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# For the Record

**Marriage Licenses**  
 Corn A. Hodge, 22, of Emma, to Fiem E. Whitt, 24, of Prestonsburg.  
 Ashley G. Stone, 27, of Eastern, to Maynard L. Hunter, 27, of Eastern.  
 Donna Gay Southern, 46, of Langley, to Robert Glenn Vance, 47, of Langley.  
 Terasus L. Abell, 20, of Prestonsburg, to Robert Paul Hudson, Jr., 28, of Prestonsburg.  
 Arlanna Brittany Hall, 26, of Prestonsburg, to Jason Lee Edward Prater, 29, of Prestonsburg.

**Civil Suits Filed**  
 Tracy Hall vs. Hindman

Promart and Steven A. Keane, compensation.  
 Ammie Thacker vs. Peggy Hamilton and Geico Insurance, compensation.  
 WFA Card Services vs. Leonard T. Sturgill, debt collection.  
 Danita Rogers vs. Velocity Market, compensation.  
 Georgia Mynhier vs. Patty Carpenter, compensation.  
 Randall Goble vs. Dollar General Store, compensation.

**Charges Filed**  
 Donna Meade, 48, of Banner, theft.

Brenda Stone, of Viper, fraudulent use of a credit card \$10,000 or more.  
 Ricky Lewis, 37, of David, operating a motor vehicle on a suspended or revoked license, receiving stolen in the communities.  
 James Adam Meade, 28, of Pikeville, theft, public intoxication.  
 Ashley Steele, 25, of Pikeville, shoplifting.  
 Teresa Holbrook, 36, of Harold, shoplifting.  
 Greta Stephens, 45, of Prestonsburg, third-degree terroristic threatening.  
 Joshua R. Stone, 22, of Prestonsburg, alcohol intoxication, second-degree dis-

orderly conduct.  
 Shaana D. Parker, 30, of Royalton, possession of marijuana, buy/possession of drug paraphernalia.  
 Christopher Hayes Howell, 33, of Van Lear, fishing without a license.

**Property Transfers**  
 Bucnal Agee to Euggle Robertson, property located at Frasure Creek.  
 Amanda Allen to Susan Stambaugh Stratton, property located at Auxier.  
 Larry Blackburn to Floyd D. Collins and Pamela Collins, property not listed.  
 Lydia Blackburn to Floyd D. Collins and

Pamela Collins, property not listed.  
 Nanna Lee Fannin to Barbara Ann Allen, property located at Frasure Hill Estates.

Justin K. Holbrook to Linda K. Johnson, property located at Golf Course Hollow.

Logan Holbrook to Linda K. Johnson, property located at Golf Course Hollow.  
 Brenda Hunter to Betty Hunter and Caner Hunter, property located at Little Mud Creek.  
 Gordon Lafferty to Wanda Louise Spurgeon, property located at

Hueysville.  
 Shirley Lafferty to Wanda Louise Spurgeon, property located at Hueysville.

Brenda Merion to Harriet M. Allen, property located at Maytown.  
 Derwin Merion to Harriet M. Allen, property located at Maytown.

Karen Lou Moore to Summer Leeann Moore, property located at Melvin Frazier Subdivision.  
 Pilgrim Energy Inc. to Michael Lee and Samantha Lee, property not listed.

Ramonia Sue Rogers to Emmitt Ray Tackett, property located at Toler Creek.

## New program seeks to improve response to cardiac arrest

The Kentucky Department for Public Health's (DPH) Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Program is working with communities to improve the chances that anyone suffering a sudden cardiac arrest will have the best possible chance for survival. DPH is collaborating with the Kentucky Board of Emergency Medical Services (KBEMS) and American Heart Association on the project.

Approximately 4,600 Kentucky residents die each year due to cardiac arrest that occurs out of the hospital, away from advanced medical assistance. Typically, these events happen in the presence of a family member or friend.

The HeartSafe Community program focuses on strengthening links within the community that

contribute to the likelihood of survival of cardiac arrest.

"By taking action, you can help save a life in your community," said Dr. William Hacker, DPH commissioner. "We are working directly with Kentucky communities to increase access to care, public awareness about the prevention of heart disease. By working together and developing a network of 'heart safe' communities across the state, we can improve the health and well-being of our fellow Kentuckians now — and years from now."

To become a HeartSafe Community, applicants must review criteria for the program, complete an application, and mail or fax the application to DPH. The recognition is valid for a period of three years and is renewable through the application process.

"By becoming HeartSafe, communities are showing they are willing to go the extra mile to ensure the health and well-being of their citizens," said Bonita Bobo, manager for the heart disease and stroke prevention program. "Not only does this project illustrate a commitment to health, but communities will reap the rewards of having healthier populations."

"HeartSafe" communities provide a combination of factors viewed as preferable in the communities' ability to recognize and respond to cardiac arrest. These factors include:

- Early access to emergency care in which bystanders recognize the symptoms of cardiac arrest and call 911 immediately.
- Early CPR, a simple, easily learned emergency procedure used when some-

one's breathing and heart-beat stop suddenly.

- Early defibrillation, the delivery of electric shock to restore the heart's normal rhythm.

- Early advanced care delivered by a response vehicle staffed by advanced life support personnel.
- Communities must agree to be HeartSafe through the

DPH Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Program. Applications are available at <http://chfs.ky.gov/dph/info/dpq/ed/cardiovascular.htm> or by calling (502) 564-7996.

## Motorists urged to celebrate safely over holiday weekend

FRANKFORT — As Kentuckians take to the roads to celebrate the nation's independence, the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) encourages motorists to do so safely.

"If you're hosting a party this holiday weekend, remind your guests to plan a safe way home ahead of time," said Boyd Sigler, Director of the Kentucky Highway Safety Programs. "Always offer alcohol-free beverages during the event and make sure all of your guests leave with a sober driver. Impaired driving is simply not worth the risk. The consequences are serious and real."

Of the 760 highway fatalities that occurred in Kentucky last year, 20 percent were due to alcohol. Seven deaths occurred on Kentucky roadways over the 2010 Independence Day weekend.

For drivers traveling greater distances this holiday weekend, the KYTC suggests getting the latest road information in advance by calling 511 or logging onto 511.ky.gov.

Travelers across the state may receive emergency roadside assistance from the Transportation Cabinet's SAFE Patrol. Assistance is available daily from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. by calling 877-FOR-KYTC.

## Obituaries

### Robert C. "Pop" Carder

Robert C. "Pop" Carder, 92, of Hurricane passed away Friday evening at Thomas Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Doddridge County, a son of the late John E. and Pearl Collins Carder.

Pop was retired from Tag Galyan Motors, where he was employed as a paint and body specialist. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed playing with his son-in-law, Frank McDonough, and brothers, Roger and Ronnie Hart.

Robert was a World War II Army veteran, having served with General Patton. While serving with General Patton, he painted the General's helmet twice, having painted it to the General's specification with white paint. He also served his country with service in three of the five major battles while fighting his way across Europe. Pop was a recipient of the Silver Star.

Survivors include his daughter and her husband, Sally and Frank McDonough of Hurricane; son and his fiancée, C.H. "Bud" Carder and Sally Belcher of Afuma; three sisters, Claudine Johns of Kentucky, Wanda Baldwin of Boone County, and Cora Downs of Bentonville, Ark.

Pop was preceded in death by his wife, Martha L. Carder; and daughter, Patricia Byrne.

Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Teays Valley Missionary Baptist Church, 3926 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, WV 25526 with Pastors John Smith and John Duffy officiating.

Friends will be received at the church from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday.

Burial will follow in the Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens, Cross Lanes, with military rites.

The family would like to

thank all of the staff at Thomas Memorial Hospital. Online condolences may be sent to [www.tylermountain-funeralhome.com](http://www.tylermountain-funeralhome.com).

### Arvil "Skillet" Conley

In loving memory of Arvil "Skillet" Conley, born October 13, 1926 in Garrett, entered into rest on June 5, 2011, in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Mr. Conley was preceded in death by his wife, Ruby, parents Watt and Grace Conley, of Prestonsburg, brothers Hawley and Lloyd, sisters Flossie Hunt, Sylvia Cooley and Elizabeth Ellen.

He is survived by sons Johnny Conley, Kenneth Conley, daughter Pat and numerous grandchildren and a great-grandson. Also surviving are sisters Alma Burress, of Prestonsburg, Ann Sparks, of Paintsville, Glenda Petrovich, of Mascoutah, Ill. brothers Glen Conley, of Sandusky, Ohio, Elmer G. Conley, of Toledo, Ohio, and a lifelong friend, Clarence Edward Napier, of Louisville. Mr. Conley was a retired U.S. Army veteran of both World War II and the Korean War. Following his military career, he was employed for 20 years in armored car services.

### Edward Murphy

Edward Murphy, 76, of East Point, died on June 28, 2011, at Riverview Health Care, Born September 19, 1934, in Henon, was the son of the late Jonah and Ethel Fields Murphy and husband of Martha Jane Griffey Murphy. He was a retired mechanic.

Survivors include two daughters: Kathy Marie Lafferty of East Point and Patricia Ann Lafferty of East Point, one son, John Murphy, of Virginia and Donna Canada, of Pikeville; four grandchildren: Justin, Edward

Stephens, Sondra Elizabeth Riner, Denise Kopecy and Jonathan Nash Holbrook and five great grandchildren: Isabella Stephens, Maddox Kopecy, Wyatt Stephens, Marley Kopecy and Kayla Riney.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 1, 2011, at 1 p.m. at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Clifford Williams, Jack Adkins and Omery "Chuck" Hall officiating. Burial will follow at Gethsemane Gardens, in Prestonsburg.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### Danny D. Ratliff

Danny D. Ratliff, 57, of Prestonsburg, died on June 28, 2011, at Cabell Huntington Hospital. Born November 18, 1953 in Columbus, Ohio, he was the son of the late Oscar Ratliff and the late Goldie Amburgey and the husband of Tammy Bentley Ratliff.

