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Annual fitness event returns Oct. 9

## Annual fitness event returns Oct. 9

**By Ralph Davis**  
**MANAGING EDITOR**

**ONIE** — The second Sunday event is rapidly approaching, it means local residents are ready to get up and move.

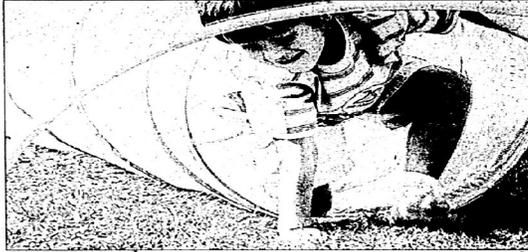
Eikhorn Recreation and on Park will once again be for Floyd County's "Second Sunday" event, an annual afternoon of fun activities, organized by the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service with the goal of encouraging residents of all ages to get some exercise.

The event will take place from 2 to 5 p.m. and will offer hiking, mountain biking, dancing, cornhole, disc golf, field games, an obstacle course for children and chair exercises. Local health care partners will provide health and physical activity information and displays, as well as blood pressure and heart rate checks,

and there will be prizes given away. "Second Sunday sends a compelling message of change in our state transforming from a state of spectators to one of active participants," said Theresa Scott, Floyd County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences. "Experiencing a fun-filled day of activities in a community setting can be the catalyst for local communities to actively pursue convenient and safe places for physical activity the other 364 days of the year."

Scott said last year's event drew a crowd in excess of 325, and many of those who attend return each year.

To volunteer or for more information, contact Theresa Scott, Floyd County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences, by phone (606) 886-2668, email tmscott@uky.edu or visit the Kentucky Second Sunday website at www.2ndSundayky.com



Patrick Rodriguez, of Pikeville, had fun navigating the children's obstacle course during last year's Second Sunday event at Eikhorn Education and Recreation Park.

**PRESTONSBURG** — King's Daughters Health Center is offering healthy heart and screening on the Mobile Health Unit on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at the Floyd County Library, 161 N. Arnold Ave., in Prestonsburg.

Screening results will be read by a Kentucky Heart Institute cardiologist.

The screening includes an EKG, total cholesterol, blood pressure, blood sugar and blood oxygen levels, and is sponsored by King's Daughters in cooperation with the Kentucky Heart Foundation. Appointments are required and may be made by calling 1.866.HEART.KY (432-7859). No fasting is required.

Heart disease is the leading cause of death in the U.S., accounting for more than 34 percent of all deaths annually. Every 38 seconds, an American dies from cardiovascular disease, according to the American Heart Association.

Early detection is key to reducing the impact of heart disease, said Tracy Woods of King's Daughters Community Relations department. "When it comes to heart disease, knowledge is power," she said.

An EKG is a test that checks for problems with the electrical activity of your heart. It also is used to check the health of the heart, especially when conditions such as high blood pressure, high cholesterol and diabetes are present.

To be eligible, participants must be at least 50 years of age and not participated in a KDMC heart/vascular screening in the past 12 months. Additional screening criteria may apply, which allow us to see those at greatest risk for heart disease.

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## School test scores vary widely

May Valley, ACMS praised for results; most high schools turn in poor scores

**By Ralph B. Davis**  
**MANAGING EDITOR**

**FRANKFORT** — Local school results on the Kentucky Core Content Test are all across the map, with some schools finishing near the top, and others scoring well below the state average.

On the plus side, May Valley Elementary had among the best scores in the state, finishing with perfect 100 scores in science and social studies, and ranking second in the state on the writing portion of the test with a 96. May Valley also ranked highly in reading and mathematics, finishing 11th and 5th, respectively, out of 732 elementary schools in the state.

At the middle school level, two schools had individual scores ranking them in the top 10 percent of the state in particular subjects. These included Stumbo Elementary, which finished 31st out of 327 middle schools in reading and 17th in the state in science, and Allen Central Middle School, which finished 23rd in math, 20th in science and 17th in social studies. Allen Central Middle also finished in the top quarter

ELEMENTARY			MIDDLE SCHOOL			HIGH SCHOOL		
School	Score	Rank (Out of 732 schools)	School	Score	Rank (Out of 327 schools)	School	Score	Rank (Out of 232 schools)
<b>Reading</b>			<b>Reading</b>			<b>Reading</b>		
May Valley	95.52	11	Stumbo	83.93	31	Allen Central	82.61	23
Duff	83.02	204	Allen Central	79.61	57	South Floyd	76.71	41
Prestonsburg	80.30	276	South Floyd	69.41	194	Betsy Layne	72.97	61
McDowell	78.95	318	Betsy Layne	66.99	229	Prestonsburg	63.13	152
Stumbo	77.78	351	Adams	65.23	242	<b>Math</b>		
Allen	76.62	380	Betsy Layne	63.95	257	Allen Central	81.25	23
Betsy Layne	73.66	450	Allen	68.03	156	Betsy Layne	76.76	46
Osborne	68.55	574	Adams	65.42	179	South Floyd	69.41	135
<b>Math</b>			<b>Math</b>			<b>Science</b>		
May Valley	97.76	5	Stumbo	88.57	17	May Valley	100.00	1
McDowell	79.70	218	Allen Central	87.25	20	Stumbo	82.93	175
Prestonsburg	77.01	289	Betsy Layne	82.54	40	Duff	75.93	315
Osborne	76.61	299	Allen	77.27	66	Allen	73.17	384
Allen	75.97	324	South Floyd	71.83	120	McDowell	70.59	409
Prestonsburg	67.54	464	Adams	58.77	231	Prestonsburg	60.98	556
Osborne	60.98	556	<b>Science</b>			Osborne	60.98	556
Betsy Layne	39.39	693	Stumbo	88.57	17	Betsy Layne	39.39	693
<b>Social studies</b>			<b>Social studies</b>			<b>Social studies</b>		
May Valley	100.00	1	Allen Central	84.31	17	May Valley	100.00	1
McDowell	94.87	10	Stumbo	67.50	118	McDowell	94.87	10
Allen	80.77	103	Betsy Layne	59.79	184	Duff	79.25	124
Duff	79.25	124	South Floyd	57.32	197	Prestonsburg	65.45	295
Prestonsburg	65.45	295	<b>Social Studies</b>			Stumbo	65.12	298
Stumbo	65.12	298	Stumbo	67.50	118	Osborne	61.90	336
Osborne	61.90	336	Betsy Layne	59.79	184	Betsy Layne	47.54	544
Betsy Layne	47.54	544	South Floyd	57.32	197			

photo illustration by Ralph B. Davis

## UNITE receives \$500K grant

**By Jack Latta**  
**STAFF WRITER**

**SOMERSET** — Operation UNITE was awarded \$500,000 grant this week to build capacity for prevention and healthy lifestyle programs across Kentucky.

The grant, which was announced Tuesday, September 27, is part of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS) Community Transformation Grants to support public health efforts to reduce chronic diseases, promote healthier lifestyles, reduce health disparities, and control health care spending.

"Promoting healthy lifestyle choices is already an essential component of UNITE's drug prevention and education programs," said Karen Kelly, UNITE director. "This Community Transformation Grant will facilitate development of many partnerships so we can address, with a unified voice, risky health behaviors and associated preventable illnesses and premature death rates."

UNITE is one of 26 grantees to receive the grant which is expected to run for five years, with projects expanding their scope and reach over time as resources permit.

"UNITE is uniquely positioned to expand its focus

## God's Pantry receives \$100K donation from AEP

**Times Staff Report**

**PRESTONSBURG** — God's Pantry Food Bank received a major boost Wednesday to its capital fundraising campaign.

The group was presented with a check for \$100,000 Wednesday from the American Electric Power Foundation in support of the "Come to the Table" campaign, a \$3.5 million capital campaign to more effectively and efficiently feed people in need.

"Speaking on behalf of the American Electric Power Foundation, we are pleased to provide a grant to God's Pantry Food Bank in support of its efforts to help feed many of this area's disadvantaged citizens," said Greg Pauley, president and COO of Kentucky Power, an operating unit of American Electric Power. "God's

Pantry goes about its work quietly, but its impact in fighting hunger speaks volume for its commitment to help our neediest families, including many children."

Funds raised by the Come to the Table campaign will allow the food bank to renovate its existing headquarters in Lexington, add a receiving warehouse in Winchester, and satellite facilities in the Morehead and London/Corbin area and add to its fleet of vehicles, which transport food throughout the group's 16,000 square mile service area.

"We believe that by increasing our ability to bring in more food, send out more food, and provide our member agencies with the resources to receive and distribute more food, we will create a more powerful network to fight against hun-

ger," said Marian Guinn, God's Pantry Food Bank CEO. "Today we are inviting everyone to Come to the Table and help us put more food on the tables of struggling Kentuckians."

God's Pantry Food Bank provides food to more than 275 emergency feeding sites across Central and Eastern Kentucky, including food pantries, soup kitchens, shelters, senior centers, and after-school programs. For nearly 57 years, the Food Bank has been dedicated to feeding hungry people by collecting and distributing food and grocery products, advocating for hunger-relief programs, and collaborating with others who address basic human needs.

God's Pantry Food Bank is a member of Feeding America, the nation's largest domestic hunger-relief charity.



Pictured from left to right are Steve Jennings (President, God's Pantry Food Bank Board), Marian Guinn (CEO, GPFB), Bob Shurtlett (Kentucky Power), Greg Pauley (President and COO, Kentucky Power), and Dave Harper (Come to the Table Campaign Chair).

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## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jennifer King, of Martin; to Larry J. Adkins of Galveston; contract.  
 Beth A. Garrett to Eric S. Paisley, both of Columbus, OH.  
 Brandy Nicole Wireman, of Langley, to Ollie Timothy Alstie, of Salyersville.  
 Kristie Leigh Ann Robinson to Milton Arnold Garcia Aguilera, both of Martin.  
 Amanda Dawn Fiegenbaum to Joseph George McCune, both of Minnie.  
 Natasha Nicole Hall to Micky Eldon Young, both of Honaker.  
 Tammy Rose Price to Richard Gordon Price, both of Prestonsburg.  
 David Lee Patrick to Ashley Daniel Slone, both of Prestonsburg.

## CIVIL SUITS

ARH-Regional Hospital v. Ashley Adams; contract.  
 Central Finances Services Inc. v. Brian E Chaffins; contract.  
 Asset Acceptance LLC v. Ricky Stratton; contract.  
 Capital One Bank v. Randall Scarborough; contract.  
 Capital One Bank v. Jennifer Shepherd; contract.  
 Cash In Hand v. Kenneth Little; contract.

## Grant

because of its education and prevention programs already being provided within the 20-county Fifth Congressional District, Kelly said. Through our 30 community coalitions and Medical Advisory Council, UNITE has developed a solid organizational infrastructure, a capacity building model which has been extensively fielded, and proven record for coordinating program activities with local organizations.

Overall, HHS awarded approximately \$103 million in prevention grants to 61 states and communities, reaching more than 120 million Americans that are intended to support the planning and implementation of state and community projects proven to reduce chronic diseases — such as diabetes, heart disease, stroke and cancer.

Through the grant, UNITE will serve 119 counties (excluding Jefferson) with a population of nearly 3.6 million residents, of which about half (1.8 million) live in the state's 85 rural counties — primarily the Appalachian and Mississippi Delta regions.

## Test

ter of the state in reading (57th) and writing (50th). Betsy Layne Elementary junior high students also finished in the top quarter in math (46th) and science (40th).

Supt. Henry Webb had high praise for May Valley and Allen Central Middle, saying he expects that May Valley is among the top elementary schools in the state while Allen Central is among the top 10 performing middle schools.

"These schools are setting the performance bar for Floyd County and demonstrating that our kids and our schools can compete with any in the state," Webb said.

World finance corporation v. Jennifer Gillespie; contract.  
 Cabell Huntington Hospital INC v. Elbert Lawson; contract.  
 Lendmark financial Services v. Christopher Moore; contract.  
 Lendmark Financial Services v. Johnny Adkins; contract.  
 The Public Safety Store v. Ricky Slone; contract.  
 Lendmark Financial Services v. Willie Gayheart; contract.  
 Speedy Cash-Check Advance v. Jimmie Ward; contract.  
 David Hamilton v. Jeanie Burchett; contract.  
 Speedy Cash-Check Advance v. Eric Vanderpool; contract.  
 Capital One Bank v. Alicia Ray; contract.  
 Midland funding LLC v. James Hunter; contract.  
 Lendmark Financial Services v. Sharon Stegall; contract.  
 Equable Ascent Financial LLC v. Leland P Kidd; contract.  
 Lendmark financial v. Arlen Shepherd; contract.  
 Cabell Huntington Hospital INC v. Don Hughes; contract.  
 Lendmark financial Services v. Ivan Gunnels; contract.  
 BB&T Financial FSB v. Steve Watson; contract.  
 American Express Bank v. Eric A. Fitzer; contract

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance INC v. Rusty Hamilton; contract.  
 Lisa Howell v. Franklin Howell; dissolution of marriage.  
 Bonita Sue Hackworth v. John D. Hackworth; dissolution of marriage.  
 Arthur Hicks v. Amanda Hicks; dissolution of marriage.  
 Jennifer Patrick v. Jimmy Patrick; dissolution of marriage.  
 Kelly Johnson v. Jarrod Johnson; dissolution of marriage.

