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‘Utter disbelief’ Mayor witnesses player’s shocking collapse after medical episode on the field

“I could see people praying all over the stadium. You could really see the best in people come out.”
Bruce Fraley
Berea Mayor

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

Berea Mayor Bruce Fraley was at Cincinnati’s Paycor Stadium Jan. 2 for what was billed as one of the games of the year. The Bengals were set to take on the Buffalo Bills with the division championship on the line when the atmosphere inside the stadium went from electric to silent following an unimaginable injury on the field.

“In all the professional games I have been to in my lifetime, the excitement level was like nothing I have ever seen. It was just electric,” Fraley said of the atmosphere prior to kickoff Monday night.



Damar Hamlin

Then everything changed. Late in the first quarter, Buffalo Bills defensive back Damar Hamlin was injured following a tackle by Bengals wide receiver Tee Higgins. According to a report from the Associated Press, Higgins had caught a pass and Hamlin was attempting to tackle him. Hamlin wrapped his arms around Higgins’

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Pictured from left are: Luke Daugherty, Evan Hayes, Sophia Daugherty, Matthias Gregory, Luke Campbell, Caleb Campbell, Travis Harris, Nate Fairchild, John Fanshier (son), John Fanshier (father), Sara Daugherty, John Daugherty and Adam Campbell.



Caleb Campbell uses his scout knot tying skills as his dad Adam looks on last week.

Eagle Scouts soar

On Thursday, Dec. 29, Scout Troop 51 of the Bluegrass Council, rolled up their sleeves and showed up in force at the Berea Urban Farm to clear brush, cut trees and make space for educating the public about urban food production. A day that started in the snow was finished in the sun as Troop 51 worked together clearing invasive vegetation to make way for native, food producing trees and medicinal plants that can be grown in the urban setting. This project was coordinated by Luke Daugherty to fulfill the final requirement of his Eagle Scout Project. Luke worked through five years and 6 ranks on the way to his Eagle scout achievement. Although adults were required to operate any power tools, the Scouts’ skills shined as they tied knots for pulling trees and cut brush with hand saws and hatchets. By the end of the day, everyone was exhausted but proud of their hard work and effort in working together to make Berea an even better place to call home. (Submitted)

Government: Berea City Council

Haney: Multi-family projects in the works

By Andy McDonald
For The Citizen

A diverse array of construction projects is expected in Berea in the coming year, according to Berea Codes Enforcement Administrator Amanda Haney. Haney gave an update to the Berea City Council Tuesday, noting there are several multi-family projects in the works. “We currently have 140 units at Harvest Commons, which is an apartment complex out in Beaumont [Subdivision],” Haney said. “We have 44 units that are more condo type living spaces on Garden Gate Drive that are under construction. Under review are developments for 41 townhouse lots, 18 duplex lots at Stoney Creek, and 27

new single-family dwelling lots in Stoney Creek. So, a huge push in housing right now, and a lot of opportunities for diverse and affordable housing.” Haney also noted developments at both Berea College and in local industry. The four-story, 48,000-square-foot computer, digital media and information systems and services building on the college campus is expected to be completed this year, followed by a second building in 2025. “The structural steel is up so you can actually see the outline of the building, and they are working to enclose the exterior,” Haney said. Additionally, an athletic practice facility is under construction off

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Wyatt, Conley back on board

By Andy McDonald
For The Citizen

George Wyatt and Charles Conley were reappointed by Berea Mayor Fraley to serve on the Madison County Airport Board, allowing them to continue working on several facility upgrade projects at the Central Kentucky Regional Airport (CKRA). The move was announced at Tuesday’s meeting of the Berea City Council. At a meeting of the Madison County Airport Board on Tuesday, Wyatt was re-elected as board chair, Steve Tussey was again selected as vice chair, Dr. Adrienne Millett as tapped again to be board treasurer, while Charles Conley was re-elected to be secretary. Wyatt has served 16 for years on the board, while Conley has been on the board for eight years. It was announced at the airport board meeting that officials are working out the final

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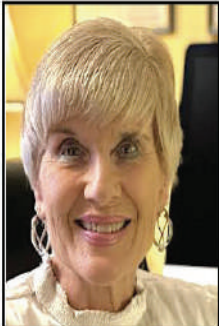


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Arrests

- On Dec. 16 at approximately 3:30 p.m., officers responded to McDonald's on Brenwood Street, in reference to a possible male subject under the influence of drugs or alcohol. James Willis was arrested and charged with Public Intoxication-Controlled Substance (Excludes Alcohol).
- On Dec. 25 at approximately 4:03 p.m., officers responded to the area of Marcellus Drive, in reference to a male subject possibly intoxicated. Robert McKinney was arrested and charged with Public Intoxication-Controlled Substance (Excludes Alcohol).
- On Dec. 30 at approximately 3 a.m., officers conducted a traffic stop in the area of Chestnut Street. The operator was identified as Tyler Hacker. Hacker was arrested and charged with Failure to Illuminate Head Lamps and Driving on DUI Suspended License 1st Offense.
- On Dec. 30 at approximately 8:56 p.m., officers responded to Walmart, in reference

to a shoplifting complaint. Michael Murphy was arrested and charged with Theft by Unlawful Taking (Shoplifting).

- On Jan. 2 at approximately 8:26 p.m., officers responded to a residence on Scenic View Drive, in reference to a disturbance. Carson Abner was arrested and charged with Alcohol Intoxication in a Public Place 1st Offense.

- On Jan. 3 at approximately 9:25 p.m., officers responded to a non-injury single vehicle collision on Scaffold Cane Road. The operator was identified as Alexis Perez. Mr. Perez was arrested and charged with Operating Motor Vehicle Under the Influence of Alcohol 2nd Offense and Driving on DUI Suspended License 1st Offense.

Drug Arrests

- On Dec. 14 at approximately 2:57 p.m., officers responded to Dollar Tree, in reference to suspects who allegedly shoplifted from Walmart were located. Officers discovered several subjects in a

vehicle and each of them faced various charges after a brief investigation. Daniel Damrell, a passenger in the vehicle, was arrested and charged with Trafficking in Controlled Substance 1st Degree (> or = 4 grams Cocaine) and Theft by Unlawful Taking (Shoplifting). The operator of the vehicle identified as Destaney Means was arrested and charged with Trafficking in Controlled Substance 1st Degree (> or = 4 grams Cocaine) and Possession of Controlled Substance 1st Degree (Methamphetamine).

- On Dec. 19 at approximately 1:03 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop on West Barker Road. The operator of the vehicle in question, was identified as Donnie Spivey. Mr. Spivey was arrested and charged with Careless Driving, Possession Controlled Substance 1st Degree (Drug Unspecified), Failure to Wear Seatbelts and License to be in Possession.

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Reports compiled by the Berea Police Department.

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shoulders and helmet to drag him down. After making the play, Hamlin quickly got to his feet, appeared to adjust his face mask with his right hand and then fell backward about three seconds later and lay motionless.

"The buzz left the stadium," said Fraley, who has been a Bengals season-ticket holder for three years. "It changed to a shock, and a quiet fell over the entire stadium. Not a lot of people in the stadium knew what had happened. It took a minute or so for the crowd to realize that this was something serious."

Hamlin, a second-year player from the University of Pittsburgh, was treated on the field for about 20 minutes by team and independent medical personnel and local paramedics, and was taken by ambulance to the University of Cincinnati Medical Center.

The Bills issued a statement Tuesday saying Hamlin suffered a cardiac arrest during the Monday Night Football game, which was indefinitely postponed.

"Damar Hamlin suffered a cardiac arrest following a hit in our

game versus the Bengals. His heartbeat was restored on the field and he was transferred to the University of Cincinnati Medical Center for further testing and treatment," the Bills said in a statement released to the AP. "He is currently sedated and listed in critical condition."

In a chilling scene, Hamlin, 24, was administered CPR on the field, ESPN reported, while surrounded by teammates, some of which were in tears, while they shielded him from public view.

"I saw a young lady tending to the player on the field," Fraley said. "I watched her run to the sidelines to get a defibrillator and watched as the medical personnel were doing chest compressions to the player on the field."

"I watched as his teammates and Bengals players turned away from what was happening on the field and just had looks of disbelief and sadness on their faces," Fraley continued. "I've never seen

an ambulance brought onto the field. When a player goes down and they are carted off you are always waiting for that thumbs up or an announcement that the player is ok. We could tell that wasn't going to happen."

Fraley said the stands remained full for about an hour after the injury. "It was like everyone was waiting to see if the player was going to be alright."

"My feeling was just utter disbelief," Fraley said. "This was a young man. A top-tier athlete lying motionless on the field. My thoughts immediately went to his family and his teammates. All life is precious."

The crowd in the stands seemed to share Fraley's thoughts. "I could see people praying all over the stadium," he said. "You could really see the best in people come out."

Everyone, Bengals fans and Bills fans, just concerned about that young man." Hamlin remains at UC Hospital in critical condition.

Message from Cora Jane Wilson

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)



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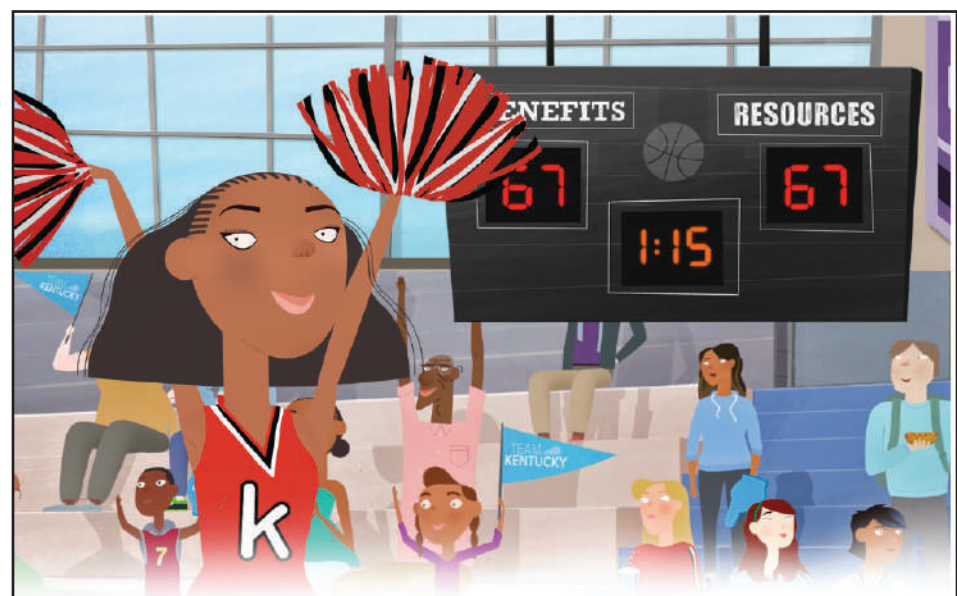


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Velma Mae Pingleton

Velma Mae Croley Pingleton, 90 of Lynchburg, Ohio, left us to be with her beloved Savior on December 27, 2022. She passed peacefully at home in the loving care of her family and Hospice of Hope for Ohio. Her last 4 years held increasing memory and mobility challenges. She rapidly declined over her last month following a probable stroke event. She did insist on hanging on through Christmas which allowed the many grandchildren, great grandchildren and other family to visit and say their final farewells on her favorite holiday. (It was noted that she had once changed the diapers of all but a few who visited that day!)

Velma was born March 12, 1932 in Lynch, Ky., Har-

lan County to Ralph Edward and Cuba Lowry Croley. She was the youngest daughter and the 7th of 8 children. She was raised in Rockcastle County KY and graduated from Brodhead High School. She married Robert H. Pingleton on January 1, 1950, her husband of 68 years. They lived in Richmond, IN before moving to Springdale, OH for 12 years, West Chester for 35 years and finally moving to Lynchburg, OH in 2007.

Velma was a devoted mother, grandmother, wife, daughter, sister, aunt, friend, and Christian. She loved anyone we loved, including our pets. She was a good



forgiver, an amazing listener and was never heard to gossip or utter an unkindness. In her younger motherhood she competed in a bowling league and collected several trophies. She somehow found time to work for the IRS as a data entry specialist for over 20 years and loved carpooling with friends. She was an active member of Tri County Baptist Church in Springdale and West Chester for over 40 years. She appreciated the music of Elvis, Herb Alpert & The Tijuana Brass, Neal Diamond, Kenny Rogers and hymns. We have many memories of her gardening, canning, cooking wonderful meals and hosting the family for holidays. She faithfully remembered birthdays, sent cards and kept in touch with loved ones. She delighted in baking, sharing and eating

desserts. In retirement she took many vacations with her husband, grandchildren & children. She committed her life to care for her husband, mother, children, grandchildren and other family.

In Lynchburg she fully enjoyed living next door to her son, Gary, his wife Teresa and their children Zachary and Rachel. Gary and Teresa were dedicated to caring for every need of Velma and lived with her in her widowhood for the last 4 years of her life. During her last year Gary even developed a workout routine for her including walking inclines on the treadmill.

Velma is preceded in death by her husband, Robert, 4 brothers, Orbey, Coyt, Paul and J.D. Croley, and 3 sisters, Doris Good, Georgia Reiff, and Delores Greenburg. She

is survived by her 3 children, Gary (Teresa) Pingleton of Lynchburg, Rhonda Pingleton of Centerville, Linda (Andrew) Stoothoff of West Chester; 6 grandchildren, Jason, Cassie, Mason, Grace, Zachary (Meranda) and Rachel (Doug); 3 great grandchildren, Victoria, Kaylee and Zoe; numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family.

Visitation was held at Hodapp Funeral Home, 6410 Cincinnati Dayton Rd., Liberty Twp., OH 45044 on Tuesday, January 3 from 11 a.m. until time of funeral service at noon. Interment will take place at Butler County Memorial Park in Ohio.

Memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Hope Ohio Valley, <https://hospiceofhope.com/Donate>

Helen Clark Diaz

Helen Clark Diaz, 82, passed away after a long illness on December 29, 2022 with her sister Judy at her bedside at Berea Health and Rehabilitation Center. She was born June 20, 1940 in Jackson County to the late Cullen and Sallie Seaborn Clark and attended Anvil School. Helen moved to Berea in 1960 where she was well known. When able she spent her days walking and visiting local shop owners and friends in the Berea community. She was a long-time faithful member of the Berea Baptist Church; her greatest joy was attending and spending time with her church family. She was an avid U.K. sports fan and proud member of the Big Blue Nation. Helen will be greatly missed by her many friends and family.

Survivors include her sister Judy Clark Hasty (Rick); nephews Billy Clark (Connie), James Hasty (Kathy); nieces Angela Clark and Erica Rogers (Philip). In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by her husband Thomas Diaz; brother Lonnie Clark; nephew Charles Hasty; niece Londa Clark Combs; grand-nephew Billy Ray Hasty.

Funeral Services were at 1 p.m., Monday, January 2, 2023 at Reppert Funeral Home. Pastor Kevin Slemp officiating. Visitation 12:00 noon until service time. Burial was Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at Madison County Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers were Rick Hasty, James Hasty, Billy Clark, Tyler Hasty, Keelan Hatfield, Philip Rogers. Honorary pallbearers will be Shane Edwards, Josh Clark, and Tanner Combs.

Reppert Funeral Home and Cremation Service entrusted with arrangements.



Heather Jean Griffin

Heather Jean Griffin, 41, passed away Sunday January 1, 2023, at UK Medical Center in Lexington, KY. Heather was born September 22, 1981, in Richmond to Brenda Jean Spires and the late Glen Griffin. She loved the outdoors. Fishing, hiking, riding the trails, slinging mud on 4 wheelers and spending time with family. Heather was of the Baptist faith.

