes, food, care and love! I'm not expecting breeding to end altogether, but I would think it would be wise to make a decision on breeding on details other than the fact that you own a mare. Take a look at the bloodlines, heck take a look at what you own. If it is so outstanding, then yes - breed. I do believe that this is not the normal case out there. You honestly have to step back and say, no, I'll pass.

I just want us all as horse owners to come to the realistic phase of owning horses that it is for the LONG HAUL which requires daily human interaction, feeding, watering, brushing, care, routine farrier and vet visits, and so much more!! Look at what you currently own today, realistically ask yourself do I want any more responsibilities than what I already have, and do I honestly give the horses that I own the attention that they require today.

There is not an exception in any of us,

including myself. I love these creatures and what they have to give back to us humans so much that I would take any and all the horses in that needed to be cared for and loved, but realistically I CANNOT!

I need to accept this

and this is very hard for me!

I also need to stress that this is strictly my opinion on the current situation with the horse population as it is today.

God Bless You, Your Family and YOUR EQUINE

FRIENDS and I pray you all have a safe, blessed and warmer week!

Crazy Horse Lady Thought for the Week: Don't miss out on a blessing because it isn't packaged the way that you expect!

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OBITUARIES

Daisy Ellen Workman Caywood

Daisy Ellen Workman Caywood, 81, wife of Frank Caywood of Carlisle, passed away at 4:15 PM Tuesday April 6, 2010 at the Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home, Carlisle.

A native of Bath County, she was the daughter of the late James Levitt and Isabelle Blevins Workman. She was a retired dietary staff member of the Bourbon Community Hospital and a member of the Paris Church of the Nazarene.

Additional survivors include, two daughters and one son-in-law, Sharon Bromagen of Nicholas County and Willa (Billy) Florence of Bourbon County; two sons and two daughter-in-laws, William Thomas (Lisa) Jones of Attalla, AL and Larry Michael (Nancy) Jones of Paris; seven grandchildren, Corey Shane Jones of AL, Jarad Tomas (Dana) Bromagen of Nicholas County, Larry Matthew (Amber) Jones of Cynthiana, April Lee Carter of Paris, Jeanna (Arick) Abney of Mt. Vernon, Brad Dean (Kandi) Florence of Paintsville and Julie Ann Florence of Paris; six great grandchildren; one sister and brother-in-law, Jennifer (Joe) Asbill of Louisville, KY; one brother, Alfred Lee Workman and several nieces nephews and cousins.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Louis Daniel Workman; two sisters, Lydia Liggett and Dorothy Johnson.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 PM Friday April 9, 2010 at the Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home, 1120 Main St., Paris, by the Rev. Vernon Adams, Rev. Charles Perry and Rev. Paul Hedges. Burial will be in the Crown Hill Cemetery, Sharpsburg, KY.

Visitation will be from 10:00 AM Friday April 9, 2010 till the hour of service at the funeral home.

Pallbearers will be Jarad Bromagen, Brad Florence, Larry Matthew Jones, Arick Abney, Allen Johnson and Buddy Turpin. Honorary pallbearers will be Linda Craycraft, Jenny Cooper, Peggy Wagoner, James Means and Dr. Nathan Moore.

The online guestbook is at www.Lusk-McFarland.com and a 24-hour funeral information line can be reached by calling 859-987-4387. The funeral arrangements were entrusted to your friends, your neighbors, your funeral home, Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home, Paris, KY, 859-987-2500

Willa Belle Wagoner

Willa Belle Wagoner, 87, passed away on Wednesday, Mar. 31, 2010 at Nicholas County Hospital. She was born in Nicholas County on Jan. 30, 1923 to the late Benjamin and Maggie Sosby Wagoner. She retired from Bluegrass Industries/Jockey International after 33 years of service and was a member of Carlisle First Baptist Church. Survivors include two sisters: Virginia Cronan and Louisa Wagoner; two nieces Linda (Gary) Sibert and Tammy (Kelley)Trussell; a great-nephew, David (Crystal) Sibert; three great-nieces, Nikki (Jerry Wayne) Watkins, and Ashlyn and Kristen Trussell; two great-great nephews: Trenton and Logan Campbell; four great-great-nieces: Courtney and Payton Sibert, and Hannah and Jenna Watkins; two step great-great-nephews Hunter Wells and Jerron Watkins; and two step great-great-nieces: Cassidy Wells and Morgan Watkins, all of Carlisle. Services were at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, Apr. 3, 2010 at Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home by Bro. James Gaunce and Bro. Adam Schell. Burial was in Carlisle Cemetery. Casket bearers were

Johnny and Steve Myneer, Gary and David Sibert, Kelley Trussell and Jimmie Whirls. Condolences may be left at www.mathersgaunce.com

Pauline Colemire Hughes

Pauline Colemire Hughes, 71 of Cowan, the wife of Johnny Ray Hughes, passed this life on Tuesday, March 30, 2010 at Mt. Sterling Hospital. Pauline was born in Nicholas County on May 15, 1938 to Willie and Nettie Colemire.

Pauline is survived by her husband, Johnny Ray, two children, Ricky (Anne) Hughes, Tammy Bailey (Ellis Brinegar), five grandchildren, Belinda Riley, Charlotte Hughes, Shannon Landsaw, Amber Landsaw and Ellis Brinegar III. Two great-grandchildren, Brooklyn and London Riley. Two sisters, Stella White and Margaret Jolly. Brothers and sisters-in-law, Thomas & Elizabeth Hughes and Jean Stephens. She was preceded in death by four brothers, Kenneth Colemire, Raymond Colemire, Lovel Colemire, and Oscar Colemire, and one sister Alice Cooley.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m., Friday at Price Bros. Funeral Home by Rev. Greg Tucker and Rev. Mike Pennington. Burial will be in the Dayton Chapel Church Cemetery. Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., Thursday at Price Bros. Funeral Home.

The family would like to thank a very special friend, Jowanna Fritz.

Ella Petitt Swebilus

Ella Petitt Swebilus 83 of 102 Morgan St., Carlisle died March 21, 2010. She was born in Bath County October 12, 1926 to the late James Allen and Abby Frances Wilson Cundiff. She was a housewife, farmer and loving mother. She was a member of the Carlisle Assembly of God Church. She is survived by 8 children, 7 sons, John C.; Charles T, Goble R.; David G.; Rickey A. and Eddie Petitt, 1 daughter; Mary F. Forgett; 1 brother, Eddie Cundiff; 2 sisters, Deloris J. Cundiff, Ida Cundiff; 54 grandchildren, 119, great-grandchildren, 12 great-great-grandchildren and 1 very special great-nephew, Thomas Jolly. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday March 24, 2010 at the Clark Funeral Home with the Rev. Darrell Sexton officiating with burial following in the Dayton Chapel Community Graveyard. Pallbearers are; James D. Pruitt; Michael G. Pruitt; John F. Forgett; Eddie Petitt; Justin D. Petitt; Josh Wade and Billy J. Hubbard. Honorary bearers are her grandsons; Carol K. Petitt, Scott Gunn. Visitation 5 - 9 p.m. Tuesday. In lieu of flowers, contributions suggested to the funeral fund. Clark Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Caleb Carter Mitchell

Caleb Carter Mitchell, 3, of 412 Pineview Dr., passed away Friday April 9, 2010 at the University of Kentucky Children's Hospital, Lexington.

He was born in Fayette Co., on February 28, 2007 to Howard Mitchell and Holly Waters both of Paris.

Additional survivors include, one brother, Conner Mitchell of Paris; one sister, Katlyne Waters of Paris; Maternal Grand Parents, Beverly and Doris Waters, Jr. of Paris; Paternal Grand Parents, Roxanne and Henry Mitchell of Paris; Maternal Great Grand Parents, Billy and Wanda Tinchler of Paris and Doris Waters, Sr. of Paris and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services will be conducted at 7:00 PM Saturday April 17, 2010 at the Ruddles Mills Christian Church by the Rev. John McGuire.

Visitation will be from 5-7 PM at the church.

The online guestbook is at www.Lusk-McFarland.com and a 24-hour funeral information line can be

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Erika Dawn Dale

Erika Dawn Dale, 28, daughter of Ricky and Darlene Dale, died March 31, 2010 at the U.K. Medical Center, Lexington. She was born in Fayette County May 1, 1981. She is survived by her son; Jordan Morris; her fiancé; Greg Morris; her grandparents, Dougie L. and Mildred Throckmorton of Cowan and Virginia Dale of Carlisle and several aunts, uncles and nieces. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday April 5, 2010 at the Carlisle Christian Church with the Rev. Steve Smith officiating with burial following in the Elizaville Cemetery.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



Bertha M. Hinkson Jordan

Bertha M. Hinkson Jordan, 89, widow of the late Charles R. Jordan, died Thursday April 8, 2010 at Bourbon Heights. A native of Bourbon County, she was the daughter of the late Quincy Ward and Rena Frances Myers Hinkson. She was a 42 year employee of the J.J.J. Newberry's store and served 26 years as the store manager. She is also a member of the Spears Mill Baptist Church.

Graveside services were conducted on Saturday April 10, 2010 at the Paris Cemetery Chapel by the Rev. J.T. Rafferty. Visitation were on Saturday April 10, 201 Till the hour of service at the cemetery chapel.

Survivors include several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was also preceded in death by a son John Jordan; three brothers, Olion B. Hinkson, David L. Hinkson and William Colis Hinkson; two sisters Cora and Gladys.

The online guest-book is at www.Lusk-McFarland.com and a 24-hour funeral information line can be reached by calling 859-987-4387.

The funeral arrangements were entrusted to your friends, your neighbors, your funeral home, Lusk-McFarland Funeral Home, Paris, KY, 859-987-2500



Sarah Catherine Curry

Sarah Catherine Curry, 79, widow of Thomas Curry passed away Saturday, April 3, 2010 at Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home.

She was born September 4, 1930 in Woodford Co. to the late Morris Owens Eaves & Verna Payne Rogers Eaves, was a retired employee of National LinenService and attended the Carlisle Christian Church.