## CHARGES FILED

James Gregory Goines, 28, McDowell; theft by unlawful taking.  
 Clydia L. Bradley, 34, Wayland; second-degree forgery.  
 Joshua Ryan Meade, 29, Prestonsburg; third-degree burglary, third-degree criminal mischief.  
 Jamie Pennington, 46, Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault, first-degree wanton endangerment (3 counts).  
 William G. Hall, 37, Banner; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs/alcohol, no/ expired Kentucky registration, failure to produce insurance card, failure to register transfer of motor vehicle, possession of marijuana, drug paraphernalia, first-degree possession

of controlled substance, controlled substance prescription not in original container, failure to notify Department of Transportation of address change.  
 Jerry C. Keefer, 21, Winchester; second-degree disorderly conduct, menacing, resisting arrest.  
 Sally Pickens, 27, Prestonsburg; alcohol intoxication.  
 James Gregory Goines, 28, McDowell; controlled substance prescription not in original container, possession of drug paraphernalia (2 counts), public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 Tony Baril, 51, Prestonsburg; alcohol intoxication, second-degree disorderly conduct.  
 Michael Arthur Osbourne, 35, Beaver; public intoxication, possession of marijuana, third-degree possession of controlled substance (3 counts), controlled substance not in original container (3 counts).  
 Tony G. Baril, 51, Prestonsburg; resisting arrest, first-degree disorderly conduct.  
 Rachel Wallen, 34, Allen; public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 Dwayne D. Marsillett, 33, Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal trespassing.  
 Jennifer Ruth Tackett, 29, Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal trespassing.

James J. Burchett, 53, Prestonsburg; cultivating marijuana less than 5 plants.  
 George Perry Summers, 33, Prestonsburg; alcohol intoxication, disorderly conduct.  
 John Derek Stanley, 36, Pikeville; was operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, third-degree possession of a controlled substance, controlled substance prescription not in original container, drug paraphernalia.  
 Stacy S. Henley, 21, West Liberty; alcohol intoxication, first-degree disorderly conduct.  
 William Robert Price, 34, Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault.  
 Shelby Daniel Stacy, 33, Wayland; public intoxication of a controlled substance, resisting arrest, menacing.  
 Shelby Daniel Stacy, 33, Wayland; theft by unlawful taking, third-degree criminal mischief.  
 Austin Shepherd, 29, public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 Danny Rogers, 49, Harold; fourth-degree assault.  
 Timothy Lewis, 34, Banner; public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 Marianne Mayo, 38, Martin; public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 Heather Barnett, 28, McDowell; alcohol intoxication, third-degree criminal

trespassing, resisting arrest.  
 Paul B. Mullins, 25, Hueysville; fourth-degree assault, third-degree terroristic threatening, third-degree criminal mischief.  
 Leeroy Greer, 54, Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault.  
 Steve Allen Tackett, 39, Virgie; public intoxication of a controlled substance, failure to wear a seatbelt.  
 Jamie Pennington, 46, Prestonsburg; third-degree criminal mischief.  
 Christopher Hayden, 22, Shelby Gap; theft by failure to make required disposition.  
 Brian Wesley Jarrell, 42, Painsville; rear license not illuminated, failure to wear seatbelt, failure to maintain required insurance, operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, possession of marijuana, third-degree possession of controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia, controlled substance prescription not in original container, possession of open alcohol beverage container.  
 Daniel Todd Lafferty; public intoxication of a controlled substance.  
 David G. Elliott, third-degree criminal mischief.  
 Tony Brown, 29, Dwalie; first-degree criminal trespassing.  
 Ellis Brown, 67, third-degree terroristic threatening.

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"Substance abuse, especially prescription drug use, is a major threat to Kentuckians," said Kelly, who added that 96 counties saw increased rates of prescriptions dispensed for controlled substances from 2006-08 according to data from Kentucky's All-Scheduled Prescription Electronic Reporting (KASPER) system.

"Many of the focus areas of this grant, if not addressed early, ultimately lead to increased risk for substance abuse and mental illness disorders," Kelly said. "Kentucky is one of the unhealthiest states in the nation."

"By collaborating with local, regional and state groups, and soliciting community feedback, we will develop a plan to increase awareness and identify systems and strategies to meet specific health and behavioral goals," said Kelly.

For more information about Operation UNITE visit their website at [www.operationunite.org](http://www.operationunite.org).

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social studies, and Allen Central finished 195th in science and 200th in writing.

Only Betsy Layne High School avoided having any score in the bottom half of the rankings, and finished with most scores in the top third in the state.

Webb said the school system is already looking at the scores and planning for what improvements need to be made in instruction.

"Assessment guides instructions, and this data helps us identify the changes we need to make," Webb said. "That's what planning is, and we're already moving forward."

# Obituaries

**Juan Boyd**  
 Juan Boyd, age 70, of Dana, husband of the late Maxine Mulkey Boyd, passed away Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2011, at the Pikeville Medical Center, in Pikeville.

He was born August 19, 1941, at Dana, the son of the late A.A. Boyd and Mona Conn Boyd. Mr. Boyd was a retired pipe liner for Columbia Gas and a member of the New Life Church of the New Hope United Baptist, of Banner.

Survivors include a son, Wesley Brian (Angie) Boyd, of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Rhonda (Shawn) Hicks, of Dana; two brothers, Montis (Destaphine) Boyd, of Dana, and Steve (Lnn) Boyd, of Prestonsburg; a sister, Gail (Joe) Taylor, of Dana; and a grandson, Christian Maxwell Hicks.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Maxine, and a sister, Shelby Campbell.

Funeral services for Juan Boyd will be conducted 10 p.m., Friday, Sept. 30, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral

Home Chapel, in Martin, with the clergymen Albert King, T.I. Hamilton and Romey Spears officiating. Burial will follow in the Boyd Cemetery, at Dana, with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.



**Charles E. Johnson**  
 Charles E. Johnson, 66, of Rittman, Ohio died, Tuesday, Sept. 27, 2011, at Autumnwood Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, where he was born June 7, 1945, in Weeksburg, to Charlie and Eliza Jane (Collins) Johnson, and lived in Rittman for 16

years.

Charles was a member of Joppa Regular Baptist Church in Melvin. He enjoyed his family and watching Western movies.

Surviving are his sisters, Betty (Garland) Tackett, of Marshallville, Ohio; Mary Lou Howell, of Rittman; Bonnie Jean Thacker, of Rittman; Jeanette Seibee, of Rittman; and Judy McDonald, of Rittman; 14 dolies and dogs.

His parents and a brother, Billy Dean Johnson, died previously.

Services will be held 11 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 30, at Gillman Funeral Home, 360 W. Sunset Dr., Rittman with Pastor Mike Decker and Pastor Eric Bates officiating. Burial will be in Rittman Cemetery. Friends may call one hour prior to services.

For online register book, obituary, condolences, visit [www.gillmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.gillmanfuneralhome.com).

Memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice Care Center, 3358 Ridgewood Dr., Akron OH 44333.

## Association to hold annual horse show

**By Jack Latta**  
**STAFF WRITER**

**PRESTONSBURG** — Some of Eastern Kentucky's finest horses will be on display this weekend as they compete at the Stonecrest show ring.

The Eastern Kentucky Walking & Racking Horse Association will hold their 22nd annual horse show at 4 p.m. Saturday, at Prestonsburg Equine Center in Prestonsburg.

Forty-five classes will be offered with over \$12,000 in prize money and awards presented to winners, show manager Randy Adams announced.

Classes to be offered include:

- Juvenile 17 & Under Walking Horse
- Walking Weanling Halter
- Open Ladies & Men's Pleasure
- Open Walking Stallion, Gelding & Mare Specialty
- Open Junior Racking Horse
- KHC Open Trail Pleasure
- Walking Pony Specialty
- Juvenile Racking Horse 17 & Under
- Two-Year-Old Walking Horse
- Plantation Pleasure Horse Specialty Open
- 3&4 Year-Old Pacing, Open Juvenile Pleasure
- Horse or Pony
- Open Amateur Racking Horse
- Ladies Amateur Specialty
- Show Pleasure Walking Horse Open Specialty
- Speed Racking
- Open Walking Horse Amateur Specialty
- Flat Shod Performance

Racking Horse

- Amateur Country Pleasure Horse Specialty
- Four-Year-Old Walking Horse Open & Championship
- Juvenile Pacing
- Four-Year-Old Walking Horse
- Style Racking Horse
- Country Pleasure Racking Horse
- Three-Year-Old Walking Horse
- Juvenile 11 & Under Walking Horse
- Mares & Gelding Pacing
- Amateur Owned & Trained Walking Horse Specialty
- Trail Pleasure Racking Horse
- Open Two-Year-Old Racking Horse
- Ladies Pacing
- Open Pleasure
- Two-Year-Old Walking Horse
- Open & Championship
- Open Spotted Horse
- ASB Pleasure
- Ladies Racking Horse
- Novice Amateur Walking Horse Specialty
- Walking Weanling Halter
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For more info contact Morris Copley 886-1066 or Jennifer Gardner 886-2335

# EPA's Southeast administrator defends concern for environmental justice

Some big names headlined the agenda at the 35th annual Governor's Energy and Environment Conference in Kentucky on Monday, and all agreed that communities and industry would have to work together to find solutions to environmental problems facing the state.

Perhaps the biggest name on Monday's program was Gwen Keyes Fleming, southeast regional administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, which has come under attack from officials and political candidates in the region for such actions as tighter controls on mountaintop-removal strip mining of coal.

Fleming said she was striving to find mutual respect and understanding between industries and the communities where they operate in order to find the best way to craft a solution for those communities, by combining environmental stewardship with economic good sense.

"With all of these challenges, it's important for us to turn to each other and not on each other," she said. "It's important for us to listen and to include

the community and their views in those discussions about energy and extraction."

She said she's spent much time in Kentucky dealing with issues related to surface coal mining, and said the messages she was getting from members of Kentuckians for the Commonwealth may not be what the energy industry would expect. She said the group doesn't want mining to end, but wants companies to be mindful of protecting the water and air — things the community needs every day.

Fleming said one of her main goals as Region 4 administrator is environmental justice, reaching out to communities that are underserved and underserved. "People ask, Why is the EPA delving into this? First and foremost, it's the morally right thing to do. If you look at the statutes, it is a constitutional right that they apply to everybody equally. It doesn't say clean water for some or clean air for others."

She added that environmental justice is also important for economic development, saying that as long as certain com-

munities were dealing with undue burdens of pollution, sustainable businesses that could strengthen the economy would not want to locate in those areas.

Her regional office is dealing with a wide variety of difficult issues, Fleming said, but more than anything, she said her staffers are committed to making sure they understand the issues, that they are asking tough questions, and that they are finding the best solution for everyone.

"We are dealing with issues of importance that we simply can not turn away from," she said.

Len Peters, secretary of the state Energy and Environment Cabinet, said the goal of the conference was to bring people from a diverse range of interests and expertise together to focus on the issues. "This dialogue is very important and it can be very constructive," he said.

Dr. Lee T. Todd Jr., recently retired president of the University of Kentucky, was the keynote speaker. He focused on accomplishments made by UK

during his 10 years as president.

He touted UK's Center for Applied Energy Research, which he said has conducted \$68 million worth of research to "address the environmental impact" of mining and burning coal. The center is also working on carbon-capture technology, including studies of algae as an energy source.

He said he was very proud of the university's willingness to partner with the coal and natural-gas industries, and added that with the proper amount of research and regulations, Kentucky could change its economy with the energy industry.

"Too many times, universities want to do what they want to do," Todd said, "and they don't want to solve the problems that industry has." He said UK's "carbon research management group," has partnerships with various energy companies, including American Electric Power, Duke Energy, East Kentucky Power Cooperative, LG&E and Kentucky Utilities.

Todd said legislators and donors had to be convinced that investing in universities — UK

and the University of Louisville, specifically, — would produce returns because they are researching concepts that can be implemented across the state. He said UK is involved in an energy project in every county in the state right now.