In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by one sister, Stephanie Griffin, grandparents, Jim & Martha Cope,

Brady & Nana Griffin, two aunts, Linda Cope, Kathy Griffin, and three uncles, Ricky Griffin, David Cope, and Doug Griffin.

Other than her mother, Heather is survived by one brother, Jerry Griffin (Kim) of Berea, two sisters, Virginia Griffin (Randy Roberts) of Franklin, OH, Crystal Miller (Ray) of Broadhead, three godsons, Grayson, Sebastian, Bentley, one aunt, Bobbie



Ricky Keith Griffin

Ricky Keith Griffin, 64, passed away Friday December 30, 2022, at St. Joseph Berea in Berea. He was born February 8, 1958, in Franklin, OH to the late Brady Lee Griffin and Nana Mae Cope. Ricky enjoyed life in many ways. He loved wrestling events, four wheeling, and fishing.

He was a collector of many things he would find at flea

markets and pawn shops. Ricky spent his working career in construction and roofing.

In addition to his parents Ricky was preceded in death by his life-long companion, Linda Sue Cope, two brothers, Glen Griffin, Doug Griffin, and one sister, Kathy Griffin.

He is survived one son, Brad James Griffin of Rich-



Thelma Jean Smith

Thelma Jean Smith, 87, from McKee, went to her Heavenly Home unexpectedly on Sunday, December 25, 2022. She was at her grandson's home in Artemus getting ready to spend Christmas with her family.

Thelma was born March 21, 1935 to William & Martha (Davidson) Young. Thelma was the widow of Ralph Jackson Smith. She is also preceded in death by her parents, all her siblings and a daughter-in-law, Betty Jean Smith. She leaves behind 3 sons: Jack Smith (Jane Hembree), Jerry Smith & Jimmie (Karen Rader) Smith all of McKee; 3 grandchildren: Brian Smith of Berea, Adam (Gerald) Smith of Artemus, Rachel (Addison) Napier of Ashland and a step granddaughter, Cheyenne Rader of McKee.

Thelma was of the Baptist faith. She was also a Christian. She was a good wife, mother and grandmother. Thelma loved her grandchildren with all her heart, and they loved her dearly too. She had a kind loving heart. She will be missed by all those who love her.

Funeral services were held 11 a.m. Thursday, December 29, 2022, at Lakes Funeral Home, McKee. Bro. Wayne Carpenter officiated and burial followed in the Smith Cemetery.

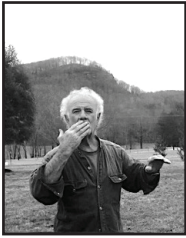
John Cassetta

John Cassetta "The Man," father of Nicola Cassetta, Giovanni Cassetta, Angelina Cassetta, Andrea Cassetta, Mario Cassetta, and Claudia Cassetta, also the mother of their children Claudia Cassetta, two step children Danette Fisk, and Stephen Beaudoin, and fifteen grandchildren. John left this world December 22nd, 2022, and went to mow heaven.

He was a man of vision. His passion was his family, his farm, and friends. He served the community Berea for over 30 years and was well known and respected by all who came in contact with him. He lived everyday of his life the way he wanted and on his terms. His Motto was, "I don't work, I have fun." And he lived true to that.

"His farewell message to his family and the world was "its been one hell of a party."

The Cassetta family is planning a Celebration of Life service in the spring at the family farm.



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Making it to midnight on New Year’s Eve a task

I rarely make it to midnight on New Year’s Eve. In the past, I have been on a road trip covering Kentucky in a bowl game around New Year’s Day. I’ve celebrated the new year in Orlando, Charlotte, Nashville, Memphis and never consumed a drink. It’s just not my style on the last day of the calendar year or any other day for that matter and I still have a good time. That is, if I’m still awake at midnight. The older I get the earlier the day begins. That’s been the trend and I can’t tell you at what age it really began.

During those times I wasn’t on the road, I enjoyed going out to dinner with mom and the rest of the family and we did that this year. I covered the Kentucky-Louisville basketball game as opposed to making the trip to Nashville. It’s hard to be two places at once and at the same time. It was nice being home this year, too. Rhonda and I like to visit



Keith Taylor

the movie theater on New Year’s Day but decided to wait until Tom Hanks’ new flick comes out this week-end before taking advantage of a Cinemark gift card that I bought her before she re-gifted it to me. It’s in my possession now, but since I bought it for her originally, I’ll have to buy the drinks and popcorn when we finally get to the movies. We did celebrate the new year by going to church and eating our New Year’s Day meal of country ham, black-eye peas, turnip greens, cabbage and cornbread. That’s a meal that Rhonda and I began early in our

marriage and have continued for more than two decades. It’s not always been that way. When I was growing up, we always went to church on New Year’s Eve and attended “watch night” service. I’m not sure if many churches do those type of services anymore, but I can remember those four- and five-hour services. Most of the time, dad would invite a singing group to perform and opened the microphone for others to sing if they wished, but the main thing was praying the old year out and the new year in. As a child, I started out

with good intentions, but usually fell asleep in the pew an hour or two into the service. Later, I can remember playing music for most of those church services and looking forward to eating breakfast after church was over. As I grow older, the less I prefer being on the road late at night for fear of the other driver. Now that another year has passed, it’s time to focus on 2023.

Keith Taylor



Iconic newscaster Barbara Walters died at age 30 on Friday, Dec. 30. She became the highest paid journalist of her day being the first to sign a million-dollar contract with ABC.

Dealing with death

Throughout the years, many of us watched Barbara Walters from NBC to ABC. I always tried to watch her special interviews. Often, the people she interviewed on primetime television specials were “the” high profile people at that given time. She became the highest paid journalist of her day being the first to sign a million-dollar contract with ABC. Regardless of what we do in life we are still confronted by difficulties that often



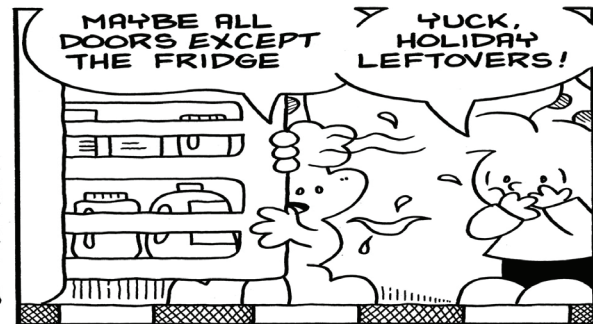
Glenn Mollette

debilitate us. Walters had survived her own personal struggles, like we all do, including four divorces. Unfortunately, her reported battle with dementia took its toll on her health. We can all accomplish much in life. Maybe not as much as Walters or maybe even more. Regardless, there is much about life we can’t do anything about other than try to deal with it and do the best we can. At least 37 people died from the recent winter storm in Buffalo, New York. Families are grieving. Hurricanes, tornadoes, floods, freezing temperatures, and snow have wreaked devastation on our country in the last twelve months. Loss of

life can come from disease, weather, accidents or unconsciously by design. We all have been horrified by the death of four college students in Moscow, Idaho. It’s been beyond us how four beautiful people could be stabbed to death in their beds reportedly between 3:00 and 4:00 in the morning. A young man who is a student at nearby Washington State University on the Pullman campus has been arrested at his parents’ house in Albrightsville, Pennsylvania. Moscow police believe they now have the murderer in custody. How anyone could commit such a heinous crime is beyond our comprehension. I’m sure it was beyond the scope of thought for these innocent young adults. We never know who is taking note of our lives, whereabouts and activities. Regardless of how calm and safe your community seems you can’t take anything for granted. Lock your doors. Lock your bedroom door. Keep your handgun on your lampstand and try your best to create an environment that protects you as much as possible. With so many people sleeping in the rental house in Moscow, I’m sure these young college students felt safe. What appeared to be safe for them became an opportunity for an evil mind. Typically, the attacker has

the element of surprise on his side. It’s always best to try to think ahead. Sadly, four Idaho University students were killed by someone who planned, plotted, and was patient enough to find the right moment to carry out the murders. Accepting and dealing with what we cannot change is one thing. Preparing for life but rolling with the punches, the turns and twists is another. Being watchful, careful, and never taking anything for granted could make the difference between life and death. Pray for these families and all the many friends and loved ones as they grieve and suffer from such devastating loss.

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- Brian Wilson Hampton, 28, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury
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- Steven Carol Propes, 32, Richmond: failure to appear; non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines (2 counts)
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inson, 38, Richmond: failure to appear; failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor (3 counts)

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- William Howard, 41, Berea: assault, 4th degree (minor injury); menacing; criminal mischief, 2nd degree

Dec. 25

- Keith Adams, 53, Lexington: failure to appear
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Pioneer Woman Beef and Noodles

YIELDS: 5 - 6 serving(s) **PREP TIME:** 10 mins **TOTAL TIME:** 2 hrs 5 mins

Ingredients
3 tbsp. flour
1 tsp. seasoned salt, divided
1 tsp. ground black pepper, divided
1 1/2 lb. beef stew meat (or chuck roast), cut into 1" pieces
2 tbsp. butter
1 tbsp. olive oil
1 yellow onion, chopped
12 oz. sliced mushrooms
4 garlic cloves, chopped
1 qt. beef stock
2 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
4 sprigs of thyme
1 12-oz. bag frozen egg noodles, such as Reames brand
Sour cream and chopped parsley, for serving (optional)

Directions
In a large bowl, combine the flour and 1/2 teaspoon each of seasoned salt and black pepper. Add the cubes of beef to the bowl and stir until well coated.
Heat a large Dutch oven over medium-high heat. Add the butter and olive oil, swirling to coat the bottom of the pan.

Place the meat in a single layer and cook until golden brown, 4 to 5 minutes. Stir the beef and let brown on another side, 3 to 4 minutes. Remove the Dutch oven from the heat and transfer the beef to a plate.
Reduce the heat to medium and add the onion, mushrooms, garlic and remaining 1/2 teaspoon each of seasoned salt and black pepper. Cook for 7 minutes, stirring occasionally and scraping the browned bits from the bottom of the pot. Add the beef stock, Worcestershire sauce, seared beef, and thyme sprigs. Bring to a simmer, cover, then reduce heat to low. Cook for 1 hour and 15 minutes, with the stock just barely simmering.
Remove the lid and discard the thyme sprigs. Add the egg noodles and increase the heat to medium-high. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the mixture comes to a simmer. Reduce the heat to medium-low and continue to cook for 20 to 25 minutes, stirring occasionally, until the noodles are tender. Serve immediately, topped with a dollop of sour cream and a sprinkle of parsley.



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

Notice of Vacant Berea Independent Board of Education Seat

The Berea Independent Board of Education (“Board”) is seeking applications for appointment to fill a vacancy on the Board representing the District at large. This appointment will be effective until the November 7, 2023 regular election. Deadline for applications is 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 17, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m.. Responsibilities include:

- setting policy to govern the District;

hiring/evaluating the Superintendent; and levying taxes and adopting the District budget. Board members must:

- Be at least 24 years old and a Kentucky citizen for the last three years
- Be a registered voter in the particular District of the vacancy
- Have completed the 12th grade or have a GED certificate

- Meet all other legal qualifications (KRS 160.180)
 - Complete required annual in-service training.
- Applications are available at the Berea Board of Education office located at 3 Pirate Parkway, Berea, KY 40403, or online at www.berea.kyschools.us.

Mail applications to:
Superintendent,
ATTN: Board Vacancy,
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that in a December 15, 2022, Application, Kentucky Utilities Company (“KU”) is seeking approval by the Kentucky Public Service Commission, Frankfort, Kentucky of an adjustment of Demand-Side Management (“DSM”) Cost Recovery Component (“DSMRC”) charges proposed to become effective on and after January 14, 2023. Because KU anticipates the Commission will suspend the proposed changes in the DSMRC to conduct an investigation of the proposed changes, KU will ask the Commission to approve the proposed changes to the DSMRC to be effective on January 1, 2024.

The proposed changes, if approved, will result in changes to the DSMRC rates calculated per kWh under the DSM tariff for all affected electric rate classes as follows:

<u>Rates:</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
RS, RTOD-Energy, RTOD-Demand, VFD	\$ 0.00074	\$ 0.00120
GS, GTOD-Energy, GTOD-Demand	\$ 0.00062	\$ 0.00156
AES	\$ 0.00363	\$ 0.00849
PS, TODS, TODP, RTS, FLS, OSL	\$ 0.00079	\$ 0.00198

The estimated amount of the annual change and the average monthly bill to which the proposed DSMRC charges will apply for each affected electric customer class are as follows:

Electric Rate Class*	Average Monthly Usage (kWh)	Annual \$ Increase	Annual % Increase	Average Monthly Bill \$ Increase
Residential	1,193	2,855,046	49.6	0.55
Residential TOD-E	1,233			0.57
Residential TOD-D	2,042			0.94
VFD	1,504			0.69
General Service	1,656	1,570,334	129.3	1.56
GTOD-Energy	No customers on this rate			NA
GTOD-Demand	No customers on this rate			NA
All Electric School	26,890	591,501	147.5	130.69
Power Service	31,096	5,011,989	147.8	37.00
TODS (Secondary)	188,237			224.00
TODP (Primary)	627,130			746.28
Retail Transmission	1,678,706			1,997.66
Fluctuating Load	All customers opted out			NA
Outdoor Sports Lighting Service	6,954			8.28

* The information in the above table does not include industrial customers that have elected to not participate in the DSM program.

Complete copies of the proposed tariffs containing proposed rates may be obtained by submitting a written request by mail to Kentucky Utilities Company, ATTN: Rates Department at P.O. Box 32010, Louisville, Kentucky, 40232, or by visiting KU’s website at www.lge-ku.com/our-company/regulatory.

A person may examine this application at the offices of KU located at One Quality Street, Lexington, Kentucky, and at KU’s website at www.lge-ku.com. A person may also examine this application at the Public Service Commission’s offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or through the commission’s Web site at <http://psc.ky.gov>.

Comments regarding the application may be submitted to the Public Service Commission, by mail to Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, or through the commission’s Web site at <http://psc.ky.gov>. All comments should reference Case No. 2022-00402.

The rates contained in this notice are the rates proposed by KU, but the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from the proposed rates contained in this notice. A person may submit a timely written request for intervention to the Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, establishing the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of initial publication or mailing of the notice, the Commission may take final action on the application.