Survivors include 3 daughters, Margie (Roger) Willoughby, Carlisle, Carolyn Ziegler, Winchester & Anna Mae (John L.) Shackleford, Harlan, a step-son Danny Curry and a step-daughter, Kathy Mazy, 2 sisters, Laura May Jennings & Mauricelene Creech, Versailles, 9 grandchildren, Tracy (Steve) Willoughby, Tommy (Lisa Varner) Willoughby, James Snelling, Tony (Peggy) Willoughby, Joey (Paige Christopher) Willoughby, John Thomas Shackleford, Rodney (Kristy) Willoughby, D.J. Ziegler and Sheila Willoughby and 13 great-grandchildren. She was also preceded in death by 2 sisters, Patty Goins & Marjorie Eaves. Services were 2:00 P.M. Tuesday April 6 at Mathers-Gaunce F.H. by Rev. Rocky Wallace.

Burial was in Carlisle Cemetery. Casketbearers were her grandsons. Honorarybearers will be Cecil Linville and Mike & Steve Willoughby

Memorial contributions are suggested to Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home

Activities Fund. Condolences and video tribute at www.mathersgaunce.com



Melvin Gene Watkins

Melvin Gene Watkins, 72, widower of Almedia Yazell Watkins passed away Saturday, April 10, 2010 at his home.

He was born October 9, 1937 in Nicholas Co. to the late Leonard 'Red Wing' & Inez Jolly Watkins and was a retired farmer. Survivors include 2 daughters, Anita (James) Evans & Lisa (Jamie) Sapp, 4 stepdaughters, Diana (Johnny) Foster, Molly (Lonnie) Craig, Gayle (the late Gary) Craig & Ramona (Jay) Evans, 2 brothers, Sanford (Maxine)& Foster Watkins, 2 sisters, Billie (Ernest) Gray & Patty (Ed) Jefferson, all of Carlisle, 15 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and a great-great granddaughter.

Houston Watkins, 3 sisters, Gladys Shroud, Ruby George & Rosa Myers and a great-granddaughter Hannah Rae Shields.

Services will be 2:00 P.M. Wednesday April 14 at Mathers-Gaunce F.H. by Rev. Darrell Sexton. Burial will follow in Carlisle Cemetery.

Casketbearers will be Larry Lee & Gary Dewayne Craig, Lil' John Evans, Jonathan Foster, Chris Sapp & Elva Wayne Shields.

Honorarybearers will be Brandi Evans, Angie Craig Gonzales, Donnie Wayne Sapp & Lacey Evans Waugh.

Condolences and video tribute at www.mathersgaunce.com

Editor,

I'm writing to praise our ambulance service. I have been disabled for several years getting around with only a powerchair and walker. On April 1, 2010 my husband was out of town and a lady was staying with me when I fell, she called a neighbor who then called the ambulance service. In about 15 minutes they arrived to assist me.

Again on the morning of April 13th I fell again in the bathroom, my husband was unable to get me up and he called the ambulance service. In about 15 minutes they arrived again to assist me. Luckily I was not hurt in either fall. I want to praise the ambulance service for the prompt arrival and professional and friendly service. Everyone in the county should praise them for a job well done. I don't see how we could do without them.

Thanks Again Ambulance staff Erma Buckler Carlisle, Ky.

Editor

The new Health Care Bill that recently passed reminds of NAFTA. Bill Clinton did everything he could to by twisting arms in Congress and offering special deals to vote for it. So now we see the effects of NAFTA after 15 years later. We see millions of jobs lost and still be-

ing sent overseas. Just like Health Care, President Obama has done everything he knew to do to get it passed. Whenever a President wants something that bad, when all polls indicate THE PEOPLE do not want it, that should send up a red flag. Is it good or bad? Our politicians vote to take our jobs away, then complain because there is not enough tax revenue to run the government.

Right now Social Security is paying out more money than it is taking in. It is simple, if people are not working and paying in taxes, then the U.S. Government has to borrow more money to support eh S.S. program. The government can't give you anything without taking from someone else. Actually the government doesn't have anything to give unless it comes from people who are working and paying their taxes ins. Most bad government results from too much government. I've said it before, the government that governs best, governs least.

As Americans, it is our duty to stand up, not shut up. Our freedoms are at stake. We need to be concerned and stand for what is right.

Here's something to think about, Democracy will cease to exist when good people sit back and do nothing.

One Patriotic American Billy Dixon.

Dwaine Curran For State Representative

Although I have been campaigning every minute I can muster, it's nearly impossible to visit every constituent in Nicholas, Bath, Bourbon, and the portion of Fayette County in the 72nd District. If you do not receive my information card please understand that it was not intentional. If you see me out, as in this picture, please make it a point to let me know your views.



If you have access to the internet, I invite you to become involved in my Facebook forum regarding different topics and ask you to make your opinion noted. There is also information on my website, putkyfirst.com. I feel that it is important, up to the point of being sacred, that EACH PERSON in the 72nd District develops an approachable relationship with their representative. If that is not the case, how can one feel represented?

Paid for by Dwaine Curran for State Representative P.O. Box 211, Carlisle, KY 40311

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Six Kentucky Senate and Congressional Candidates Sign Death Tax Repeal Pledge

Commit to Fight for Repeal in Congress

Six Kentucky candidates have signed the American Family Business Institute's (AFBI) "Death Tax Repeal Pledge," including U.S. Senate Democratic candidate James Buckmaster, Senate Republican candidates Trey Grayson and Rand Paul, Representative Ed Whitfield (KY-1) and Congressional candidates Todd Lally and Jeff Reetz (KY-3).

By signing the pledge, these candidates commit to vote for permanent repeal of the Federal Estate Tax, commonly referred to as the "Death Tax."

AFBI's President Dick Patten praised the candidates for signing the pledge, saying "Supporting estate tax repeal

will help save local jobs and businesses."

A recent study from the American Family Business Foundation, AFBI's research and education arm, found that repealing the Death Tax would increase nationwide employment by 1.5 million jobs.

"The Death Tax penalizes family farmers and business owners when they die. I'm encouraged that so many Arkansas candidates have committed to taking a more active role in the repeal fight," Patten added. "With the economy in the midst of a prolonged recession, we need to be helping family businesses and farmers, not hitting them with an additional tax."

The estate tax is a tax on the net value of a decedent's

estate, including all personal and business assets, before distribution to their heirs. Because business assets are included, the Estate Tax hits family business owners and farmers -- the engines of economic growth -- particularly hard.

The Federal Estate Tax has expired for one year in 2010, but will return at a 55 percent rate on all assets over \$1 million in 2011 unless Congress acts first. Most political observers expect a heated legislative battle over the tax this year.

The American Family Business Institute is a national, non-partisan organization of farmers and business owners who are committed to permanent repeal of the Death Tax.



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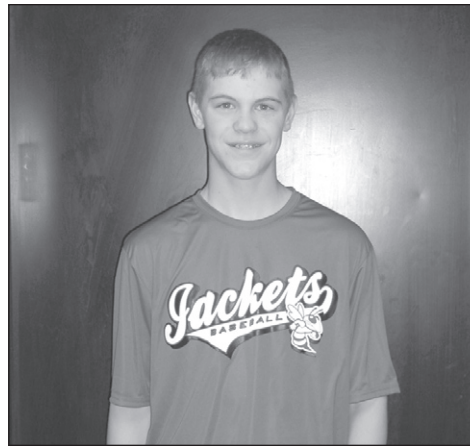
Class of 2000

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



Cameron Dale

Cameron Dale is a Senior at Nicholas County High School. During the last 4 years Cameron played on the Nicholas County basketball team and has excelled in track. But what makes Cameron a true Student Spotlight is his work ethic, attitude, and his behavior on and off the court. Cameron was a team captain this past year, and he leads by example. Cameron is one of the first to practice and always one of the last ones to leave. What I like most about Cameron is his work ethic and his will to get better! Cameron has improved so much since his freshman year, and I am very proud of him. Other students and players can learn a great deal from Cameron through his heart and determination. He stayed with basketball for the love of the game and he improved himself each and every year! I hope others will follow! Cameron's dedication, heart, and commitment is what sets him apart from others and what makes him a Student Spotlight!



Toby Howard

I would like to nominate Toby Howard for this week's student spotlight showcase. Toby is a freshmen in my Introduction to Agriculture class. He is an OUTSTANDING student who is always willing to work hard and complete ever task to the best of his ability. Not only has Toby been very active in the class room, but he has taken many leadership roles in the FFA. Toby recently competed with the chapter as a member on the senior parliamentary procedure team and was local runner up in a very close creed speaking contest. I am looking forward to working with Toby in the class room and with the FFA because I know he is going to have a wonderful career at Nicholas County High School.



Ashley Morris

I have chosen Ms. Ashley Morris for this weeks' Student Spotlight Showcase. I have made this choice for several reasons. Ashley is one of my library assistants as well as in my yearbook class. As an assistant, she has many responsibilities. She performs a variety of clerical and computer-related tasks as assigned and is responsible for shelving, straightening and shelf reading of the library materials. She is confident and independent in any task that she is assigned. Ashley is a joy to have in class and I am thankful for all that she has helped me do this year.



Carly Evans

Carly always turns her work in on time and her driving skills are improving every time she drives. She has really come a long way in the driving aspect of her class. She is a joy to have in class.



Good Job Students!