His main focus, though, was building partnerships between industry and non-industry people. He used an incident that happened after the announcement of the new UK men's basketball dorm, to be named the "Wildcat Coal Lodge," as an example. He said the announcement won him a meeting with "15 very bright students" who came to his office to talk about the issue.

"One thing that I told them was that, you can stand on one side and yell, 'coal, coal, coal,' or you can stand on the other side and yell, 'green, green, green,' but that's not going to get this country a solution," Todd said. "We've got to have somebody who can look at all the things that can move us toward a solution that can be tolerated."

## Pike grand jury charges six with assistance fraud

By Terry May  
WILLIAMSON DAILY NEWS

PIKEVILLE — A Pike County grand jury recently returned true bills against six individuals charged with assistance program fraud.

The grand jury report said those accused allegedly "knowingly, use, acquire, transfer, forge, alter, traffic, counterfeit or possess medical identification cards and did unlawfully use them in manners not authorized by law or did devise schemes or plans to obtain benefits from an assistance program by means of fraudulent representation or engaging in conduct that advanced such a scheme or in complicity with another in doing so."

Those charged with fraud are:

- Lisa L. Griffith, 38, of Motley Road, Feds Creek;
- Emily Haynes, 32, of Cawood;
- Greta Ratliff, 46, of Granite Drive, Pikeville;
- Michael R. Stiltner, 43, and Jackie Stiltner, 41, both of Elkhorn City; and
- Pauline Thacker, 45, of Raccoon.

Evidence presented to the grand jury of the Commonwealth Attorney's office mostly spanned a timeframe from January 2009 to December 2010.

However, the true bills against Michael Stiltner and Jackie Stiltner went back to January 2007. Ratliff's also covered a period beginning in April 2008.

## Representative to help veterans with benefits

Times Staff Report

PRESTONSBURG — A representative for veterans benefits will be in Prestonsburg next week to assist veterans in filing for their benefits.

According to the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs, a Veteran's Ben-

efits Field Representative will be at the Floyd County Public Library, in Prestonsburg, on Wednesday, Oct. 5, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

Veterans and their dependents who attend will be able to receive assistance filing for Federal and State veterans benefits.

This service is provided

free of charge by the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs. To apply, veterans need to furnish copies of pertinent documentation to verify their eligibility.

For further information, please call toll free 1 (866) 647-2926 to speak with a veterans Benefits Field Representative.

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

- Gregory Nunn

Amendment I

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 Kentucky's heroic son

By U.S. Rep. Hal Rogers

Ceremonies honoring heroes of war are most often conducted without the presence of the brave service members who earn the rare distinction. Out of 3,458 Medal of Honor recipients in our nation's history, only 85 are alive today. Of the seven recipients from the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, Sgt. Dakota Meyer is one of only three living members of the U.S. Armed Forces, and the first Marine, of whom we have the honor to personally thank for his valiant efforts. That is why I want to share my humble appreciation for one of Kentucky's bravest sons.

As I joined my colleagues at the Medal of Honor ceremony for Sgt. Dakota Meyer, a native of Columbia, Kentucky, on Sept. 16, I listened in awe of the story of his "conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the repeated risk of his life" two years ago when he saved the lives of 13 fellow Marines and Army soldiers and 23 Afghan soldiers in Afghanistan.

The President of the United States in the name of The Congress takes pleasure in presenting the MEDAL OF HONOR to

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For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the repeated risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty as a member of Marine Training Team 4-B, Regimental Corps Advisory Command 3-7, in Kunar Province, Afghanistan, on 8 September 2009. When the forward element of his combat team began to be hit by intense fire from roughly 50 Taliban insurgents dug-in and concealed on the slopes above a small village, Corporal Meyer mounted a gun-truck, enlisted a fellow Marine to drive, and raced to attack the ambushers and aid the trapped Marines and Afghan soldiers. During a six-hour fire fight, Corporal Meyer single-handedly turned the tide of the battle, saved 36 Marines and soldiers and recovered the bodies of his fallen brothers. Four separate times he fought the kilometer up into the heart of a deadly U-shaped ambush. Despite being wounded, he made a fourth attack with three others to search for missing team members. Nearly surrounded and under heavy fire he dismounted the vehicle and searched house to house to recover the bodies of his fallen team members. By his extraordinary heroism, presence of mind and gallantry, Corporal Meyer's humility was evidenced as he accepted the award in the name of the four servicemen who died during the fight and one who died later from his wounds that day: three Marines - 1st Lt. Michael Johnson, Gunnery Sgt. Edwin Johnson and Staff Sgt. Aaron Kenefick, Navy Corpsman 3rd Class James Layton, and Army Sgt. 1st Class Kenneth Westbrook.

"The main thing that we need to get from that day is that those guys died heroically, and they are greatly missed," said Sgt. Dakota Meyer. "This isn't about me. If anything comes out of it for me, it's for those guys."

Sgt. Meyer's unselfish words reflect the spirit of America. Just days before the Medal of Honor ceremony, we remembered 9/11 with the 10th Anniversary of the events in New York City, Washington D.C. and Pennsylvania that forever changed our nation. On that day, we lost nearly 3,000 people. There were heroes who led hundreds to safety out of the World Trade Center towers and many who died trying. There were the brave passengers aboard United Flight 93, who knowing their fate, overtook the hijackers and prevented a likely greater tragedy at the U.S. Capitol.

It is the unexpected heroes of 9/11 and the trained heroes of our U.S. Armed Forces who we honor and remember with every memorial dedication, every remembrance ceremony and every medal adorned by our soldiers.

I can't say strongly enough, how proud I am to join our country in honoring our Kentucky son, Sgt. Dakota Meyer, who not only survived a brutal battle in Afghanistan, but secured the way out for 36 other soldiers and brought home five comrades to be laid to rest by their loved ones.

NEWS ITEM: THERE ARE NOW 46.2 MILLION AMERICANS LIVING IN POVERTY



Beyond the Beltway

It's class warfare, alright The rich guys are winning - in a rout

By Donald Kaul OTHERWORDS

Republicans are accusing President Obama of waging class warfare, which is a little like the Japanese complaining about the time Pearl Harbor attacked them in 1941.

Still, that's the Republican Party's role in life. It's the defender of the rich and powerful and a friend to those who can afford them. It's a dirty job but someone's got to do it, and George Will can't be everywhere at once.

The Republican outburst on "class warfare" was prompted by Obama's new, improved economic plan in which he proposed cutting government spending, trimming entitlement programs, and ... if you're a conservative with a weak heart you might want to stop reading right now ... collecting more taxes from rich people.

The president went so far as to suggest a minimum tax on the incomes of those who make a million dollars a year or more.

"It is wrong that in the United States of America a teacher or a nurse or a construction worker who earns \$50,000 should pay higher tax rates than somebody pulling in \$50 million," he said. "It's hard to argue against that."

Unless you're a Republican politician, of course. Speaker of the House John Boehner had his trouble saying, "Tax increases create jobs."

That is the political equivalent of a parrot saying "Polly want a cracker."

The Republican attack on class-war mongering was particularly ill-timed. Just days later the Census Bureau reported that there are now 46.2 million Americans living in poverty, the most recorded in the 52 years that it's been collecting poverty information. That amounts to about 15 percent of the population. If you just count kids, the percentage swells to 22.

It gets worse. Nearly half of the poor have fallen into "deep poverty," a condition described as living on half of what qualifies as poverty, such as an income of about \$11,000 for a family of four.

Moreover, an incomprehensible 16 million American children live in "food insecure" families, meaning many nights they go to bed hungry. And the Republican answer for this is to cut social services so that the filthy rich can keep throwing big parties.

We're fighting a class war all right, and the rich guys are winning - in a rout. Republican politicians as well as too many Democrats serve as their foot soldiers, with a majority of the Supreme Court their consigliere.

The rich that the Republicans worry so much about are doing very well, thank you very much. The top 1 percent of income earners (average income: \$1.3 million a year) make over 20 percent of the total income of the nation. Their haul is greater than the combined paychecks of the

bottom 40 percent of wage earners.

That 20 percent figure was for 2007, which was the biggest share of the economy the top 1 percent had claimed since 1928. Perhaps you remember what happened in 1929? Pretty much the same thing that happened in 2008.

It was not always thus. In the mid-1970s the richest 1 percent had to make do with only 9 percent of the nation's income. The last 30 years have been a relentless attack by the rich on that kind of income balance.

A few people earning most of the money isn't a good thing for a nation or an economy.

Nor is there is evidence that cutting taxes on the rich produces jobs or better times. Some of our most prosperous times have coincided with high, progressive tax rates. The Bush-era tax cuts, on the other hand, failed to produce the robust job growth promised, fueled our deficit problems, and set the table for the Great Recession.

Some say Obama's jobs program is politically motivated. I say, so what? The Republicans' every move is politically motivated. They're openly seeking to sabotage the economy in order to make him, as Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell says, "a one-term president."

If they succeed and we give them the keys to the family sedan, we'll spend 10 years climbing out of the ensuing crash.

But the top 1-percenters will be just fine. They always are.

OtherWords columnist Donald Kaul lives in Ann Arbor, Michigan. <http://otherwords.org>.

The Usual Eccentric

Speak of the Devil

by Will E. Sanders CREATORS SYNDICATE

The one question I'm asked most frequently (besides whether I'm 17 years old) is, "If you could interview any person in the world, living or dead, who would it be?"

Without thinking, I answer simply: the Devil.

Now, I know what some of you may be thinking, and no, I am not 17 years old. I am 31, but I'm blessed with great genes that allow me to look as though puberty stood me up at the prom. Others might be thinking, "Hey, Will, Satan is fictive." I urge such people to wipe that pus off their faces because this is my column - not theirs - and I will fake-interview whom-ever I wish.

You didn't hear it from me, but Lucifer is a real jerk - it goes without saying, but as a journalist, I feel it's necessary to demean your intelligence like they do over at CNN/Fox News. (Choose whichever offends.) you more.) I mean, the Devil needs to get with the times and step into the 12th century already. He doesn't even have a cell phone or a Facebook page. And forget about Twitter; even though he created it, Beelzebub doesn't tweet.

I suppose setting up the interview with Satan would be a hellish task. (Ah, you see what I did there? Pretty clever, huh? OK, I'll stop talking in

these parentheses now.)

It would probably involve a seance or something. I don't know anything about that, but I would probably just go a simpler route instead - for instance, trying to cook dinner, because, like seances, the process always requires an abundance of off-color obscenities and split blood.

Usually, for interviews, I like to go to the person's home or place of employment. I'd be willing to deviate from that standard protocol if I interviewed the Devil - unless he offered some sorta coat that protected me against fire. But even then, how could I know for certain that Satan wasn't just tricking me? It could just be a regular coat. Talk about playing right into his hands.

I would suggest we conduct the interview at a place where the Devil would feel most at home. Like Washington, D.C., or better yet, Chicago.

Except I bet the Devil talks exclusively in puns, which has to be super-annoying after a while. Get it? ... Wait a minute, oh Lord of Darkness. Can you please put some pants on?

"Be careful what you wish for, dear boy. If you ever state the heat, get out of the kitchen." The Devil would belong, sorta just standing there and waiting for me to join in laughing as well - except I wouldn't. Get it? ... Yeah, but it's not funny." I would say.

"And neither is the premise of this column," Satan would respond in kind.

But if I got the chance, I would hammer Lucifer with some real probing questions. Why are you such a jerk? Is Jeffrey Dahmer really in Heaven? Do you watch "Dancing With the Stars"? What, exactly, is your role at Republican/Democratic headquarters? (Again, dear reader, choose the one you find more unpleasant.)

Another reason I would pick the Devil to interview is because I would become a celebrity journalist overnight. Forget the Casey Anthony interview - an interview with Mr. Mephistopheles himself would vault me right up there with Barbara Walters and her younger, more annoying sister, Nancy Grace.

I would forever be known as the guy who interviewed Satan and lived to tell the tale. Oh, I would have my critics. Every aspect of my personal life would ... come under fire.

Sorry about that last bit. The Devil made me do it. (Yeah, he's standing over my shoulder as I write this. It's so stinkin' annoying. See? I told you he was a jerk.)

And this is why I'm currently in the process of selling my soul to the Devil in exchange for an interview with him. If he accepts - and promises to keep the puns to a minimum - I'll soon be living pretty high on the hog. I'll probably have a celebrity reality show on cable television in, like, no time flat.

If I ever land that big interview, I promise you that I will conduct myself with professionalism and integrity, but most of all I will put an all-new spin on the term "devil's advocate."