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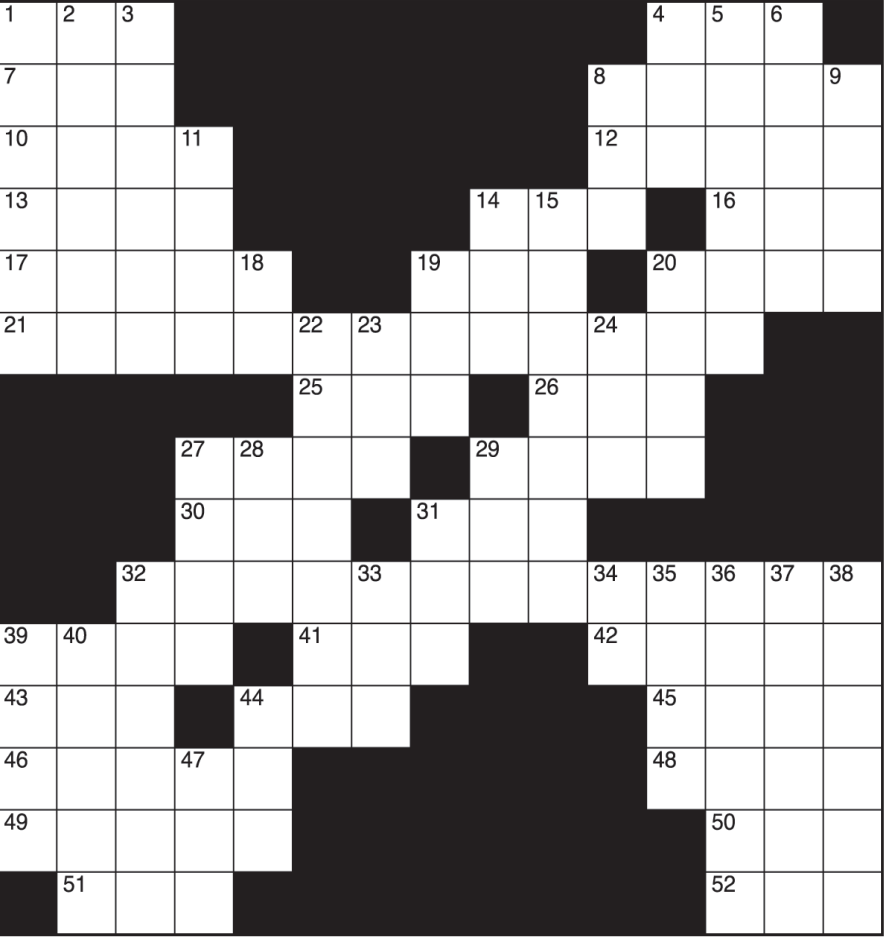
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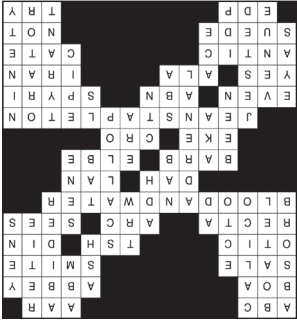


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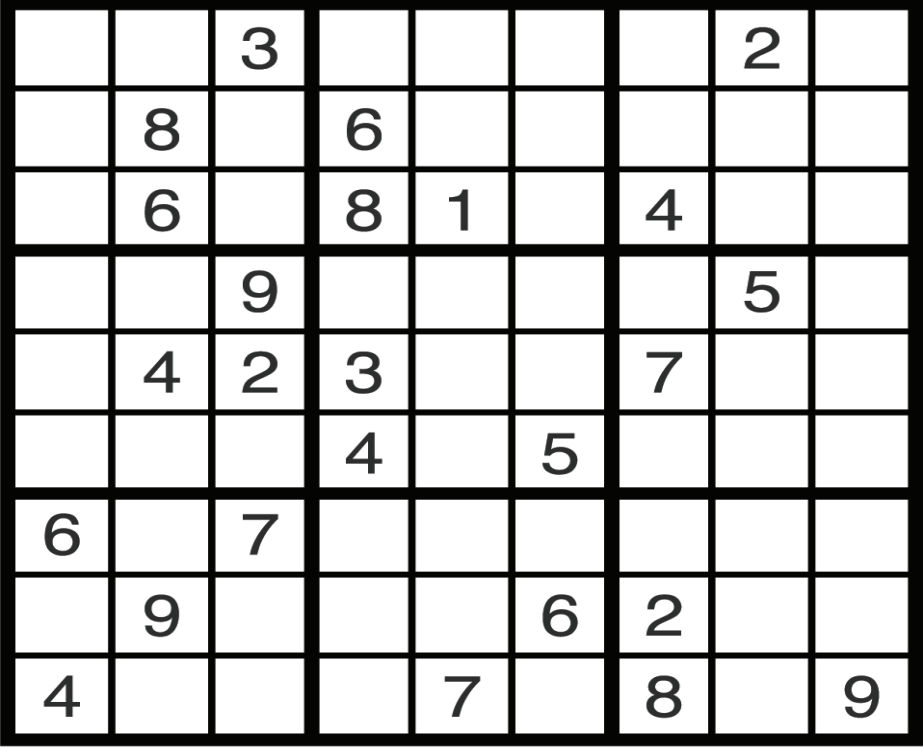
1. Basics
4. Swiss river
7. Constrictor snake
8. Building occupied by monks
10. Discount
12. Deal a blow to
13. Relating to the ear
14. Thyrotropin
16. Loud, unpleasant noise
17. Large intestines
19. Move with a curving trajectory
20. Witnesses
21. You need both to live
25. Dash
26. Network
27. Dig
29. C. European river
30. Supplement with difficulty
31. Corporate executive
32. Carroll O'Connor's onscreen wife
39. No variation
41. Airborne (abbr.)
42. "Heidi" author
43. Affirmative
44. Pie __ __ mode

45. W. Asian country
46. Grotesque or bizarre
48. Delicacy (archaic)
49. Textile
50. Denial
51. Electronic data processing
52. Attempt
- CLUES DOWN
1. Engulf
2. Waterside hotel
3. Printed cotton fabric
4. Defensive nuclear weapon
5. One who follows the rules
6. Lace up once more
8. Fire byproduct
9. Hankerings
11. Outer
14. One-time aerospace firm
15. Seafood
18. Commercial
19. Epoxy hardener (abbr.)
20. Samoan monetary unit
22. Type of gland
23. Arrest
24. Check
27. Past participle of be
28. Alias
29. A major division of geological time

31. Kids programming channel (abbr.)
32. Joked
33. Helps little firms
34. Roman numeral 50
35. Impressive in size or scope
36. Domineering leader
37. A person who delivers a speech
38. One after 89
39. Young hawk
40. The scene of any event or action
44. A team's best pitcher
47. Integrated data processing



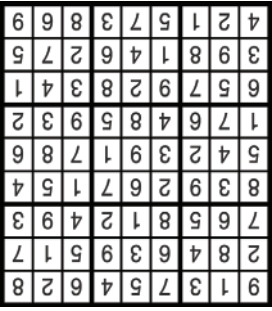
Sudoku



Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9X9 grid, broken down into nine 3X3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!



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CRYPTO FUN

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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to getting organized.

Each number corresponds to a letter.

(Hint: 4 = S)

A. 1 23 4 5 11 13

Clue: Woven container

B. 4 16 11 25 6 20 24 7

Clue: Stores things vertically

C. 3 25 8 4 11 13

Clue: Holds coats and more

D. 4 8 18 13

Clue: Categorize

Answers: A. basket B. shelving C. closet D. sort

CONQUER CLUTTER WORD SEARCH



Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

CONQUER CLUTTER

CABINET

CATEGORY

CLEANING

CLOSET

CLUTTER

COLLECT

COORDINATE

DISARRAY

DISTRIBUTE

DONATION

GARBAGE

HOARD

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LISTS

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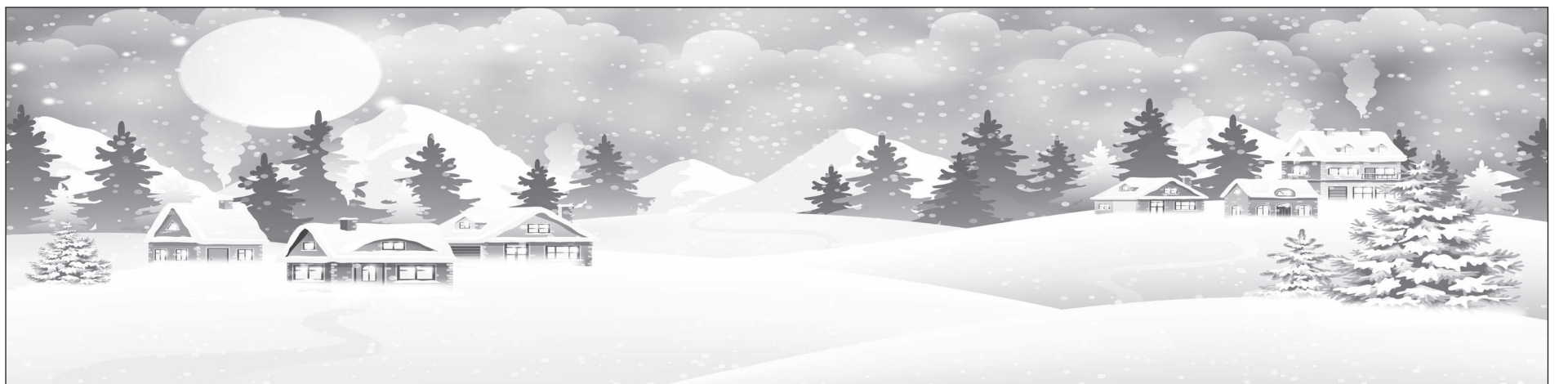
ORGANIZE

PLANNING

SCHEDULE

SHELVING

SORT



Reflections

Jan. 3, 1923

The cost of hauling coal from the L&N tracks to the power plant at Berea College power plant had been enormous in previous years. The newly installed smokestack had just been completed and the power plant had been enlarged. It was only natural that as soon as the new boilers and machinery were installed the demand for coal would increase proportionately. Of course, this means the cost of hauling the coal would also increase. The college, however had decided to eliminate a large part of this cost by building a spur to run from the main L&M track to the lower end of the power plant. The L&N Railroad Company would loan rails to the college at a charge of 6% interest and the students would do most of the installation work. The plan was that this would serve two purposes. Besides building the track to eliminate the great cost of hauling coal, it would also furnish employment for many students to pay their way through school.

Jan. 1, 1948

A fire which started in the west end of the O.V. Arnett Construction Company building on Broadway, did slight damage. The damage amounted to being a burned-out window and a charred side of two-by-fours and a foundation sill. The central origin of the fire was not known but a possible cause given by employee Elmer Noll, seemed to be plausible. It was his theory that the source was an oil heater located in the back of the rear enclosure into which fuel seeped after the flame was turned off by heat from the surrounding metal sides of the heater. The flames reached the spilled oil on the floor and the flames came up the sides and up the sides to the ceiling which was made of pine construction. Mr. Noll was working in the front of the building when he detected smoke coming from the back. He rushed to the rear of the building, located the origin of the fire and threw dirt on the flames to extinguish them. When it was obvious the fire was beyond a level he could control, he called the College



Fire Department. Answering the call immediately, the department had the flames under control by 12 o'clock.

Jan. 4, 1973

The possibility of Berea losing the ambulance service provided by local funeral homes was brought before the Berea City Council during its first meeting of 1973. Mayor C.C. Hensley read a document from a state agency, outlining new regulations for licensing of ambulance services, as passed by the 1972 State Legislature. The new ruling call for much higher standards for equipment, training and personnel than those previously required. A letter signed by owners of both Wray and Rominger funeral homes was read stating that thew two firms could not meet the new requirements without a loss of \$0,000 per year and notifying the city of their intentions to discontinue ambulance services effective March 31, 1973. Mayor Hensley read from a state report that stated there were 343 ambulance services in the state of Kentucky in 1969 but that number had fallen to 270 in 1972. Of the 270, 105 of the services were provided by funeral homes. The Council was dismayed at the developments and several suggestions were offered for filling the need for an ambulance service, should the two local firms hold to their notification. Mayor Hensley said that several state and regional groups were opposed to the current legislation and were trying to combat it. Mr. Gibson of the Blue Grass Regional Health Center. He said he had requested more information from several sources

which he hoped would be available by the next Council meeting on January 16th.

Jan. 1, 1998

The Berea-based Chemical Weapons Working Group (CWWG) was one of three plaintiffs in a legal complaint filed against the Alabama Department of Environmental Management for approving the construction of a U.S. Army chemical weapons incinerator in Anniston, Alabama – a community highly populated by African American and low-income people. The complaint was a formal “Environmental Justice” legal complaint that charged Alabama with “discrimination on the account of race and poverty” by ignoring the likely health impact the incinerator emissions who have already been expose to toxic chemicals and failing to support safer chemical weapons destruction technologies. The action was brought under President Clinton’s Environmental Justice Executive Order as well as provisions of the Civil Rights Act and the U.S. Constitution’s Equal Protection clause. The CWWG had been instrumental in pushing for alternative disposal methods of the chemical weapons stockpile at the Blue Grass Army Depot in Richmond, as well as at other sites throughout the United States. The army was studying at least seven alternative technologies for safe disposal of weapons stored at the Blue Grass Chemical Activity and had abandoned plans to build chemical weapons incinerators at Aberdeen Marilyn and Newport, Indiana.

Southern, Berea stay busy during holiday break

By Mike Moore
For The Citizen

Local Sports

While most of us took it easy during the holidays, area hoops teams hit the holiday tournament trail with varying results.

The Madison Southern Eagles traveled to Daytona, Fla., to participate in the Mainland Christmas Shootout. The Eagles (8-5) went 2-1 in the tourney, knocking off Ridge Community (Daytonport, Fla.) 71-68 and Vero Beach, Fla., 58-54 before falling to Deerfield Beach, Fla., 89-51.

Through 13 games, Jay Rose is leading Southern with 22.7 points per game (ppg) average while pulling down 9.2 rebounds per game (rpg). Zach Hudson is averaging 14.1 ppg, with 5.7 rpg. Braden Hudson is also averaging double figures in scoring with 11.4 ppg to go along with 5.5 rpg. Casen Nobbe is averaging 7.5 ppg.

The Berea Pirates (5-10) went 1-2 during the Dan Schwartz Classic. In the first game, the Pirates fell to Bath County (56-28) before rebounding to knock off Elliott County (67-33). Berea closed out the tournament with a loss to Bishop Brossart (64-38).

Cameron Puckett is Berea’s leading scorer through 15 games with

a 18.6 ppg average. Liam Brewer is second with a 8.4 ppg average, followed by Cannon Cummins’ 7.7 ppg average and 5.7 rpg. Finely Blevins has a 7.2 ppg average.

The Berea Lady Pirates went 1-2 in the Berea Holiday Classic. Berea (8-3) knocked off Clay County, 40-38, before falling to Bishop Broussart (55-39) and Jackson County (56-36).

Abigail Beard is pacing Berea with a 12.8 ppg average through 11 games. Sophie Brewer has averaged 8.9 ppg., while Maddy King and Lauren Stepp have a 7.1 ppg and 6.2 ppg average, respectively.

The Madison Southern Lady Eagles (8-6) traveled to Daytona, Fla., to play in the Daytona Beach Sunshine Classic. Southern went 1-2 in the tournament, falling to Cambridge (Milton, Ga.), 54-35, and Perry, Ohio, 53-39 and upending Prestonsburg, 58-30.

Hadley French (11.5 ppg) is Southern’s leading scorer through 14 games. Laci Sandlin is averaging 9.6 ppg., while Bella Moberly is adding 9.1 ppg and 6.5 rpg. Tara Wooten is averaging 7.2 ppg.