Survivors include five sons: Bryan (Michelle) Ratliff, Robert (Burrceaz) Ratliff & Danny Dale (Brittany) Ratliff, all of Prestonsburg; Roger (Trisha) Ratliff of Hindman and Danny Ray Ratliff of Salisbury, North Carolina; two daughters: Melissa of Hindman and Danielle, of Lexington; two step daughters: Beth Potter of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Angel Potter, of Pikeville; two sisters: Bonnie Ratliff of Breathitt Co.; 13 grandchildren and seven step grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister: Effie Ann Miller.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday, July 3, 2011, at 2 p.m. at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Jimmy Braswell officiating.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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# 33,100 volunteers served region in PRIDE Spring Cleanup

**CORBIN** — Congressman Hal Rogers joined PRIDE on Tuesday to announce that a record-breaking 33,100 volunteers picked up litter across southern and eastern Kentucky during PRIDE Spring Cleanup Month in April, and he presented trophies to the counties, cities, schools and nonprofit agencies that recruited the most Spring Cleanup volunteers.

The Spring Cleanup campaign removed 32,840 bags of trash and 27,513 tons of trash from the region's landscape. Ten tons of junk appliances and 52 tons of other materials were recycled. 203 tons of old tires were gathered for proper disposal.

"Last year, I couldn't believe more than 30,000 people would volunteer to pick up trash across the region, but PRIDE volun-

teers had another record-breaking year for 2011," said Congressman Rogers. "The old tires and used appliances tossed over the hillsides are finally becoming a thing of the past. PRIDE volunteers have worked hard to educate our community members about the value of putting trash in its proper place and the importance of recycling. All the hard work is paying off and we invite more people to join PRIDE again this fall."

Rogers congratulated the region's communities for meeting the "Get Five for PRIDE" challenge, which set the goal of a five-percent increase over the 31,200 Spring Cleanup volunteers last year. In fact, the 2011 Spring Cleanup saw the largest volunteer turnout since PRIDE began organizing the annual cleanup campaign in 1998.

The City of London, Perry County, Manchester Elementary School and the Lake Cumberland Community Action Agency won the trophies for 2011 PRIDE Spring Cleanup Greatest Volunteer Participation by a city, county, school and nonprofit agency.

The runners up were Greensburg, Jackson County, Pine Knot Elementary and KCEOC. Wolfe County received the Get Five for PRIDE trophy for the greatest increase of Spring Cleanup volunteers from 2010 to 2011. Wolfe County reported 1,725 volunteers in April 2011, an increase of 1,527 over April 2010.

Rogers also recognized the counties and cities that increased their Spring Cleanup volunteer total by at least five percent over

2010. Certificates were presented to the cities of Blaine, Burnside, Campbellsville, Corbin, Edmonton, Ferguson, Gamaliel, Greensburg, Inez, Livingston, London, Loyall, Lynch, Middlesboro, Owingsville, Pineville, Sharpsburg and Whitesburg, and the counties of Adair, Breathitt, Casey, Clay, Clinton, Cumberland, Green, Jackson, Johnson, Knox, Lawrence, Lee, Magoffin, McCreary, Monroe, Morgan, Owsley, Pike, Rockcastle, Taylor, Wayne, Whitley and Wolfe.

The annual Spring Cleanup is hosted by

Eastern Kentucky PRIDE, a nonprofit organization that encourages environmental cleanup and education in a 38-county region. Local governments organized the cleanup activities, and PRIDE provided supplies, volunteer T-shirts and funding assistance.

Sponsors helped make the 2011 Spring Cleanup possible. Hinkle Contracting and Outdoor Venture Corporation were the Gold-Level Sponsors. The Silver-Level Sponsors were SouthEast Telephone, Blackboard Student Services and Walmart.

The PRIDE web site is [www.kypride.org](http://www.kypride.org).

## Former Pikeville doctor pleads guilty to drug charge

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

**LEXINGTON** — A former Pikeville doctor is facing four years in prison after pleading guilty to fraudulently obtaining thousands of prescription pills for his own personal use.

Nicholas Raschella pleaded guilty in U.S. District Court on June 24. Raschella admitted before Judge Gregory Van Tatenhove to obtaining Oxycodone, Valium and Xanax by misrepresentation, fraud, decep-

tion and subterfuge.

According to information provided by the United States Attorney's Office, "Raschella operated a medical office in Pikeville. In 2007, authorities executed search warrants at Raschella's house and office and located a total of 19,223 prescription pills and more than \$10,000 cash. Raschella hid most of the pills at his home in several different safes."

According to court documents, Raschella over prescribed Oxycodone for a

patient and told the patient to bring him the surplus of pills. Raschella then took the extra pills for his own personal use without the knowledge of the patient. Raschella also admitted that he ordered Valium and Xanax from a distributor in Florida to be sent to his clinic. Raschella then took the pills from his clinic to his house for personal use. More than 17,000 of the pills authorities found were Xanax and Valium.

Raschella will be sentenced in Lexington Oct. 29.

## Water

permit, daily maximum iron up to 13 times higher than allowed, and daily maximum total suspended solids up to 4.7 times higher than allowed.

The sheer number of very serious pollution violations we found in the first three months of 2011 is

astounding," said Donna Lisenby, director of Water Programs for Appalachian Voices. "It shows a systemic and pervasive pattern of ongoing water pollution problems with no meaningful enforcement by Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet offi-

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cials, who continue to sit idly by and let coal companies get away with thousands of violations."

Under the Clean Water Act, the companies have 60 days to respond to the allegations made in the notice letter.

## Recycling

simply you can make a big difference for our economy and environment just by recycling."

The workshop was held at Whayn Supply Company, which is sponsoring the "How To Be a PRIDEful Recycler" campaign and operates an extensive recycling and reuse program. Workshop participants toured the facility to observe how the company refurbishes materials to save money and resources, as well as to provide equipment that is in short supply in the current global market. The economic and environmental benefits of recycling were outlined by Tom Heil, environmental scientist with the state's Recycling Assistance Section.

Recycling creates jobs and provides a domestic supply of inputs for manufacturing, for example. Making products with recycled materials requires less energy than using raw materials, and it conserves natural resources.

Heil also outlined how to establish recycling programs in schools, businesses and communities. Heil's agency provides assistance to all three groups and offers grants to schools and communities.

Recycling programs already flourish in the region, and representatives highlighted some of them.

Jackson County Judge-Executive William O. Smith said that recycling is succeeding in his county, which has one of the smallest populations in the region.

Randal Napier presented the recycling program operated by the Corbin Campus of Eastern Kentucky University.

Steve Edge of the London Recycling Center spoke about how to involve

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schools. The recycling center provides dumpsters at the county's elementary, middle and high schools, as well as East Bernstadt Independent. Since October 2008, these schools have recycled a total of 711,873 pounds and earned a total of \$14,226.35.

For more information about How To Be a PRIDEful Recycler, search for "PRIDEful Recycler" at [www.kypride.org](http://www.kypride.org).

**She Fly's With Dignity**

He fell upon the blood soaked battlefield, but he held his burden high, never once did he let her touch the ground. He rose upon his feet holding her with ease letting her colors fly. He kept remembering when as a lad, watching her pass in a parade and how the men removed their hats as she passed their way. When in foreign countries, she flies her colors with pride, those brave men and women who carry her. Some will live to speak of her, while others will give their life. We have seen those who have burned our flag, trying to bring dishonor and disgrace, but never once did she let her pride slip from her lovely face. She had dipped herself in silent sorrow as she returned home, she had seen presidents. You can almost hear her weep as she wraps them within herself while in silent they sleep.

With great honor and in the sound of guns, she's been folded and placed in the arms of grieving fathers, mothers, sons and daughters. In all she's been through, never once did she lose her pride and dignity. When Japan bombed Pearl Harbor, the young men didn't have the weapons like the fighting men and women have today, but they took what weapons they did have and fought and won it their way. But oh! Lord, what price they had to pay.

Written in honor of all of our young men and women.  
Helen Click Roberts

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**Cinema 2 — Starts Fri. July 1**  
MONTE CARLO (PG), Mon.-Thurs. 7:05-9:25; Fri. (4:25) 7:05-9:25; Sat.-Sun. (2:05-4:25) 7:05-9:25

**Cinema 3 — Starts Wed. June 29**  
TRANSFORMERS (PG-13), Mon.-Thurs. 8:00; Fri. (4:45) 8:00; Sat.-Sun. (2:00-4:45) 8:00

**Cinema 4 — Held Over**  
CARS 2 (G), Mon.-Thurs. 7:00-9:15; Fri. (4:15) 7:00-9:15; Sat.-Sun. (2:00-4:15) 7:00-9:15

**Cinema 5 — Held Over**  
SUPER 8 (PG-13), Mon.-Thurs. 7:05; Fri. (4:25) 7:05; Sat.-Sun. (2:05-4:25) 7:05

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CARS 2 3D (G), Mon.-Thurs. 7:00-9:15; Fri. (4:15) 7:00-9:15; Sat.-Sun. (2:00-4:15) 7:00-9:15

**Cinema 7 — Starts Wed. June 29**  
TRANSFORMERS 3D (PG-13), Mon.-Thurs. 8:00; Fri. (4:45) 8:00; Sat.-Sun. (2:00-4:45) 8:00

**Cinema 8 — Starts Fri. July 1**  
LARRY CROWNE (PG-13), Mon.-Thurs. 7:10-9:25; Fri. (4:25) 7:10-9:25; Sat.-Sun. (2:10-4:25) 7:10-9:25

**Cinema 9 — Held Over**  
BAD TEACHER (R), Mon.-Thurs. 7:15-9:30; Fri. (4:30) 7:15-9:30; Sat.-Sun. (2:15-4:30) 7:15-9:30

**Cinema 10 — Held Over**  
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# Viewpoint

## Worth Repeating ...

A liberal is a man who is right most of the time, but he's right too soon.

— Gregory Nunn

### Amendment 1

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people to peaceably assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

## Guest View

### Hard choices: Money and values

by KAREN JACOBS

I've lived in the heartland for more than two decades. And I can tell you that there's nothing like a sultry July night at the local ballpark, rooting for the home team, eating hot dogs and quaffing beer, watching fireworks viewed from damp, warm infield grass.

This time of year, the Midwest is awash in flags and bumper stickers boasting one's support for the troops and the good ol' red, white and blue. But, lately we have seen more and more "Come home!" messages, and headlines such as, "Locals hope for an end to the war." Unemployment, which struck the heartland harder than most places, still affects many who are at the end of their unemployment checks or are underemployed. War costs in Afghanistan, nearing \$2 billion a week, particularly stick in the craw of these suffering Americans.