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# Floyd County Devotional Page

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## Devotional Spotlight



**Pleasant Home Baptist**  
Mark Tackett, Minister

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	7:00 p.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.; Lonie Vannucci, 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. 60 and U.S. 23:** Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Midweek Thurs., 7:00 p.m.; J.M. Sloce, Minister.

**BAPTIST**  
**Allan First Baptist, Allen:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Arnold Turner, Minister.  
**Auxiliary Freewill Baptist, Auster:** 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:** Worship Service, 9:30, Every third Sat. and Sun. of each month; Roger Hicks, Pastor; Ralph Howard, Asst. Pastor. Contact Kermit Newsome 606-377-6891 for more information.  
**Benedict Baptist, Sick Rock Branch, Cox 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 Joner, 886-3863, ext. 67267.  
**Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbot 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, Coon Fork:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roger Music, Minister.  
**Calvary Southern Baptist, Betsy Layne:** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday night, 7 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Doug 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.  
**Cox Creek Freewill Baptist, Cox 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.; Henry 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.

Church every Sun. Morning 11:00 a.m.; Wed. evening Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Mark Hunt, 606-478-2698  
**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 Wierman.  
**Faith Freewill Baptist, 1/4 mile above Wodwiske Egg:** 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 6 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.; Pastor Tommy Reed.  
**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, (Branchman's 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.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James Caldwell, Minister.  
**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, Bevinsville:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Roger Truisty.  
**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 D. Brown, Minister.  
**Lackey Freewill Baptist, Lackey:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Johnny J. Collins, Minister.  
**Lancaster Baptist Church, 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg:** Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 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:** Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m.; Odd Saturday, 9:30 a.m.; Gary Compton, Pastor.  
**Liberty Baptist, Denver:** 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, 11:00 a.m. Thursday, 7 p.m.  
**Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church of Jesus Christ, (Indian Bottom Association):** Services: 1st. Saturday & Sunday every month, 9:30 a.m.; 2nd. 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 Ellis, 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, 9:30 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.; Billie Simpson, 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, 1st. 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 285-3885  
**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.; Mark Tackett, Pastor.  
**Prater Creek Baptist, Banner:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.  
**Rock Ford 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, Hueysville:** Worship Service, 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; Pastor, Allen Chaffins, phone 948-2123.  
**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.; Phil Ramsey, 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.; Youth Service, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; No Service the 1st Sunday of each month; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jody Spence, Minister.  
**Trumble 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, Hwy. 7, Hueysville:** Worship Service, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Carlos Beyer, 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 Ferreri, 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.; Don G. Spears, Minister.  
**Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 88 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 E. Meade, 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.  
**Hueysville 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 Meade, 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., Langley:** Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11:00 a.m., Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.  
**Upper Toler Church of Christ, 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.  
**Weeksbury 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.; Judith Caudill, Minister.  
**Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin:** Worship 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. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.  
**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.; Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m.; Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m.-2 p.m.; Reverend Stan McGraw [www.dixie.net/signet/Visit-us-on-Facebook/](http://www.dixie.net/signet/Visit-us-on-Facebook/)  
**LUTHERAN**  
**Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Gayses Room Cottage House Motel, Prestonsburg:** Sunday School, 11 a.m.; WKLW (600 am) 12:05 p.m.; Roland Bentrup, Minister.  
**METHODIST**  
**Auxiliary United Methodist, Auxier:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Meant Music, Minister.  
**Betsy Layne United Methodist, next to B.L. Gymnasium:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.  
**Allen Christ United Methodist, Allen:** Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth Lemaster, Minister.  
**Community United Methodist, 147 Burke Avenue (off U.S. 23):** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jeffrey Lambert, Pastor.  
**Elloit's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 679, Beaver:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.  
**Emma United Methodist, Emma:** Sunday School 10 a.m.; First United Methodist Service 11 a.m.; Pastor David Proffitt.  
**First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue:** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m.; Youth Service 6 p.m.; Rev. Jim Adams, Pastor.  
**Horn Chapel Methodist, Auster Road, Auxier:** 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 Carrack, Minister.  
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## Superintendent takes part in diversity summit

LEXINGTON — Leaders from around Kentucky, including Floyd County Superintendent Henry Webb, took part this week in the 2011 Kentucky Summit on Diversity and Inclusion.

Organizers say the conference is designed to create discussion on harnessing the talents of Kentucky's people for the betterment of the state.

Some of the sessions that were held at the conference included "Kentucky in Ten Years," "Educating Kentucky—What Will It Take," and "Whose Community Is It? Mining Kentucky's Common Wealth."

According to the University of Kentucky, the state has 1,233 public schools enrolling nearly 645,000 youth while the state's higher education system includes 50 public, private, and community college institutions which enroll over

395,000 students. Approximately 17 percent of these students come from non-white ethnic groups in the population (Asian, Black, Hispanic, Native American and other).

Panelists in this session were challenged with how the state thinks about ethnic diversity of its students, the challenges cultural differences present in Kentucky's school systems.

Webb was asked to be a panelist for the session on education.

"My purpose was to talk about diversity in education, and how we can prepare kids for diversity," said Webb. Webb admitted that eastern Kentucky is not a region rich in diversity, but noted that the increased globalization that technology has created brings together kids from various backgrounds. Webb says it

is important to prepare kids. The diversity they will face is not limited to the state.

"What can we do as a state to better prepare kids for diversity?" said Webb. Organizers say the goal of the conference is to identify and develop strategies for combating the biggest impediments to Kentucky becoming the great state that it deserves, and has the power, to be. According to the summit's website, "the planned outcome of the summit is the formation of a coalition or commission to develop a 10-year, or possibly a 20-year action plan around an agenda focused on inclusion as Kentucky achieves greatness in education and business."

The University of Kentucky says that the plan is to have a summit every two years to examine the pressing issues with regard to diversity and inclusion.

## Service agencies struggling with skyrocketing poverty

FRANKFORT — Poverty continues to bedraggle the commonwealth and recent trends indicate it's only going to get worse.

The Bluegrass State has the fifth-highest poverty rates in the nation, census data shows, and nearly one-third of the state's households earned less than \$25,000 last year.

Rob Jones, executive director of Community Action Kentucky, says more and more people are turning to his agency for help — even those who once considered themselves middle class.

"The numbers reinforced what we have been seeing in our offices for about the last year, which is a significant pickup not only in the numbers of applicants for services,"

The state's 23 Community Action agencies are trying to stretch their service programs to help the unemployed, college-educated searching for work, Jones says.

"They're needing access to computers, to broadband so they can communicate with their employers. So, we're seeing new initiatives in those directions that may not have been the central, core function of the types of services that we had provided in the past."

Jones explains how Community Action Agencies, reliant on federal dollars, are

fearful of hefty budget reductions which could have a chilling effect on their ability to administer programs such as the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).

"We are concerned about seeing those that are most in need get that benefit and are able to make it through the cold months without extreme discomfort."

Last year, Community Action agencies in Kentucky served more than 473,000 individuals and roughly 210,000 families with employment, education, housing, nutrition, health and emergency services made possible, in large part, by the Community Services Block Grant program which leverages federal dollars with private investment. Jones worries that the program will face the budget ax at a time when the services are most needed.

"I think most of our agencies are able to leverage 30 to 40 times the money through other grants and through private investment that they invest in programs with their community-services block grant."

The Community Action Council, which serves several Bluegrass counties, is hosting a poverty forum Monday night in Lexington to heighten awareness of the worsening financial plight of struggling families. More information about the event can be found online at [povertyforum.com](http://povertyforum.com).

## Researcher finds gender differences in child trauma

LEXINGTON — The effects of trauma on a child's life and well-being are internationally recognized, but

the differences in trauma outcomes for boys and girls are less well-known.

Ginny Sprang, the Buckhorn Professor of Child Welfare and Children's Mental Health at the University of Kentucky and director of the Center on Trauma and Children, presented her latest gender-based trauma research at the European Conference on Traumatic Stress Studies in Vienna on June 3.

In terms of epidemiological research, work in Europe is parallel to that of

the U.S.," Sprang said. "European take a broad perspective on child trauma and tend to be innovative in their approach to the assessment and treatment of traumatic stress."

Sprang and her colleagues Carlton Craig and Michele Staton-Tindall measured and compared the trauma scores of girls and boys at baseline, at three and six months into treatment, finding that girls had higher rates of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) when they arrived into treatment than boys do.

After three months, both boys and girls were improving significantly, but the girls were still suffering more. After six months, gender differences remained, but the gap between PTSD scores in girls and boys narrowed.

"The majority of treatment gains were realized in that first three months," Sprang said.

One of the reasons for the gender differential during the first three months of treatment may have been related to the different types of trauma that girls are exposed to, according to Sprang.

"Girls are more likely to be exposed to sexual trauma

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King's Daughters Medical Center physiatrist Scott Akers, M.D., is available for consult every week the Kentucky Heart Institute offices in Paintsville, 313 West St. Patients are seen with physician referral; for more information or to arrange for a referral, please call (606) 432-2269.

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Dr. Akers performs EMG/NCV studies in the Paintsville office. These studies are used to evaluate the nerves' ability to conduct signals to the brain. Physiatrists may also prescribe adaptive equipment and assistive device, orthotics (braces), and prostheses.

Dr. Akers earned his medical degree from the West Virginia University School of Medicine and completed an internship at WVU Hospitals. He completed his residency training at the University of Kentucky's Chandler Medical Center in Lexington.

## Heart, vascular screening scheduled for October



Brandon Law, M.D.  
endovascular surgeon

King's Daughters Medical Center, in cooperation with the Kentucky Heart Foundation and the Kentucky Heart Institute, has scheduled the following heart-related screenings during October:

Monday, Oct. 3, Betsy Layne, Ky. – Vascular screening at the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center, 219 Pike Floyd Hollow. Tests include total cholesterol, blood sugar, blood pressure and ankle-brachial index (ABI) to check for blockages in the arteries of the leg. Vascular/Endovascular surgeon Brandon Law, M.D., will review results.

Tuesday, Oct. 11, Prestonsburg, Ky. – Healthy Heart with EKG screening at the Floyd County Public Library, 161 N. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg. Tests include total cholesterol, blood sugar, blood pressure and EKG, a non-invasive test to check the electrical activity of the heart.



Deb Cummings  
nurse practitioner

Thursday, Oct. 13, Paintsville, Ky. – Healthy Heart with EKG at the Paintsville First Church of God, 205 Eighth St., Paintsville. Screening includes total cholesterol, blood sugar, blood pressure and EKG, a non-invasive test to check the electrical activity of the heart.

Wednesday, Oct. 26, Paintsville, Ky. – Healthy Heart with EKG at the Kentucky Heart Institute Offices, 313 West St., Paintsville. Screening includes total cholesterol, blood sugar, blood pressure and EKG, a non-invasive test to check the electrical activity of the heart. Screening results will be reviewed by nurse practitioner Deb Cummings.

Screenings are provided by appointment only. To be eligible for the screenings, you must be at least 50 years of age and not have undergone a screening in the past 12 months. For more information or to register, please call 1.866.HEART.KY (1.866.432.7859).

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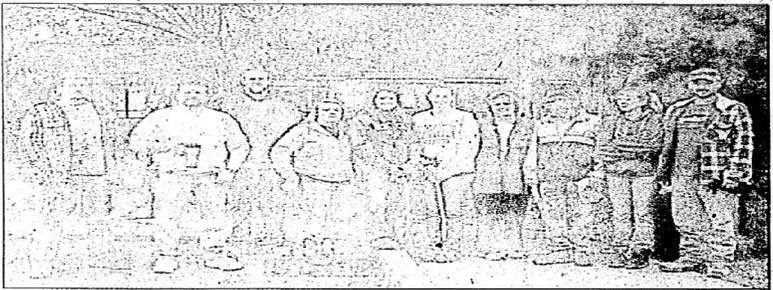
LOUISA — Saturday was National Public Lands Day, and Dr. Shiber's BSCTC Community Biology Club members, along with other students and organizations from around the region, spent the day at Yatesville Lake State Park, in Louisa, clearing nature trails, picking up trash & debris and planting or transplanting trees.

This is the second year Dr. Shiber's group has participated in this environmental activity. National Public Lands Day is a signature event of the National Environmental Education Foundation.

It was first launched in September 1994 to promote volunteer conservation of public lands.

In the beginning, there were only 700 volunteers, but by 2010, national participation in Public Lands Day had grown to 170,000. Now, over 2,000 public land sites in the United States and its territories are holding this annual occasion for stewardship each year.

Yatesville Lake State Park's National Public Lands Day was sponsored by the Huntington District of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and coordinated by Park Ranger Andrew Auxier.



Pictured from left to right are BSCTC Community Biology Club members Victor Kavellish, Charles Gilbert, Vic Holbrook, Sasha Kimbler, Kelsey Bailey, Gwendolyn Estep, Sherril Horne, Dr. Shiber and Mariena and Dan Blazer. Not shown are Brittainy Branham and Elaine Shiber.