Kiwanis meets



Berea Kiwanis President David Olinger is pictured with Sister Robbie, Amy Hogg and Amanda Gadd from New Opportunity School in Berea. Kiwanis meets the first and third Mondays at the Madison County Library in Berea. (Submitted)

MADISON COUNTY INDICTMENTS

Circuit Court Division I

- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Jennifer Harney, knowingly exploit adult by person over \$300; second degree criminal possession of a forged instrument
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Linda Perrin, 1st degree trafficking in a controlled substance (greater than or equal to 2 grams), methamphetamine; trafficking in a controlled substance (fentanyl); 3rd degree trafficking in a controlled substance (less than 20 dosage units), gabapentin; 3rd degree possession of a controlled substance (Xanax); trafficking in marijuana (less than 1 ounce); possession of drug paraphernalia; persistent felony offender
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Kevin Bowen, 1st degree wanton endangerment -police officer (2 counts); 1st degree fleeing or evading police (motor vehicle); reckless driving (district); theft of identity; 2nd degree persistent felony offender; 2nd degree criminal mischief – 2 counts (district); improper display of registration plates (district); leaving the scene of an accident /failure to render aid or assistance (district); giving officer false identifying information (dismissed)
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Robert C. Ingram, 1st degree fleeing or evading police (on foot); 2nd degree fleeing or evading police (on foot); 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine); 1st degree wanton endangerment motor vehicle (passenger); speeding 25 mph over limit (district); careless driving (district); reckless driving (district); improper

- display of registration plates (district); disregarding stop sign (district); failure to register transfer of motor vehicle (district); failure to produce insurance card (district); failure to wear seat belts (district); operating vehicle with expired operator’s license (district); license to be in possession (district)
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Derick Damrell, 1st degree trafficking in a controlled substance (fentanyl); 1st degree trafficking in a controlled substance (greater than 2 grams), methamphetamine; 2nd degree possession of a controlled substance (suboxine); 1st degree wanton endangerment (3 counts); first degree criminal mischief (3 counts); leaving the scene of an accident / failure to render aid or assistance; 1st degree fleeing or evading police; 1st degree persistent felon; disregarding stop sign (dismiss); operating on suspended /revoked operator’s license (dismissed); reckless driving (dismissed)
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. George A. Walker, Jr., driving on DUI suspended license; 1st degree fleeing or evading police; 1st degree wanton endangerment; 1st degree persistent felon; no-expired registration plates (district); no /expired registration plates (district); possession of an open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle (district); speeding, 26 mph over limit (district); reckless driving (dismissed)
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Joshua Eversole, 1st degree strangulation; 2nd degree strangulation; 4th degree assault (2 counts); 3rd degree criminal mischief

Circuit Court Division II

- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. James D. Johnson, failure to make required disposition
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Alan R. Stamper, 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine); possession of marijuana; possession of drug paraphernalia; 1st degree promoting contraband; tampering with physical evidence; public intoxication; 2nd degree disorderly conduct
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Michael Bishop, 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (heroin); 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (fentanyl); 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine); possession of marijuana; possession of drug paraphernalia; 2nd degree possession of a controlled substance (deboxin); 3rd degree possession of a controlled substance (diazepam)
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. David D. Marcum, 1st degree wanton endangerment (3 counts); 3rd degree assault; menacing; 3rd degree terroristic threatening; resisting arrest; public intoxication; 2nd degree disorderly conduct; 3rd degree criminal mischief (2 counts); 1st degree persistent felony offender
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Lonnie Clemmons, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance; driving on DUI suspended license (3rd offense); no /expired registration plates (district); no /expired Kentucky registration receipt (district); possess open alcohol beverage container in a motor

- vehicle (district); failure to wear seat belts (district); failure to notify address change to Department of Transportation (district)

Circuit Court Division V

- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Timothy Kanatzer, theft by unlawful taking; resisting arrest; 3rd degree assault – police / probation officer; 3rd degree criminal mischief; 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (heroin); possession of marijuana; possession of drug paraphernalia; persistent felony offender
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Charles Sparks, 1st degree trafficking in a controlled substance (greater than or equal to 2 grams), methamphetamine; possession of drug paraphernalia; 3rd degree possession of a controlled substance (colonopine); 1st degree persistent felony offender
- Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Braaz Sawyer, first degree wanton endangerment (1 count); 1st degree fleeing or evading police; 2nd degree fleeing or evading police; 2nd degree persistent felony offender; speeding 25 mph over limit (district); reckless driving (district); 3rd degree attempted assault (dismissed); operating a motor vehicle under the influence .08 (dismissed); failure to wear seat belts (district); resisting arrest (dismissed); disregarding a stop sign (district); operating on suspended /revoked operator’s license (district); failure of owner to maintain required insurance (district); failure to produce insurance card (district); no /expired Kentucky

- registration receipt (district)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Joshua A. Jewell, operating a motor vehicle under the influence .08; reckless driving; 1st degree fleeing or evading police; 1st degree wanton endangerment (3 counts)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. William Wilds, tampering with physical evidence; possession of drug paraphernalia; 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine); 3rd degree trafficking in a controlled substance (greater than 120 dosage units – 740 pills), Xanax; failure to notify address change to Department of Transportation (dismissed); possession of marijuana (dismissed)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. David Shepherd, possession of matter portraying sexual performance by minor under 12 years of age (12 counts); 1st degree possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine); possession of drug paraphernalia; distribution of matter portraying sexual performance by a minor; possession of matter portraying sexual performance by a minor (3 counts)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Meagan Brown, 1st degree criminal abuse; 2nd degree assault (6 counts)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Aaron Brown, 1st degree criminal abuse (6 counts)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Leona Burns, 1st degree criminal abuse (6 counts)
 - Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Thomas Johnson, 1st degree criminal abuse (6 counts)
- (Dec. 28, 2022)

Religion

Talking dog gives new meaning to 'lying' around

A fellow saw a sign posted on a lawn: "TALKING DOG FOR SALE."

He stopped in, and, sure enough, the dog offered a warm, "Hello."

After a bit of chitchat, the fellow asked the dog what he had done with his life.

"I've led a very full life," the dog replied. "In my younger days I served in the Army, sniffing out bombs in combat zones. After my military hitch, I moved to the Alps where I rescued avalanche victims. And nowadays I spend my free time hunting pheasants in the Dakotas."

The fellow was amazed. He turned to the owner and asked why he'd want to sell an incredible dog like that.

"Because he's a liar," the owner said. "He's never done any of those things."

That dog owner isn't the only one who doesn't like a liar. The Lord doesn't either. The Bible tells us in Proverbs 12:22, "Lying lips are an abomination to the Lord." And one of the Ten Commandments warns, "Thou shalt not bear false witness"

(Exodus 20:16).

I expect the most dangerous people on the planet are liars. They've started wars, destroyed lives, ended careers, and caused all manner of hardships for people all over the world.

In recent days, my daily Bible reading has had me in Genesis where I read about Potiphar's wife who falsely accused a godly young man named Joseph of attempting to rape her. He was thrown in prison as a result.

What struck me as I read that account is that Potiphar's wife ended up having to bow before Joseph.

You see, Pharaoh came to recognize that Joseph was a good and godly man. As a result, Pharaoh not only ordered Joseph's release from prison but also made him second in command of all of Egypt.

"And Pharaoh took off his ring from his hand, and put it upon Joseph's hand, and ar-



Roger Alford

rayed him in vestures of fine linen, and put a gold chain about his neck; and he made him to ride in the second chariot which he had; and they cried before him, Bow the knee: and he made him ruler over all the land of Egypt" (Genesis 41:42-43).

Potiphar's wife must have been frightened out of her wits when she realized the very man she had lied about, the very man she had thrown into prison, was now in charge.

Fortunately for her, Joseph wasn't the kind of man to carry a grudge. The Bible says nothing about Joseph taking retribution against her. I suspect that's because he didn't. I suspect he forgave her.

Preachers talk about Joseph's character and behavior being so much like Christ's. That included an incredible ability to forgive. Joseph forgave all those who wronged him. Jesus did, too. And He still does.

As for the lying dog, I'm not sure whatever became of him.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

Christian

- Glades Christian Church, Glades Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m., Pastor Rick Fulton. For details, call 986-1421.
- Wayside Christian Church, Meneaus Pike, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Ron Lutes. For details, call 985-9465.

Church of Christ

- Berea Church of Christ, 357 North Dogwood Drive, Berea. Sunday worship 11 a.m., Bro. Stephen Boyd. For details, call 986-4438.

First Church of God

- Fountain Park First Church of God, 5000 Secretarian Dr., Richmond. Pastor Ben Jordan, Sunday worship - 11 a.m. 623-3511.

Church of God

- Berea Church of God, 189 Rash Road, Berea, the Rev. Steve Hobbs. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. For details, call 986-4968.
- Conway Church of God, US 25 South, Conway, Sunday worship 11 a.m., the Rev. C.W. Williams.
- Paint Lick Church of God, Old Railroad Bed Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-3390.
- Harmon's Lick Church of God, Harmon's Lick Rd, Sunday service 11 a.m., Bro. Vernon Willard, 792-8639.

Catholic

- St. Clare Catholic Church, 622 Chestnut St., Sunday mass 9 a.m., Saturday mass 7 p.m., Spanish mass Sunday 4 p.m. Rev. Gary Simpson. For details, call 986-4633.

Disciples of Christ

- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), 206 Chestnut St., Sunday worship 10 a.m., Rev. Mark and Rev. Lisa Caldwell-Reiss. For details, call 986-4553.
- Kirksville Christian Church, KY 595 at KY 1295, Kirksville, the Rev. John Poulette, 484-769-9351. Sunday worship 11 a.m.
- Mt. Zion Christian Church, 830 Battlefield Memorial Highway, the Rev. Roger Hurt.

Episcopal

- Danforth Chapel, Berea College Draper Building, evening prayer 6 p.m. on first, third and fifth Thursdays.
- Episcopal Church of Our Saviour, 2323 Lexington Road, Richmond, the Rev. Carol Ruthven, Priest in Charge. Sunday Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Bible study 10 am. For details, call 623-1226 or www.oursaviourky.org.

Lutheran

- St. Thomas Lutheran Church, 1285 Barnes Mill Road, Richmond, Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., the Rev. Barry Neese, pastor. For details, call 623-7254.

Methodist

- Berea United Methodist Church, 101 Fee St., Sunday worship 8:30 & 11 a.m., Pastor Timo Karvonen. For details, call 986-3485.
- Paint Lick United Methodist Church, 10950 KY 52 West, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 925-4441.

Pentecostal

- Bearwallow Pentecostal Holiness Church, Bear Wallow Road, Dreyfus, Pastor Charles Whittamore.
- Berea Evangelistic Center, 180 Plaza Drive, Sunday worship 1 p.m., Pastor Jeff Osborne. For details, call 986-8491. bereaevangelistic.org
- Big Hill Pentecostal Holiness Church, US 421, Pastor, Rev. Steve Isaacs. Call 606-386-3237.
- Compass Worship Center, 292 Glades Rd., Ste 5, Pastor Adam Roberts. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. 859-358-3391.
- Holy Pentecostal Sanctuary, Crestview Drive, Bro. Harold Eads.
- Harmons Lick Holiness Church, Harmons Lick Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11:30 a.m., Pastor Mikie Leger. For details, call 859-893-4367.
- Pony Express Holiness Church, 1711 Big Hill Rd., Worship Mon. - Fri. at 7:30 p.m., Sunday worship 6 p.m., Pastor Artie Jacob Alexander. For details, call 859-893-3654.

Presbyterian

- Whites Memorial Presbyterian Church, 401 White Station Rd., Sun. worship 11 a.m. Pastor, Rev. Tim Noel. Call 986-7734 or go to whitesmemorial.weebly.com / .Religious

Society of Friends (Quakers)

- Berea Friends Meeting, 300 Harrison Road, Sunday worship 10 a.m. For details, call 334-0406.

Other

- Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 156 S. Keeneland Dr., Richmond. Sunday sacrament 10:50 a.m., Bishop Emery Martin. For details, call 624-2067.
- Crossroads Fellowship Church, 475 Paint Lick Rd., Sunday worship 11:03 a.m., Pastor Jonas Hill. For details, call 859-986-LIFE.
- First Faith Independent Church, 700 N Powell Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Darren Slone. For details, call 859-314-1465.
- Liberty Avenue Full Gospel Outreach, 113 Liberty Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Donald R. Wilson.
- Living Waters Sanctuary, Liberty Avenue, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Rev. Larry Day. For details, call 859-661-2119.
- New Hope Reformed Church, 704 Mayde Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. Pastor Russ Westbrook 606-975-3415. newhopereformed.net.
- River of Life Foursquare Church, 590 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Sunday worship 9 & 11 a.m., Pastor Tim Lawson. For details, call 985-7809.
- Rugged Cross Cowboy Church, Bluegrass Stockyards (348 K Street), Thursday at 7 p.m. Pastor Jeff Duncan, contact at (859) 608-5322.
- Union Church, 200 Prospect St., Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Kent Gilbert. 986-3725.
- Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 1081 Willis Branch Road, Richmond, Sunday service 10:45 a.m. Call 623-1584.

(Next Week: Churches A-B)

3 BEREA LOCATIONS

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Eddie Ray Lear, 63, May 12, 1958 • January 1, 2022
Dorothy G. Coffey Wierwille, 88, December 20, 1934 • January 1, 2022 educator
Helen Bernice Smith, 96, October 15, 1925 • January 2, 2022, Berea Hospital
C. Ray Vick, 63, December 19, 1958 • January 3, 2022
William Ray Hatton, 90, March 7, 1931 • January 4, 2022 Parker Seal
Brenda Gail Quarels Kidwell, 65, November 4, 1956 • January 4, 2022, Walmart
Paula Beth Blanton Taylor, 40, September 27, 1981 • January 5, 2022, Boilermaker
Robert Cleburn Dodd, 87, February 22, 1934 • January 5, 2022, Auto Mechanic
John Dale Thomure, 67, November 17, 1954 • January 6, 2022, U.S. Army
Tex Verlon Scenters, 66 September 22, 1955 • January 6, 2022, small business owner
Anna Belle Johnson, 90, October 28, 1931 • January 8, 2022
Loren Vern Hancock, 35, April 30, 1986 • January 11, 2022, carpenter
O. Wayne Berry, 88, February 27, 1933 • January 12, 2022, Ky Emergency and Disaster Services
Nancy Meadows, 78, July 29, 1943 • January 14, 2022
Elbert Wayne Lamb, 65, October 28, 1956 • January 15, 2022, Spectrum Cable
Jennie Belle Shain Kiteck, 94, October 2, 1927 • January 17, 2022, educator
Mark Alan Galley, 63, September 20, 1958 • January 18, 2022
Shery Lynn Lombardo • January 19, 2022 AAA
Theresa Lynn Reavis, 60 • January 20, 2022
Fred Lakes, 87, March 4, 1934 • January 21, 2022, Small business owner
Lou Lou "Brenda" McFerron, 69, May 16, 1952 • January 21, 2022
Walter Donald "PaDon" Hacker, 90, September 31, 1931 • January 22, 2022 brick layer
Sammie Franklin Grant, 84, September 30, 1937 • January 22, 2022, small business owner
Forniss R. Park, 97, January 27, 1934 • January 22, 2022, Southern States Co-op
Shirley Thurston Sergeant, 86, January 1, 1936 • January 23, 2022, educator
Daisy Jane Burnell Chasteen, 79, September 4, 1941 • January 23, 2022
Jayden Scott Penn, 16, November 11, 2006 • January 23, 2022, student
Robert W. "Bob Shaffer, 91, 1930 • January 25, 2022, ministry
Susan Denise Casteel, 54 , July 28, 1967 • January 25, 2022, law enforcement
Geneva Friend Powell Todd, 95 October 7, 1926 • January 25, 2022.
Billy E. Richardson, 43, May 17, 1978 • January 25, 2022, public works
Mable Brookshire Benge Coyle 95 September 17, 1926 January 26, 2022 BGAD
Michael Wayne Durham, 47, July 29, 1974 • January 26, 2022
James Leslie Rose, 78, November 10, 1943 • January 27, 2022, BGAD
Alan Richards Colwell, 73, December 5, 1948 • January 28, 2022, assistant forest ranger
Nancy Catherine McCollum Collins, 58, July 5, 1963 • January 28, 2022
Michael Houston Lowery, 66, December 29, 1956 • January 28, 2022
William "Bill" Royce Flannery, 63 • January 29, 2022, U.S. Army
James Alan York, 46, • January 31, 2022, MSP Industries