My son will be a sophomore majoring in music education at Butler University this fall (You know, that small Midwest college with the basketball team that went to the Final Four -- two years in a row), will graduate not knowing whether there will be music and band programs in public schools where he can work. Juxtapose that against the two decades of his life filled with costly wars. The first Iraq war started in 1991, when he was not yet born. That war, followed by bombing in the Balkans and elsewhere -- Afghanistan, Iraq again, and now Libya, with the hint of more to come ... means that my son and his generation have grown up in continuous war. They know nothing else.

My son's generation thinks gas prices are about war. He knows this father was drafted during the Vietnam War, and that he escaped that fate. He has older friends who returned from recent wars as lesser human beings.

His generation has grown up in a time of plenty, and also a time of economic insecurity. As someone who has worked for peace all her life, I love the Fourth of July. I honor freedom, justice and all that it envelops. Yet, I worry about the constant drain on our American collective dream of freedom, justice and economic security.

This Fourth will be observed with millions of Americans out of work, many whose homes have been foreclosed. State legislatures are cutting social services, and in Indiana, public education is being drained by a voucher system to private schools. We have returning soldiers with injuries so deep that they and their families will never recover. Our federal coffers so sapped by war spending that we may not have the money to pay for our endless war wounds. In fact, we plan for this Fourth knowing that our nation is deeply in debt. Climbing out of this hole will require deep cuts that will hurt.

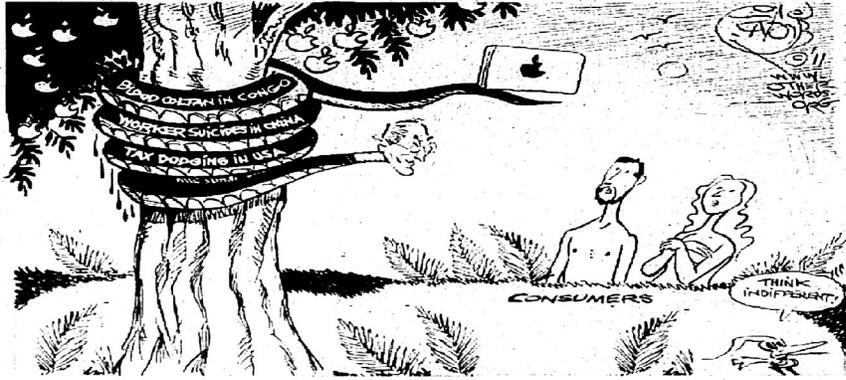
Still, I am hopeful. I can't go to a picnic with deviled eggs and apple pie, ready for the barbecue, without optimism. America is the richest country in the history of the world.

But, surprise! We often spend our federal tax dollars foolishly. The recent focus on the debt and deficit, the president's commission on tax reform, and the congressional impasse on how to solve the problem places a magnifying glass to the federal budget.

Another surprise: Our investments in job training, education and health care -- the things that make us secure and cause us to work for our collective futures -- are on the chopping block. Medicare and Social Security, two of the government's most successful programs for keeping people out of poverty, also are on the chopping block. Yet, be cautious, my friends -- some excessive spending is wrapped in a patriotic flag.

Keep your ears open for anyone who says we have to "finish the job" in Afghanistan. What job? Osama bin Laden is gone. The \$2 billion a week we spend on this war

(See EDITORIAL, page 6)



## Beyond the Beltway

### My favorite July 4 speech

by DONALD KAUL  
OTHERWORDS

I like the Fourth of July. Almost everyone does. Friends and neighbors gathered in parks and back yards throughout the nation, sharing food and drink and happy thoughts in a festive atmosphere. What's not to like?

Well the patriotic claptrap, of course. That I could do without.

I'm not talking about patriotism. Acts of citizenship and service honor this country's traditions. I'm talking about the empty speechifying, often by politicians wearing faces gleaming with corruption, which passes for patriotism these days.

And the flag-waving. I'm not big on flag-waving.

Not that there's anything wrong with the flag, of course. It's a beautiful symbol of the things we value. But too often it is waved in order to substitute emotionalism for rational behavior.

War, for example. How many times have nations been led into truly stupid wars behind a flowing flag? Does the word Iraq suggest anything to you?

But I digress. I was talking about the Fourth of July. My favorite Fourth of July speech is the one the great 19th-century orator and civil rights leader Frederick Douglass

delivered to a Rochester, New York audience in 1852. The former slave said:

"What, to the American slave, is your Fourth of July? I answer, a day that reveals to him, more than all other days in the year, the gross injustice and cruelty to which he is the constant victim.

"To him, your celebration is a sham; your boasted liberty, an unholy license; your national greatness, swelling vanity; your sounds of rejoicing are empty and heartless; your denunciations of tyrants, brass-fronted impudence; your shouts of liberty and equality, hollow mockery; your prayers and hymns, your sermons and thanksgivings, with all your religious parade and solemnity, are to him, mere bombast, fraud, deception, impiety, and hypocrisy -- a thin veil to cover up crimes which would disgrace a nation of savages.

"There is not a nation on the earth guilty of practices more shocking and more bloody than are the people of these United States at this very hour."

That was Douglass' most significant contribution to our "patriotic" holiday -- the truth.

We eliminated slavery, of course, and it was a heavy lift that left some 625,000 dead and hundreds of thousands more wounded. We have a right to pat ourselves on the back about that. I don't recall any other nation fighting a civil war on behalf of an enslaved people.

But we shouldn't pat ourselves too hard. A few weeks ago we commemorated (or rather, failed to commemo-

rate) the 90th anniversary of the Tulsa race riot, a shameful chapter in our history that we conveniently forgot about for nearly a century.

On May 31, 1921, a black man in Tulsa was arrested on charges of sexually assaulting a white woman (a charge never validated, by the way).

He was taken to jail where a lynch mob made up of white men began to gather. Soon a group of armed black men showed up to protect the suspect.

Predictably, a gun battle broke out and the black men retreated to the "colored" side of town. The Tulsa police chief deputized hundreds of white men who gave chase.

In the hours that followed, the African-American section of town was burned to the ground. As many as 300 people, most of them black, were killed. Thousands were left homeless.

Did you ever read about that in your history books? I didn't think so. You didn't hear it in any Fourth of July speech either. Frederick Douglass had passed away decades earlier.

So I say to you, enjoy your Fourth of July picnic and feel joy that we live in this wonderful country, albeit one with a tragic past.

But don't forget to keep it real. We've come a long way but we've got a long way to go. Have a happy Fourth.

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## The Usual Eccentric

### A journey into No-Man's-Land

by WILL E. SANDERS

You have to take a test if you don't live in this country and want to. Think about that for a moment. Sounds absurd, doesn't it? If we made people take a test to qualify for a home town, we would call it racist. But you have to take a citizenship test if you don't live in this country and want to.

Wanna know a secret? I've never taken that test. I was born to parents who fortunately lived in the most envied country on this rock. Pretty lucky lad, eh? Chances are a majority of you have not taken that test. Those dudes who signed the Declaration of Independence didn't, either. That's right, most of us are test-exempt.

But that's not to say that I am against the test, but I wanted to point it out. I mean, it sure would be something if every American had to take that test. And if you failed, well, we just kick you out of the country. I am pretty sure it would spell doom for the entire cast of "Jersey Shore."

Now that's a pretty big test with limitless ramifications. It makes those old timed multiplication tests I took in the third grade seem like a

coloring book. I fail one of those and my father swats my behind, but fail a citizenship test and Uncle Sam kicks you butt out of the country.

There is probably no bigger test to pass than a citizenship test, except maybe a lie detector test.

Let's give it a try. How many stripes are on the American flag, and what are they? Super easy stuff, I know. But this next one -- and this is actually on the citizenship test -- threw me for a loop: What do the colors represent?

For those willing to admit they haven't a clue, I've got some bad news for you.

Your citizenship is hereby revoked. Don't let the door hit ya where the good Lord split ya. This is Rod Roddy saying, contestants not appearing on stage will receive a three-piece furniture set courtesy of Lane Furniture. Lane, where quality meets home comfort.

I guess the test is necessary. We are Americans. We hate immigration. If you aren't like us, we hate you. Get out. Never come back. After all, it's not like America was founded by immigration or anything.

Besides, the last thing that Americans want is for people who aren't exactly like them to come over here and suddenly take it over. Wait, now something about that sounds awfully familiar. Want to know who

hates immigration the most? Native Americans.

I tried taking the test recently. I phoned my regional department of immigration and naturalization to set up a test, but a very hateful lady told me the soonest she could get me in was November. After abusing the phrase, "Do you realize who I am, sir?" she very politely informed me, "I'm hanging up on you now."

So, I turned to the Internet -- my own land of life, liberty and the pursuit of discount prescription drugs to assist in my patriotic endeavors. I took a sample test of 10 questions. I answered nine out of 10 correctly. I mention this for the purposes of ill-mention, and not to demean your own intelligence. I am not trying to say that I am more intellectually well-equipped than you.

So, what do you say? Let's take a stab at 10 actual questions you would find on a citizenship test:

- Who elects the president?
- Number of representatives in Congress?
- Duty of the Supreme Court?
- Who said, "Give me liberty or give me death"?
- Writer of the Declaration of Independence?
- Basic belief of the Declaration of Independence?
- Year the Constitution was written?

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# Floyd County Devotional Page

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### First Presbyterian Church

Prestonsburg

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.