## Gender

and more likely to endure more physical punishment than their male counterparts; boys are more likely to be exposed to non-sexual assaults, accidents, injuries and witnessing violence than girls," Sprang said.

While Sprang's research breaks new ground in understanding the role that gender plays in trauma treatment, many questions remain.

"We see some similarities in how adults and children respond to trauma exposure," Sprang said. "But we really have a lot to learn

in terms of how children at different developmental stages experience and report symptoms, and how they will respond to different treatments at various points in time. Some of the tools that are commonly used to measure traumatic stress symptoms in younger children are not developmentally sensitive enough, and we see problems with underreporting of symptoms in children who have been traditionally considered old enough to self-report."

Even within the field of

child psychotherapy, studies have demonstrated consistent patterns of recovery in children suffering from conduct disorders and depression. "But the way children respond to trauma treatments seems to differ from response patterns noted in the general child psychotherapy literature," Sprang said.

The nature of the trauma exposure is often an important determining factor in how children will respond to treatment. For example, children adverse-

ly affected by interpersonal trauma in their family might have continued exposure to their perpetrator, unless the court terminates the parent's rights. "These kids can't always protect themselves," Sprang said. "A child may be forced into visitation with the perpetrator, so they are being re-exposed and retriggered on a regular basis, which complicates the treatment."

The next step for Sprang and her team is to find out exactly why girls are taking longer to recover in

treatment than boys. "One of the issues we're interested in is how the characteristics of the therapist or the intervention may impact the way that boys and girls receive trauma treatment," Sprang said.

Most of the available child traumatic stress treatments are not gender-specific. "At the Center on Trauma and Children, our role is to adapt interventions to be sensitive to gender, culture, trauma type and/or real world application," Sprang said.

"Making these adaptations, and ensuring the essential elements of the intervention stay intact is an example of the translational work we do at the center, and one of the biggest challenges to the field of child trauma treatment and research."

Conference proceedings from Sprang's presentation at the European Conference on Traumatic Stress in Austria will be published in a supplement to the European Journal of Psychotraumatology.

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**Thank You**

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## Drillers sign 14 for dance team

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE - The Eastern Kentucky Drillers signed the first 14 dancers for the 2012 edition Reno's Roadhouse Drillbits Dance Team on Sept. 14. The 14 talented young dancers who made the cut were selected out of a group of 45 girls during tryouts held September 4.

The 2012 Drillbits dance team will consist of around 30 performers.

The Drillbits made an appearance in the Red, White and Blue Parade in Martin earlier in the month. Two Drillbits took part in

the parade. The Drillers truck and Drillbits were a huge hit with the crowd. The participating Drillbits handed out bags with candy and a free Drillers ticket for the upcoming season.

The Eastern Kentucky Drillers are headed into their second season in the Ultimate Indoor Football League (UIFL). Eastern Kentucky plays its home games at the East Kentucky Expo Center in downtown Pikeville.

A second tryout for the Reno's Drillbits dance team will be held Oct. 5th at 6:30 p.m. at Flip Flop Gymnastics. For information, call (606) 509-PASS.

## Louisville sets Red-White scrimmages for Oct. 14, 22

Times Staff Report

LOUISVILLE - The University of Louisville men's basketball program will stage two opportunities for a pre-season look at the 2011-12 Cardinals in a pair of Red-White intra-squad men's basketball scrimmages in the KFC Yum! Center on Friday, Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 22 at 7 p.m.

Shelby Valley High School graduate Elisha Justice is a sophomore guard for the Cardinals. Justice, a former Kentucky Mr. Basketball, enjoyed a solid freshman season with the Louisville men's basketball program.

The first scrimmage coincides with the first official day of practice for college basketball. The Oct. 22 scrimmage is in concert with U of L's "Return to the Nest" Homecoming on Main festivities, which will include activities on the Norton Healthcare Plaza of the KFC Yum! Center prior to the game.

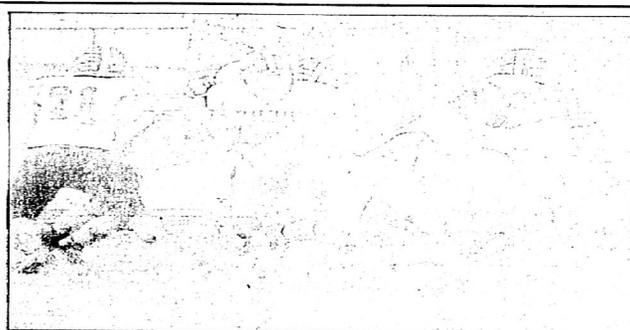
Tickets, priced at \$10 for lower arena seats and \$5 for upper arena seats, will go on sale beginning at 9 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 23 at both U of L Ticket Offices, located near Gate 2 of Papa John's Cardinal Stadium off Floyd Street; and on the third floor of the Swain Student Activities Center. Both locations are open weekdays from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Tickets will also be sold before and during the Cardinals' next two home football games against Marshall on Oct. 1 and Rutgers on Oct. 21.

Cardinal fans may also purchase tickets by visiting Ticketmaster Online, calling 1-800-745-3000 or by visiting any Ticketmaster Ticket Center, including statewide Kroger locations. Convenience fees are applied with Ticketmaster orders. Further information can be obtained by calling the U of L ticket office at (502) 852-5863.

U of L will welcome back three starters and 10 lettermen from its 2010-11 squad, as well as adding a stellar recruiting class for the upcoming season. The Cardinals exceeded expectations last season by tying for third in the BIG EAST Conference, earning 20 wins for their ninth-straight season (25-10 record), reaching the title game of the BIG EAST Championship, defeating seven Top 25 teams and rising to as high as 11th in both the AP and ESPN/USA Today polls.



Elisha Justice



## Blackcats to host Class A title contender Hazard

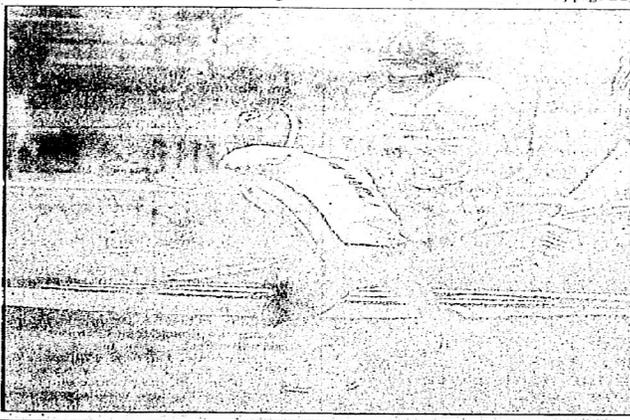
by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG - Prestonsburg (4-2) will entertain Hazard tonight in a non-district home game inside Blackcat Stadium. Hazard will carry a deceiving 2-2 record into Prestonsburg for its battle against the Blackcats. The Bulldogs have notched impressive wins over Clintwood, Va. (32-7) and Lexington

Christian (43-7) while dropping games to Somerset (0-14) and Breathitt County (34-35). In a road game last week, Breathitt County edged Hazard 35-34.

Prestonsburg has posted back-to-back wins. The Blackcats opened district play last week, defeating Floyd County foe Betsy Layne 53-14. Picked as the preseason favorite in Class 2A, Dis-

(See BLACKCATS, page B2)



## Allen Central routs Piarist

by STEVE LeMASTER SPORTS EDITOR

MARTIN - Allen Central, the current frontrunner in the 15th Region volleyball standings, captured its 23rd win of the season Wednesday evening, defeating 58th District/Floyd County Conference foe Piarist School 2-0 (25-4, 25-7). The Rebels secured an early lead and pulled away to win convincingly over Piarist in each set.

Allen Central returned to the win column following a 0-2 loss to Betsy Layne one night earlier. Betsy Layne edged the Rebels 26-24, 25-17.

Allen Central accumulated 23 kills. Katie Kendrick turned in a match-high eight kills for the Rebels. Brooke Risner dealt out 16 assists for the Allen Central volleyball team.

Defensively, Courtney Hodge had six digs for the Rebels. Following Wednesday's district/conference win, Allen Central boasted a 23-8 overall record and led the 15th Region standings. The remainder of the 15th Region standings shaped up as follows: South Floyd (21-5), East Ridge (21-5), Paintsville (20-4), Belfry (17-9), Betsy Layne (14-8), Johnson Central (14-9), Pikeville (13-10), Prestonsburg (11-15) and Magoffin County (6-19).

Allen Central has regular-season matches remaining versus Paintsville (Oct. 3, away), Pike County Central (Oct. 4, home) and Letcher County Central (Oct. 6, home).

## High School Football Scoreboard

Tonight's area games Friday, Sept. 30

- Ashland Blazer at Boyd County, 7:30 p.m.
- West Carter at East Carter, 7:30 p.m.
- Belfry at East Ridge, 7:30 p.m.
- Morgan County at Jackson County, 7:30 p.m.
- Knott County Central at Jenkins, 7:30 p.m.
- Sheldon Clark at Lawrence County, 7:30 p.m.
- Breathitt County at Magoffin County, 7:30 p.m.
- Allen Central at Pineville, 7:30 p.m.
- Hazard at Prestonsburg, 7:30 p.m.
- Greenup County at Rowan County, 7:30 p.m.
- Fleming County at Russell, 7:30 p.m.
- Bracken County at South Floyd, 8 p.m.

## Bowling Bears open season with win

Times Staff Report

### CAMPBELLSVILLE

The University of Pikeville men's bowling team started off the 2011-2012 collegiate bowling season by defending their 2010 title and winning the 2011 Green River Classic, held Saturday, Sept. 24 at Phillips Lane.

Leading the varsity team was freshman Lucas Hohnstein, of Boise, Idaho. He finished third in men's singles with a four-game score of 835, a 208.75 average.

The varsity team found itself in fifth place after four-team games 191 pins behind the then tournament

leaders, the University of Louisville. The Bears dominated in Bakers posting scores of 800, 866, 798, and 816 for a 3280 Team Baker total, some 322 pins better than the second-place Louisville.

The Bears' total pins of 6873 gave them a final 138-pin advantage for the win.

In addition to Hohnstein, the team consisted of sophomore Josh Adams of Boise, Idaho; junior Mark Allen of Mason, Ohio; Sophomore John Bartosiewicz Jr. of Sewell, N.J.; sophomore Robert Gilliam of Peconica, Ill.; freshman Lucas Hohnstein of Boise, Idaho; senior Rich-

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(See BEARS, page B2)



**Bears**

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**Blackcats**

tract 8, Prestonsburg also owns wins over Sheldon Clark, Lawrence County and Casey County. Perry County Central - Hazard's crosstown rival - edged the Blackcats in a season-opener last month. Long-time rival Belfry pulled away to beat an injury-plagued Prestonsburg 48-30 earlier this month.

Through three games, Hazard had rushed for 469 yards. The Bulldogs had passed for 434 yards through the first three games of the season.

Zack Blanton ranked as Hazard's leading rusher heading into the game versus Breathitt County. Blanton had rushed 18 times for 266 yards and three touchdowns for the Bulldogs.

Hazard quarterback Evan Whitaker had rushed

a team-high 33 times for 135 yards. Whitaker has also fared well through the air, completing 27-of-47 passes for 378 yards and one touchdown in three games. Opposing defenses have enjoyed some success against Hazard's passing attack. The Hazard signal-caller has also thrown two interceptions.

Jordan Olinger had hauled in a team-high 13 receptions for 256 yards and one touchdown through Hazard's first three games. Austin Johnson had grabbed a dozen catches for 170 yards through those same three games.

Hazard competes in Class A, District 6 along with Harlan, Pineville and Jenkins.

In six games, Prestonsburg has outscored opponents 237-149.

Kain Collins and Bryson Williams continue to pace Prestonsburg in rushing. Prestonsburg quarterback Adam Crisp has already passed for well over 1,000 yards.

Williams, Jarred Jarrell and Joseph Jamerson have been Crisp's top targets. Jamerson returned for Prestonsburg last week after being sidelined by an injury that threatened to cut short his senior season.

All four Floyd County high school football teams are in action this week. Allen Central will visit Pineville tonight while South Floyd entertains Bracken County.

Betsy Layne was facing Paintsville Thursday night in the Brown's Ford Apple Classic. The Betsy Layne- Paintsville game ended too late to make this edition.

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**Jones, Davis named to Blue Ribbon Preseason All-America Teams**

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON - University of Kentucky sophomore forward Terrence Jones and freshman forward Anthony Davis have been named to the Blue Ribbon All-America teams, the prestigious publication announced this week.