February

Anna Whittemore, 63, January 24, 1959 • February 2, 2022
Johnie Damron, 87, September 5, 1934 • February 1, 2022, heavy equipment mechanic
Louis C. Lamb, Sr., 72 • February 1, 2022, Thermo Pac
Donna Powell Mitchell, 78, August 14, 1943 • February 2, 2022, Fayette County Public Schools
Luther Center, 90, January 7, 1932 • February 5, 2022, educator
Charles Edward Short, 80, December 27, 1941 • February 5, 2022 Berea College
Jeffrey Rogers, 49, November 26, 1972 • February 8, 2022, police K-9 trainer
Myrtle French, 83, June 10, 1938 • February 9, 2022
Carl Douglas Johnson, 63, November 24, 1958 • February 11, 2022
Phyllis (Joyce) Dutton Eden, 99, June 25, 1922 • February 11, 2022, Parker Seal
Patsy Faye Pigg Decker, 71, July 25, 1950 • February 13, 2022, Homemaker
Gracie Rose Huff, 86, April 19, 1935 • February 13, 2022, Dresser
Alice Mountcastle Zollicoffer, 76, January 4, 1946 • February 15, 2022, Senior research associate
Robert "Striker" France, 59, September 13, 1962 • February 16, 2022 deputy jailer
Reverend Wayne D. Harding, 84, April 7, 1937 • February 16, 2022, Phillips Lighting
Robert Owen Lakes, 75, June 5, 1945 • February 18, 2022, self employed
Deborah Akers Swinney, 58, January 9, 1964 • February 19, 2022, teacher's assistant
Linda Hayes McCracken, 66, January 7, 1956 • February 19, 2022, Hitachi
Ilene Nolan VanWinkle, 91, June 29, 1930 • February 22, 2022, business owner
James "Jim" Mitchell, 85, July 7, 1936 • February 23, 2022
Gillis Gilliam, 83, September 4, 1938 • February 23, 2022, welder
Leroy Sloas, 80, June 25, 1941 • February 25, 2022, mechanic
Vivian Ruth Cummins, 92 January 8, 1930 • February 26, 2022, restauranteur
Lerman Edsel "Pooch" Lake, 80, June 8, 1941 • February 27, 2022, truck drivør
Fronie Collins, 87, November 24, 1934 • February 28, 2022

March

Marla Jean Broughton Himes, 54, February 25, 1969, March 2, 2022, Sodexo
Walter C. Bowlin, 78, August 30, 1943 • March 2, 2022, BGAD
Sandra Ann Byrd Marshall, 75, March 6, 1946 • March 2, 2022, educator
Christine Eden, 49, November 8, 1972 • March 5, 2022
Ben Welsey Bullens, 70, March 14, 1951 • March 7, 2022, Gibson Greetings
Donnie Coleman, 80, August 20, 1941 • March 9, 2022, paralegal
Rosada Gadd Peters, 92, September 16, 1929 • March 11, 2022
Donald R Adams, 70, March 8, 1952 • March 12, 2022, self employed
Mary Frances Embree Creech, 72, February 21, 1950 • March 12, 2022, homemaker
John Payne, 85, March 13, 2022, professional photographer
Ona Francis French, 79, July 8 1942 • March 16, 2022, home meal delivery cook
James G. Hisle, 61, December 19, 1960 • March 15, 2022, BGAD
Jean E (Combs) Whitaker, 77, May 17, 1944 • March 17, 2022
Crystal Rae Hazelwood, 44, August 18, 1977 • March 17, 2022
Jeffrey Dwayne Carter, 47, April 22, 1975, March 21, 2022
Connie Sue Owens, 74, October 23, 1947 • March 21, 2022, homemaker
Mary Jo Nicholson Smith, 77, March 31, 1944 • March 21, 2022
Jerry Lynn Greene, 79, August 5, 1941 • March 23, 2022, business owner
Jane Ballew Pennington, 92, March 25, 2022 • Berea Board of Education
Kenneth Chadwell (Chad) Tate, 55, November 11, 1966 • March 26, 2022, Shelter Insurance
Evelyn Joyce Ballard, 66, May 15, 1955 • March 27, 2022
Floyd Woodson, 84, June 17, 1937 • March 27, 2022, small engine repair
Janet Schumaker Swimm, 74 , July 12, 1946 • May 28, 2022, fork lift operator
Janet Lynn Powell Sowers, 62, February 25, 1960 • March 29, 2022, American Greetings
Oma Jean Lamb, 85, February 20, 1937 • March 29, 2022, small business owner
S. Geneva Parrett, 91, March 27, 1931 • March 30, 2022, Gibson Greetings
Virginia Ann Robinson, 81, August 23, 1940 • March 31, 2022, caretaker

April

Kit Cates, 95, January 1, 1927 • April 4, 2022, EKU

Maurice Luther Davidso, 80, October 6, 1941 • April 5, 2022, Berea College
Betty Jean Hisle Richardson, 81, November 17, 1940 • April 11, 2022, registered nurse
Judith Ann Jarvis Roper, 77, May 17, 1944 • April 15, 2022 , office supervisor
Juanita Gray, 67, February 25 1955 • April 17, 2022, parole officer
Lanny Darrel Kidwell, 71, March 2, 1951 • April 18, 2022, painter
Fern Wilson Botkin, 84, January 12, 1938 • April 19, 2022, Parker Seal
William Joseph, 70, April 20, 1952 • April 20, 2022, welder/pipe fitter
Esco Hisle II, 47, November 3, 1947 • April 20, 2022
Anne Elizabeth Smith Johnson, 90, November 18, 1931 • April 24, 2022, office manager
Nova Grace Koch • April 26, 2022
Betty Tevis Miller, 88, June 6, 1934 • April 27, 2022, outreach worker
Geneva Ruth Sandlin, 82, November 15, 1939 • April 30, 2022, Gibson Greetings
Evelyn Lake Sinclair, 98, March 7, 1924 • April 30, 2022, co-op extension agent
Richard Wayne Kimbel, 73, October 8, 1948 • April 30, 2022

May

Debra Banks, 65, October 10, 1956 • May 1, 2022, homemaker
Dr. Larry Stephen Kelley, 75, January 1, 1947 • May 2, 2022, EKU
James Lewis Yount, 66, March 27, 1933 • May 3, 2022, General Electric.
Jeffery Patterson, 53, May 2, 1969 • May 4, 2022
Michael James Shannon, 58, October 19, 1963 • May 5, 2022, medical assistant
William L. Saylor, 72, August 28, 1949 • May 6, 2022
Francis Bailey Mullins, 38, August 10, 1983 • May 8, 2022, homemaker
Sue Elizabeth Hunt, 77, September 20, 1944 • May 10, 2022, deputy clerk
Tiffany Taylor King, 42, November 15, 1979 • May 11, 2022
Mary Prows 63, May 11, 2022
Dale Robinson, 82, April 14, 1940 • May 14, 2022, CVS
Andy L. "Drew" Garrett, 76, December 4, 1945 • May 4, 2022, business owner
Lee Xavier Shouse, 106, September 29, 1915 • May 15, 2022
Marie Gay, 89, September 20, 1932 • May 16, 2022, small business owner
Mary Nella Centers Robinson, 97, September 30, 1939 • May 17, 2022, homemaker
Jackie Cope, 75, February 12, 1946 • May 18, 2022, mechanic
Michael William Grimes, 39, June 1, 1982 • May 21, 2022, self employed
Charles Winford Hammond, 69, December 6, 1952 • May 25, 2022, coal miner
Mildred Martin Newsome, 86, November 13, 1935 • May 25, 2022, advertising
Emma Lakes Himes, 75, September 25, 1947 • May 26, 2022, realtor
Gwendolyn Hatton McGuire, 77, July 17, 1944 • May 26, 2022, homemaker
Ninnie Ruth Hoskins, 86, May 18, 1936 • May 28, 2022, electrician
Jasper Wiley Tussey, 92, January 8 , 1930 • May 29, 2022, heavy equipment operator
Nina Chasteen, 73, January 17, 1949 • May 31, 2022, Berea Hospital

June

Patricia Lynn Hayes, 46, September 2, 1959 • June 4, 2022, small business owner
Dr. Phillip T. North, 72, January 27, 1950 • June 4, 2022, physician
Ray Harrison, 87, July 29, 1934 • June 10, 2022, entrepreneur
Kimberly Carol Bush, 39, December 6, 1982 • June 10, 2022, homemaker
Shirley Maxine Richards, 86, May 28, 1936 • June 10, 2022, Pepperidge Farms
Ruby Louise Napier Evans, 100, July 27, 1921 • June 11, 2022 small business owner
Larry Dale Bailey, 69, November 11, 1964 • June 11, 2022, farmer/auto mechanic
Leslie Dale Neal, 51, March 16, 1971 • June 11, 2022
James William "Jim" Hartman, Jr., 80, July 15, 1941 • June 12, 2022, business owner
Timothy Aaron Lainhart, 34, July 4, 1987 • June 14, 2022
Peggy Sue Baird Murray, 79, May 9, 1943 • June 15, 2022, educator
Jeanetta Walelean Watson Phillips, 68, August 2, 1958 • June 16, 2022
Scottie Dale Phillips, 41, May 3, 1981 • June 20, 2022, tow operator
Irvin Dean Mattingly, 63, January 15, 1959 • June 20, 2022, night watchman
Christopher Clemmons, 38, October 8, 1983 • June 2, 2022
Kay Cosby Jones, 69, June 26, 1953 • June 21, 2022, pharmacist
Anne Louise Griffin Carter, 94, June 7, 1928 • June 23, 2022, Berea College
Curtis Mikel Elliott, 66, August 23, 1955 • June 23, 2022, BGAD
Marsh Ewell Blanton, 83, December 15, 1938 • June 23, 2022, coal miner
Ray Mitchell Shelton, 64, November 4, 1957 • June 24, 2022, logger/saw mill operator
James Craig Still, 64, February 13, 1958 • June 25, 2022
Shannon Renee Abell, 45, March 9, 1977 • June 25, 2022
Jade Keith Hite, 81, June 26, 2022 • National Guard
Elmer Lee Willis, 62, February 10, 1960 • June 27, 2022, concrete construction
Michael Wayne Brock, 66, September 4, 1955 • June 28, 2022, truck driver

July

Mek "Mack" Calhoun, 52, November 26, 1969 • July 3, 2022, maintenance technician
Jean Elliott, 77, July 13, 1944 • July 4, 2022, registered nurse
Edward Glenmore Jones, 99, June 24, 1923 • July 8, 2022, journalist
James Allen Delaney, 49, November 2, 1972 • July 10, 2022
James Marshall Whittemore, 75, August 1, 1946 • July 11, 2022
Heath Evans, 52, March 23, 1979 • July 13, 2022
Mary Ella Moore Strange, 66, October 19, 1955 • July 15, 2022, medical records clerk
Ryder Isaiah James Durham, 1, May 18, 2021 • July 15, 2022
Howard Stevens, 66, December 12, 1955 • July 18, 2022, small business owner
Susan Lynn Skinner Clark, 58, August 6, 1963 • July 19, 2022, homemaker
Daniel Grant Evans, 77, May 12, 1945 • July 19, 2022, Parker Seal
Greg Lee Wylie, 65, April 15, 1957 • July 20, 2022, BGAD
Phillip Anthony Williams 72 February 7, 1950 July 21, 2022 IBM
Brian Keith Harris, 58, October 31, 1963 • July 22, 2022, small business owner
Robert Rucker, 82, August 30, 1939 • July 22, 2022, electrical engineer
Bobby Dean Fore, 61, April 18, 1961 • July 26, 2022
Paul Edward Johnson, 74, April 16, 1948 • July 28, 2022, Okonite
Billie Lee Anglin Damrell, 65, July 4, 1957 • July 31, 2022, homemaker

August

Nora Sylvadia Powell Gabbard, 77, September 4, 1944 • August 5, 2022, homemaker
Jerry Ronald Powell, 80, 1942 • August 5, 2022, truck driver
Jim E. Robinson, 80, July 6, 1942 • August 5, 2022, machinist
James Moore, 88, August 5, 2022, small business owner
Billy S. Pruitt, 75, July 10, 1946 • August 6, 2022, cattle buyer
Sanford Lee Huff, 76, October 16, 1945 • August 7, 2022, civil service
Margaret Hagan Duerson, 92, October 24, 1929 • August 8, 2022
Harold Thomas Speak, 80, March 17, 1942 • August 8, 2022 farmer
Norma Sue Harrison, 75, August 31, 1946 • August 9, 2022 VA Hospital
Dean Randall Hull, 65, November 26, 1956 • August 10, 2022 mechanic
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Regina Gail (Russell) Martin, 58, August 18, 1964 • October 23, 2022
Thomas Edward Moberly, Sr., 91, November 25, 1930 • October 24, 2022
Dough Himes, 60, January 26, 1962 • October 27, 2022
John Stamper, 56, January 6, 1966 • October 27, 2022
Gloria Jolene Calhoun, 84, May 1, 1938 • October 28, 2022
Cathy Lynn Neeley, 46, May 19, 1976 • October 29, 2022, computer specialist
Sallie L. Jones, 79, September 23, 1943 • October 30, 2022
Clydia Johnson Alcorn, 72, July 17, 1950 • October 31, 2022, Gibson Greetings

Shannisha Michelle Williams, 47, January 6, 1975 • November 1, 2022
James Willie Young, 78, July 18, 1944 • November 1, 2022, BGAD
Shelby Gene Brock, 81, November 3, 1940 • November 1, 2022, Alcan
Floyd Alson Isaacs, 58, October 11, 2022 • November 2, 2022, ministry
Virginia Ann Walter Schall, 89, July 14, 1933 • November 4, 2022, cook
William Hayse Dooley, 63, April 25, 1959 • November 5, 2022, Exide
Tony "Bonzy" Damrel, 58, October 21, 1964 • November 6, 2022, carpenter
Dale Allen Sturm, 59, February 15, 1963 • November 7, 2022, truck driver
Harlan H. White Jr., 81, October 3, 1941 • November 8, 2022, LFUG
James Edward Peters, 79, October 19, 1943 • November 8, 2022, mechanic
Jean H. MacInnis Smith, 84, December 6, 1937 • November 8, 2022, Dresser Industries
Joe Albert Harrison, Sr., 81, July 3, 1941 • November 9, 2022, carpenter
Barbara Jean Abner, 75, July 12, 1947 • November 9, 2022
Robert D. Hays Jr., 67, March 14, 1955 • November 10, 2022
Hugh Phillip Skidmore III, 58, March 16, 1964 • November 11, 2022, codes enforcement
Sara Elizabeth Catron, 50, November 4, 1972 • November 13, 2022
Ella Mae Alexander, 79, November 30, 1942 • November 24, 2022, EKU
Deborah B. Lovern, 66, November 4, 1956 • November 20, 2022
Lorene Bengé Smith, 93, February 18, 1929 • November 19, 2022
Anita Pauline Calico, 97, August 26, 1925 • November 19, 2022
Ralph "Kenton" Davis, 84, February 26, 1938 • November 20, 2022
John F. Abney, 67, May 15, 1955 • November 20, 2022

Sally Pearson Congleton, 88, October 29, 1934 • December 3, 2022, paralegal
Clinton Blake Reed, 35, March 16, 1987 • December 4, 2022
Jo Pescosolido, 84, October 2, 1938 • December 4, 2022, registered nurse
Mark A. Buttry, 76 June 25, 1946, December 7, 1922
John Halen Kemper, 27, December 5, 1995 • December 16, 2022, machine technician
Ruby Jean Hobbs, 64, June 4, 1958 • December 17, 2022, Sparkle Car Wash
Doug Alexander, 56, July 12, 1966 • December 17, 2022 , carpenter
Reva Jo Schumacher, 91, November 4, 1931 • December 17, 2022, counselor
Bernice (Vickers) Moore, 75, October 7, 1947 • December 18, 2022
Virgil Hurst, 81, March 29, 1941 • December 19, 2022, business owner
Mary Ellen Gilbreath Elkin, 86, March 25, 1926 • December 20, 2022, business owner
Ronnie Powell, 71, May 3, 1951 • December 20, 2022, carpenter
Jimmy Buffkin, Jr., 52, February 21, 1970 • December 21, 2022, carpenter
Martha Jane (Harper) Ferguson, 98, January 1, 1924, December 21, 2022, greeter
Jeffrey Scott Sparks, 51, November 26, 1971 • December 22, 2022
John Cassetta, 72, November 10, 1950, December 22, 2022
Thelma Jean Smith, 87, March 21, 1935, December 25, 2022
Velma Mae Pingleton, , 90, March 12, 1932, December 27, 2022, data entry specialist
Helen Clark Diaz, 82, June 20, 1940, December 29, 2022

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Out of the Blue

Wednesday, January 4, 2023

The Berea Citizen A12

Calipari wants Cats to be more deliberate

By Keith Taylor
Kentucky Today

LEXINGTON (KT) — Kentucky coach John Calipari wasn't happy with himself following a disappointing 89-75 loss to Missouri in its Southeastern Conference opener last Wednesday.