Attention Church Organizations, send in a picture of your church, pastor, or youth leaders.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

**First Assembly of God, Martin, Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Lorie Vanruud, Minister.**

**In Victory Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg, Sunday School, 10:00; Worship Service, 11:00 & 6:30; Wednesday Evening, 6:30; Gary Stanley, Pastor.**

**New Bethel Assembly of God, Burning Fork Rd., Salyersville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Arthur (Sam) Smith, Minister.**

**Praise Assembly, 1 mile S. of Prestonsburg, intersection of Rt. 80 and U.S. 23, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.; **Midweek Thurs., 7:00 p.m.; J.M. Sloce, Minister.**

#### BAPTIST

**Allen First Baptist, Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Arnold Turner, Minister, 675-727.**

**Auxiliary Freewill Baptist, Auxier, Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; **Bobby Spencer, Pastor.**

**Ball Branch Regular Baptist Church, Mousley Ky; Sunday School, 9:30; Every third Sat. and Sun. of each month; Roger Hicks, Pastor; Ralph Howard, Assst. Pastor; Contact Kermit Newsome 606-377-6881 for more information.**

**Benedict Baptist, Slick Rock Branch, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Gordon Fitch, Minister.**

**Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Tracy Patton, Minister.**

**Big Sandy Community and Technical College Baptist Student Union, J 102; Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.;** Vera Joiner, 886-3663, ext. 67527.

**Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road, Bonanza; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jimmy D. Brown, Minister.**

**Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Com Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Roger Kucio, Minister.**

**Calvary Southern Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Don Lewis, Minister.**

**Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Paul D. Coleman, Minister.**

**Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Nathan Lafferty, Minister.**

**Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner, Services: Saturday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday morning, 11 a.m.;** Sunday night, 7 p.m.; **Don Lewis, Minister.**

**Drift Freewill Baptist, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; **Jim Fields, Minister.**

**Endicot Freewill Baptist, Buffalo; Sun. School, 10 a.m.;**

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4. Confess Christ (Acts 8:37, Matt. 10:32-33)
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Mark 16:16, Acts 2:28-47, Matt. 28:19-20  
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**Faith Bible Church, an Independent Baptist Church, located on 1428, between Allen & Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.;** Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer, 6 p.m.; **Pastor, Rev. Bob Wreman.**

**Faith Freewill Baptist, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Expt. on Rt. 1428; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Elder Donnie Patrick, Minister.**

**First Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Randy Osborne, Minister.**

**First Baptist, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Greydon Howard, Minister.**

**Free United Baptist, 157 South Front Street; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wed., 6:30 p.m.; **Jerry C. Chapman, minister.**

**Fitzpatrick First Baptist, P.O. Box 410, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Pastor Tommy Hays.**

**Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg, Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Grethel Baptist, State Rt. 3379, (Branhams Creek Rd.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Garrett Regular Baptist, Route 550, Garrett; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.;** Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; **Larry Patton, pastor, Phone 358-9510.**

**Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist, Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **David Garrett, Minister.**

**Jacks Creek Baptist, Bevinville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Pastor Roger Truhy.**

**Katy Friend Freewill Baptist, 2 miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jimmy Caudill, Pastor.**

**Lackey Freewill Baptist, Lackey; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Johnny J. Collins, Minister.**

**Lancer Baptist Church, 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.;** Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; **Pastor Bobby Carpenter.**

**Left Beaver Regular Baptist Church across from Garth School; 4th Saturday & Sunday 10:00 a.m.,** Odd Saturday 6:00 p.m.; **Gary Compton, Pastor.**

**Liberty Baptist, Derby; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; **Merle Little, Minister.**

**Ligon Community Freewill Baptist, Ligon; Worship Service, Sunday, 11 a.m.;** Thursday, 7 p.m.

**Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church of Jesus Christ, (Indian Bottom Association) Services: 1st Saturday & Sunday evening month 9:30 a.m., 3rd Sunday 9:30 a.m.,** Odd Sunday 9:30 a.m.

**Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, East; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **James (Red) Morris, Minister.**

**Martin Freewill Baptist, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **John L. Blair, Minister.**

**Maytown First Baptist, Main St., Maytown; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; **Bob Varney, Minister.**

**McDowell First Baptist, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; **Slade Stinson, Pastor.**

**Middle Creek Baptist, Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **William L. Hunt, Minister.**

**Lighthouse Baptist, 2194 KY Rt. 1428, Prestonsburg; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Donald Crisp, Minister, home phone 285-3385**

**Pleasant Home Baptist, Water Gap Road, Lancer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Cliff Ferguson, Pastor.**

**Prater Creek Baptist, Banner; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Rock Fork Freewill Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Wendell Crager, Minister.**

**Rock Fork Regular Baptist, Garrett; Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.;** Jerry Manns, Pastor; Willie Crace Jr., Assistant Pastor.

**Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Huesyville; Worship Service, 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.;** Pastor, Allen Chaffins, phone 946-2123.

**Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist, Dana; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stephens Branch; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.

**The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Phillip Ramey, Pastor.**

**Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23 (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Chuck Ferguson, Minister.**

**Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist; Cliff Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Morning Service, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; No Service the 1st Sunday of each month; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **YOUTH SPENCER, Minister.**

**Trifolia Chapel Freewill Baptist; Intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 80, Water Gap; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m. and Evening Worship Service 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Youth Services 7 p.m.; Everyone Welcome.

**United Community Baptist, Hart's 7, Huesyville; Worship Service, 2 p.m.;** Friday, 7 p.m.; **Carly Boverly, Minister.**

**Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright Junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Louis Ferral, Minister.**

#### CATHOLIC

**St. Martha, Water Gap; Mass: Sunday, 11:15 a.m.;** Saturday, 6 p.m.; Sunday; Father Robert Demron, pastor.

#### CHRISTIAN

**First Christian, 560 North Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; **Jim Sherman, Minister.**

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Tommy J. Spears, Minister.**

**Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 86 Hwy. 1428; Worship Service, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.;** Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Richard Kelly, Minister.**

**Harold Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Willie Maske, Minister.**

**Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Huesyville Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Chester Varney, Minister.**

**Lower Toler Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; **Lonie Meagle, Minister.**

**Mare Creek Church of Christ, Stanville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

**Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Gary Mitchell, Minister.**

**Maytown Church of Christ, 66 Turkey Creek Rd.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Sunday morning worship 11:00 a.m., Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

**Upper Toler Church of Christ, 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

**Weeks Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. **John Burke, Minister.**

#### CHURCH OF GOD

**Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **John Caudill, Minister.**

**Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.;** Friday, 7 p.m.; **Bud Crum, Minister.**

**First Church of God; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Steven V. Williams, Pastor.**

**Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Family Training Hour: Thursday 7 p.m., **Bill B. Tussey, Jr. Pastor.**

**Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.**

**Little Paint First Church of God, 671 Little Paint Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jeff White, Pastor.**

**The Ligon Church of God of Prophecy, Saturday Services, 7:00 p.m.;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; **Ralph Hall, Pastor.**

#### EPISCOPAL

**St. James Parish, 562 Old U.S. 23, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606) 886-8046. Sunday Coffee Hour, 10 a.m.;** Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m. Office Hours: Mon-Fri., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Reverend Stan McQuire, www.dioce.net/visit-us-on-Facebook!

#### LUTHERAN

**Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.;** WKLV (500 a.m.) 12:05 p.m.; **Roland Lippert, Minister.**

#### METHODIST

**Auxier United Methodist, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; **Maarl Smith, Minister.**

**Betsy Layne United Methodist, next to E.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Randy Blackburn, Minister.**

**Allen Christ United Methodist, Allen; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jeffrey Lambert, Pastor.**

**Community United Methodist, 147 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neely St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jeffrey Lambert, Pastor.**

**Elliot's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; **Phyllis T. Smith, Minister.**

**Emma United Methodist, Emma; Sunday School 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; **Pastor David Pritch.**

**First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 10:55 a.m.; Youth Service 10 p.m.; **Rev. Jim Adams, Pastor.**

**Free Methodist, Auster Road, Auster; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Midweek Service, 7 p.m.; Sunday Evening Service held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 6 p.m.; **Judy Carras, Minister.**

**Graceway United Methodist, Rt. 80, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; **Ray Haskins, Minister.**

**Salisbury United Methodist, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 6 p.m.; **Bobby G. Lawson, Minister.**

**Wayland United Methodist, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; **Jack Howard, Pastor.**

**Wheelwright United Methodist, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Bobby Isaac, Minister.**

**Vogle Day United Methodist Church, Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.;** Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Dennis C. Lowry, Pastor.**

**Drift Pentecostal, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Ted Shannon, Minister.**

**Free Pentecostal Church of God, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thurs, 6:30 p.m.; **Buster Hayton, Minister.**

**Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; **John 'Jay' Patton, Minister.**

**Free Pentecostal Deliverance, Ext. 48 off Mt. Parkway at Campton; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.;** **Ray Haskins, Minister.**

**Free Pentecostal Holiness, Rt. 122, Upper Burley; Sunday School, 11 a.m.;** Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; **Louis Sanlan, Minister; David Pike, Associate Minister.**

**Goodloe Pentecostal, Rt. 850, David; Worship Service, 6 p.m.;** Malcom Stone, Minister.

**Parkway First Cavalry Pentecostal, Floyd and Magoffin County Lines; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.;** Mike D. Caldwell, Minister. 297-6262.

**Trinity Chapel Pentecostal Holiness, Main St., Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 7 p.m.; 2nd Sat., 7 p.m. Sun. 7 p.m. **Ellis J. Stevens, Minister.**

**Free Pentecostal Church, Dwaie; Services Saturday, 6 p.m.;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11 a.m.; No Sunday Night Services.

#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Church Service, 9:15; Sabbath School, 10:45; John Baker, Pastor, 358-3263; Church, 886-3456, leave message. Everyone welcome!**

#### THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints; Sacramento Mtg., 10:00 a.m.;** Sunday School, 11:20 a.m.; Relief Society/Prethhood/Primary, 12:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m. **Church Meeting House address, Hwy. 80, Martin, KY 41653. Meeting House telephone number: 285-3133; Richard Salisbury, Bishop.**

#### OTHER

**Pastor Atha Johnson welcomes everyone to attend services at the CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY TRAIL, KENTUCKY. Sunday school 10 a.m.,** Worship service 11 a.m.