High School Honor Roll

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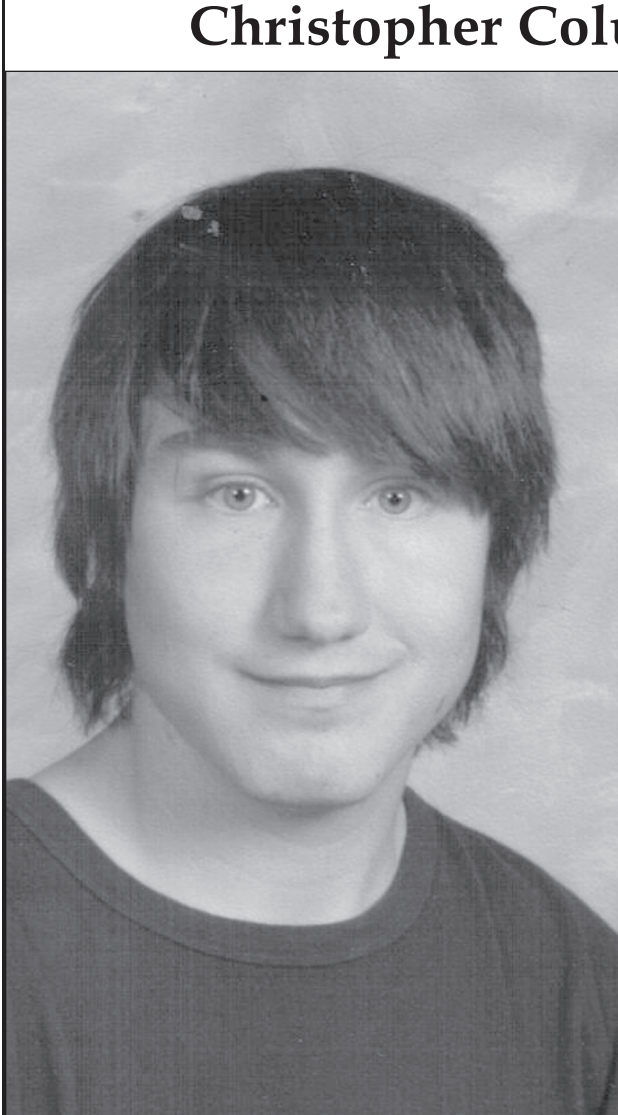
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ASHTON WILLIAMS



Christopher Columbus essay contest

The Kentucky Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) named William Joshua Rawlings of Carlisle as the 2010 State-wide winner of the Christopher Columbus essay contest. William received the award at the Kentucky DAR State Conference held on March 27th at the Hilton in downtown Lexington. William, a senior at Nicholas County High School, has won the District award in the Columbus essay contest for the past four years. This is his first win at the State level. His essay will go on to compete at the Division level. Since 1996, the National Society of the DAR has joined with the National Italian American Foundation (NIAF) to sponsor the annual Christopher Columbus essay contest for students in grades 9 through 12. This year's topic was, "Discuss and analyze the early influences and experiences of Christopher Columbus and how these contributed to successes and failure in his voyages of exploration." Awards are given at the chapter, district, state, division, and national levels.

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SENIOR FOCUS



Harry Fegan

Heather Lawson

James Linville

Logan White

Harry Fegan is the 18 year old son of Harry and Lisa Fegan. His favorite subject is gym. He plans to go to college and play ball. Harry enjoys basketball and hanging out with friends. His favorite memory is hanging out with all of his friends.

Heather Lawson is the 17 year old daughter of Cindy Walker. She plans to attend Maysville Community College to pursue a nursing assistant career. She enjoys going to football games with friends. Heather's favorite memory is her freshman year.

James Linville is the 18 year old son of James Lee Linville. His favorite subject is Co-op. His favorite memory is hanging out with his friends.

Logan White is the 18 year old son of Whitney Snapp and Larry White. His favorite subject is Ag. Logan enjoys four wheeling and trucks.

Good Job Seniors!



Nicholas County sweeps Augusta in doubleheader

Minus seniors, young Lady Jackets win 14-0, 21-0

Sophomore Emily Curran started both games pitching for Nicholas County while freshman Reesa Martintossed the last few innings in each contest. The Lady Jackets rolled, defeating Augusta a combined 35-0 in the two games. Nicholas County prevailed 14-0 and 21-0, winning convincingly in a pair of shutout performances. "Both pitchers threw really well

and were in command of their pitches," Nicholas County Coach Barry Bretz said. The Lady Jackets won the first game 14-0 and the claimed the second matchup 21-0. Numerous young Nicholas County players were able to get involved offensively. Sophomore Hannah Coldiron delivered two inside-the-park home runs and freshman Adrienne Letcher belted had

a homer in the first game for the Lady Jackets. Curran, Martin McKenzie Hopkins, Jania Wagoner and Shannon Bretz each delivered multi-hit games for the Nicholas County softball team. The Lady Jackets moved to 4-1 after sweeping the doubleheader. "It was a great day to play ball - the sunshine was beautiful and we got a good look at next year's team," Bretz said.

"I was happy with our play but we still have a lot of room for improvement which is always a good thing when you are planning ahead for bigger and better things down the road." Nicholas County was back in action on Tuesday (April 14), facing Sayre in a road game. The Nicholas County-Sayre softball game ended too late to make this edition.

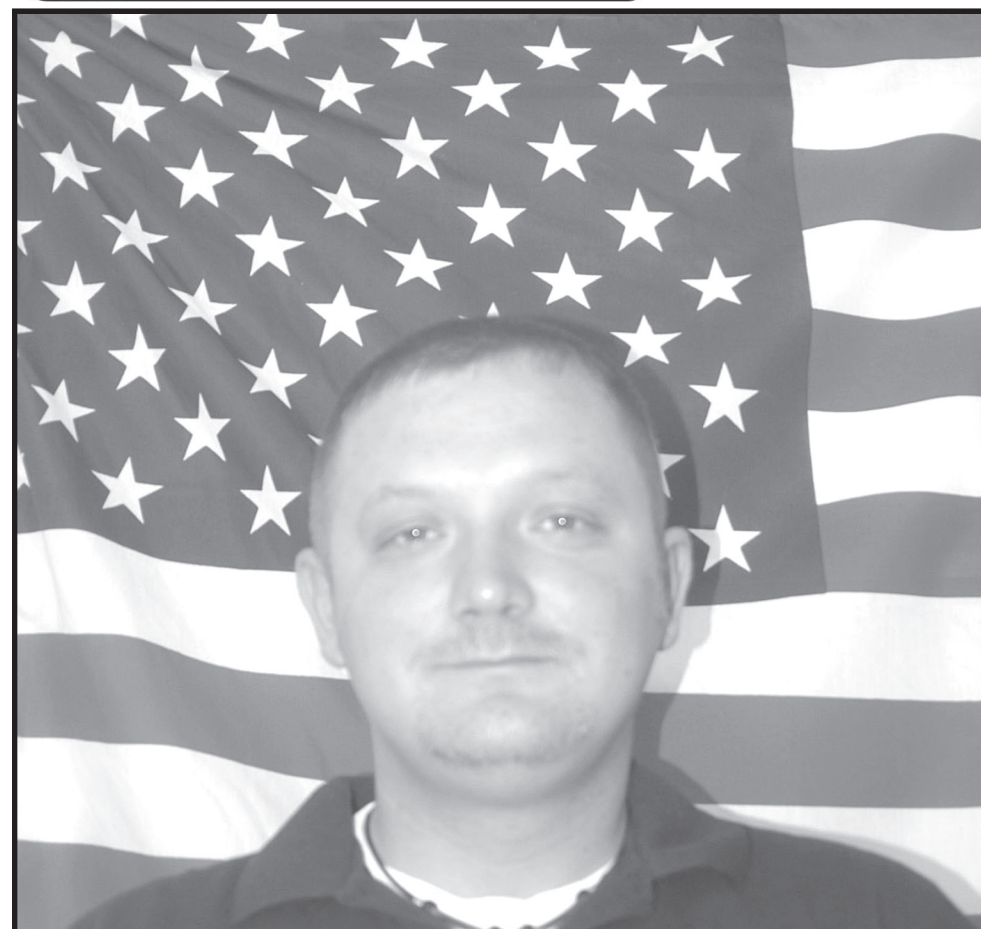
The Nicholas County High School softball team entertained 10th Region rival Augusta on Tuesday, April 6 in a double-header. Nicholas County played without its seniors who were on senior trip to New York City but still won in commanding fashion.

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11 Corinthian's 5-7
For we walk by faith, not by sight. Faith stand's squarely upon what God has spoken his word says in 1st peter 2:24 who his own self bore our sins in his own body on the tree that we being dead to sins should live unto righteousness. By whose stripes you were healed.
Proverb's 18-21 Death and Life are in the power of the tongue and they that love it shall eat the fruit there of.
Now you can see that your faith is measured by your word's on your confession. Your confession is your estimation of the value of the word of God when we realize that we will never rise above our confession we are getting to the place where God can move in your lives. If you will confess God's word that by his stripes you were healed. No matter what the symptoms are doesn't matter what anyone else says if you will believe God you will Receive. Hold fast to your confession that you were healed and no disease can stand before you. James 4:7 submit to God resist the Devil, and he will flee from you. Submitting to God is walking with him by agreeing with what he says. Resisting the devil is refusing to take part in his lie's. a wrong confession will keep you in defeat. If you continually talk sickness and disease that's what you will have. If you will look and look some more at what God says about health and healing. Believing it in you heart and speaking it out your mouth you will have it because God watches over his word to perform it always. Just as you made Jesus Lord of your life. Confess Jesus is my health my STRENGTH my Supply. He sent his word and healed them Psalm 107:20 Jesus is that word the name of Jesus and his words become your healing. Confession is confirming the word of God. It is a confession of your confidence in what God has Spoken. You see the miracles of GOD. When you expect to see them what do you expect. The BIBLE is our HEAVENTLY Bank, WE find Everything we want in it. The word Brings life, Health, PEACE and ABUNDANCE let the Lord Be your SHEPARD you shall not want. God wants us to live on FAITH VICTORY STREET BE BLESSED
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Work will include the following: Installation of aluminum bleacher seating at the Nicholas County High School Football Field; demolition of existing bleachers, earthwork, and concrete work.
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April

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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!

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.

20 Nicholas County Democratic Women

The Nicholas County Democratic Women's Club will meet April 20th , 6:30 pm at the Old Armory. Everyone urged to attend. Executive meeting 7:00 pm to follow.

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.