"I'm mad at myself because we needed to be playing more deliberate," he said after the Wildcats got back on track with an 86-63 win over Louisville Saturday. "Playing faster and quicker and doing that, that's all good, and you're scoring 60. We played deliberate, which is what my teams have done historically. Still play fast and shoot threes. We didn't shoot as many (against Louisville) but we scored a lot of points playing deliberate. We needed to be more deliberate."

Calipari and the Wildcats (10-4, 1-1 SEC) face a proverbial uphill climb after falling out of the Associated Press Top 25 for the first time this season on Monday after debuting at No. 4. The Wildcats defeated LSU Tuesday night and play at No. 7 Alabama Saturday.

The Wildcats lost two of six games in December, including the letdown at Missouri in the league opener on Dec. 28, but Louisville coach Kenny Payne, a former assistant under Calipari for 10 seasons, said Kentucky mimics the teams he helped coach while with the Wildcats.

"I don't care what the critics say — I've watched them play, I know the coach, I know who the coach is, and I know who the players are," Payne said. "They are one of the best teams in the country."

"It may not look pretty at times, but when you are playing a team like that, the number one thing that jumps off is the physicality and toughness of the game — the fight that you have to win a game — and the rebounding."



Kentucky guard Sahvir Wheeler drives to the land in Kentucky's 74-71 win over LSU Tuesday night. Wheeler finished with 11 points and nine assists. (Les Nicholson Photo)

'We're getting closer' UK overcomes adversity, survives close call in 74-71 win over LSU

By Keith Taylor
Kentucky Today

LEXINGTON (KT) — It wasn't perfect, but Kentucky survived a close call with a 74-71 triumph over LSU Tuesday night.

"We're getting closer," Kentucky coach John Calipari said. "We've got stuff to figure out, but you know what's great about it? It's all fixable — how we finish off (games), what we do, how we play with nine, eight seconds on the clock, who should have the ball at that point ... it's all fixable."

The Wildcats (10-4, 1-1 Southeastern Conference) handed the Tigers (12-2, 1-1) just their second behind another stellar performance by senior forward Jacob Toppin. Coming off a career-high 24 point outing in an 86-63 rout of rival Louisville Saturday, Toppin provided the late-game heroics for the Wildcats, scoring 17 of his 21 points in the second half.

Toppin drained a clutch 3-pointer from the left corner after the Tigers pulled to within 67-66 with less than two

minutes remaining. The senior forward repeated the dagger with 3.4 seconds remaining when he drilled a pair of free throws for the final margin.

"Jacob making a three, making free throws, (it was) a big deal," Calipari said. "Think about where he was three games ago, five games ago."

The clutch plays, Toppin said, comes from the belief in his teammates and his coaches. He also credited a changed mindset prior to the Christmas break.

"They believe I can make (those) shots," he said. "It's all a mentality (and having the right mindset) in every aspect."

Kentucky had a pair of scoreless stretches in the second half, including one that went for more than four minutes after the Wildcats had built a 10-point lead. However, a slam by Toppin provided Kentucky the spark it needed to overcome the gritty Tigers. Toppin scored 11 of the team's final 13 points.

"It was a heck of a basketball game," LSU coach Matt McMahon said. "Both teams were

probably better offensively than expected going (into the game). Give them credit for finding ways to win. They hit some tough shots late."

To go along with Toppin, four of Kentucky's five starters finished in double figures as Calipari went with a seven-man rotation. Oscar Tshiebwe had a double-double with 19 points and 16 rebounds, followed by Cason Wallace with 14 points. Sahvir Wheeler just missed a double-double of his own with 11 points and nine assists. Wheeler made three of the team's seven 3-pointers, including a key banked-in trey with four minutes remaining.

Despite Kentucky's struggles in close games, Calipari felt good about his team's chances prior to tipoff.

"I knew it wasn't going to be easy," he said. "But, we are getting away from the clutter and everything else, let's just play and coach our team. That is a really good team. ... we've got to be in the events to figure out what we've got to do."

They moved one step closer against the Tigers.

Craig Loftis

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Ucla 17

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Florida A&M • Won • 88-68

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Louisville • Won • 86-63

January

LSU 3

LSU • Won • 74-71

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County approves Sheriff's budget, pay raise for deputies

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

Discussions, debates, and approvals of the 2023 budgets for the Madison County Sheriff and County Clerk dominated the first meeting of the new calendar year for the fiscal court.

The court voted 4-1 to

approve the \$5,827,534.39 budget request for the sheriff's department after much discussion. New magistrate Billy Ray Hughes was the lone no vote.

Hughes said the sheriff's requested budget grew 40 percent over last year and the dramatic increase is something he could not sup-

port at this time.

Madison County Sheriff Mike Coyle said the budget was the largest in the 12 years he had been a member of the department. Coyle said the two largest items in the 2023 budget were increases in payroll and the purchase of new vehicles.

Coyle requested a \$5,000

pay increase for full-time deputies, \$4,000 for four members of the office staff, and \$1,500 for court security.

"This is a big pay raise but a needed pay raise when you look at the entire state," Coyle said. "Everywhere in the state is short on officers and we want to retain officers and keep the officers

that we train. We have to bring our money up to do that."

The raise would increase full-time officers pay from \$45,800 to \$50,800.

Coyle added Kentucky State Troopers recently received a \$15,000 per year

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John Sexton is pictured with donor Tim Belcher. (Lexington Fire Department)

Sexton receives transplant

By Keith Taylor
Citizen Publisher

John Sexton has received a long-awaited kidney transplant.

Sexton, a 7-year-old, who has been on a kidney transplant list for approximately two years, underwent surgery Tuesday, Jan. 3 at a Cincinnati hospital after a Lexington firefighter, Tim Belcher, donated a kidney on Sexton's behalf.

Sexton became ill two years ago after contacting E-Coli 0157, which formed into Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome, a rare disease that effects the kidneys and eventually requires a life-saving transplant. Sexton was on a donor registry list, and Belcher, a firefighter at the Lexington Fire Department, and was a match to John Sexton.

"It's truly an honor to be able to help out," Belcher told WLEX-TV on Thursday.

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The Spotlight Playhouse opened the new season with a comedy show, "You Can't Beat the House" last weekend. The comedy will be offered again Friday-Saturday, beginning at 8 p.m. each night. In top photo, Angel King and Todd King portray Glenda and Conrad, a couple who are prospective buyers of a home up for sale. Upon arrival, the couple encounter burglars Merle and Howe, who broke into the home prior to their arrival. Merle is portrayed by Darrell Harrison, bottom left, while Brad Powell plays Howie in the play. Friday is pay what you can night and Saturday's showing is Toy Camp Night. The performances are directed by Chad Hembree.

(The Citizen/Keith Taylor)

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Bill Howard

In his 90s, Howard stays busy, active

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

Making it to your 90s is something to be proud of and wearing that nonagenarian hat is something Berea resident Bill Howard does with pride.

Howard has lived a thousand lives in his 94 years. He is a retired

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Marine, a retired human resource manager at Westinghouse, and has served his com-

munity in various civic clubs through the years. He has even made time to travel the United States in a motor home.

He credits three simple things to living a successful, happy, and long life.. First, rely on God for everything. Second, always stay busy, and last but

not least, keep a decent attitude about your life.

"Life is pretty simple, I think those three things have gotten me this far and will take me as far as I am supposed to go," said Howard, turns 95 on July 16.

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pay raise. He added Richmond City officers' pay starts at \$56,000, while Berea City officers starting pay ranges between \$54,000 and \$55,000.

The sheriff's budget also requested the purchase of five new cruisers at a total price of \$331,562.30. That number includes the purchase price of the vehicles (\$45,620 each), as well as purchasing the necessary equipment and installation (\$20,692.46 per vehicle).

Coyle said the department currently operates a fleet of 52 vehicles, 16 of which have 50,000 or less miles.

The maintenance fee for the vehicles will remain at \$5,000 through the county garage while the requested amount for vehicle fuel is \$160,000.

"I would love to have this much money to give to the sheriff, but I don't think we can afford it," Hughes said. "Their budget has more than doubled over the past two years. It's a big pill to swallow. I wish we could afford it, but I just can't see it."

Madison County Judge-Executive Reagan Taylor said the decision on whether or not to approve the requested budget should be based on whether or not the court supports law enforcement in the county.

"Are we going to support law enforcement, financially support law enforcement, to have a law enforcement presence out in the unincorporated limits of our county," he asked court members.

Taylor said state police manpower is not what it used to be, and it continues to go down, while the sheriff's department has continuously increased its manpower. The state police no longer work a third shift in the county due to an agreement with the sheriff's department.

In Kentucky, the sheriff's office is responsible for tax collection, serving legal papers, and providing court security. Providing law enforcement is not something that is required of the sheriff's department.

Taylor said increasing the salaries of sheriff office personnel was a cause and effect of the state legislature passing a bill last session that gave state troopers the \$15,000 raise.

Gov. Andy Beshear signed the bill in April 2022 taking Kentucky's State Trooper pay from the 74th in the county to the top five. Starting trooper pay increased from \$40,000 to \$55,000. When the pay raise took effect, the state employed 856 full-time sworn troopers, which was about 150 short of what they needed.

"I'm not saying the state police did not deserve the raise," Taylor said. "In fact, I'm very thankful for our state police and everything that they do. But there is a consequence that

came down from that for local governments and we are talking about that consequence right now. The city of Richmond, the city of Berea, they are having to increase their pay to stay competitive. It's market driven."

Taylor said the state legislature approving the raise for state troopers when they were short on officers was a lot easier than county governments having to increase the pay of their sheriff departments to remain competitive. "Here we are having to increase our manpower and sheriff's department to make sure our citizens are safe because we are elected to make decisions to protect our community. These are some of the unfunded mandates that get passed down to us indirectly."

The struggle to adequately fund law enforcement in the county has been a struggle since day one for Taylor. "Since I have been here I have felt like I needed to support law enforcement because it was not getting done," he said, adding the sheriff's department budget request eight years ago totaled \$878,000. "Our sheriff's department has become the major law enforcement agency in our county."

Taylor said the state legislature should be doing more to support local law enforcement in terms of giving local governments more money to subsidize the cost of paying officers.

"Law enforcement, that's what we are paying for," Taylor said. "We, as a fiscal court, have to decide if we want to pay and support and pay financially to provide a law enforcement presence in our county to combat the drug epidemic to keep our community safe."

Hughes said he was concerned about the cost to other county services if the sheriff's office budget continues to increase over the years. "It comes down to what we can afford," he said. "There's been a tremendous increase in the past couple of years in funding requests. It will impact other services in the county in the future."

Magistrate Tom Botkin said he would support the budget request this year.

"I want to see our people get paid to keep them here," he said. "But this is the last budget for me where I will support a major increase in salary."

Magistrate Stephen Lochmueller echoed Botkin that he would support the budget request.

"Retention of officers is key to help us keep us moving forward. I ran on a platform to support law enforcement and that is what I am doing today."

Madison County Court Clerk Kenny Barger requested approval for a total budget of \$28,207,500. He laid out receipts and expenditures in the operational budget of \$2,128,047.

Barger explained to the new magistrates on the court that his budget was not a real budget. "Our revenues must meet our expenditures. In our office that is typically not what happens," he said. "Our office is a fee office and we operate off of our fees but like most clerk offices, we end up with excess fees at the end of the year."

The clerk's office pays the court 25 percent of all revenues at the end of each quarter.

"We try to be as customer focused and cost effective as we possibly can within our budget," Barger said.

Barger also addressed the court concerning the relocation of his office from the courthouse to 321 North Main St. The relocation is part of the \$10-million courthouse renovation project where the courthouse will transition into expanded space for the Circuit Courts. Following the renovations, the courthouse will become solely focused on the judicial branch and all administrative functions of county government will be housed in customer-focused locations.

The building is the former planning and zoning building and is already a county-owned property so no lease space is required for the relocation of the office.

The court approved a resolution to allocate funds to remodel the building to accommodate the clerk's office staff. The clerk's office will advertise for bids not to exceed \$30,000 with a total renovation cost of \$300,000.

Barger said the new office will be designed to move customers in and out quickly. "The customers will walk in and they will see everyone. It's all counter-space."

Leading up the move, signage will be placed in and around the courthouse to direct customers to the new location.

In other business:

- Judge Taylor proclaimed January to be school board recognition month.
- Appointed Scott Shepherd to a four-year term as Madison County Road Supervisor.
- Ratified the city of Berea's appointments to the Madison County Airport Board. George Wyatt and Charles Conley were appointed to four-year terms.

BRIEF

Man arrested on child sex charge

The Kentucky State Police (KSP) Electronic Crime Branch arrested Dusty D. Dunaway, 42, on a charge related to child sexual abuse material.

Dunaway was arrested as the result of an undercover Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) investigation. The KSP Electronic Crime Branch began the investigation after discovering the suspect uploading

images of child sexual exploitation online.

Equipment used to facilitate the crime was seized and taken to KSP's digital forensic laboratory for examination.

Dunaway is currently charged with one count of distribution of matter portraying a sexual performance by a minor over the age of 12, a class D felony. Dunaway was lodged in the Madison County Detention Center.

HOWARD

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Howard's story begins in 1928 Irvine, Ky., before his father moved the family to Richmond where he worked as a timekeeper on projects for the Works Progress Administration, which was created by President Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal Program. His mother passed away in 1938 at the age of 43 from leukemia. He moved to Nashville to attend high school.

After graduation from high school, he joined the Marine Corps and moved to Paris Island, S.C. for bootcamp and was later in the air corps. "That bootcamp was really rough. I still remember all about it," he said.

He made the rank of corporal at a time when very few promotions were given out. He was stationed in South Carolina, North Carolina, and Hawaii where he gave driving tests.

After serving three years in the Marines, he returned to Kentucky where he went to work for Westinghouse in 1949 and spent 26 years before taking an early retirement.

He married Alberta "Bert" Howard on June 14, 1991, and is the father of three children, daughters Rhonda, who lives in Berea, and Melony, in Jackson County, and son, John William Howard, who lives in California.

The retirement led to a desire to

his family."

The surgery was successful and John Sexton and Belcher are recovering in Cincinnati.

"The Lexington Fire Department is a family," the Lexington Fire Department said in a social media post. "We celebrate each other during our happiest moments and lean on each other during the most challenging times. (Firefighter) Belcher selflessly gave a part of himself to help John have a chance to live a normal life and be a kid again, and the selfless acts of service haven't

stopped there."

"Since the surgery took place out of town, members of the Cincinnati Fire Department, Station 19, have provided meals and checked in on both families throughout this week. The Lexington Fire Department is our family, but we are reminded that family extends beyond our own department by the thoughtfulness and care shown by the Cincinnati Fire Department. This is not the first time they have taken care of one of ours, and we are humbled and grateful for their support."

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"That's what we're here for — to help each other. So it's a huge honor, a godsend. ... "Firemen are firemen on duty or off. All I ever want to do is help."