**Drift Independent, Drift; Sunday, 11 a.m.;** Thursday, 6:30 p.m.

**Grace Fellowship Prestonsburg, (next to old flea market), Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship, 11 a.m. **Bill Stukenberg, Pastor 889-0905.**

**Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.;** Thursday, 7 p.m.; **Don Shepherd, Minister.**

**Faith Revelation, Harkins Ave., West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m. **Randy Higgins, Minister. 886-9460.**

**Faith Fellowship, Allen, Ky; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sun. Evening, 6 p.m.; Wed, 7 p.m. **Carl & Missy Woods, Pastors.**

**Faith Worship Center, US 460, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.;** Thursday, 6 p.m.; **Buddy and Maude Frye, Minister.**

**Full Gospel Community, (formerly of Martin) moved to Old Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m.; Wed, 6:30 p.m.; **Lavonne Lafferty, Minister.**

**Lighthouse Temple, Main St. and Hall St.; Worship Service, 12 p.m. and 7 p.m.;** Wednesday/Friday, 7 p.m.; **John C. Casby, Minister.**

**Living Water Ministries Full Gospel Church, Rt. 3, just before Thunder Ridge; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.;** Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m. **Pastor: Curt Howard.**

**Martin House of Worship, Old Post Office St.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.;** Saturday, 10 a.m.

**Old Time Holiness, 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Martin; Sunday School, 11 a.m.;** Worship Service, 7 p.m.; **John W. Patton, Minister.**

**Spurlock Bible (Baptist), 6227 Spurlock Creek Rd., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.;** Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; **Jim Stephens, Minister. 886-1003.**

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# Auditor reviews pension system report with lawmakers

**FRANKFORT** — Placement agents have not presented a financial drain on the state employee pension system, but present numerous issues to address, state Auditor Crit Luallen told a panel of lawmakers one day after publicly releasing her office's findings.

The audit made 92 recommendations in three areas: the use of placement agents, internal audit procedures, and general governance and operations. Kentucky Retirement Systems Board chair Jennifer Elliott told members of the Interim Committee on State Government that the board and administrative staff agreed with each recommendation and planned to implement all of them.

One area addressed in particular by the audit was the ability of one placement agent to act in effect as an unpaid agent of Kentucky

Retirement Systems, soliciting business from multiple investment funds, with the knowledge of the then-Chief Investment Officer. Traditionally, placement agents work on behalf of investment funds, seeking large institutional investors like pension funds to put money in their care. The placement agent then receives a fee from the fund for their successful work.

Luallen noted that no criminal action was apparent. "Based on the information they reviewed, auditors saw no evidence of a 'pay to play' scheme involving placement agents," she said. No KRS officials benefited, as has resulted in "criminal charges in other states," and KRS did not incur any higher costs or fees because of their use. The close relationship between the former CIO and one placement agent, both of whom did not speak with auditors or make their records available, has

been referred to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

Kentucky Retirement Systems oversees around \$13 billion in retirement funds on behalf of 330,000 retirees and active workers. "There is not another public agency in Kentucky that has such a significant fiduciary responsibility affecting as great a number of people as the Kentucky Retirement Systems," Luallen said.

Several of the 92 recommendations contained in the audit were included in legislation filed this past legislative session, said Committee Co-Chair Rep. Mike Cherry, D-Princeton. Both Cherry and Co-Chair Sen. Damon Thayer, R-Georgetown, said they were hopeful the recommendations could be made law during the 2012 session.

Among the recommendations suggested by the audit were the need for placement agents to file with the

Executive Branch Ethics Commission and for placement agent disclosure forms to include political contributions to state officials. The audit also suggested detailed information for the KRS board's investment committee on recommended investments, which could have alerted members to the relationship between the former CIO and a placement agent.

The audit also suggested more transparency in the area of KRS spending, allowing board members to see KRS staff expenditures in relations to its budget on a quarterly basis. Thayer noted growing expenses as one reason for the pension fund's unfunded liability.

Thayer also told members of the panel that he hoped one meeting later in the interim would focus on efforts to move state workers to a 401(k)-style defined contribution system rather than the current defined benefit plan.

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## Editorial

could go a long way toward job training to put America back to work, for example.  
 Enjoy this Fourth of July. We are free, and that is no small thing, as spreading revolutions in the Mideast attest. However, freedom

cannot exist without justice. We will celebrate, and we will work until our mutual critical needs are met.

Jacob serves as president of WAND of Northern Indiana and is the national

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 WAND board chair. WAND is a national activist organization working to redirect excessive military spending to unmet human and environmental needs.

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COMMENTARY

## Advice to coaches: Clean it up

by RICK BENTLEY  
TIMES COLUMNIST

Today, dear readers, you will read something you've never read, because I'm about to broach a subject I've never touched. But it is time, it is something I feel very passionately about and therefore it must be done.

It's not something I have a strong desire to do, but if you'll stick with me a few paragraphs here, I hope you'll agree with me on this.

I also know that it is not me who has this mountain to climb, this issue to tackle, but it is because I'm in my 24th year of doing this that I feel I'm able to say this, to put some teeth into it, and for it to have some meaning.

A few months ago when the scandal at The Ohio State University broke out, a reporter said part of the reason the issue had gotten so out of hand was that none of the media in the area, the beat writers if you will, had been serving as "watch-dogs" over the program.

I've never liked that idea. It implies that we as sports-writers should be snooping around trying to sniff out issues, because when you take that mentality, I believe, you get frustrated when you can't find something as large as the star quarterback driving eight different luxury vehicles in a three-year window and you start making mountains out of molehills.

But when I discovered some things that I did — both personally and that were brought to my attention — as the most recent school year ended, I believe I have a responsibility to step up and say something.

So today I am. Today, I'm addressing coaches. I have to say something to you, and today I'll draw upon the wisdom handed to me by my father, who often told me going up that plain talk is easily understood.

So coaches, it's time to clean things up. It's time to stop brow-beating, it's time to clean up the language and the things you say to your players. Because these kids aren't professionals; they aren't even grown-ups or college-age here. They're still kids and it's time to start treating them as such again.

I personally witnessed a coach — a young coach, but still someone who was trusted with the leading of a team — take his team to a spot on the field where he thought nobody could hear and, as the saying goes, "rip them a new one" right there on-the-spot. The worst thing was this was before a game, not during or after.

And I have first-hand knowledge of a coach who used to very poor language when addressing the group of young women he is charged with leading. What completely baffled me about this instance was that he (ital) actually put it in writing. (ital)

Seriously, how dumb can you be?

Now, I know people can mess up. Lord knows I have. And I believe people need and deserve second chances in life. So if I see of it once, I'm going to let things slide. If it happens twice, I'll address it, here, in my column that appears in two counties, and call you out

(See CLEAN, page 2)

## Four former standouts to join MSU Hall of Fame

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MOREHEAD

Morehead State University Athletics announced this week that four former student-athletes, Harlan "Fats" Tolle, Val Falcone, Diane (Long) Wetherill, and Josh Teater will be inducted into the MSU Athletics Hall of Fame. The 2011 class will be installed in the annual Hall of Fame dinner on Friday, Oct.

21 and officially recognized during the Homecoming football game Oct. 22 versus Dayton.

"We are inducting four very deserving former athletes into the athletics Hall of Fame this year," Director of Athletics Brian Hutchinson said. "We are thrilled to add a key member of the NCAA Tournament basketball teams and baseball teams, a multi-

ple All-OVC baseball player, a championship caliber cross country and track athlete and one of our most successful golfers, who helped bring an OVC trophy to Morehead. This is an exceptional class whose dedication to Eagle athletics was outstanding."

A look at the four inductees follows.

Harlan "Fats" Tolle (1951, 1954-57) - Dubbed

the catalyst of coach Bobby Laughlin's run and gun, high-scoring offense, Harlan "Fats" Tolle teamed with MSU's all-time leading rebounder, Steve Hamilton, to help the Eagles win the Ohio Valley Conference Championships in 1955-56 and 1956-57. Tolle, from nearby Maysville, lettered three years in basketball and baseball at MSU. He came to

MSU in 1951-52 and played on the freshman basketball team before being called into military service. Tolle returned to MSU in 1954-55 as a sophomore. He averaged 9.3 points per game as a junior in 1955-56 and scored 12.3 per outing as the only senior and a co-captain on the 1956-57 squad that won the OVC Championship. He

(See HALL, page 2)



PRATER TO PIKEVILLE: Austin Prater recently signed with the University of Pikeville. Prater, an Allen Central High School graduate, led his team in many offensive categories including batting average and RBIs. He will have a chance to make an immediate impact for the University of Pikeville baseball program. Coaches, family and friends attended the signing.

## Energy announces move to Prestonsburg

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — The East Kentucky Energy has announced a move to Prestonsburg for the 2011-12 season. East Kentucky plans to play at Prestonsburg High School during the upcoming campaign. Prestonsburg City Council recently passed a resolution to make Prestonsburg the

team's new home.

East Kentucky played at various venues last season, including the East Kentucky Expo Center, Pike County Central High School and Paintsville High School.

Former Kentucky Mr. Basketball J.R. VanHoose (Paintsville High School/Marshall University) and Pikeville College standout Daniel Price paced East Kentucky

during the team's inaugural season. Former NBA Draft pick Galen Young served as the team's first head coach.

The Energy competes in the ABA (American Basketball Association). East Kentucky is the defending ABA Eastern Conference champion. The Energy fell to the Gulf Coast Flash in the ABA's Final Four.



CELEBRATE: The Floyd County U10 All-Stars soaked coaches following their championship win over the weekend.

## Star City Cruise-in/Burnout set for Saturday at Mountain Arts Center

Copperhead Ridge Hillclimb to open season same day

by STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG — The latest Star City Cruise-in/Burnout Competition will be held Saturday at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg. The Cruise-in portion of the event will begin at 6 p.m. at the MAC. Cars are scheduled to begin participating in the Burnout at 9 p.m. Saturday night.

Frametwisterz of the Bluegrass and the City of Prestonsburg are hosting the Star City Cruise-in/Burnout Competition. A cornhole tournament is set to accompany the event. A people's choice award has been announced for the event as well.

Admission is \$1. Copperhead Ridge Hillclimb will host its first event of the 2011 season on Saturday from 3-11 p.m. Copperhead Ridge is located on the Right Fork of Bull Creek in Prestonsburg.

Admission is \$10. Entry fee for the event is also set at \$10.

Copperhead Ridge Hillclimb has hosted competitors from several Kentucky counties along with hillclimbers from multiple surrounding states.