22 Loom Knitting

The Nicholas County Public Library will offer a class in "Loom Knitting a Hat" on April 22 from 10:00 to noon. Struggling with needle knitting? Loom knitting may be just for you. For the adult hat you will need a loom - such as the Knifty Knitter green round loom, a needle hook, a yarn needle (plastic is better) and 2 colors of yarn at least 4 oz. each. The class will be approximately 2 hours long.

May

6 Republication Party

Republican Party will meet in the Library basement at 7:00 pm on

May 6th. For more information call 859-473-2686

8 Nicholas County Cancer Coalition

The Nicholas County Cancer Coalition will sponsor the Celebration of Life on Saturday, May 8th at 11:00 am at The Carlisle United Methodist Church. The guest speaker will be State Representative, Sannie Overly. There will be a free brunch and gift bags for all those attending. All cancer survivors and care givers are encouraged to attend.

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 Shroud 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.

Three weekend accidents injure one

By Charles Mattox
News Editor
charles@thecarlislemercury.com

Baize, the sole occupant of the vehicle was transported to the Bourbon County Community Hospital and later transferred to the University of Kentucky Medical Center, according to Nicholas County Sheriff Dick Garrett, who continues to investigate the accident.

The weekend saw several accidents including those previously reported on, and two others, including an accident on April 10 near Moorefield at Clark funeral Home, which occurred when Shawn Treadway, 28, of Sharpsburg, lost control of a 1995 maroon S-10 pickup truck, which drove through across several driveways

and yards after leaving the roadway, before coming to rest on the steps of Clark Funeral Home.

Treadway was not injured and decline medical attention, according to Sheriff Garrett who responded.

Sheriff Garrett responded to a single-vehicle accident earlier the same day on Locust Grove Road when Daniel K. Treadway, 19, of Myers Road, was driving a 1994 Oldsmobile Cutlass Sierra, which was forced off the road by an oncoming vehicle, drove up an embankment and overturned.

Treadway was wearing a seatbelt and was not injured in the rollover.

Road Fatality Statistics

Preliminary statistics* indicate that nineteen people died in fifteen separate crashes on Kentucky roadways from Monday, April 5 through Sunday, April 11, 2010.

Fourteen of the crashes involved motor vehicles and nine of those victims were not wearing seat belts. The seat belt status of one victim is unknown. Single-fatality crashes occurred in Barren, Franklin, Fayette (2), Gallatin, Harrison, Jessamine, Lawrence, Lincoln, McCracken, Pike and Todd counties. The suspected use of alcohol was a factor in four of the crashes.

One double-fatality motor vehicle crash occurred in Boone county. A qua-

druple-fatality crash occurred in Lee County and none of the victims were wearing seat belts.

One pedestrian involved fatality occurred in Harlan County.

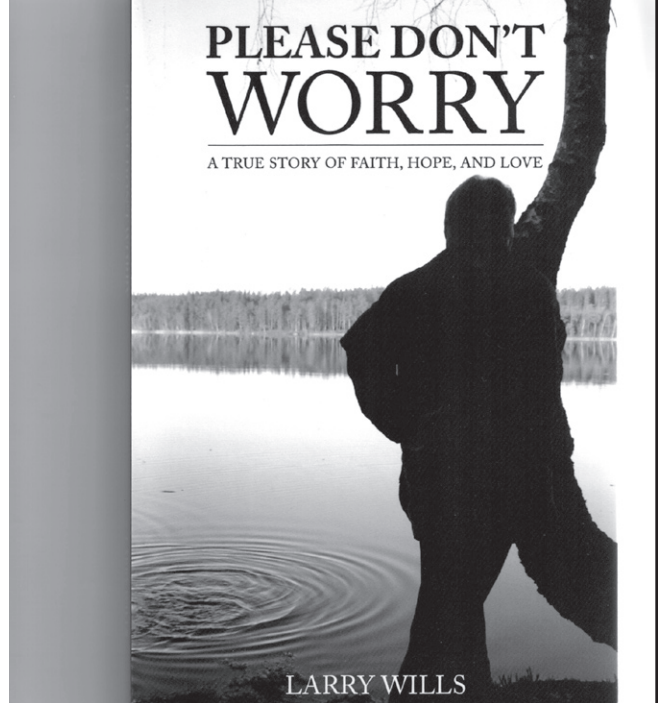
Through April 11, preliminary statistics* indicate that 182 people have lost their lives on Kentucky roadways during 2010. This is 28 less fatalities than reported for the same time period in 2009. There were 157 motor vehicle fatalities and 80 of those victims were not wearing seat belts. Twenty-eight of those crashes involved a commercial motor vehicle. Eighteen fatal crashes involved a pedestrian and 1 involved a scooter. Five crashes involved a motorcycle and three of those victims were not wearing helmets. One crash involved an ATV and the victim was

not wearing a helmet. A total of 38 fatalities have resulted from crashes involving the suspected use of alcohol.

Citizens can contribute to highway safety by reporting erratic drivers to the Kentucky State Police toll-free at 1-800-222-5555. Callers will remain anonymous and should give a description of the vehicle, location, direction of travel and license number if possible.

*These statistics are still preliminary as KSP waits for all local law enforcement agencies throughout the state to report any crashes and fatalities that may have occurred in their areas. Crash data for this report is generated from the Kentucky Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS).

Larry Wills, Nicholas County native and author of the autobiographical and deeply inspirational book, "Please Don't Worry A True Story of Faith, Hope, and Love" will present a special program with family members, and have a book signing at 2 p.m., Sunday at the Family Life Center, which is located just behind the Carlisle Christian Church.



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GENERAL NEWS



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The recent 'Doughnuts for Dads' celebration at Nicholas County Elementary School was a great success and was enjoyed by many.



Photo by Melissa Mitchell

Jay Mitchell, is working up the ground and getting ready to plant potatoes on this spring day.

Placing signs on state highway right of way is illegal

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet wants to remind people that placing signs on state right of way is illegal. This activity increases during election years. All signs pose various hazards for drivers and for maintenance workers. State highway workers remove and discard dozens of these illegally-placed signs. Political candidates and their supporters as well as any type advertisement can avoid this by not placing signs on state right of way.

"This is a matter of safety, not only for motorists but for our em-

ployees and contractors who put their lives at risk every day to maintain our roads," said Rob Hans, chief district engineer for the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet District 6 Office. "These signs restrict sight distance at busy intersections, which are common places for these signs to be placed. Some of them can become hazards if they are blown over by the wind and end up on the highway. They are often placed in the 'clear zone' which is the recovery zone for motorists who run off the roadway. And others interfere with some of our maintenance

activities." Once the sign removal program begins, signs encroaching upon the state's right of way that create a sight distance or other safety hazard or impede maintenance operations will be removed as necessary by District 6 maintenance personnel. Removed signs will be taken to the state highway garage in each county, where they will be kept for two weeks before being discarded. Owners of the signs may claim them by showing proper identification and completing a claim form. "State law prohibits the placement of these signs on state highway right of way," Hans said.

"When it becomes necessary, we will remove these illegally-placed signs so they will not interfere with our mowing and maintenance operations, and so they will not pose a safety hazard to motorists.

These signs will be removed without regard to whom they promote. We will treat all illegal signs the same."

"The safety of the traveling public is our overriding concern," Hans said. "There are several valid safety reasons that signs should not be placed on state right of way, and we are committed to keeping our highways as safe as possible."

Dates released for John Calipari Basketball School

The summer is approaching and with that, so too is the second annual John Calipari Basketball School. University of Kentucky Coach John Calipari will off this year's UK basketball camp circuit beginning with Team Camp on June 4-6. The summer camp schedule is as follows (Date, Camp): June 4-6, Team Camp; June 11-13, Team Camp No. 2; June 18-19, Father/Son Camp; July 19-20, Lil' Wildcat Day Camp; July 22-23, Wildcat Day Camp; July 25-28, Overnight Camp. For more information, call 859-257-1916, go online to www.ukathletics.com/camps or email Jason Walberg at jason.walberg@uky.edu. MSU Men's Basketball Team Camp: The Morehead State University men's basketball will hold its annual summer team camps beginning June 10 at MSU's two primary basketball arenas, Ellis T. Johnson Arena and Wetherby Gymnasium. The camp, which runs in two sessions, one June 10-12 and the other June 18-20, will feature four levels of play, seven camps per team with KHSAA or certified officials. There will be athletic trainers on staff, campers will stay in air conditioned dorms within walking distance

of the gyms. There will be a camp store for refreshments and t-shirts for campers and coaches. The entry fee is \$100 per team with per camper fees ranging from \$65 to \$135 depending on meals and lodging needed. Questions regarding the camp can be addressed to Joel Zimmerman in the MSU basketball office at 606-783-5143 or via email at j.zimmerman@moreheadstate.edu.

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GENERAL NEWS

Property Transfers

Submitted by Jorita H. Anderson

564-Deed of Conveyance by Tina Payne executrix estate of Mildred Green to Tina and Arnold Payne Jr., Archdeacon Ave. Love and Affection Transfer tax \$20.00.

566-Country Wide Home Loan Service vs. Ronald B. Vance Master Commissioner, Joseph H. Conley parcel of land in Nicholas County known as 12 Heaven Lane.

570- Special Warranty Deed between House hold Finance Corp. and Gerald Tubbs land on South Side of Main St. Transfer tax \$45.00.

573-Deed of Conveyance Earl Planck Jr and Suzanna Planck husband and wife to Robert Carson (0.03 acres).

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582- Joe Malone, Jr. single and Steven B. Malone land in Nicholas Cty.

593- Rita F. Hunt, single and Michael R. Hunt, party of second party quit claim deed; land on Dixie Hwy.

597- Howard K. and Lynda George first party and Howard K. Gregory second party, Lynda George third party to change form of ownership land on Pleasant Springs Turnpike containing 47.05 acres.

604- Douglas L. and Sheila Tolson and Jack Martin Goins, as trustee party of second part and Douglas L. and Sheila Tolson, parties of third part land in Nicholas County on Waters of Somerset Creek. No tax.

611- Sol Brock (former-

ly the husband of Grantee to Patricia Brock, unmarried quit claim deed two tracts in Nicholas County.