Sexton's parents, Joe and Katie Sexton, were surprised by the anonymous donor.

"What is so very special is that the donor for John is one of own, (firefighter) Tim Belcher," Joe Sexton said in an e-mail to his department. "I am speechless, humbled, and forever thankful for the selfless act that Tim is willing to do for my son. I have no words to express my gratitude to Tim and



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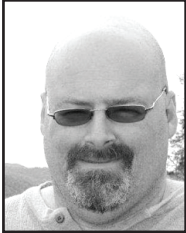
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Michael Darrell Davis



Michael Davis, 53, passed away peacefully on Dec. 29, 2022, with his wife, Angela Bailey by his side. Michael was raised in Corbin, Kentucky, where he attended St. Camillus High School and attended St John's Episcopal Church as an adult. Michael worked in Internet Security before becoming medically disabled.

Michael loved music, travel, adventures with his wife, movies, and spending time with those he loved, including his dogs, Bub & Squeak. Michael was a member of Mensa, a hunter, a weightlifter, a motorcycle enthusiast, and an avid collector of knives. He loved life and fought bravely until his last breath.

Michael is survived by his wife Angela Lee Bailey of Lexington, his stepchildren

Nancy Lee Anne Pickle of Louisville, and Gary Andrew Bailey Pickle (Amanda Lambert) of Berea, his step-grandchildren, Kaylee Rain Pickle, and Arthur James Pickle also of Berea, his parent's in law Wanda Lee Richardson Bailey of Lexington, and Pascal Dewayne Bailey, and his best friend Fred Adams of Atlanta, Georgia. Michael is also survived by many other family members including Aunts, Uncles, cousins, and step-siblings.

Michael was preceded in death by his Mother Shelia Anne Monhollen, his father, Willard D. Brown, his infant brother Scotty, and his beloved grandmother Doris Jean Monhollen.

A memorial celebration of Michael's life was held from 2-4 pm Saturday, Jan. 7, 2023, at Lakes Funeral Home in Berea Kentucky. Instead of flowers please consider a donation to the Children's Advocacy Center of the Bluegrass (www.kykids.org) or to the ARH Foundation (www.arh.org/donate). with a smile, not a tear.

Bert Eva Neeley Clark



Bert Eva Neeley Clark, 81, widow of Cecil Clark, passed away Friday, January 6, 2023, at Saint Joseph Berea. She was born July 6th, 1941, to the late Delbert and Ada Carrier Neeley in Rockcastle County. She was a farmer and homemaker, loved being outside in the woods and walking along the creek, she enjoyed her flowers but mostly she loved having her family home for Sunday dinner. Bert Eva was of the Baptist faith and a member of the Clear Creek Baptist Church.

Other than her husband and parents she was preceded in death by four sisters, Defreda Collins, Marie Anglin, Genieve Neeley, and Mary Neeley, six brothers, Armon, Vernon, Lloyd, Harold, Henry, and Cammie Neeley also preceded her in

death.

Bert Eva is survived by three sons, Leon Clark and his wife Linda, Phillip Clark, George Clark, and his wife Jennifer all of Rockcastle County. One brother, Willard Neeley of Rockcastle County, two grandchildren, Scott Johnson and his wife Lindsey, and Stacy Johnson. Three great grandchildren, Keeley Tiravanti, Lauren Johnson, and Grayson Johnson. And her Boxer that she spoiled Ginger Rose.

Visitation was Wednesday, January 11, 2023, from 6-9 p.m. at Davis and Powell Funeral Home with funeral services to follow on Thursday at 1 p.m. with Rev. Darren Slone officiating, you may watch service live at www.davisandpowell-funeralhome.com. Burial will follow in the Anglin Cemetery on Anglin Falls Road in Rockcastle County. Pallbearers will be Scott Johnson, Roy Lucas, Henry Clark, Dylan Hensley, Bruce Waddles, Greg Lovett and Tony Potter. Honorary pallbearers will be Brad Saylor, and Duane Edwards.

Teresa Elane Merritt



Teresa Elane Merritt, 69, of Peggy Flats Road, passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by her family on Wednesday, January 4, 2023.

Teresa was born and raised in Berea by the late Bill and Ann Cain Day. She was a member of the Grace Covenant Church of God. In her free time, she loved to be with her family and had a great love of horses.

She is survived by her loving husband, James Merritt; her children, Thalia (Mark)

Broadus, Larry Kevin (Samantha) Thacker, Kelsey Thacker, Carrie Ann (John) Thacker Justice, and Mary Thacker; her sister, Rebecca (Rob) Perman; her grandchildren, Katilyn (Gunner Clemons) Broadus, Ezekial James Gadd, Arayah Durham, Samantha (Kenny) Gadd; one great grandchild, Ava Harper Lee Justice; and a host of nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m., Monday, January 9, 2023 at Lakes Funeral Home. Pastor Johnny King officiated and burial followed in the Robinson Cemetery.

Pallbearers were John Justice, Gunner Clemons, Shane Towe, Tyler Hardin, Wayne Gray, and Roy Nolan.

Shawna Dee Skidmore



Shawna Dee Skidmore, 56, of Berea, passed away peacefully late in the evening on December 31, surrounded by her family at the St. Joseph Medical Center in Lexington.

Shawna was born in Tucumcari, NM on November 5, 1966 to her mother Nova Skidmore (Hugh) and father Howard Andrews (Marcy).

In addition to her parents and their spouses, she is survived by her maternal grandmother Phyllis Coulter of Tucumcari, New Mexico, brothers, Rhea Oglesby of Richmond, Kent Andrews (Julie) of Horse-shoe Bend, AZ, Chris Andrews (Angie) of Quanah, TX, step-brothers Mike Skidmore (Kif) of Lexington, John Skidmore (Sharron Neace) of Lexington, step-sons Dustin Skidmore (Sam Wagers) of Richmond and Jack Skidmore (fiancé Jake Reddell) of Louisville, an uncle, Raymond Coulter of Tucumcari, New Mexico, and an aunt, Mary Simpson

of Grand Junction, CO. She is also survived by three grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband Phillip Skidmore and her son David Nixon.

Shawna moved to Berea in 1981 when she was 15 years old and began working at her step-father's dental practice where she worked until his retirement in 2006. During her journey of life, she enjoyed being a mother the most and participating in David's numerous activities and sporting events, spending time with family and friends, being an avid UK basketball fan, listening to good music, going to great concerts, cooking for gatherings, going on good vacations, and taking in wonderful sunsets! Shawna's quick wit, sense of humor, and compassion for others will be missed by all who were fortunate to know her.

A visitation and celebration of her life will take place on Saturday, January 21, at Lakes Funeral Home starting at Noon, with a memorial service at 2 p.m., the same day. All are welcome. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice Care Center or to the American Cancer Society.

Ronnie Lee Dimmette



Ronnie Lee Dimmette, 72, passed away Monday January 2, 2023, at Baptist Health in Richmond.

He was born February 26, 1950, in Millers Creek, NC to the late John Edgar and Mable Lue Ella Curry Dimmette. Ronnie was a loving and kind soul. He enjoyed painting, gardening, and playing cards and board games with his grandchildren. Ronnie was of the Baptist faith.

In addition to his parents, Ronnie was preceded in death by one sister, Clair Mae Cape, nine brothers, Robert, Odell, Richard, John, Lloyd, Jerry,

Wayne, Joe Willis, and James Charlie Dimmette.

Ronnie is survived by his wife Beverly Lynn Worthington Dimmette, one daughter, Ashley Brock, one sister, Esteleen Price, one brother, Ben Porter, seven grandchildren, Megan Baker, Stoney Herring, Memphis Lee Herring, River James Herring, Jessica Lowery, John Lowery, Sidney Porter, five great grandchildren, Elizabeth Campbell, Nirvana Clines, Ruby Sizemore, Chevy Sizemore, and Dixie Sizemore.

Graveside services were at 1 p.m., Thursday January 5, 2023 at Johnetta Cemetery in Rockcastle County. Bro. Ray Smith officiated. Davis & Powell Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

Anna Marie Warner



Anna Marie Warner, 67, passed away peacefully at her home on Wednesday Jan. 4, 2023. Anna was born in Northern Kentucky to the late Robert and Betty Goldizen Jacobs, she had worked as a nurse's aide before becoming disabled many years ago.

Anna is survived by her son, Travis (Christina) Witt, her daughter, Shonna (Jeff) Hasty, and her grandchildren: Remington Witt, and Cooper Witt, and Summer Ann, and her very dear friends Kathy Dawson and Jason Dawson. Anna was preceded in death by her parents and her siblings: Joey Jacobs, Robert Jacobs, Peggy Jacobs, and Sandy Brown.

Funeral services were on Friday Jan. 6, 2023 at 8 p.m. at Lakes Funeral Home.

Joyce R. Stephens



Joyce R. Stephens, 75 of Mt. Vernon, passed away at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital following a long illness with Multiple Sclerosis. She was born in Berea to the late Greeley and Mattie Lake Pigg. She was a Financial Aid Counselor for Berea College and was a member of the Scaffold Cane Baptist Church.

Joyce is survived by her husband of 55 years, Donnie Stephens, her son Bennie (Sabrina) Stephens, her daughter Michele Stephens Foley, one sister Sharon Kaye (George) Williams, and three grandchildren Chelsea Stephens, Reagan, and Hannah Foley.

Services are private and burial will be in the family cemetery. Lakes Funeral Home & Cremation Services is caring

Billy Junior Damrell



Billy Junior Damrell, 74, of Berea, passed away Friday, January 6, 2023, at Baptist Health Hospital in Richmond.

Billy was born in Madison County, Kentucky to the late William Nelson and Nannie Ellen Templeton Damrell. He was a former restaurant manager and had a love of music.

In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by one grandson,

Stephen Matthew Damrell, and seven siblings, Lester, Edward, Shady, Vola, Lola, Mary, and Myrtle.

He is survived by his two sons, Paul Damrell and Mitchell Damrell; three grandchildren, Stephanie Rose, Kassie (Michael) Nicole Rumpke, and Kiara Hope Damrell; two great grandchildren, Taylor Damrell, and Anniston Leigh Rumpke; his niece and caretaker, Lois Tucker, and a host of nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

Funeral services were Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at 4 p.m. at Lakes Funeral Home. Pastor Darren Slone officiated.

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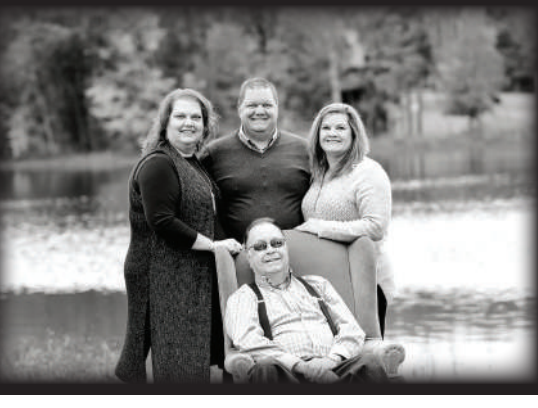
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Public notices all about transparency

The Kentucky State Legislature is at it again.

Several Representatives, led by Rep. Jennifer Decker (R) of Shelby County, have sponsored

House Bill 1 that would all but eliminate public records from appearing in newspapers and administered by a Government or third-party on a web site as opposed to publishing them in print media.

The bill's sponsors cite money as a reason for the proposed legislation, but monies spent on placing public newspapers are merely a drop in the bucket compared to what government agencies spend on other projects of their particular interest.

The Legislative Research Commission did a survey of public notices adopted in 2016, which revealed it costs less than one percent of the a public agencies total expenses.

"Of counties providing data through the questionnaire, the median county spent 0.23 percent of its general fund expenditures on state-mandated public notices, or \$23 of every \$10,000 spent in FY 2015. The amount for a typical county varied from \$12 to \$34 per \$10,000," the report revealed. "Of the other counties reporting their advertising expenditures to the department, the median county spent 0.34 percent of its general fund on advertising of all types in FY 2015, or \$34 of every \$10,000 spent. The amount for a typical county varied from \$18 to \$62 per \$10,000. Total advertising costs for 108 counties are reported in Table 3.1 along with the percentage of each county's general government expenditures that this represents. The other counties did not report

advertising costs."

Furthermore, cities, throughout the state much like Berea and Richmond, also revealed that, "Analysis of questionnaire responses suggested that in FY 2014, the median city used approximately 0.16 percent of its general government spending for state-mandated public notices, which is \$16 for every \$10,000 of general government spending. The typical city spent from \$6 to \$34 per \$10,000. State-mandated advertising costs for 119 Kentucky cities that responded to the questionnaire are reported in Table 3.2 along with the percentage of each city's general government expenditures that those costs represent."

The real issue in question is the lack of transparency this would create when putting public notices on a web site and in cyberspace. At any given time, those notices can "disappear" without public knowledge and the possibility for preference given business when it comes to bids and contracts are more prone to occur under the proposed legislation.

The Kentucky Press Association already publishes public notices online at no additional cost from its member newspapers at <http://www.kypublicnotice.com/>

While state representatives preach transparency and the importance of the public's right to know changes in ordinances made by local governing bodies that effect you. For example, on Jan. 1, fans had to pay taxes on parking fees at Rupp Arena, meaning an extra 10 to 15 thousand dollars were generated by the extra \$1.20 attached to the \$20 parking rate at Rupp Arena.

The public deserves the right to know. They are the taxpaying citizens and the state legislature shouldn't be trying to eliminate pertinent information one place, while adding taxes and fees here and there to add more money to the coffers.



Keith Taylor

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Remembering MLK Jr.

Martin Luther King, Jr. was a prolific figure in American history. King is readily known as an activist and extremely visible spokesperson for the civil rights movement in the 1950s and 1960s. King was a writer, minister and humanitarian who made a great impact in his tragically short life. While people know much about King, these few facts may come as a surprise.

- King's first name was originally Michael. It was changed to Martin after his father traveled to Germany and became inspired by the Protestant Reformation leader Martin Luther. King Sr. changed his own name

after this trip as well.

- King did not originally plan on becoming a minister. However, Benjamin E. Mays, the president of Morehouse College, which King attended, convinced him otherwise.

- At the time he earned the honor, King was the youngest person to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, which he earned in 1964. Malala Yousafzai became the youngest Nobel laureate ever in 2014.

- There are more than 730 streets named after Martin Luther King, Jr. in the United States.

- King's "I Have a Dream" speech was not his first at the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C. The great orator first

appeared there in 1957 to speak about voting rights.

- It is believed that King's last speech foretold his death. In front of an audience at Mason Temple Church the night before he was assassinated, King said, "Like anybody, I would like to live a long life. Longevity has its place. But I'm not concerned about that now. And I've seen the promised land. I may not get there with you. But I want you to know tonight, that we, as a people, will get to the promised land. So I'm happy tonight. I'm not worried about anything. I'm not fearing any man. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Workman: It took a village to save my life

It takes a village.

The 2022 January snowstorm was, for one major reason, a part of my life that I will never forget.

I left work in Richmond around 11:30 am, reaching Berea about an hour later due to bad roads. Even though the street I live on was the same as the interstate I made the attempt to go up the hill and get home it didn't work.

After sliding the car back down the hill, I parked besides those who had tried before. Being a stubborn man who did not like to ask for help, I decided to walk up the hill.

I will repeat the word stubborn here as having congestive heart failure and a defibrillator, the

thought of walking should not have even entered my mind.

By the time I reached the top of the hill, I had been in severe chest pain with very labored breathing. Very soon a neighbor came out of his home asking if he could help and a fellow BCHS student and wife came up the hill in their 4-wheel drive. Upon reaching home, my friends asked if they could take me to hospital – that's the last I remember.