Clean

for the world to see. I'll make it public so that the athletics directors and the principals and the superintendents will be forced to address these situations themselves. Because in my estimation, if you're coaching kids and can't handle these situations any better than these two examples, you need to be replaced. I like coaches. I don't like doing this. But I also believe coaches have to be responsible for their behavior and must be held to a higher standard. Now, one last thing. I told you the first time I hear it I'll let things slide. And I will. But because I've heard it already on two of you, those two already have their pass. So if you've ever been

known to do something like this, you may want to ask yourself if you're one of the two who already have a strike. My advice is simple. Clean it up. What really bothers me about this, I suppose, is that because I'm so busy with my own teams at Pikeville College, which today becomes UPIKE, I don't have a lot of time to get out and see high school sporting events very often. But if I've already heard and seen enough, I have to ask myself if this is a bigger, more widespread problem than even I think it is. I certainly hope not. But I've heard it twice and that's two times too many. We as coaches, officials and media

members are adults who in many ways make or embellish our living because of these young people. We must treat them with respect. All of us. Me included. This was one of the most difficult columns I've written in several years. I didn't want to do this. I'll want even less to call out the first one who rings the bell twice. But I'll do it. Because if one of those students who play for you was my child, I'd be after your job. So if I feel that strongly, why shouldn't I go after it anyway? So there you go, fellas. It's your decision. Let's clean things up and be smart out there, shall we?

Hall

was named First-Team All-OVC as a senior as well. Tolle was part of the first two MSU teams (1955-56 and 1956-57) to play in the NCAA Tournament, helping the Eagles win two games in the 1955-56 event. During his three years on the team, his superb ball-handling skills got the offense on track as the Eagles scored more than 100 points in a game 22 times and averaged more than 90 points per game in an era when high-scoring games weren't common. Val Falcone (1968-71) - Val Falcone was a two-time All-Ohio Valley Conference player for the Morehead State baseball team, earning First-Team All-OVC in 1970 and 1971. He was a part of the 1969 Eagle team that finished 22-6 and won the OVC East Division title and the overall OVC Championship. In 1970 as a junior, he batted .375, helping MSU finish 18-9. He hit 359 his senior year in 1971 when he guided coach Sonny Allen's team to a 22-9 mark. In his four years as an Eagle, his teams won 74 games and two OVC East Division championships. Falcone went on to a short career in professional baseball, starting in 1971 with the

penant-winning Oneonta Yankees of the New York-Penn League. Falcone also went on to become a nationally-ranked racquetball player. A native of Bethesda, Md., Falcone now resides in Orlando, Fla. Diane (Long) Wetherill (1977-80) - Diane (Long) Wetherill guided the MSU women's cross country squad to the team title at the first Ohio Valley Conference women's championship meet in 1979. A four-year letter winner in cross country and track, Wetherill finished second individually at the 1979 OVC cross country championships and crossed the tape in eighth place as a senior at the 1980 championship race. She was named All-OVC both years. Wetherill qualified for the AIAW (the precursor to the NCAA for women's collegiate athletics) national championships in 1977 as a freshman, in 1978 as a sophomore and in 1979 as a junior. In 1980, the team won the KWIC title and she was named KWIC Most Valuable Runner. She is a native of Islip Terrace, N.Y. Josh Teater (1997-2000) - Teater finished his MSU career in 2000. Perhaps his best year at MSU came in

1999 when he led the Eagles to their fifth Ohio Valley Conference title. Teater finished tied for fifth individually at the OVC Championships and was named to the All-Tournament Team. Teater became a professional golfer in 2002, starting on the Hooters' Tour. He barely missed qualifying for the 2009 PGA Tour, but he qualified for the 2010 tour with a win at the Nationwide Tour's Utah Championship, which moved him up to eighth place on the winners list and assured him of his PGA Tour card. In his rookie season in 2010, Teater earned more than \$1 million in winnings, finishing in the top 10 twice and in the top 25 eight times. His best finish came at the Turning Stone Resort Championship when he finished tied for third. In 2011, he has already won more than \$300,000 and turned in three top 25 finishes. Established in 1985, the Morehead State Athletic Hall of Fame honors former Eagles whose achievements both in athletics and as MSU ambassadors have had a profound impact on Morehead State. The Hall of Fame contains 125 members.



FLOYD COUNTY U10 SOCCER

Above: Jillian Kidd and Haley Shepherd moved the ball down the field for the Floyd County U10 All-Stars during their tournament.

Left: Beth Burchett eyed a ball during a promising play.



U.S. Junior Amateur Qualifying held in Bowling Green

TIMES STAFF REPORT BOWLING GREEN - Bowling Green Country Club hosted a qualifying event for the 2011 U.S. Junior Amateur Championship on Monday (June 27). The event featured many of the top junior golfers from across Kentucky and surrounding states, each vying for one of three spots

available in the U.S. Junior Amateur Championship. Will Seger of Jasper, Indiana was medalist with a 36-hole total of 144, followed by Keegan Vea of Evansville, Indiana, and Trevor Smith of Newnan, Georgia, who won the final qualifying position in a sudden-death play-off over Bredon Doyle of Louisville. Doyle is the first alternate.

Pikeville golfer Will Boyd finished 44th (87-90-177). Boyd was the only area participant in the qualifying event. The 2011 U.S. Junior Amateur Championship will be conducted July 18-23 at Gold Mountain Golf Club in Bremerton, Washington.

Field for Joe B. Hall Prep Classic finalized

by STEVE LEMASTER SPORTS EDITOR MOUNT STERLING - Matchups are set for next season's Joe B. Hall Kentucky Prep Classic. The tradition-rich Kentucky boys' high school basketball event will be held Jan. 21, 2012 at Montgomery County High School. The lineup will feature the following games: Trinity vs. Madison Central;

Bullitt East vs. Rowan County; Ashland Blazer vs. Perry Central; Mason County vs. Pulaski County; Letcher Central vs. Montgomery County. Hall was the head men's basketball coach at the University of Kentucky from 1972-1985. In the 1978 NCAA Tournament, Hall, one season after succeeding legendary mentor Adolph Rupp, coached the Wildcats to

their fifth NCAA Men's Division I Basketball Championship. He was named National Coach of the Year in 1978 and Southeastern Conference Coach of the Year on four different occasions. His record at UK was 297-100. Hall compiled a 373-156 record over his career. Hall attends dozens of Kentucky boys' high school basketball games each year.

IN THE MAJORS...



photo by John Steezer/Kansas City Star/MCT Home plate umpire Jerry Layne held onto Chicago White Sox catcher Ramon Castro (27) after he was hit by the bat on the backswing of Kansas City Royals' Kila Ka'aihue in the seventh inning during baseball game at Kauffman Stadium, Wednesday, April 6 in Kansas City, Missouri. Castro stayed in the game. A veteran umpire, Layne hails from Etsy Layne.

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## MOVIES FROM THE BLACK LAGOON 'Night Caller'

by TOM DOTY  
TIMES COLUMNIST



Tom Doty  
Times Columnist

A private detective locks horns with a sadistic killer, when his ex-wife winds up on the radar of a sick puppy who is targeting at a phone sex hotline. Miami is the setting for this tame thriller that occasionally provides a few thrills thanks to the talents of director, and star, Fred "The Hammer" Williamson. Williamson has always been an engaging performer. His acting career began after he left professional football and he landed jelly side up when Robert Altman cast him alongside Donald Sutherland and Elliot Gould in "M.A.S.H." Next came the wave of African American genre films of the early-1970s. The Hammer then moved on to Italy to continue making genre films, when the trend petered out here.

Fred eventually came home and opted to make his own movies, since Hollywood wasn't offering action franchises to guys like him and Jim Brown. "Po Boy" productions became his banner and this film was one of a dozen that he made on his own terms. These films may not be high art, but they are fun to watch and often feature other performers whose stars burned brightest in the 1960s and-1970s.

This effort casts Williamson as Derringer, a private detective saddled with a hulking goofball partner, Lenny. Unfortunately, they haven't had a case in five weeks, so Lenny opts to jet down to Jamaica for some happy time, while Derringer stays behind.

Things get busy in a hurry when a woman gets killed at the phone sex joint where his ex works. The case gets complicated by a run-in with a local hood and Derringer's efforts to halt a protection racket. He doesn't even make any dough off the workload, though a local businesswoman is ready to reward his efforts to get the hoods out of her strip mall by stripping herself so Derringer can maul her.

The cases eventually come together (thanks to his friends, who are more than happy to do all of Derringer's leg work so he can get busy with the ladies). This band includes a street corner rapper, a tough cop with a crush on the ex-wife and a bartender who played football with Derringer back in the day.

It all leads to a shootout or two, and most of the case wrapped up, but there are a few surprises along the way which include a unique variation on what happens when the villain uses a woman that our hero loves as a shield. It doesn't end well for the shield but it's a powerful scene and a decent wrap up.

This film gets some stuff right. The locations are scenic, the cast is game and a few of the action scenes are pretty good. Unfortunately, the plotting is plodding and a last-minute dustup between Derringer and Lenny is poorly staged. That's especially maddening since Gary Busey plays Lenny and hasn't had a good fight scene in a film since he battled Mel Gibson in the rain during the conclusion of "Lethal Weapon."

That said there are nice cameos by Stella Stevens, Henry Silva and Robert Foster (and he's good as the cop who holds a torch for Derringer's ex-wife). Worth a look and available for less than five dollars at most bargain bins.

Best line: "I can breathe underwater, turnip head."

1993, rated R.



# FROGGY FEATURE

## 'The Frog Prince' opens at JWT next week

by JARRID DEATON  
FEATURES WRITER

The first performance of *The Frog Prince* will take place at Jenny Wiley Theatre on Wednesday, July 6. According to a description of the performance, "The Frog Prince is a 'load-ally' humorous retelling of a classic tale. After Princess Lily drops her golden ball into a well, she makes a promise to an ugly frog. Once she is reunited with her ball, she becomes a tad forgetful about her promise and the frog is soon hopping mad. Children and adults of all ages will enjoy this original production filled with

promises broken, promises kept, and ultimately, lessons learned." Princess Lily will be played by Frankie Dawahare, of Pikeville, and the Frog Prince/Prince Hugo will be played by Skyler Slone, of Knott County. The cast also includes Charity Cook, Olivia Davis, Lance Joseph Griffith, Madison Martin, Victoria May, Tanner Sammons, Tyra Madison Short, Drew Epperson, Lincoln Kilgore, Natalie Lester, Sarah Bakay and Katelyn Webb. The creative team includes Jennifer Hughes Bersaglia, musical director, Joseph Gourley, scenic designer, Helen Wicker, costume designer, Mitchell Ost, lighting designer and Adam

Smith, sound designer. The Frog Prince will begin at 8:15 p.m. Tickets are on sale now. Ticket prices are \$14 for adults and \$10 for children. Tickets may also be purchased over the phone by contacting the box office at 877-CALL-JWT or (606) 886-9274. A pre-show carnival is also planned for opening night. The carnival will feature frog and princess-themed games, children's activities and races, and a silent auction. The cost for the carnival is \$6 per child, or four children for \$20. Adults are admitted for free and food and beverages will be available at the concession stand.