Jones was selected to the first team by Blue Ribbon. He was named the 2011 Southeastern Conference Freshman of the Year by the league coaches and

SEC Newcomer of the Year by the Associated Press. He averaged 15.7 points, while pulling down 8.8 rebounds per game, ranking seventh and first in the SEC respectively.

Jones set the UK freshman single-game scoring record with 35 points against Auburn. He also posted 13 double-doubles, second most among UK freshmen all-time and his eight 20-point games was fourth most by a freshman in program history.

Davis was a fourth-team selection.

The 6-foot-10 native of Chicago, Ill., was one of only two freshmen named to any of the four All-America teams. He averaged 32 points, 22 rebounds, and seven blocked shots as a senior at Perspectives Charter High School in Chicago. A Parade first team prep All-American last year, Davis ranked first on ESPN's Top 100, first overall by Scout.com, and second by Rivals.com.

**Union College to play Big Blue All-Stars**

Times Staff Report

BARBOURVILLE - The Union College men's basketball team will play Big Blue All-Stars - a team consisting of former University of Kentucky basketball players, on Tuesday, Oct. 11 at Pulaski County High School.

Former University of Kentucky men's basketball player Jeff Sheppard has helped put a tour together for the Big Blue All-Stars. The team comprised of the former UK men's basketball players will also face the University of Pikeville and Alice Lloyd College in scrimmages.

"We are extremely excited about this opportunity for our men's basketball program," said Union College Interim Director

of Athletics Tim Curry. "Not only will this bring great exposure to the team, but it will also put our entire athletic department in the spotlight."

"We are certainly grateful to Jeff Sheppard for giving us this opportunity to play against these former Kentucky Wildcats," he continued. "A good number of our players grew up Kentucky basketball fans, and I am sure this is a dream come true for them to have the chance to be on the same court as them."

Tipoff for the Union College-Big Blue All-Stars game is set for 7 p.m.

Tickets will be available on Friday morning at 7 a.m. at Pulaski County High School.

All seats for the exhibition game will be general admission.

**Morehead State to participate in 2012 Sears BracketBuster event**

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD - Morehead State is one of 142 men's college basketball programs that will participate in the 2012 Sears BracketBusters event. The 10th-annual hoops showcase pits NCAA Tournament hopefuls against each other Feb. 17-19, and will feature 13 nationally-televvised games.

Contests on ESPN, ESPN2, ESPN3 and ESPN3.com will be announced Jan. 30. The TV match-ups are selected by ESPN, while a committee of conference commissioners determines all other affairs.

All Ohio Valley Conference programs will be on display for a seventh straight season. Austin Peay, Eastern Illinois, Eastern Kentucky, Jacksonville State, Murray State and SIU Edwardsville are slated to

host games, while MSU, Southeast Missouri State, Tennessee State, Tennessee Tech and UT Martin will play on the road.

Sears BracketBusters, named because of the success of teams in NCAA Tournament play, will provide the 26 televised teams an opportunity to play their top non-conference opponent three weeks before Selection Sunday.

All 71 home teams in the event will play a return game at the home facility of their opponent in November or December 2013.

Sears BracketBusters is part of ESPN's college basketball franchise programming, along with Rivalry Week, Feast Week presented by Lowe's, Holiday Hoops presented by Kay Jewelers, Judgment Week and Championship Week presented by Dick's Sporting Goods.

This year's pool is the

largest in Sears BracketBusters history. The teams will come from 16 Division I conferences across the nation. The Colonial Athletic Association, Mid-American Conference and Southland Conference will each have 12 teams participating.

Morehead State is coming off one of its most successful seasons in school history. The 2010-11 Eagles finished 25-10 overall, 14-1 at home, 13-5 in conference play, won the OVC Tournament and upset Louisville in the NCAA Tournament.

Last season also produced a first-round NBA Draft pick as Kenneth Faried was taken 22nd overall by the Denver Nuggets. Faried averaged 17.3 points and 14.5 rebounds while shooting 62 percent from the field in 2010-11. He also tallied 1,673 career rebounds to establish the NCAA modern-era (post-1973) record.

**Phillips expects Clemons to start vs. No. 1 LSU**

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON - The University of Kentucky football team will travel to Baton Rouge, La., on Saturday to face No. 1 LSU for its first true road test of the 2011 season and according to head coach Joker Phillips, true freshman tailback Josh Clemons is healthy and will start against the Tigers.

"He practiced all day," Phillips said about Clemons after practice Wednesday. "He made it through the practice and he will be ready to go. Tomorrow will be a practice to make sure everyone understands the plan. It won't be full speed but three-quarter speed. He should make it to the game. He is healthy enough and from what I saw today, he will be the starter."

Clemons moved into the starting lineup for the last two games when starting sophomore tailback Raymond Sanders incurred a knee injury in the second game of the season vs. Central Michigan. Clemons has rushed for 200 yards this season and two touchdowns. Both TDs were the game-winning scores vs. Western Kentucky University and Central Michigan.

One of the biggest concerns for the Wildcats heading into the game is dealing with the crowd noise that the 90,000-plus fans at Tiger Stadium bring on gameday. The UK staff played crowd noise over speakers at practice Wednesday to try to simulate what the noise will be like on Sunday.

"We had a lot of crowd noise playing today at practice," Phillips said. "I'm not for sure if we can have the same effects that it will be down in Tiger Stadium, but we did work with it and we didn't seem to have any issues with the crowd noise. Our goal is to get better and improve and we will see how much we will

improve on Saturday."

Phillips said although it is hard to truly simulate how loud it will be, bringing in the outside noise couldn't hurt.

"It definitely helps," Phillips said when asked how much practicing with crowd noise helps the team. "We try to put it right behind the quarterback. That is the way it will seem - like its right in your huddle. We have to use a lot of signs, especially for the outside guys and we have to be able to communicate because it is going to get loud. That is when we have to try to get the momentum back and keep the momentum."

Kentucky will return to the practice field Thursday before leaving for Baton Rouge, La., on Friday.

Walk-on success at UK: After practice Tuesday, Coach Joker Phillips fielded questions about success of walk-ons with Kentucky football. UK has had a walk-on (or someone who came to UK as a walk-on) as a regular starter since 2001. Here's a list of walk-on/former walk-ons who have been regular starters:

- 2011 - TE Nick Melillo, DT Luke McDermott, FS Mikie Benton, K Craig McInosh
- 2010 - DT Luke McDermott, K Craig McInosh
- 2009 - FB John Comer
- 2008 - FB John Comer
- 2007 - FB John Comer
- 2006 - C Matt McCutchan, OG Trai Williams, FB Terrell Bankhead, CB Karl Booker
- 2005 - C Matt McCutchan, OG Trai Williams
- 2004 - C Matt McCutchan, P Sevin Suorovic
- 2003 - P Anthony Thornton
- 2002 - P Glenn Pakulak
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# Eastern Kentucky drops OVC road game to Austin Peay

Times Staff Report

CLARKSVILLE, Tenn. — Host Austin Peay ran for 201 yards and held off a late charge by the Eastern Kentucky University football team to earn a 23-17 win in the OVC opener Saturday night at Governors Stadium. The win broke the Governors' 10-game losing streak.

APSU (1-2, 1-0 OVC) has now won back-to-back games over Eastern (1-3, 0-1) in Clarksville for the first time in the history of the series which dates back to 1959.

Running back Ryan White carried the load for the Govs, recording 27 carries for

132 yards. Eight of White's rushes went for 10 yards or more. Wide out Devin Stark added 79 yards receiving and three touchdown catches. Austin Peay held the ball for more than 36 minutes while forcing three EKV turnovers.

The Governors got on the board midway through the first quarter when quarterback Jake Ryan found Stark for a 16-yard touchdown strike. Austin Peay extended its lead to 9-0 two plays later when Eastern Kentucky running back Jeremiah Williams was tackled for a loss in the end zone.

Eastern's offense finally showed some lift in the second quarter. Sophomore kicker Luke Pray got the Colonels on the board with a 36-yard field goal. Two series

later, junior quarterback T.J. Pryor found junior wide receiver Tyrone Goard for the defense for a 52-yard touchdown. That play gave EKU its only lead of the game, 10-9.

Austin Peay immediately responded to regain the lead, 16-10. The Governors put together a 13-play, 70-yard scoring drive which culminated with a five-yard touchdown reception by Stark. APSU converted a 3rd-and-11 as well as a 4th-and-4 on that possession.

The Colonel offense sputtered throughout much of the second half. Eastern managed only 56 yards on its first five possessions which resulted in four punts and a fumble. Meanwhile, Austin Peay took its

opening drive 76 yards in 11 plays to extend its lead to 23-10. EKU mounted one last charge in the final five minutes. Pryor found Goard for a 12-yard touchdown with 1:47 left to cut the deficit to 23-17. However, the ensuing on-sides kick was recovered by Austin Peay. The Governors were then able to run out the clock.

Goard led the Eastern Kentucky offense with personal highs in both receptions (seven) and receiving yards (133). Linebackers Nick Vicini and Ichiro Vance combined for 15 stops on the defensive side of the ball.

EKV enjoys an open week next Saturday, Oct. 1 before preparing for a road trip to OVC foe Eastern Illinois on Oct. 8.

# Newcomb named KGA John Owens Player of the Year

Times Staff Report

LEXINGTON - The Kentucky Golf Association has announced that Patrick Newcomb has been named the 2011 KGA John Owens Player of the Year.

Newcomb garnered the award by collecting player of the year points as the Champion of the Appalachian Wireless Kentucky State Amateur Championship held at Kearney Hills in Lexington this summer. Newcomb also contributed to the first place team in the KGA Fred Allen Team Championship and tied for low amateur at the Powerbilt Kentucky Open.

Newcomb, a junior at Murray State University, adds this honor to a long list of accomplishments in his young golf career. He played on the golf team at Marshall County High School where he won the Region 1 Tournament in 2008 and set a scoring record. His tenure on the Murray State golf team includes two successful seasons with a scoring average of 73.6 in his sophomore year.

Newcomb will be recognized at the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame Banquet scheduled for December 1, 2011. Details on the banquet will be released in the next few weeks.

The KGA John Owens Player of the Year Award is named for John

Owens of Lexington, a member of the Kentucky Golf Hall of Fame and one of Kentucky's all-time great amateur golfers.

The Kentucky Golf Association is recognized as the governing body for amateur golf in the Commonwealth. It is an organization comprised of over 200 member clubs and courses throughout Kentucky, and is governed by a Board of Directors made up of representatives from facilities from across Kentucky. The Kentucky Golf Association serves and fulfills many roles for golf in Kentucky such as competitions, handicapping, course rating and information services.

# Duzan claims second PFL Special Teams Player of the Week honor this season

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD - Morehead State University junior kicker Rainer Duzan has been named Pioneer Football League Special Teams Player of the Week for a second time this season.

Duzan knocked down all three of his field-goal attempts (39 yds, 39 yds and 36 yds) and all five of his extra-point tries in Saturday's heartbreaking 48-44 setback to San Diego. He also averaged 63.6 yards on nine kickoffs for the Eagles.

Through four games this year, Duzan leads the PFL in extra points per game (5.50), field goals per game (1.75) and field-goal percentage (87.5).

Duzan, a native of Dublin, Ohio, was a First-Team All-League selection in 2010. He also earned the PFL's Special Teams Player of the Week award on Sept. 4.

Jonathan Carkhuff (Davidson), Josh McGregor (Jacksonville) and Mason Mills (San Diego) all earned a piece of this week's offensive honor, while Brandon Coleman (Drake) received the nod on defense.

Morehead State, 1-3 overall and 0-1 in the PFL, returns to action on Saturday when it travels to Valparaiso for a 2 p.m. ET start.

# Match times announced for NCAA Volleyball Lexington Regional

Times Staff Report

INDIANAPOLIS - Match times for the NCAA Volleyball Lexington Regional have been set by the NCAA. It was announced Wednesday.

Lexington's semifinal matchups will be played at 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. ET Friday, Dec. 9. The finals match set for Saturday, Dec. 10 is slated for a 4:30 p.m. ET first serve.

Friday's opening matches will be broadcast live on ESPN3.com. Saturday's match determining one of the Final Four participants is set to air on ESPN. The NCAA announced in addition to the match times.

Tickets are now on sale through the University of Kentucky Ticket Office. All-Session Tickets are reserved for all ages at \$14.

General Admission tickets for adults are priced at \$12 and students or seniors' general admission is slated for \$8.

Single session tickets are priced at \$8 for reserved for all ages. General admission for adults is priced at \$7 with students and seniors priced at \$5. Youth single session tickets are \$4.

For tickets or more information feel free to call, 1-800-928-CATS.