615 - Eagle valley Farms, LTD. To Rodney L. Matthews land on Hwys 32 and 36 \$128.50 deed tax.

618 - Eagle Valley Farms LTD. To Ralph A. Hovermale land on hwys 32 and 36 \$77.50 deed tax.

622 - Billy Joe and Sherry Workman to Betty Workman land in Nicholas County gift.

629- Commissioners Deed OCWEN Federal Bank, FSB vs. Eddie Sexton, Ashley Sexton, Central Bank, FSB county of Nicholas to Federal Home Mortgage Corp. 847 Walnut Grove Road.

630 - Betty L. Bernardi executrix of Frances Broderick Estate to Billy A. and Wanda Tincher house and lot in Carlisle deed tax \$10.00.

635- Taylor, Beans, and Whitaker Mortgage Corp. to Jackie A. Ramsey Jr. 128 Oriole street deed tax \$55.00.

638- Donald L. and Mary L. Faul to Greg and Toni S. Spivey house and lot Sycamore deed tax \$93.50.

643- Frances Herington unmarried widow to Vicky Lynn Herington 1655 Stoney Creek Rd, her daughter gift.

648- Keith and Linda T. Hardwick, husband and wife to Alan R. White unmarried 213 North Street deed tax \$38.00.

651- R.J. and Mary D. Banta to Ricky D. and Linda H. Crump land in Nicholas County deed tax \$46.00.

654- Letton C. and Linda F. Williams to

Johnnie L. and Paul E. Shadd Jr. real estate in Nicholas County deed tax \$7.50.

657- Estil J. Noffsinger, unmarried 2088 Lexa Court, Cincinnati OH 45231 and 215 Easter Ave. to Estil Jones Noffsinger Trust no tax.

661- Bruner Land Company Inc. to Bradley D. and Christa L. Derosa land in Nicholas County-Snake Ridge Rd. Subdivision. \$38.00 deed tax.

665- Elizabeth Ann Howard, unremarried widow to Wendy D. Price land in Alexandria Subdivision, Kennedy Heights. \$82.00 deed tax.

668- Nicholas County Historical Society Michelle K. McDonald, President to Phillip A. and Gertrude Anne Tubbs \$92.00 deed tax.

671- Barbara Glass to Dixie Davidson land in Nicholas County Lto #7 High ridge acres deed tax \$65.00.

673- Douglas R. and Matilda Hamilton to Steven Douglas and Jo Anne Hamilton land on Burriss Road in Nicholas County deed tax \$5.00.

676- Brian and Myrna M. Myers to Bernis Napier and Anna Sue Napier husband and wife land in Nicholas County 4 tracts 214 acres deed tax \$180.00.

680 - Joseph Tilton and Beverly A. Hammonds to Larry and Noemi Le Blanc land on Nicholas County on North Side of Abners Mill Road 81 acres \$165.00 deed tax.

702- Shelly D. Gabriel, single 102 Maria Court, Paris to John Brooks Gabriel Jr. single 97 Azalla Court Quit Claims Deed.

MERCURY TRIANGLE HEADQUARTERS~SALTWELL~BARTERVILLE

Submitted by Phyllis Brady

Get Well wishes go out to Shelia Brady who has been taking tests, and not been well lately. Perhaps from the stress of losing her Mom and helping sit with her for a month prior to her passing.

The Saltwell United Methodist Women had their monthly meeting on Monday night, April 5, at the church, with 12 women. Joyce Smith called the meeting to order. Phyllis Gaunce gave a good devotional entitled "The Fence." Four our program we saw a video about "Refugees in Sudan," When are we going to get our Freedom?" Such a poor country and not knowing each day what they may encounter. We should Thank God everyday for how blessed we are. Joyce always shares stories from the New World Outlook magazine. Molly Smith read the minutes of the last meeting and roll call with each quoting a Bible Verse and then report of sick visits made an charities given. We then had old and new business and announcements. Our project for this month was bringing things for the nursing home. Next month is bringing clothes for the needy. May is our Mother Daughter Banquet, with a speaker. Our cluster meeting for the county is April 27 at Moorefield. Tonight six women were given a small gift for having perfect attendance last year. They were Molly and Joyce Smith, Sharon Feedback, Sue Tanner, Phyllis Brady and Ann Smith. Several only missed once. The meal tonight was prepared by Phyllis Brady and Ann Smith for 21 in attendance. This being the month for men to meet too and we had 9 men. Phyllis had decorated 4 tables for Easter with pastel colors and used centerpieces and rabbits and grass and eggs and candy. Everyone was given favors but sev-

eral also received door prizes. Everyone enjoyed the meeting and the fellowship as we always do. Get well wishes and prayers go to Sue Tanner who had eye surgery last week.

Fourteen Homemakers, mostly Ellisville, attended the musical play "Always: Pasty Cline" at the Washington Opera House, downtown Maysville on Sunday afternoon. It shows 8 times in April. Through the year about four plays are performed.

Prayers go out to Sue Rule who is recuperating from a fall in her yard last week. Also Alberta Glass is not too well. She fell at her home, in the night recently and tried for a very

long time to get up. Mrs. Daisey Caywood passed away last week in Johnson Mathers Health Care. She and dear husband, Frank had been there couple years or more. Rev. Vernon Adams preached her funeral. He had been her pastor for 9 years.

Pastor Brenda Routt has finally finished with many medical tests and results from all are in and some were O.K. and a few with some problems.

Jeff Doyle, Charles and Shelby Doyle, Donnie and Melba Doyle helped with the Woodmen of the World Skating party held at Charlies' Roller Rink on Sunday afternoon, It is for members and guests.

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How to Train your Dragon PG 1:25, 4:20, 7:10, 9:25	Death at a Funeral R 1:00, 4:45, 7:15, 9:40
Alice in Wonderland PG 1:15, 4:30	Clash of the Titans PG-13 1:30, 4:10, 7:20, 10:00
The Bounty Hunter PG-13 1:35, 4:25, 7:25, 9:50	The Last Song PG 1:40, 4:40, 7:30, 9:55
Kick Ass R 1:20, 4:05, 7:05, 9:50	Date Night PG-13 1:05, 4:35, 7:00, 9:35
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Mercury Memories

April 18, 1985
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State Chamber of Commerce officials have asked representatives of Jockey International Inc. Armco, West Vaco and Ashland Oil to a discussion of any future legal action which could be taken to stop the enforcement.

April 18, 1985
Nicholas County School Districts will participate in Kentucky School Attendance Week, April 22-26 a statewide competition to increase pupil attendance.

April 14, 1960
The annual Cancer Drive in Nicholas County will be launched Tuesday night, April 19, when workers will make a house to house canvas from 6:30 to 7:30 PM.

April 14, 1960
Several hundred persons Thursday attended open house at the new Giffin Manufacturing Co. building on Ky. 36 west of Carlisle.

The open house for the company's new building was also an observance of the 12th anniversary of the company's operation here.

April 18, 1935
More than 1,600 residents of Masonic and church homes in

Kentucky will be made happy Sunday when they have for their Easter dinner home-baked cakes furnished by the women of Carlisle and Nicholas County.

April 18, 1935
A drive to sustain what is probably the greatest movement ever undertaken in this county in the interest of humanity.

Namely the Johnson Memorial Hospital, will start on Thursday, April 25th.

Meeting Notice

Harrison County Water Association Inc. Will be having their annual meeting April 21st at 7:00 p.m. For the purpose of conducting the associations business. The office is located on US 27 South Cynthiana, Ky. Harrison County. Harrison County Water Association Inc.

William Robert Toadvine, President

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An Open House will be held on Tuesday, May 11, 2010 from 10:00-11:00 a.m.
The minimum acceptable bid for this property has not been determined at this time.
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, May 18, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. at 136 Oriole Street, Carlisle, Kentucky, in order to raise the sum of \$31,481.22 principal, together with interest credit subsidy granted in the amount of \$44,752.45, plus interest in the amount of \$1,401.87 as of May 6, 2008, and interest thereafter on the principal at \$7.7624 from May 6, 2008, until the date of Judgment, plus interest on the Judgment amount (principal plus interest to the date of Judgment) at the rate of 0.29% 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. 5:08-CV-00361-KSF on the Lexington Docket of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, entered on December 10, 2009, in the case of United States of America vs. Rebecca Blake, Et Al, the following described property will be sold to the highest and best bidder:

A certain tract or parcel of land located in the Alexander Subdivision, known as Lot No. 214, according to a plat thereof recorded in Deed Book 69, page 633-34, Nicholas County Clerk's Office, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in Oriole Street and corner to Lot No. 215; thence N 70 deg. 30 Min W 100 feet along the line of Lot No. 215 to a point in the lands of Billy K. Anderson; corner to Lot No. 215; thence S 19 deg. 30 Min West 80 feet along the line of Anderson land to the corner of Lot No. 213; thence S 70 deg. 30 Min East 100 feet along the line of Lot No. 213 to Oriole Street, thence N 19 deg. 30 Min. East 80 feet along Oriole Street 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 0.29% 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.

Inquires should be directed to: Jimmy Hall, Area Director, Rural Development Area Office Morehead, Kentucky Telephone: 606-784-6447

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COMMUNITY

Meet the Candidates

On April 17th at 1:00 p.m. in the Vanlandingham Park there will be a Community Weiner Roast and an opportunity to meet the candidates. The following candidates will be attending the event.