The Floyd County Chamber Of Commerce recently welcomed new Chamber member Lad N Lassie, one of the oldest children's stores in Eastern Kentucky. Locally owned and operated by Cheryl L Leslie, Lad N Lassie is located at 188 West Court Street in Prestonsburg. Lad N Lassie has been in business since 1965, with the current owner, Cheryl Leslie, since 1997. Lad N Lassie carries clothing for newborns through size 16 for girls and size 12 for boys.



Prestonsburg and Floyd County is home to a national winning senior portrait artist, Paula Goble Photography. The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce recently welcomed Paula Goble Photography as a member. Photographer Paula Goble has been serving Floyd County and the Big Sandy region for the past 28 years, after graduating from the Art Institute of Atlanta in 1980.

### DINNER DIVA

## Is brown better?



I remember eating Weber white sandwich bread when I was a kid. I'd come home from school, grab a slice, yank out the middle and squish it into a small, firm white "bread" cube and eat it with relish. I think back now on those times and am completely grossed out. I'm sure I'm not alone when I say I grew up on white bread. Later on, my mom switched to a wheatberry bread and I loved it and wasn't even aware that it was a healthier alternative to the white squishy stuff I was

raised on. I often admonish my listeners of my radio show to choose brown over white—brown rice, whole wheat flour instead of their white counterparts. Brown rice has the bran still intact which lends fiber to the rice. Whole wheat flour same thing, as well as some important B vitamins. But without exception, someone always wants to know about sugar—brown vs. white or which substitute is better?

are a nation addicted to sugar in all forms and finding an appropriate substitute is a sticky wicket in my mind...shouldn't the answer instead be to learn to go without that sweet taste? With diabetes on the rise and the implications of the sugar/inflammation connection, sugar is an enemy of huge proportions. But all things in moderation, right? I have to tell you how much I

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One Bedroom apartment located close to Prestonsburg. No Pets. No HUD. Call 263-3232 or 226-9512 send resume to po box 203 262 ivy KY

**Land (Acreage)**

lots for rent for mobile homes fifth wheel and travel trailer 5 miles west of MAC 896-2288

**6000** Employment

**Help Wanted - General**

**REQUEST FOR SEALED BIDS SURPLUS PROPERTY OLD PRESTONSBURG ELEMENTARY**

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids for the proposed sale of the Old Prestonsburg Elementary Property located at: 236 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The Board of Education is accepting bids to sell the entire property without division. All Sealed bids must be submitted using the official bid form and clearly marked on the exterior of the envelope with "Sealed Bid, Prestonsburg School Property". Only bids submitted on official bid forms obtained from the district will be accepted. To obtain copies of official bid forms, this request for sealed bids, and to schedule site visits contact Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities, 2520 S. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, or via phone at 606-874-9569 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, prior to the time and date specified for bid opening. Sealed bids may be mailed or hand delivered to Matt Wierman, Director of Finance, 1066 North Front Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Sealed bids will be accepted until 1:55 PM, Monday, July 18, 2011, and will be publicly opened at 2:00 PM, Monday, July 18, 2011, at the Central Office located at the contact address listed above. All bids must be received by the time designated in the invitation and none will be considered thereafter. The Board of Education cannot assume the responsibility for any delay as a result of failure of the mails to deliver the bids on time. Bids will be opened and read at the time and location stated above. You are invited to be present at the bid opening. The Floyd County Board of Education will tabulate all bids received, meeting all specifications and conditions, and subject to all other provisions of the invitation to bid and may sell the surplus property to the best evaluated bidder(s), whichever is deemed to be in the best interest of the Floyd County Board of Education. The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. Bids are scheduled to be considered at the regular scheduled meeting to be held on Monday, July 18, 2011, Eastern Time, July 25, 2011 at Prestonsburg High School, 85 Blackcatville, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The following is the description of the entire property to be sold and is located on the NEVISA FORK OF THE BIG SANDY RIVER, PRESTONSBURG, KY. THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED BETWEEN ROUTE 1428 (NORTH LAKE DRIVE) AND BETWEEN EAST COURT STREET AND EAST FRIEND STREET, PRESTONSBURG, KY. AND INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING SOURCES OF RECORD: DEED BOOK 130 PAGE 369, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 474, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 476, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 477, DEED BOOK 141 PAGE 642, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 486, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 487, DEED BOOK 138 PAGE 475, AND DEED BOOK 172 PAGE 498, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: Beginning on the parent corner of the beginning of Court Street, at a magnetic PK nail set with metal disk marked "PLS#1998" and being 108 feet to the beginning of East Court Street, which is included in this survey, and said corner being on the north-west right-of-way of Court Street, and being 16.5 feet from center of same, and having Kentucky State Police, South Zone, Nac 83 coordinates of North 2, 140, 108.97 feet and East 509.25 feet from GPS Survey Station 3505624\* common to Lyda Ward and Larry James, Deed Book 306 Page 451. Thence leaving Court Street and with said Ward and James 350524\* W 108.11 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to Dixon and Sonia Nunnery, Deed Book 241 Page 391; Thence leaving said Ward and James and with said Nunnery N 3505624\* W 46.01 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to Pembroke Corporation, Deed Book 515 Page 458; Thence leaving said Nunnery and with said Pembroke Corporation N 3505624\* W 49.99 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to Phillip Sloane, Deed Book 229 Page 17; Thence leaving said Pembroke Corporation and with said Sloane N 3505624\* W 90.22 feet to an iron pin set, corner of East Yancy Street, et. al. and being 146.30 feet found, being PVA map number 045-30-18-24; Thence leaving said Sloane and with said Clark N 3505624\* W 77.38 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to City of Prestonsburg, Deed Book 198 Page 339; Thence leaving said Clark and with said City of Prestonsburg N 3052744\* W 146.93 feet to an iron pin set near a six foot tall chain link fence, being 58018'17" W 286.11 feet to an iron pin set in the right-of-way of Kentucky State Route 1428 (North Lake Drive) and being 118.75 feet to an iron pin set in the right-of-way of U.S. Route 23 being 25 feet left of Station 325 + 84.77 (U.S. Route 23 plans); Thence leaving said City of Prestonsburg and with said right-of-way N 330430' W 34.77 feet to an iron pin set 25 feet left of Station 325+50; Thence N 5605530' E 10.00 feet to a magnetic PK nail set with metal disk marked "PLS#1998" and being 35 feet left of Station 325+50; Thence N 3300430' W 159.65 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to W. Irvine Properties and CCR Properties, LLC, Deed Book 470 Pages 118 and 220, being 35 feet left of Station 323+90.38; Thence leaving said right-of-way and with said CCR Properties, LLC N 5605247' E 99.68 feet to an iron pin set near a 6 foot chain link fence corner, being with said CCR Properties, LLC N 5605247' E 99.68 feet with metal disk marked "PLS#1998" near a 6 foot chain link fence corner; Thence N 5601619' E 254.39 feet to an iron pin set near a 6 foot chain link fence, corner common to Friend Street properties, LLC, Deed Book 510 Page 160; Thence leaving said CCR Properties, LLC and with said Friend Street Properties, LLC N 5601819' E 336.54 feet to an iron pin set near a 6 foot chain link fence corner; Thence S 5601819' E 22.22 feet to an unmarked corner, being 6 foot chain link fence corner referenced by an iron pin set N 34052744' W 1.00 feet from said boundary corner; Thence N 5403203' E 122.73 feet to an iron pin set on North Highland Avenue right-of-way, and being 20 feet from center of same; Thence leaving said Friend Street Properties, LLC and with said right-of-way S 3502744' E 352.47 feet to an iron pin set near a 6 foot chain link fence, corner common to NRS Ventures, LLC, Deed Book 412 Page 225; Thence leaving said right-of-way of Highland Avenue and with said NRS Ventures, LLC S 5705703' E 254.74 feet to an unmarked corner referenced N 4900221' E 0.80 feet to an iron pin found bearing a cap marked "PLS#1893", said corner being what is known as College Lane and being with and including said College Lane S 3505624' E 158.14 feet to an iron pin set, corner common to Floyd County Fiscal Court, Deed Book 424 Page 72; Thence leaving said NRS Ventures, LLC and with said Floyd County Fiscal Court S 3505624' E 213.14 feet to a magnetic PK nail set with metal disk marked "PLS#1998" in concrete sidewalk, corner common to the northwest right-of-way of Court Street, and being 16.5 feet from center of same; Thence leaving said Floyd County Fiscal Court and with said right-of-way S 5604914' E 229 feet to the BEGINNING, and being 11.44 feet to a 4" x 4" ACRE and all iron pins referred to are 24 inch long, #5 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "REED ENG PLS #1998" and sealed survey and sealed plat and was surveyed under my direct supervision on August 24, and 25, 2008 and said survey is a Class A Survey with an unadjusted precision closure of 1 foot in 1,734 feet and was adjusted using the compass rule, and a plat was prepared of said survey having Reed Engineering file number 6449-280632 P. survey filed Aug. 2008.