Memorial Coliseum is one of four sites for an NCAA Volleyball Regional in 2011. This marks the

first time in school history that the University of Kentucky and the city of Lexington will host an NCAA Regional.

The NCAA Regional site is a designated location for one of the eight NCAA Sweet Sixteen matchups and one of the four Elite Eight matches.

Memorial Coliseum has played host to the NCAA First and Second Rounds in two of the last three seasons. In total UK has hosted the First and Second Rounds of the NCAA tournament on eight occasions beginning in 1983.

The Wildcats have made six consecutive NCAA tournament appearances and are one of just 18

schools in the country to achieve that feat. Skinner is the first coach in school history to lead his team to six postseason appearances. In 2009, Kentucky advanced to the NCAA Regional in Minneapolis for the first time under Skinner after winning two matches in Lexington - including an upset of the tournament's No. 13 overall seed in Oregon.

# MSU baseball program to celebrate Alumni Weekend

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD - The Morehead State University baseball team has announced the dates for the 2011 Baseball Alumni Weekend, which will be held on Oct. 7-8.

"This is such a great weekend for both alumni and our players," said coach Jay Sorg. "It is a time to remember and recognize all those in the past who have made it possible for our current players to have such a positive experience here at Morehead State. I am very excited to see all

who came before me, my former teams and my former players."

The festivities begin on Friday, Oct. 7 with the Alumni gathering at Allen Field for the Home Run Derby. Brawl practice begins at 6 p.m., with the competition to begin immediately after.

Alumni, guests and current players are invited to a pre-game tailgate prior to the Morehead State football game versus Drake. The event will begin at 11 a.m. and will last until kickoff at 1 p.m. Following the football game, the Alumni

game will commence at 4 p.m. After the conclusion of the game there will be a dinner in front of Allen Field.

The cost to participate in the weekend is \$60, which will include admission to the football game, tailgate food and dinner after the alumni game. All adult guests will be \$20 per person for food and admission to the football game, while children are \$10 per child.

For more information on the Alumni weekend, contact MSU baseball assistant coach Jason Neal at (606) 783-2882.

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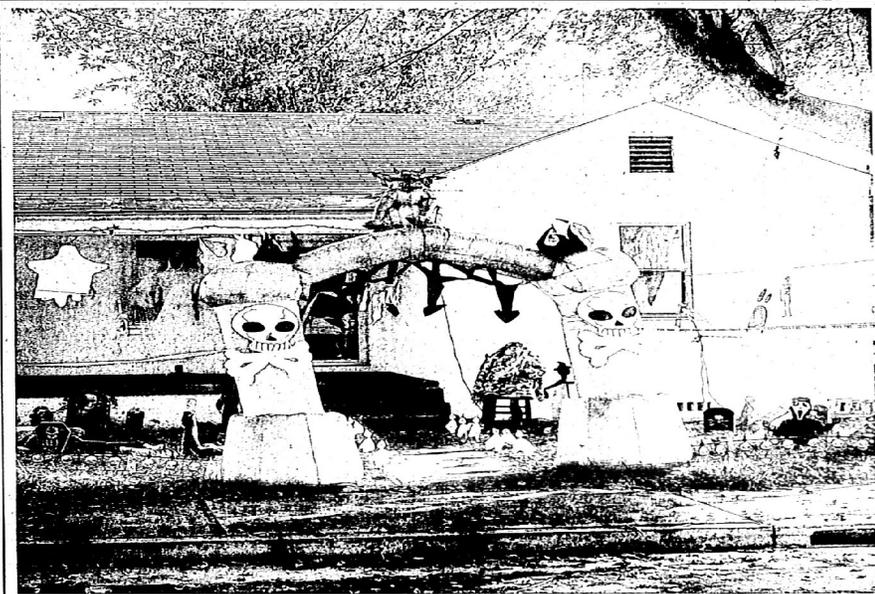
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## Trick-or-Treat

The ghosts and goblins are already coming out of the shadows of some neighborhoods in Prestonsburg which will have Trick-or-Treat activities on Monday, Oct. 31, between 6 and 8 p.m. Floyd County will also have Trick-or-Treat on Oct. 31.

## MOVIES FROM THE BLACK LAGOON

### 'Blitz'

By Tom Doty  
TIMES COLUMNIST

A mismatched pair of London policeman team up to stop a serial killer targeting cops, in this in this crime drama from across the pond.

An ace sequence gets things started when a man confronts three youths breaking into a car. The boys think they have the situation well in hand until the guy attacks them with a wooden curling bat. They wind up in all kinds of pain, but their assailant is the one in trouble, as he is a policeman. His name is Brant and he has given the department so many black eyes that it doesn't even bother to duck anymore. Instead, they hand him an investigation into the murder of a patrol woman.

In another effort to clean up their image, the department brings in a new leader, Porter. The investigation leads Brant to a thug named Weiss. He is one of those guys with a sheet as long as your arm. He enjoys inflicting pain on others, but he is so oily that the investigation can't pin anything on him.

Things get more complicated when the killer phones in his deeds to a reporter, in one instance while he is committing the crime. Brant blows an opportunity to win over a snitch due to his brutal methods. The snitch opts to go to the same reporter with evidence on Weiss. Unfortunately, Weiss picks up on the situation and kills the snitch in a men's room where he has gone to count his blood money.

Meanwhile, Brant and Porter eventually figure out that Weiss is their man. They find his hideout, and this sequence leads to the best foot chase a film has had in quite a while. Brant scampers after Weiss through streets, back alleys and a highway, before the chase terminates at the famed "Paddington Station."

Weiss proves too slippery to keep in custody. He is doubly determined to get Brant upon his release. The cops must keep away from him, as the media will view this as harassment. It all leads to a tense showdown in a remote parking garage that finds Weiss stalking Brant, but nothing is as it seems. Stick around and you'll be

treated to a nasty conclusion that comes very close to making a case for justifiable homicide.

We need more movies like this one, and they have been absent since the swinging 1970s. They made some meaty cop dramas back then that featured all the trademarks of good action movie. There were car chases to beat the band ("The French Connection"), real-life dramas ("Serpico") and tough team-ups ("Hickey and Boggs" and "Cops and Robbers").

This effort brings back that feeling that anything can happen in the film. Cop films lost a lot of that when they became buddy flicks in the 1980s, but this flick brings back the urban grit and melodramatic plotting that took a back seat to spectacular action sequence once "Lethal Weapon" came along.

This one gets points for coming from a book by Ken Bruen. He has been writing 1970s like British pulp novels for 10 years. His books have been an homage to the better crime movies, and this adaptation looks like a time capsule that could have shared a double bill with "Freebie and the Bean."

The movie also benefits from a sturdy cast that toplines Jason Statham, as Brant. Though he is known for showier action flicks, this guy got his start in low-budget crime dramas like "Lock, Stock and Two Smoking Barrels."

Paddy Considine is also very good as Brant's weary partner who has come to terms with being a homosexual police officer and is bidding time while society catches up. Aiden Gillen nails the villain role and turns Weiss into the kind of psychopath whose death earns a round of applause. He is as mean-spirited as Andy Robinson was when he hijacked a school bus in the original "Dirty Harry." Here's hoping they adapt more books from this series.

Best lines:  
"If you're picking the wrong fight, at least pick the right weapon."

"This is a hurler, used in the Irish game of hurling. A cross between hockey and murder."

"I want a lawyer and a sandwich."  
2011, rated R.

## Big Sandy to offer home health care program

PRESTONSBURG — Seven of the 20 fastest-growing occupations in the United States are health care-related. By 2016, em-

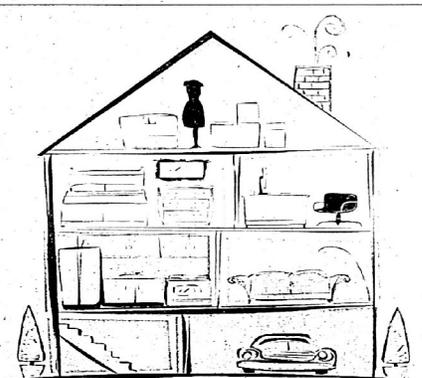
ployment for home health care aides (including self-employment) is expected to skyrocket by 49 percent.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will begin a new Home Health Care Nursing Assistant program in the fall 2011 semester starting with the second bi-term. The course will also be offered in the spring semester of 2012.

This program requires 12 credit hours and may be completed in one semester. The following courses are required to earn this certificate:

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# Rental Central

By Tom Doty  
TIMES COLUMNIST

This week's films took their time getting to home video (two were from 2010), but they were mostly worth the wait.

• "Dead Cert" — England weighs in on the undead genre with this creative effort that mixes elements of "The Sopranos," "East Enders" and "Dracula." This film depicts what happens when a rising gangster gets into a land dispute with a 500-year-old vampire. The results are as expected and include lots of bloody ultra-violence as lead meets fangs.

• "Good Neighbors" — Back on our side of the pond, we have this thriller that looks at urban angst, as three apartment dwellers bond over a rash of killings in their neighborhood. The bonds become strained, however, when they realize that each one is keeping secrets and that one of them may just be the sadistic killer who is decimating their neighborhood. Good stuff that gets by on character building, thanks to a game cast that features Jay Baruchel ("Tropic Thunder") in a rare serious role.

• "Lost Future" — A grim, post-apocalyptic future finds people living like savages, but still managing to look like "Revlon" models. This is your standard SyFy Channel nonsense that merited a DVD release thanks to the presence of Sean Bean ("Game of Thrones").

• "Viva Riva" — Kinshasa, the capitol city of the Congo, is the setting for this amazing feature that follows a criminal on his victory tour after stealing a heap of gasoline. He comes home with loads of cash and quickly steals a sultry lady from the city's top crimelord while throwing money around. Things blow up when the crimelord gets some gust, just as an Angolan heavy arrives in town looking for his gas. Great stuff from a first-time director, Djo Minga, who delivers pulp noir as well as a young Quentin Tarantino. Kinshasa is an excellent location that boasts a population of 10 million and one of the highest murder rates in the world. An amazing film that also transports you to one of the most densely populated cities on the planet.

Next week brings big action with "Fast Five" and some chills with "Scream 4."

## Happy Birthday to Kristen Isaac

Kristen Isaac will turn 9 years old on Oct. 1. She will enjoy a bowling party given by her family and friends. Kristen is the daughter of Chris Isaac, of Prestonsburg, and the granddaughter of Gary and Pat Isaac, of Wheelwright.



## Happy Birthday to Maleigha Anderson

Maleigha Anderson turns 2 years old on Sept. 30. She will celebrate with a "Dora the Explorer" party. Maleigha is the daughter of Rebecca and Matthew Anderson, of Virgie, and the granddaughter of Gary and Pat Isaac, of Wheelwright, and Terry and Linda Anderson, of Shelby Gap.

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The proposed amendment area is approximately 1.50 miles southeast from KY Route 40 at junction with KY Route 1210 and located 0.20 miles east of Caney Creek.

The proposed amendment is located on the Martin USGS 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Allen-May Land Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Tilden Allen, Ocie and Orlis Ousley, Ronald and Ida Scott, and Steve, Jackie, and Rick Ousley.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lee Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Legals

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I, Douglas Ray Hall, Clerk of the Floyd District Court, Do Hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed fiduciaries by the District Court. All person indebted to an Estate should settle with the Fiduciary within Six(6) months from the date of appointment.

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Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Floyd..CT

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# Comics

**BLONDIE** Dean Young/Denis Lebrun

DOES THIS WELL, TECHNICALLY CONTAIN 100% FRUIT? WELL, TECHNICALLY NOT 100% IF IT SAYS "FRUIT" INSTEAD OF "FRUIT". IT CAN BE 1%.

ARE YOU SURE? ABSOLUTELY! 100%!

WELL, TECHNICALLY, NO. NO LESS THAN 1%.

**BETLE BAILEY** Mort Walker

LOOKS LIKE WE MIGHT LOSE THIS BATTLE WITH GENERAL SHEPARD!

DON'T GIVE UP YET!

GENERAL HALPTRACK IS TRYING TO OUT-STARE HIM.

**FUNKY WINKERBEAN** Tom Batiuk

SHOOT... I FORGOT TO CANCEL THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S "RUNNERS' LOOK-OF."

**HAGAR THE HORRIBLE** Chris Browne

THAT CAME DIRECTLY FROM THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND'S CASTLE!

IT'S BEAUTIFUL! BUT HOW CAN I BE SURE IT BELONGED TO THE QUEEN?

LOOK AT THE NAME TAG!

**HI & LOIS** Brian and Greg Walker

JULIE AND I ARE GOING TO PLAY MIXED DOUBLES.

AND WE WENT OUT FOR FOOTBALL TO IMPRESS THE GIRLS!