- Kenny Lyons-Nicholas County Judge Executive
- Doug Fryman – Nicholas County Clerk
- Dick Garrett-Nicholas County Sheriff
- Kevin Booth- Nicholas County Sheriff
- Bobby Price – Nicholas County Sheriff
- Kevin Hatchett- Nicholas County Coroner
- Emily Gaunce –Nicholas County Coroner
- Jason Curtis – Nicholas County Coroner
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- Nicholas County Magistrate 4th District
- Debby Ecton –
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- Marsha Foster –
- Nicholas County Constable 1st District
- Peter Newberry – District Judge
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Relay for Life Needs Silent Auction Donations

A popular event each year at the Bourbon County Relay for Life is the Silent Auction. Last year the Silent Auction raised over \$4,500. The goal for this year is \$5,000. "I know raising the goal in this economy is asking a lot, but Cancer doesn't take into consideration our economy and we need to raise even more to help those with Cancer who may also be losing income at the same time. That's why it's even more important to give if you can." stated Diane Wagoner, Silent Auction Chair. The hospital (Bourbon Community Hospital) is spearheading the silent auction again this year and has sent letters to businesses asking for donations. Donations need to be

received prior to the Community Hospital (859/987-1001) or e-mail her at diane.wagoner@LPNT.net. Each business making a donation will be recognized in press releases about the Silent Auction and will also have a 8 1/2" x 11" sign next to the donated item during the auction to advertise their business and acknowledge their donation. Diane went on to say, "The community has always been very supportive of charities and I'm confident they will continue to support those in need." Businesses or individuals wishing to donate an item or service for the Silent Auction may contact Diane at Bourbon

American Heart Association Proclaimed



The American Heart Association proclaimed April 7, 2010, as National Start Walking Day. This was the day for adults nationwide to make the pledge to start walking and become active and heart healthy, especially in the workplace. In accordance with this proclamation the employees of Amedisys Home Health Care wore their tennis shoes to work and started their day of with a walk on the Paris By-Pass. Those who participated were Christianne Janes, OT, Pam

King, PTA, Cindy Hughes, Director of Operations, Amy Vice, Business Office Manager, GinnyPerraut, Business Office Specialist, Tawnya Colwell, Account Executive, Pat Price, RN, Amanda Mattingly, PTA, Amy Florence, RN, Janet Lewis, OT, Judy Wade, RN, Rita Baisden, LPN, Joan Zufelt, LPN, Layla Wilson, HHA, and Jennifer Cleaver, Clinical Manager Assistant. Amedisys Home Health Care serves Bourbon, Harrison, and Nicholas Counties.

Voter Deadlines

There are several important deadlines approaching for Kentuckians this time of year. With all the talk about deadlines for the census and filing tax returns, you don't want to overlook a deadline for the upcoming primary election. Kentuckians who wish to vote in the upcoming May 18, 2010 primary election only have a few more days to register to vote. The deadline to register for the upcoming May primary is Monday, April 19, 2010. County Clerks' offices throughout Kentucky will accept voter registration cards until the close of business

that day. A postmark of April 19th is also required for all mail-in voter registration applications. Registration cards can be obtained over the internet at www.vote.ky.gov/register. "I encourage all citizens who have not already done so, to register to vote today," stated Kentucky Secretary of State Trey Grayson. "We hope to see everyone exercising their constitutional right to vote on May 18th." Also, minors who are 17 years old but will be 18 years old on or before

the general election (November 2, 2010) are eligible to register and entitled to vote in the upcoming primary but are not eligible to vote in special elections unless they are 18 years old. Secretary Grayson reminds voters that if they have moved recently, they need to update their voter registration so that they are allowed to vote on election day. In particular, if a voter has moved from one county to another prior to the voter registration books closing and he or she does not update his or her voter registration, that voter will not be allowed to vote in the primary election. Grayson also noted that Kentucky has closed party primaries, which requires citizens to register as a Democrat or Republican by December 31, 2009, to be eligible to vote in that party's May 2010 Primary. If a voter changes his or her political party registration after December 31, 2009, he or she will not be eligible to vote in the party primary of his or her newly chosen party or former party; however, he or she may vote in nonpartisan

city and judicial primaries. Voters with a different political registration other than Republican or Democrat cannot vote in the Republican or Democrat party primaries but may vote in non-partisan city and judicial primaries. All eligible and registered voters, regardless of political party registration, may vote in the November 2010 General Election or any special election. If citizens are unsure whether they have registered to vote or uncertain as to where they will vote, they can view all of that information on-line through the Voter Information Center (VIC). The VIC will tell voters where they are registered to vote, the location of their polling site, and their political affiliation. It also provides links to elected representatives and driving directions from the voter's home to his or her polling location. VIC can be accessed at www.vote.ky.gov/vic. To obtain a list of county clerks and other voter registration sites in your area, contact the Kentucky State Board of Elections at (502) 573-7100 or via the web at www.elect.ky.gov.

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SPORTS

Lady Jackets level Pendleton

The Nicholas County High School softball team posted its second straight shutout win on Wednesday (March 31), cruising past longtime rival Pendleton County 14-0 in five innings. Nicholas County, playing on the road after opening the season one week earlier with a commanding 15-0 win in three innings over Silver Grove at home, steadily pulled away from Pendleton County and forced the mandatory KHSAA (Kentucky High

School Athletic Association) Mercy Rule to go into effect. Pitcher Shelby Brown claimed her second win of the season for the Nicholas County High School softball team. Brown stifled the opposing batters from Pendleton County, pitching a no-hitter. The Lady Jackets put forth a diverse offensive effort. Nicholas County made the most of its opportunities at the plate. The Lady Jackets plated 14 runs on 14 hits. Petrea Mitchell

and Shelby Sosby paced Nicholas County offensively with two doubles each. Nicholas County utilized more than one multi-run inning to compile the shut-out win. Several Nicholas County batters put the ball in play and dropped in hits against the Pendleton County defense. "We hit some hard shots and I believe our offense will be fine - even when we begin to face better pitchers," veteran Nicholas County Coach Barry Bretz

said. "My main concern is catching the ball on defense. Our first two opponents haven't scored on us, but this has been a case of Shelby Brown overmatching the other team's batters. We will really wake up when we play a good hitting team that will expose our weaknesses on defense." Christine Dunn doubled and Reesa Martin provided the other extra-base hit for the Lady Jackets when she legged out

a triple. The Lady Jackets will face the Falmouth-Nicholas County is slated based high school softball to host Pendleton County team again this season on April 19.

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the UK Interior Design Dept. have studied four buildings in the downtown area of Carlisle. The student teams will present their ideas on April 30 at 6:30 p.m., in the Neal Welcome Center for the community, during which the

Chamber members will provide refreshments. The four buildings chosen for the study are the Cole Building, The Carlisle Mercury Building, former home of the Old National Bank, the upstairs of the Neal Building (Mozart Hall

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SPORTS

Culbertson signs Lindsey Wilson

Sebastian Culbertson, 18, moved to Nicholas County from Bourbon County his junior year. He is now part of the first recruiting class for the Lindsey Wilson College Blue Raiders Football team in 75 years. Lindsey Wilson will play their first game on September 4th, taking on Notre Dame

College. Culbertson signed his letter of intent to play for Lindsey Wilson College on Tuesday afternoon at the high school. Blue Jacket Coach Robert Hopkins, who is also the Nicholas County Schools Athletic Director, was present for the signing and called Culbertson "a very good defensive

tackle who helped the Blue Jackets tremendously this season." Coach Hopkins went on to say that he believed Culbertson "would be a great asset for Lindsey Wilson College as a student and student athlete." Congratulations Mr. Culbertson from the staff of the Carlisle



Mercury on a fine year as a Blue Jacket, and best wishes with your college endeavors.



Photos by Joshua Harper

Jackets drop road game to Henry Clay

The Nicholas County High School baseball returned to action on Monday for the first time since April 3. Nicholas County, which edged Bath County 5-4 during its most recent outing prior to Monday, nearly matched host Henry Clay hit for hit during a road game Monday evening. The Jackets, however, couldn't make the most of their offensive opportunities. Host Henry Clay secured a lead and gradually pulled away from the

Jackets. Nicholas County pushed across a run in the top half of the first inning then never scored again as Henry Clay separated itself and eventually prevailed 7-1. Senior Kyle Campbell drove in Nicholas County's lone run in the first inning after connecting on a fielder's choice. Homestanding Henry Clay moved out in front and never trailed again. Offensively, Ben Lane and Dylan Fryman paced Nicholas County with two hits apiece. Henry Clay

owned a slim 6-5 advantage over the Jackets in the hits category. Nicholas County tossed a strong contingent of pitchers at the Henry Clay club. Campbell and John Dalton Wagoner pitched two innings apiece for the Jackets. Dylan Fryman and Zach Lemons also pitched for the Nicholas County baseball team. Defensively, each team committed an error. Nicholas County, which is gearing up for tournament competition, dropped

to 3-6 following the loss. The Jackets are due back in action on Thursday against Bracken County in the opening round of the 10th Region All "A" Classic. Bishop Brossart is the defending 10th Region All "A" Classic. Nicholas County finished runner-up to Bishop Brossart in the 10th Region All "A" Classic last season. Bishop Brossart defeated the Jackets 10-5 in the 2009 10th Region All "A" Classic championship game.

Nicholas girls fall to 12th-ranked Clark

After opening the season 2-0 with convincing shutout wins over Silver Grove and Pendleton County, Nicholas County hosted 12th ranked-Clark County on Thursday (April 1) as one of the state's top high school softball teams visited Carlisle for a non-district game. Mighty Clark County moved out in front early on and never faltered. The Lady Cardinals controlled the game. Nicholas County was held hitless and scoreless as Clark County won 15-0 in four innings. Defensive hardships limited the Lady Jackets. Nicholas County committed half a dozen errors against the hard-hitting Clark County club. Shelby Brown and Emily Curran split time pitching for the Lady Jackets.

Walton-Verona and East Jessamine prior to claiming the victory over Nicholas County. "We committed six errors on defense against the Lady Cards," Nicholas County Coach Barry Bretz commented following his team's loss to Clark County. "We did not have a hit but Clark County made some nice plays on us and we only had five to six strikeouts. Both Shelby Brown and Emily Curran threw fine for us and I was proud of their efforts but we just did not catch the ball and back them up. Our trademark at Nicholas County has always been our defense. We have led the 10th Region the past two years in the fewest earned runs allowed per

game. I have seen the defensive woes coming since our early practices. I have realigned our defense several times to get the best possible team on the field. I have players playing out of their natural positions to try and shore up our defense and make our team better. (Clark County) Coach (Jackie) McCloud was telling me that Nicholas County teams always improve each year and I would get something straightened out and find a solution. I take that as a big compliment to me and my staff and to our program we have at Nicholas County. If we would have caught it we would have been in the game against one of the top

teams in the state." The Lady Jackets didn't come away empty against Clark County. Nicholas County prevailed in the junior varsity game, edging Clark County 4-3. Freshman pitcher Reesa Martin picked up the win for the Nicholas County junior varsity team. "The day wasn't all bad as we beat Clark's JV team 4-3 behind the pitching of freshman Reesa Martin," Bretz said. "We had three strong pitchers throw against Clark and each did an outstanding job for us." At press time on Tuesday (April 6), Nicholas County was scheduled to host 10th Region rival Augusta in a doubleheader.