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE**

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0376 22in accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that, BDC Coal, Inc., c/o BDC Coal, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41560 has applied for an amendment for a surface/auger coal mining and reclamation operation located 3.0 miles Southeast of Printer and 2.5 miles within the amendment will add 22.39 acres making a total area of 27.0 acres within the amendment permit boundary. The proposed operation is approximately 3.0 miles Southeast from State Rt. 2030's Junction with State Rt. 122 and located 0.1 miles West of the Spurlock Creek. The proposed operation is located on the McDowell and Home U. S. G. S. 7 & 12 tract 12, minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the area and auger methods of surface mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Clayborn Bailley Heirs, Ruby Halbert, Kermil & Doreen Martin, Alma Land Company, Cas Spurlock Estate, Tommy & Sherry Shelton, The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC., Phillip & Ida Ann Meade, and Denzil Yates Heirs. The operation will undertake land owned by Clayborn Bailley Heirs, Ruby Halbert, Kermil & Doreen Martin, Alma Land Company, Cas Spurlock Estate, Tommy & Sherry Shelton, The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC., Phillip & Ida Ann Meade, and Denzil Yates Heirs. The application has been filed for the Department of Natural Resources, Regional Office, 3140 South Lako Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Mine Permits, c/o Hudson Hollow Company, U.S. 122 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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Bids are scheduled to be held at 6:30 PM Eastern Time, July 25, 2011 at Prestonsburg High School, 825 Beavers Creek, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The following is the description of each parcel. Bids for the property are to be submitted for entire property without division of parcels. Parcel A: THE FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF THE RECORD SURVEY DEED BOOK 62 PAGE 187, LOCATED 0.6 MILES SOUTHWEST OF THE INTERSECTION OF U.S. 23 AND KY ROUTE 1428, BEING ON THE WEST SIDE OF MARTIN STREET, ALLEN, FLOYD COUNTY, KY, AND BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING on a 3.5" magnetic nail with 2" steel tag bearing "PLS 1998" set in the asphalt pavement, on the right of way of Martin Street, and on the boundary line of Floyd County Board of Education, deed book 62 page 187, and having Kentucky State Plane South Zone NAD 27 coordinates of North 47.894 52 feet and East 2,874,591.42 feet; Thence leaving said right of way and through said deed book 62 page 187 N 88 49 55" W 179.95 feet in an 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set near the fence line; Thence N 88 48 51" W 50.33 feet to an 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set on the creek bank; Thence N 88 48 52" W 93.53 feet to an unmonumented point in the center of Beaver Creek; Thence running downstream with the meanders of Beaver Creek N 04 59 02" W 11.59 feet; Thence N 14 29 01" E 191.37 feet; Thence N 22 18 31" E 137.16 feet to an unmonumented point in center of said Beaver Creek, also being a point on the Southern right of way of Beaver Creek, also being a point being 70.00 feet left of the centerline station 74.17 42; Thence leaving said center of Beaver Creek and with said right of way 53.34 feet to an 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set on the creek bank; said point being 70.00 feet left of centerline station 66.24 24; Thence with said right of way 26.24 feet to an 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set near the top of the bank; Thence with said right of way along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 617.46 feet and an arc length of 75.75 feet and a chord length and bearing of S 56 12 37" E 78.00 feet to a 3.5" magnetic nail with 2" steel tag bearing "PLS 1998" set, said point being 40.00 feet left of the centerline station 51 25 00; Thence with said right of way N31 13 51" E 10.00 feet to a 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set, said point being about 30.00 feet left of centerline station 52.00; Thence with said right of way along a curve to the right, said curve having a radius of 504.36 feet and an arc length of 93.54 feet, and a chord length and bearing of S 64 03 57" E 93.41 feet to a 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set on the corner of said right of way and the right of way of Martin Street; said point being 30.00 feet left of centerline station 41 31 55; Thence leaving the right of way of Beaver Avenue, and with right of way of Martin Street S 13 30 01" W 13 30 06" E 88.83 feet to an 18" 5/8 rebar with yellow plastic cap bearing "PLS 1998" set in the asphalt; Thence with said right of way S 13 29 42" W 141.97 feet to the BEGINNING and CONTAINING 1.93 Acres, and this description is based on a survey made by or under the direct supervision of John A. Reed, Licensed Professional Land Surveyor on February 2, 11, and 16, 2010, said survey having precision of 1 foot in 29,327 feet and was not adjusted and is a Class "A" survey and meets all the specifications of this Class. 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# Do all Mini Coopers make this banging noise?

by **TOM RAY**  
**MAGLIOZZI**

Dear Tom and Ray:  
My mom is great. I love her, and I need to know how to help her. She has a '74 Fiat Spider convertible. It's adorable and fast, and she loves it. But it's not running. AGAIN. It's been parked for about a year or so now, covered with a tarp. The canvas roof has a hole, so it would need to be replaced. The interior has water damage, so that needs to be cleaned or replaced. The clutch (the reason it was parked) needs to be replaced, and now the battery is dead. My dad also thinks the carburetor is shot. My mom literally burst into tears at seeing its accumulated damage, and has despaired over not taking better care of it. My dad and I think we should get her a Mazda Miata. What's your

advice? Do I try to help her keep the Fiat, or is it better to stop fighting it and let it go? — Nora

**RAY:** Nora, you've come to the right place. It just so happens that we've run an identical experiment recently, involving someone who's unattractively attached to a decrepit Fiat Spider —

**TOM:** That would be me.

**RAY:** — and a sympathetic, wiser, more detached family member, who replaced said Fiat with a Mazda Miata.

**TOM:** That would be my brother, except for the "wiser" part.

**RAY:** My brother has been nursing along a 1978 Fiat Spider on which almost nothing works. How do I know? Because he keeps asking me to fix it for him.

**TOM:** Well, I've been busy. So when it won't start, I ask my brother to have a

look at it and figure it out. — **RAY:** Yeah, he's been busy staying home from work because his car won't start! So I decided it was time for an intervention.

**TOM:** He decided not to fix it anymore. And then, the next weekend, he was at a garage sale, and he found a 1993 Mazda Miata with 53,000 miles on it, for \$3,000.

**RAY:** I found it between a brass bed and a couple of tricycles. It cost more than the tricycles, but less than the bed. And the car was in perfect condition — for my brother. Everything worked, but the car looked like it'd been worked over with a bag of chisels. That's why it was cheap.

**TOM:** But my brother had it painted, for another \$1,500, and now it's absolutely beautiful.

**RAY:** It won't be for

long. But it starts every day, doesn't it?

**TOM:** It's a miracle!  
**RAY:** It's not a miracle. That's what most cars do.

**TOM:** They do?  
**RAY:** And you know what's great about it? Everything works.

**TOM:** Yeah. The windows work. They go down AND up. The windshield wipers work, the heater and air conditioner work, the top doesn't leak. I don't know why I didn't think of this sooner.

**RAY:** Because you're a hoarder and a cheapskate. And because YOU didn't have to do the repairs on the Fiat — I was doing them for you. But Nora's mom doesn't have that luxury. So she's a perfect candidate to trade up and "reverse the curse."



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**RAY:** And with a fraction of the smell. So tell your mom that your suggestion has been endorsed by Click and Clack.

**TOM:** And if she wants to sell her Fiat, let me know. In its current condition, it sounds like my kind of car.

**RAY:** If he buys it, I'll kill him, Nora.

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as we Red Sox fans say.  
**TOM:** Yeah. I hate to admit it, but my brother's right. Unless you're a mechanic, or you have a brother dumb enough to chew up his knuckles for you, you're much better off with a Miata, which will provide all the fun of the

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## Diva

hate that saying! Would you say that about eating rat poison or something you were deathly allergic to? Of course not. There are times in life where we need to simply buck up and understand that we need to step away from something that is causing great harm. Yes, sugar can and will do that to you!

Another question I've been asked repeatedly is for a good sugar substitute for baking. When I think of baking, all I see are cakes, cookies, muffins/cupcakes, quick breads and pies. Let me ask you...if you're sitting on any kind of body clutter or are dealing with any health issues, haven't you baked enough? So again my answer is none; there is no sweet substitute that is safe because sweet isn't "safe"; it manufactures fat and inflammation in your body. Sure you're going to make pie for Thanksgiving and birthday

cakes for birthdays—enjoy the smallest sliver and call it a day. Reserve any kind of sweet for the rare special occasion and make it a tiny piece or a few bites. If you're a true "junkie" and can't take just one bite without a binge, than stay far, far away!

I have even cut out xylitol from my diet as I don't need to taste sweet anymore by adding anything. (Xylitol is a safe sugar substitute for baking. When I think of baking, all I see are cakes, cookies, muffins/cupcakes, quick breads and pies. Let me ask you...if you're sitting on any kind of body clutter or are dealing with any health issues, haven't you baked enough? So again my answer is none; there is no sweet substitute that is safe because sweet isn't "safe"; it manufactures fat and inflammation in your body. Sure you're going to make pie for Thanksgiving and birthday

You may not adopt my policy on sweet and maybe this post even made you mad! If so, there's a reason why—I've touched a nerve; perhaps you're addicted to sugar? I invite you to rethink your allegiance and defense of baking, eating sweets and

"all things in moderation". There's too much at stake with your health!

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## Rental Central

by **TOM DOTY**  
TIMES COLUMNIST

Genre flicks were popular again this week, but the product itself was only half as good as last week.

■ "Sucker Punch" — This film appears to have been produced so that bachelor parties can have a movie on mute for those guests who are too shy to make eye contact with the stripper/entertainment. The story follows a young lady who has been committed to an asylum where corruption runs rampant, but there are several other young ladies who help out by dressing like go-go girls and engaging in wild gun battles. Visually, this movie is pret-

ty impressive (it ought to be, as Zack Snyder also directed "300" and "The Watchmen"), but it will not do much for you if you have an attention span.

■ "Season of the Witch" — This is more like it. Two warriors, weary from battling in the Crusades, agree to escort an accused witch to a village for judgment. Along the way, they begin to wonder if she actually is possessed by something. This one gets major points for the well-rendered atmosphere and cinematography (you can feel the 14th century funk oozing off of the extras). It also rocks an excellent genre cast that includes Nicolas Cage and Ron Perlman

("Hellboy") as the soldiers, and the magnificent Christopher Lee as a creaky cardinal.

■ "Rizzoli and Isles" — Mystery fans will get a kick out of this cable series that was adapted from the popular novels by Tess Gerritsen. Her heroes are two women, a coroner and a detective, working the mean streets of South Boston. Witty and sharply realized, Angie Harmon and Sasha Alexander shine as the leads, and there is also a solid supporting turn from Lorraine Bracco as Rizzoli's protective mom.

Next week brings a real treat for genre fans with the release of "Hobo with a Shotgun."

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