**MUTTS** Patrick McDonnell

WHY DID WE STOP RUNNING AT THIS SPOT?

BONK

MAYBE THAT WILL JOG HIS MEMORY.

**ZITS** Jerry Scott and Jim Borgman

ONE DOLLAR'S WORTH!

COMING UP!

HAVE A NICE DAY!

GRUNT!

JUST WHEN YOU THINK EVERYTHING EVIL HAS BEEN INVENTED, THEY COME UP WITH THE COIN-OPERATED THERMOSTAT.

**THE FAMILY CIRCUS** Bil Keane

"Mommy, don't you need to post the nutritional info for these burgers and fries you made for us?"

**DENNIS THE MENACE** Hank Ketchum

"I'LL GIVE YOU YOUR PRESENT WHEN I SEE THE CAKE AN' ICE CREAM."

**CROSSWORD** By THOMAS JOSEPH

**ACROSS**

- Formerly Executed perfectly
- Claim
- Throw off
- Bar
- Advanced study groups
- Hurler's stat
- Syrup source
- Scatter
- Turkey neighbor
- Lyricist
- Powerful bunch
- 1999 Anthony Hopkins movie
- "Oleanna" playwright
- Wasn't thrifty
- Purpose
- Burger
- Tiny
- Steak-house order
- Puts on a pedestal
- Singer Redding
- Greeley advice
- Plane fixture

**DOWN**

- Jonson works
- Handle
- FBI statistic
- Whole
- "Apollo 13" org.
- Dis-tresses
- "Ain't that the truth!"
- Summer sign
- Swelled head
- Bear's lair
- Slangy denial stuff
- Interest setting
- High bomb
- Diva's point
- Nudnik
- Periodical, for short
- Declares money words
- Texas team
- Right away

**Today's Answers**

20 Script 35 High  
21 Compass 36 Diva's  
22 Uses a stool 37 Nudnik  
23 Stumble 38 Periodical, for  
24 Doubtful 39 Gen short  
29 Declares 39 Gen money  
30 Swamp words  
31 Texas team 40 Right away

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**THE LOCKHORNS** William Hoest

"THE TROUBLE WITH WORKING 9 TO 5 IS THE 9 PART."

**Jacqueline Bigar's HOROSCOPE**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** for Thursday, Sept. 29, 2011

This year, you might exhibit a tendency to be possessive or insecure. Stop and ask yourself what that is about. Is it habit, or is it insecurity? Rebuild your sense of well-being and work on a more authentic presentation. Go out more often and volunteer for community projects. If you are single, you easily could meet someone through your efforts. Avoid a commitment. One or more suitors could emerge. Be careful not to be manipulative or passive-aggressive. Be real. If you are attached, have your mate point out when you are being possessive. The two of you can work this issue through if you remain open. Choose activities and make the choice of perhaps a little self-help to rebuild your security. Some of you might opt for some personal work with a therapist. It never hurts to address feelings that seem difficult. Internalizing or acting out can only lead to problems. SCORPIO might understand more about finances than you think.

**The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have:** 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
\*\*\*Be direct in expressing your thoughts and ideas. You have a way and style that attract many different people. Anger could bubble up from out of nowhere. Stop and use care when expressing your less-amenable feelings about your partner. Tonight: Think "weekend plans."

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
\*\*\*You might need to defer to others and not get stuck in feeling that you are losing control. You really aren't. You have a lot of control. The only control you have is over yourself. A serious discussion is inevitable. Tonight: Talk through a problem with a friend or loved one.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
\*\*\*You can deal with a situation using your ability to transform the interaction within a partnership. Both of you want your interaction to be effective, even if it is just professional. You are buoyant and full of energy. Tonight: Put your feet up and relax.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
\*\*\*Your creativity and ability to work with a changeable situation come from your own moodiness. Choose your words with care. Extremes mark the moment. Maintain your perspective and sense of humor. Tonight: Time to let your hair down.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
\*\*\*\* Make sure you are coming from a grounded position before initiating a conversation. You convert a boring project or situation into an exciting, dynamic happening. Your creative flows. Ignore someone's critical attitude. Tonight: Order in.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
\*\*\*\* Return calls and schedule meetings. Express that efficiency for which Virgo is known. Others speak directly to you. Express your discomfort with a situation. New information keeps coming in, forcing you to regroup. Tonight: Chug up a storm.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**  
\*\*\* Be sensitive to other budgets around you. Know what is possible and what is no longer feasible, and move forward rather than express frustration. Don't close down unnecessarily. Curb any sarcasm. Tonight: Your treat.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**  
\*\*\*\* Push to accomplish what you want. The "play bug" will emerge at some point, and you will want to toss responsibilities to the wayside. For once, wouldn't it be nice to be able to do just that? Tonight: Try the role of free spirit.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
\*\*\*\* You might want to see a situation for what it offers. Somehow make time to pull back and absorb a clear look. At that point, figure out what is going on. Vanish while you can. Integrate financial information and choose to stay steady. Tonight: Get feedback.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
\*\*\*\* Dealing with difficult people could become a specialty, especially with a little more practice. Someone near you cares a lot but has an intrusive manner. Creativity creates a warmer interaction, especially in a meeting. Tonight: Find your friends.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
\*\*\*\* Be willing to accept more responsibility. You could feel that someone is pushing too hard to go in another direction. Trust your ability to juggle different interests. Don't get triggered, and you will maintain control. Tonight: Could be late.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
\*\*\*\* Keep reaching out for new answers, especially as the traditional ones don't seem to be working. You have a way of drawing people out. Suddenly, more activity and solutions become possible. Tonight: Brainstorm away.

*Jacqueline Bigar is on the Internet at www.jacquelinebigar.com.*

**CONCEPTIS SUDOKU** by Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★

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5	2	3	6	9	7	1	4	8
1	4	8	2	3	5	9	6	7

Difficulty Level ★★★

# Horoscopes

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Someone from your past could arrive with welcome news concerning your future. Meanwhile, avoid taking sides in a workplace confrontation until you have more facts to go on.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) A decision about a relationship could have longer-lasting consequences than you might imagine, so be sure of your facts before you act. A trusted friend can help.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) A strained relationship could be restored with more personal contact between the two of you. Letting others act as your go-between only adds to the ongoing estrangement.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) New facts could mean taking a new path toward a goal you've been hoping to reach. However, be sure all your questions are answered before you undertake to shift directions.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 23) This is a good week for all you fine Felines to turn your attention to some important considerations, such as your health, your job situation and the status of important relationships.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Avoid making a quick decision about a matter that needs more study. Keep your mind open for possibilities, even if they don't seem plausible — at least not yet.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22)

You might welcome the emphasis on openness in relationships that mark this period. But it's a good idea to avoid sharing personal secrets with people you hardly know.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) There are still some questions that need to be asked and answered before you can feel confident enough to make a potentially life-changing decision.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Some lingering effects from a now largely resolved workplace confrontation could make things difficult for you. Act on this before it becomes serious.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) You feel you're finally in control of your own life after months of making compromises and concessions you never felt comfortable with. Congratulations!

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) No sooner do you decide to pass on one job offer than another suddenly turns up. This one might not have everything you're looking for, but it's worth checking out.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Congratulations! With Jupiter's strong influence dominating this week, don't be surprised to get some good news about a troubling financial matter.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You are usually kind and loving. But you can be highly critical of those who don't measure up to your high standards.

# Car Talk

## Is VW feature helpful or hurtful?

By Tom and Ray Magliozzi

**Dear Tom and Ray:**  
I observed in a recent VW commercial that the car has a feature that automatically unlocks the doors at the time of a collision. I was always taught that locked doors make the car structurally stronger. Why would a manufacturer create this feature to unlock the doors at the time of a crash? — Mike

**RAY:** It's a good question, Mike.

**TOM:** Locked doors don't make a car structurally stronger, but CLOSED doors do. And locking the doors makes them more likely to stay closed in a crash.

**RAY:** The federal government has set safety standards for door latches that are quite strict. So doors almost never open anymore due to the force of the crash itself.

you're in a serious accident, it's best to have the doors unlocked so that emergency personnel can have quick access to you.

**RAY:** But in doing so, it seems that it may be increasing the chances, at least slightly, of unlocked doors flying open during the latter part of a collision, which weakens the protection the car provides and makes it possible for you to fall out if you're not properly belted.

**TOM:** It would make more sense for VW to program in a delay, so that the doors unlock a few seconds later, presumably after the vehicle has come to a complete stop. After all, first responders are fast. But they're not that fast.

**RAY:** So we'll suggest it to VW, Mike. In fact, you're joining us in suggesting it to them right now.

on this question, or can you guys help us end this argument? — Jeff

**TOM:** Jeff, here's what you need to realize: Once your wife divorces you, she'll use the air conditioning whenever she wants, since she'll be getting the car. And you'll be living in a refrigerator box.

**RAY:** My brother knows whereof he speaks. Jeff: When he got divorced the second time, he had to downsize to a studio refrigerator box.

**TOM:** You need to give it a rest, man. You've been on her case for 10 years over this? Who cares? If she says it makes her hair look better, then it looks better.

**RAY:** She's probably right. Using the air conditioner decreases the humidity in the air. And everybody knows that humid days are bad-hair-days. Of course, humid days for me are "no hair days." Just like every other day.

**TOM:** On many cars, the air conditioner automatically goes on when you turn on the defroster. Why? For the same reason your wife uses it: To remove moisture from the air and clear water vapor off the inside of the windshield faster. If you've got one of those cars, you're using the AC in the winter whether you know it or not.

**RAY:** So, consider the facts, Jeff: (A) She's right. (B) You're being a pest. And (C) a divorce is much more expensive than the small amount of gas she's using to run the air conditioner. So you decide the best course of action here.

**TOM:** And let me know if you need a refrigerator box. I may have to downsize again soon.

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## On air conditioners and hairstyles

**Dear Tom and Ray:**  
My wife and I live in the northwest corner of Georgia, and she insists on running her car's air conditioner at all times — winter, summer, spring, fall, day, night, doesn't matter. While I don't mind using it when it's hot, I think using it in winter does nothing but waste gas (as your engine does have to work harder when the air is on). But she thinks that by running it in the winter, it will keep her hair nice because, according to her, it keeps the humidity low. When we drive somewhere together, sometimes I can sneak my hand over and turn it off while she's not looking, and, after the inevitable argument that results from my surreptitious action, I can't ever tell any difference in her hair. But she insists that she can. We've argued back and forth about this for 10 years now, and I think it is finally time we settled it once and for all. Should I consult a hairstylist

**TOM:** But the one weak link is the door handle and the rods that it connects to. If your car is moving very fast at the time of a crash, the inertia can move that handle and the rods it attaches to in the door, and that can unlatch the door — as if you'd pulled the handle.

**RAY:** But if a door is locked, the handle becomes inoperative. You can pull on it or push on it, but it's detached from the rods that activate the latch, and the door won't open.

**TOM:** That's why it's recommended that you keep your doors locked when you're driving. And why many cars automatically lock the doors when you start driving.

**RAY:** VW's crash-response system is designed to shut off the ignition switch, cut the fuel-pump relay, turn on the hazard lights and unlock the doors. And all this stuff is activated the moment the air bag and seat-belt pretensioners deploy — which is during an accident.

**TOM:** I'm guessing that VW's thinking is that if

# Strange but true

• It was 20th-century American novelist, poet and performer William S. Burroughs who made the following sage observation: "Most of the trouble in this world has been caused by folks who can't mind their own business, because they have no business of their own to mind, any more than a smallpox virus has."

• The first traffic signal, which began operating in Cleveland in 1914, wasn't much of a labor-saver. To operate it, a police officer had to sit in a nearby booth where he could oversee the traffic.

• Those who study such things claim that at any given moment, there are

850,000 people inside a Walmart store. And that's just in the United States — there's no telling how many people are shopping at WalMart's abroad.

• California Tech conducted a study in which consumers were offered two samples of the same wine, but each sample was labeled at a different price point. Unaware that the wines they were drinking were identical, most participants said they preferred the more expensive sample.

• If you're planning a trip to Turkey, be sure to book a stay at the Marmara Antalya on the country's southern coast. This unique hotel revolves, offering

ever-changing views of the Mediterranean Sea to its guests.

• Are you a phonophile? If so, you might be finding it hard to pursue your passion in this digital age — a phonophile (also known as a gramophile) is a collector of phonograph records.

• Between 70 percent and 80 percent of all the Earth's fresh water is stored in glaciers, 99 percent of which are found in the Arctic and in Antarctica.

Thought for the Day  
"You know you're getting old when you stoop to tie your shoelaces and wonder what else you could do while you're down there." — George Burns

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