The Caring Hearts Family Fun Day

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SPORTS

Old School Team dominates basketball tournament

By Charles Mattox
News Editor
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Talent is a great thing, but talent combined with experience is hard to beat.

Three talented Nicholas basketball players won a three-on-three tournament at Owingsville at Victory Park over the weekend.

Alvin McNabb, 50, Michael King, 47, and Ryan McNabb 27, defeated seven teams in a double elimination tournament to claim first place in the tour-

ney. The name of the team says it all, "The Old School."

"Alvin and I have been playing ball for several years and at first we started out playing against one another," Mike King said Monday. "Ryan is much younger than his father and me, and he is incredibly talented."

King is no slouch himself, and the trio is quickly becoming local legends in the three-on-three tournaments in the region.

King, a native of Bath

County, who grew up as a youngster enjoying the atmosphere of Ralph Crouch's Country Store in Bethel, now lives in Carlisle, but attends Bethel Community Church, which sits on the same property where Crouch's Country Store once stood. The McNabb's live on Upper Sharpsburg and East Union Road.

"Sometimes when Alvin or I make a good play, some of our younger opponents will holler at us and say, 'Hey Old Man, you can't make a play like that!'"

King said. "Most of our opponents are only 20-years-old."

King says he gives credit where credit is due.

"I am just very thankful to God that I can still play and I feel like I'm in pretty good shape," King said.

King and Alvin McNabb have a lot of experience playing in leagues in Flemingsburg



and other local communities, and both have played against local greats from Maysville, including Chris Lofton and Darius Miller.

If you get a chance to attend a local three-on-three basketball tournament this summer, keep your eyes open for some of the best talent in the region and state.

They're from "The Old School."

School Menu

Nicholas County

School Menu

Thursday April 15

Breakfast

French Toast Stix

Lunch

Ham Sandwich or Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Salad, Green Beans, Bread Slice Fruit Choices.

Friday April 16

Breakfast

Breakfast Pizza

Lunch

Sub Sandwich w/ trimmings, Baked Potato Chips, Baked Beans, Jello w/fruit, Fruit choices

Monday April 19

Breakfast

Biscuits and Gravy

Lunch

Turkey Sandwich or Corn Dog or minis Potato Selection, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Fruit Choices

Tuesday April 20

Breakfast

Ham Biscuit

Lunch

Peanut Butter sandwich or Chicken Selection w/ sauce, whole potatoes, broccoli n'cheese, Texas toast, Fruit choices, cookies.

Wednesday April 21

Breakfast

Bacon Egg and Toast

Lunch

Pimento Cheese Sandwich or Nacho Supreme Salsa, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Sour Cream, Refried Beans w/cheese, corn, fruit choices.

Engagement



Taff and Sims Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Taff, of Georgetown, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Megan to Marion Travis Sims of Carlisle.

Ms. Taff is a graduate of Scott County High School and the University of Kentucky where she received her Bachelors degree in Elementary Education. She is employed by the Nicholas County Board of Education and teaches sixth grade Science at Nicholas County Elementary and Middle School.

Mr. Sims is a graduate of Nicholas County High School and Georgetown College where he earned his Bachelors and Masters Degree in Physical Education. He is employed by the Nicholas County Board of Education and teaches Physical Education at Nicholas County Elementary and Middle School.

The wedding will be in September at Lake Carnico. Invitations to follow. The couple will reside in Carlisle.

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The children and grandchildren of Sarah Curry would like to express their sincere appreciation for all the prayers, cards, flowers, and food brought to us, during mom's illness and death. We would like to thank Dr. Ana Rinaldini, Hospice, and the staff of JMHIC and dietary. We would like to also thank Mathers-Gaunce for the beautiful funeral services as well as Bro. Rocky Wallace for a wonderful and loving service. God Bless you all

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COURT NEWS

Nicholas County Circuit Court Hon. Jay Delaney April 5, 2010

Jerry Tabor vs. Eric Jolly SH. Motion to enforce mediation agreement overruled. State Farms motion for summary judgment by State Farm granted. Order to be entered. Status Conference May 3, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

Citimortgage INC vs. Pauline Mastin. MH. motion granted order entered.

Chase Home Finance LLC vs. Stephen S. Paynter. MH. motion granted order entered.

Captial One Bank (USA) vs. Roberta J. Mitchell. MH. challenge to garnishment sustained. Order to be entered.

Deutsche Bank National Trust Company vs. Roger Warmouth. MH. motion granted order entered.

Estate of Lexa O. Conway vs. William R. Bentley. MH. motion for summary judgment passed to 5/17/10 at 9:00 a.m. (Wayne Fritz unavailable due to medical issues).

Community Trust Bank vs. Harold Keaton. MH motion granted order entered.

Velocity Investments LLC vs. Sandra Hopkins. MH. def Judg granted in princ amount of \$4, 267.38, post judg int. at 12% and costs OTBS.

Bac Home Loans Servicing LP vs. Darrell R. Sargent. MH. motion granted

order entered. Bac Home Loans servicing LP vs Christopher Bussell. MH. motion granted order entered referral entered.

Bac Home Loans Servicing LP vs Debbie S. Roe. Mh. motion granted order entered.

HSBC Bank USA vs. Louis Browning. MH. motion granted order entered.

Lendmark Financial Services vs. Kirk Robinson. MH> motion passed to 4/19/10 at 9 :00 a.m plain to supp file with any answer of def.

Valerie Dray vs. Chris L. Agee. MH. motion withdrawn agreed order to be submitted.

Robert Neil Brown. OH. Probation violation (for Felony offense) def not present. Pass to 4/19/10 at 9:00 a.m transport order to issue.

Patricia Ann Feedback. REV. def not present by agreement; case remanded from docket.

Christopher Wayne Myers. Mh. motion granted order tbs.

RichardAllenLanter. PTC. 1. convicted felon in possession of a handgun. 2. op mv under/influence of alcohol/drugs etc. .08 1st off. Jury trial 6/10/10 at 9:00 a.m. final PTC 6/7/10 at 9:00 a.m.

Jack Bradley Combs. SENT. Sentenced as follows: 12 moth sentence probated (supervised) for a period of 2 years.

Mario Dionico Carmona. SENT motion for prob. Denied.

Sentence of one yr imposed with CTS. Plus restitution. Michael Harris. SENT. Probation denied sentenced as follows 5 yrs with credit to be held in county jail pursuant to 439.265 pending outcome of shock prob. Motion. David Buckler. SENT> probation denied. Sentenced to five years on cout one, one yr on count 2, 90 days on count 3 to run concurrently with each other to be held in county jail pending outcome of shock prob motion pursuant to 439.265 work release authorized if properly documented.

Benjamin Ritchie. ARR. 1. Burglary 2nd degree. 2. receiving stolen property u/\$500. 3. criminal mischief 3rd degree. Jenn Witt. P.D. appointed waive form arr NG plea Jury Trial 6/10/10 at 9:00 a.m final PTC. 6/7/10 at 9:00 a.m dis order entered.

Eric Brandon Earlywine. ARR. 1. criminal possession forged instrument 2nd degree. 2. fraudulent use of credit card u/\$10,000. PD app. Waive form arr. NG plea Jury trial 6/10/10 at 9:00 a.m. Final PTC 6/7/10 at 9:00 dis order entered.

Nicholas County Family Court Hon. Barbara Paul April 6, 2010

Kayla P. Earlywine vs. Nathan Allen Earlywine. MH. test taken decree entered.

Kimberly Lee Adams Leger vs. William Anthony Leger. MH. husb to attend PEC on 4/11/10 test taken decree entered. Rev 5/18/10 at 1:00 p.m.

Dwayne Allen McCall vs. Daleann Richie McCall. MH. test taken decree entered. Rev for PEC submit ck/sup rev 5/18/0 at 1:00 p.m.

JamieMcKeeBuckler vs. Timothy Gene Buckler. REV. pass rev 5/4/10 at 1 p.m.

Anthony Jason Dotson vs. Shivan Rae Dotson. SH. Fil eft memo rev 5/4/10 at 1 p.m. for memo final hearing on ch sup only 5/20/10 at 10 a.m

Lennie R. Stitt vs. Ronna Lynn Stitt. SH. Cont status 5/4/10 at 1 p.m.

Beverly McLean vs. Heather Buckler OH. Order entered contempt hearing 4/20/10 at 10:00 a.m. bond to be applied to child support.

Crystal B. Campos vs. Gariel Campos. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Patricia L. Trussell vs. Celia J. Eads. CH> order entered contempt hearing 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Patricia L. Trussell vs. Michael J. Eads. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Brenda Fryman vs. Billy Feedback. REV. order entered Rev 6/15/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Sharon M. Jolly vs. Charles R. Jolly SENT pd today cont 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.

Pamela J. Jolly vs.

Christinia M. Jolly (now Cervantes) REV. order entered Rev 5/18/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Sharon M. Jolly vs. Tara S. Jolly. SENT pd today cont 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Sally McFarland vs. Kristika King. CH. Order entered show cause by mail 4/20/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Angela Lane vs. Walter Lane. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Lisa M. Morris vs. Naomi C. McCall (now Morris) SENT. Order entered sentencing hearing 5/18/10 at 10:00 a.m

Helen McCall vs. Naomi C. McCall (now Morris) SENT. Order entered sentencing hearing 5/18/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Jay T. Wells vs. Naomi C. Morris. SENT order entered Sentencing hearing 5/18/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Cabinet for Health and Family Services vs. Jennifer Peters. CH. Order entered show cause by mail 4/20/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Tonia Quinlan vs. Charles K. Quinlan. SCH. Order entered rev. 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.

Laurie M. Dennis vs.

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Tony A. Roland. SCH> order entered contempt hearing 5/18/10 at 10:00 a.m.
 Daniel L. Boone vs. Ginger T. Sexton (Now Dryden). REV. order entered show cause by mail 4/20/10 at 10 a.m. c/o Danny Boone.
 Kathy J. Morris. vs. Melissa J. Stone. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 5/4/10 at 10:00 a.m.
 Janet L. Vaughn vs. Natasha R. Vaughn. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 4/20/10 at 10:00 a.m.
 Charles Walton vs. Sherry Y. Walton. CH. w/drawn.
 Marilyn K. Howard vs. Amanda G Wells. PRH. Pd \$80 today cont hearing 5/4/10 at 10a.,m order entered.
 Marilyn K. Howard vs. Kevin T. Wells. REV. order entered rev 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.
 Richard D. Hurd vs. Roger B. White. MH. order entered rev 6/15/10 at 10 a.m.
 Pamela K. Asbury vs. Elsie E. Asbury Jr. SENT. Order entered show cause by mail 4/20/10 at 10 a.m.

Lisa D. Bean vs. James R. Bean. SCH. Order entered rev 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.
 Woodie L. Buzzard vs. Linda R. Buzzard. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 5/18/10 at 10 a.m.
 Shirley H. Frederick vs. Michael Dale Frederick. REV. order entered contempt hearing 4/20/10 at 10 a.m.
 Comm of Ky Ex Rel Donald Gaunce Jr. vs. Anna Faye Gregory. MH. order entered to transfer to Harrison County.
 Nancy Markwell vs. Steven Markwell. REV. order entered rev 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.
 Darrel Blain Shepherd vs. Brenda J. Shepherd. CH. Order entered contempt hearing 4/20/10 at 10 a.m.
 Jo Ann Purcell vs. Larry White. SCH. Order entered show cause hearing 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.
 Virgina Wright vs. James L. Wright. SCH. Order entered Rev 5/4/10 at 10 a.m.

Nicholas County District Court Hon. William D. Probus. April 7, 2010
 In Re: Charles Anthony Washington II. REV. final settlement filed; to be advertised and taken under advisement. Order entered terminating guardianship.
 In Re: Chevy Xavier Don Bussell PH. Order entered.
 Estate of William Robert Hughes. MH. order entered.
 In Re: Beverly Ann Middleton. PH. Order entered.
 Arrow Financial services vs. Vicky Steffan. MH. default judgment for plaintiff.
 Vanda Muddu ARR. speeding 14 mph over

limit. Pd in ful. Michael T. Perry. ARR. speeding 10 mph over limit. Cont at req of def to 4/14/10 at 12.
 Kelley Jo Angel. OH. Cont at req of def to 4/14/10 at 12 due to death in family.
 Ashely A. Bates. ARR. failure to register to transfer of motor vehicle. Proof dismissed.
 Christy Jo Beaty. ARR. failure to sue child restraint device in vehicle. Bond to be applied to fine and costs and fees. SCO of balance in full 4/28/10 at 1:00 p.m. GP \$50 c.
 Jeffery Allan Brady. OH. Theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. By agreement of def \$68.85 of cash bond posted to be paid over to OCA for restitution

n full. GP \$10 c balance of bond to be applied to fines and costs SCO 5/12/10 at 10 a.m.
 Travis G. Dingress. Bond be applied to fines and costs def agrees to pay NLT \$50/ mo beg the 2nd Monday of each month if payments made as agreed def need not appear in court. SCO 5/12/10 at 10 a.m.
 Joshua Hunt. REV. cont by agreement to 5/26/10 at 12.
 Joshua Hunt. REV. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. 2. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. 3. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. 4. theft by deception incl cold checks under \$300. Cont by agreement to 5/26/10 at 12


def in residential rehab.
 Damon Jackson. OH. Theft by deception incl cold checks unde \$300. by agreement \$130.00 of cash bond posted to be paid over to OCA for restitution in full. GP \$10 C bal of bond to be applied to fine cost and fees.
 Damon Jackson. OH. Theft by unlawful taking/disp shoplifting PD apted NG PC 4/25/10 at 1:00 p.m.
 Christy Jo Mullins. PTC. parent/custodian send child to school 1st and 2nd. PC cont to 4/28/10 at 1:00 p.m. for review attendance records.
 Crystal F. Pack. ARR. disorderly conduct 2nd degree. GP \$100 c SCO 7/14/10 at 10 a.m.

Annual Tree Give-Away

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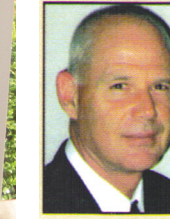
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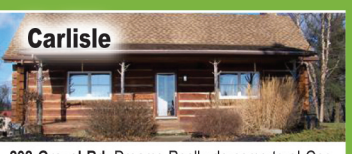
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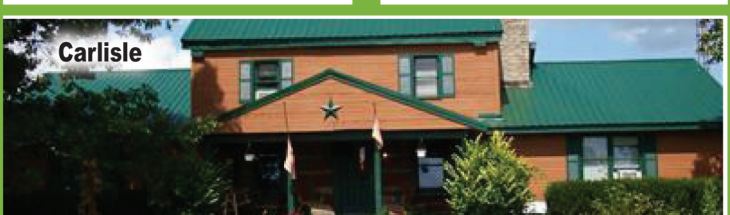
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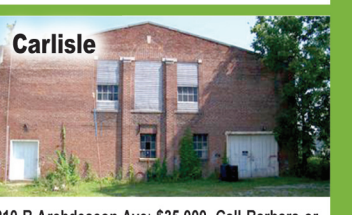
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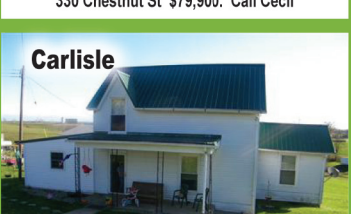
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Carlisle NEW
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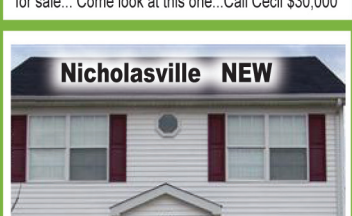
N Middletown NEW
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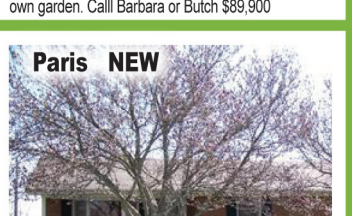
Paris NEW
432 Chamber St.: Great location 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in downtown Paris. Has eat in kitchen, ceiling fans, deck, front porch, private driveway and off street parking. Call Cecil \$114,900



Nicholasville NEW
500 Wichita Dr.: 2 Story home with 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, bonus room on 1st floor could be 4th bedroom or office. Great location close to shopping and schools. Call Barbara or Butch 129,900



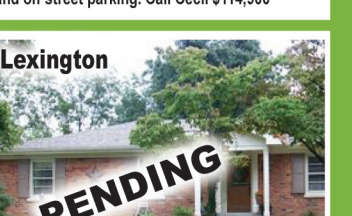
Winchester NEW
217 Dubuy Dr.: This Home Has A Lot To Offer With 3 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, Kitchen, Living room, Family room. New Tile Work In Kitchen With All Appliances Staying Including Washer And Dryer. All New Floor Coverings including, Laminate, Tile and Carpet. Back Of Home Features Deck And Privacy Fence. Call Barbara or Butch \$132,500



Paris NEW
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PENDING
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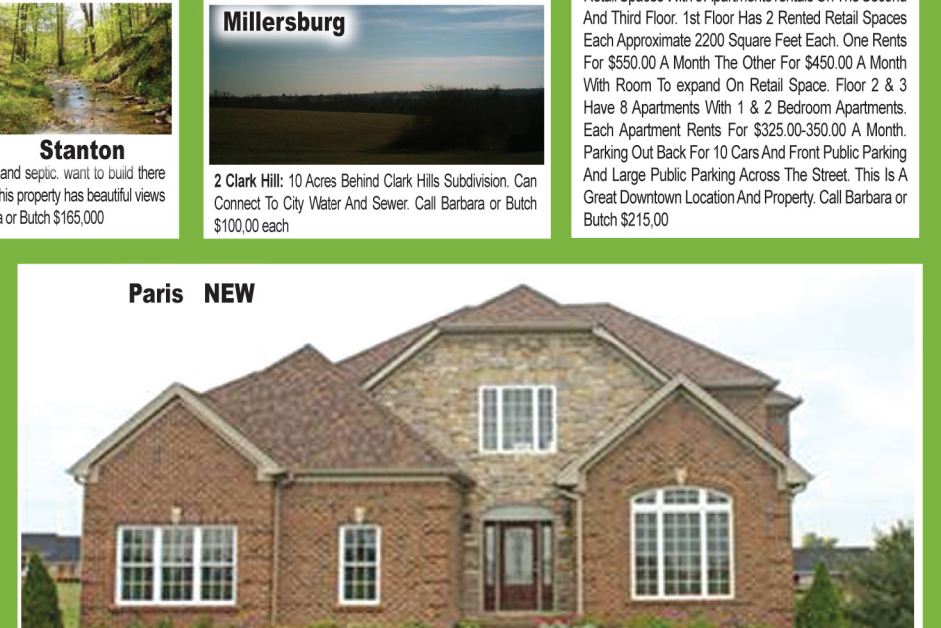
Stanton
1750 Pilot Rd.: Hunter Dream Property lots of wild life here. Property has 5 non functioning oil wells and a natural spring. all mineral rights will convey with the land. property has city water and septic. want to build there are two sites to chose from. This property has beautiful views a perfect escape. Call Barbara or Butch \$165,000



Millersburg
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