My heart went into A-Fib and I passed out, at that time the defibrillator went off two times and another two once I came too (yes, what you have read is correct - it hurts like being kicked by a mule).

911 was called and an ambulance was dispatched, but remember the hill, the ambulance could not make it, either. Here are where even

more villagers came into play. My oldest son's best friend is a volunteer fireman and was at the squad house when the call came in; knowing the address he and another fireman jumped in their 4-wheel drive truck and got here first. Once they realized the ambulance was stuck on the hill, they acted and pulled the ambulance with their 4-wheel drive truck up the hill.

I then spent the night in ICU and followed up with a heart specialist.

There are no words to say thank you enough to those who were in my life that day. If they weren't I would not have been writing this letter.

It takes a village – I am so proud Berea is my village.

Peace to all,
Mark Workman

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MADISON COUNTY DETENTION CENTER

Dec. 29

- James Gregory McKinney, 46, Richmond: criminal trespassing – 3rd degree
- Melissa Williams, 52, Richmond: prescription controlled substance not properly contained – 1st offense; public intoxication – controlled substance (excludes alcohol)
- Frankie Allen Cope, 36, Stamping Ground: probation violation (for felony offense); failure to appear; theft by unlawful taking or disposition, all others, \$1,000 but less than \$10,000
- William Dwayne Wilson, 46, Berea: failure to appear
- Carl Kevin Wilson, 59, Richmond: charges not posted
- Shirley M. Bartley, Berea: failure to appear
- Linda Faye Perrin, 57, Richmond: criminal possession of forged instrument, 2nd degree; theft by deception – include cold checks, \$500 but less than \$1,000
- Kristopher Leaudrew Cottrell, 42, Richmond: failure to appear (2 counts); theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting
- Jeremy Woods, 41, Richmond: driving on DUI suspended license – 1st offense; disregarding traffic control device – traffic light
- Christopher S. Campbell, 49, Richmond: failure to appear

Dec. 30

- Kayla Renee Agee, 36, Richmond: failure to appear
- Angela N. Agee, 33, not given: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order; failure to appear
- Michael Craig Broughton, 40, Crab Orchard: failure to appear
- Douglas Bruce, 36, Charleston, Indiana: speeding 18 mph over limit; reckless driving; failure to wear seat belts; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 – 1st
- Derek Edward Carter, 31, Waco: failure to appear
- Stacy Marie Green, 46 Richmond: non-payment of court costs, fees or fines
- Tyler S. Hacker, 25, Berea: failure to illuminate head lamps; driving on DUI suspended license – 1st offense
- Debby Lynn Harris, 60, Berea: one headlight; possession of an open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 – 1st
- Adam Holt, 38 Berea: failure to appear (2 counts)
- Amber Elaine Mattox, 42, Richmond: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order
- Robert W. Mattox, 40, Richmond: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order

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- Michael Gerard Murphy, 33, Richmond: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting
- Steven Arthur Napier, 39, Berea: criminal trespassing – 3rd degree; disorderly conduct, 2nd degree
- Carla F. Ogle, 39, Richmond: failure to appear
- Jimmy Lee Ratliff, 33 Richmond: flagrant non-support (2 counts)
- Joseph Allen Reed, 34, not given: failure to appear
- Jalen Chase Taulbee, 21, Berea: failure to wear seat belts; operating on suspended or revoked operator’s license
- Sheri Danielle Winburn, 31, Richmond: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (heroin)

Dec. 31

- Anthony Britton, 32, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offense)
- Luke Magnofna, 25, Richmond: wanton endangerment – 1st degree
- Scottie Lynn McGuire, 48, Richmond: speeding 26 mph or greater over limit; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08-1st (aggravated circumstances); trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st degree, 2nd or greater offense (less than 2 grams methamphetamine); trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st offense (heroin); possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (opiates); reckless driving; possession of a controlled substance, 2nd degree (barbiturate); possession of marijuana; operating on suspended or revoked operator’s license; wanton endangerment – 1st degree – police officer; fleeing or evading police, 1st degree (motor vehicle); failure to produce insurance card; no registration receipt; failure to wear seat belts; serving parole violation warrant
- Michael Wayne McKinney, 40, Richmond: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/substance -1st; driving on DUI suspended license – 1st offense; resisting arrest
- Harley Tipton, 33, Richmond: serving parole violation warrant; following another vehicle too closely; theft of identity of another without consent; operating on suspended or revoked operator’s license; trafficking in a controlled substance – 1st offense (heroin); possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine); possession of a controlled substance, 3rd degree – drug unspecified; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (opiates); prescription controlled substance

not properly contained, 1st offense

- Robert Williams, 36, Richmond: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol – 4th or greater offense; resisting arrest; careless driving

Jan. 1

- Thomas Christopher Begley, 49, Richmond: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 -1st
- Lynn L. Bowman, 69, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offense); disorderly conduct, 2nd degree
- Latoyia Nicole Childers, 29, Richmond: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting; criminal trespassing – 3rd degree
- Brad Edwards, 38, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury; strangulation, 1st degree
- Edward Douglas Hamilton, 53, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury
- Lloyd Douglas Hamilton, 53, Richmond: theft of mail matter
- Jacob Lee Henry, 27, Irvine: failure to appear (2 counts)
- Terry L. Herald, 50, Richmond: harassment – physical contact – no injury; criminal mischief – 1st degree; giving officer false identifying information; resisting arrest
- Timothy William Hoffman, 42, Richmond: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine)’ drug paraphernalia – buy/possess
- Austin Krug, 25, Mt. Vernon: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order
- Lacinda Oliver, 41, LaFayette, Tennessee: non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines
- William Richard Owen, 42, Richmond: criminal trespassing – 3rd degree
- Shauna Michelle Steger, 36, Richmond: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine); drug paraphernalia – buy/possess

Jan. 2

- Carson W. Abner, 21, Berea: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses)
- Christopher Carr, 28, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) no visible injury; (2 counts); terroristic threatening, 3rd degree; wanton endangerment – 2nd degree; fleeing or evading police, 1st degree (on foot); criminal mischief, 3rd degree

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- Curtis Rodriguez Jones, 37, Lexington: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses)
- Steven Kelly, 71, Richmond: improper use of blue lights
- Gary Lee McNally, 57, Mt. Vernon: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order
- Kristy Napier, 41, Irvine: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs/etc. .08 – 3rd
- Dustin Dean Reynolds, 29, Ravenna: failure to appear
- Elizabeth Sizemore, 59, Irvine: non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines
- Brent Watson, 28, Louisville: failure to appear; contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order

Jan. 3

- Angela N. Brown, 29, Lancaster: trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st dwegree, 1st offense (greater than or equal to 2 grams methamphetamine); possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1s offense (cocaine); drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting; trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (greater than or equal to 2 grams methamphetamine)
- Harley D. Jones, 28, Lancaster: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting; drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance/security – 1st; operating on suspended or revoked operator’s license
- Leann A. White, 43, Richmond: non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines
- Jerry Edington, 45, Richmond: probation violation (for technical violation)
- Shannon Matthew Mullikin, 42, Berea: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (heroin); drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (heroin); tampering with physical evidence
- Roy Keith Cope, 37, Berea: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (heroin); failure to or improper signal; operating on suspended or revoked operator’s license; failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance/security – 1st; failure to produce insurance card; failure to appear (2 counts)
- Samuel Adkins, 49, Richmond: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order; drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; trafficking

in a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (greater than or equal to 2 grams methamphetamine); trafficking in a controlled substance, 3rd degree, 1st offense (less than or equal to dosage units’ drug unspecified); possession of a handgun by a convicted felon; persistent felony offender I

- Justino Beciez, 50, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses)
- Alexis G. Perez, 19, Crab Orchard: driving on DUI suspended license – 1st offense; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 -1st

Jan. 4

- Tommy Crain, 34, Richmond: non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines (2 counts)
- Daniel J. Hunsucker, 36, Richmond: failure to appear; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of a substance – 1st; careless driving; failure to produce insurance card
- Nathan Curtis, 48, Richmond: criminal trespassing – 3rd degree; disorderly conduct, 2hd degree; resisting arrest
- Christina Bates, 52, Lexington: theft by deception – include cold checks, \$1,000 but less than \$10,000
- Brandon Lee Johnson, 28, Richmond: hold for court
- Matthew Thomas King, 37, Richmond: hold for court
- Tara N. Coffey, 31, Richmond: failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor (2 counts); failure to appear
- Leslie R. Maggard, 50, Richmond: probation violation, for felony offense (2 counts)
- Larry Allen Davenport, 51. Berea: failure to wear seat belts; no registration receipt; failure to produce insurance card; license to be in possession; drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 -1at
- Nicholia Smith, 52, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury; probation violation (for felony offense)
- Travis Mullins, 48, Berea: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 -2nd
- Robert Steven Jones, 55, Richmond: operating a motor vehicle under the influence of a controlled substance – 1st; drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; possession of open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle

MARRIAGES

Dec. 29

- Kaitland Gail Banks, shelter director, 27, of Richmond to Adam Jeffrey Stewart, mental health tech, 32, of Stamping Ground
- Merranda Carol Rhodus, mechanic, 27, of Sadieville to Kevin Dean Neal, mechanic, 41, of Richmond
- Charles Daniel Crabtree, contractor, 25, of Mt. Vernon to Kristiana Nakaj, student, 22, of Berea

Jan. 3

- Kleidismar Argelis Paradas Vasquez, unemployed, 18, of Richmond to Luis Jaramillo Ochoa, unemployed, 21, of Richmond
- Isaac Nathan Dizenzo, military, 21, of Kapolei, Hawaii to Hannah Noelle Kirwan, pediatric dentistry, 21, of Tualatin, Oregon

Jan. 4

- Bridget Celeste McKinney, HR Appharvest, 24, of Berea to Mason Daulton Durham,

BGAD, 23, of Somerset

- Timmie Medina Reedy, self-employed, 59, of Big Hill to Tammy Lynn Clemons, self-employed, 49, of Big Hill
- Briana Rae Stone, stay at home mom, 26, of Richmond to Justin William Ricky Kirk, construction, 27, of Richmond
- Breanna Mae Carpenter, pharmacy tech, 26, of Berea to James – Michael Herbert Lear, plant operator, 29, of Berea

COURT RECORDS

District Court Dec. 30

- Keisha Marie Dickerson vs. Adam Holt

Jan. 1

- Chasity Mae Reffitt vs. Jason Christian

Jan. 2

- Angel M. Heaven vs. Christopher Lamar Carr

Jan. 3

- Brianna F. Lear vs.

Jeramie L. Neeley

- Krystal Ann Huff vs. Brad Alton Huff
- Glen David Walters, III vs. Taylor N. Means

Circuit Court Dec. 29

- Michael Paul Quillen vs. Rebecca Jane Bonnett
- Joshua Clay Duncil

vs. Ashley Marie Stivers

Jan. 3

- CHFS Tamera G. Sparks vs. Tamera A. Green
- Kelly Lynn Dixon vs. James Daniel Ricard, Jr.
- Miyiki Dowell vs. Jeremy Kent Dowell

Jan. 4

- Constance L. Begley vs. Kevin G. Begley



PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Dec. 29

- Doll Properties, LLC to WW Investments, LLC, lots 59 A-C Ashpark Phase IV-A, \$570,000
- Jin Qi Ou and Fen Ling Chen to Thomas Eddie Turner, Jr., lot 30 Oakes Subdivision, \$295,000
- Via Vitae Development, LLC to JCM2, LLC, 766 Copely Point Drive; 685 Shaker Drive and 693 Shaker Drive, \$1.00
- Ella Cruse, through

her Attorney-In-Fact, Jeffrey Cruse to Jeffrey Cruse, Trustee of the Ella Cruse Irrevocable Trust, dated December 19, 2022, lot 4-C p7/216, for and in consideration of premises and to conform to the intentions of the parties

- Ann Kimberly Barlow to David Henry Cox, Trustee of the Ann Kimberly. Barlow Irrevocable Trust dated, December 8, 2023, tracts Madison County, \$1.00
- Evelyn Hilton to

Joyce Sulfridge, tracts Madison County, \$for and in consideration of the love and affection the first party has for the second party, that relationship being parent and child

- Spyglass Construction Company, LLC to Amy Rena Lewis, lot 38 Prairie View @ Twin Lakes, Subdivision, \$279,900
- Rock Solid Storage, LLC to ARC Truck and Trailer Repair, LLC, lot 2

plat 28/66, \$61,556.34

- Mark J. Deiter and Christine Deiter to James M. Cornett and Ashely Cornett, lot 86 Derby Chase Subdivision, \$284,000
- Multiplicity Properties, LLC to Stacy Edwards and Tonya Edwards, 112 Rainbow Court, \$150,000
- AppHarvest Berea, Farm, LLC to Mastronardi Berea, LLC, tract plat 29/158, \$127,036,032
- Robertson Family,

LLC to Stargazer Homes, LLC, lots Richmond Investment Company, \$620,000

- New Idea Construction Homes, LLC to Fortune Team Investments, LLC, 826 Ridgewood Drive; 1202 Woodchuck Drive; 802, 804 and 806 Ridgewood Drive; and 1305 Mulberry Trace, \$250,000
- Debra L. Eisen, individually and as executor of the will and of the estate of Wanda L.

Katzman to Vincent Ross Reynolds, lot 10 Mayfield Subdivision (Bond Street), \$53,000

^a Paula Miller, in her capacity of Co-Executor and G. Alan Long, in his capacity as administrator with the Will Annexed, both for and on behalf of the Estate of Gilbert Miller to Cox Properties, LLC, tract plat 26/132, \$350,000

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Berea Board of Adjustment will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 25, 2023 at 6:00 PM in the Council Chambers at the Berea City Annex located at 304 Chestnut Street to consider the following requests:

JMH RENTALS LLC, OWNER / JOEY BRENDL, APPLICANT – 61 MARY STREET – REQUESTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR A SHORT TERM RENTAL IN AN R-3 (Multi-family Residential) ZONE.

AND

JMH RENTALS LLC – 131 WASHINGTON AVENUE – REQUESTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR SHORT TERM RENTAL IN AN R-2 (Two-family Residential) ZONE.

AND

EDD EASTON HOGG – 122 CHRISTMAS RIDGE ROAD – REQUESTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR SHORT TERM RENTAL IN AN R-1 (Single family Residential) ZONE.

AND

REBEKAH EASTON HOGG – 207 MT. VERNON ROAD – REQUESTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR SHORT TERM RENTAL IN A B-1 (Minor Business District) ZONE.

The public is invited to attend and make comments.

Amanda Haney
Codes Administrator

Robin Adams
City Clerk

BEREA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT – BERE, KENTUCKY MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (MD&A) YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

The following table presents a summary of changes in net position for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021, Governmental Wide Basis.

	Net Change in Position					
	Governmental		Business-type		Total	
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021
Revenues:						
Local revenue sources	3,665,833	\$3,306,334	5,624	306,365	\$3,571,457	\$3,612,699
State revenue sources	6,842,514	7,201,760	40,885	46,225	6,883,399	7,247,985
Federal revenue sources	3,546,545	2,516,084	769,485	72,785	4,316,040	2,588,869
Investments	37,054	37,753	3,667	4,757	40,721	42,510
Total Revenue	13,991,946	13,061,931	819,671	430,132	14,811,617	13,492,063
Expenses:						
Instruction	8,523,665	8,200,576	-	-	8,523,665	8,200,576
Student support services	352,475	356,784	-	-	352,475	356,784
Instructional support	366,913	399,383	-	-	366,913	399,383
District administration	558,427	531,734	-	-	558,427	531,734
School administration	576,610	553,374	-	-	576,610	553,374
Business support	402,717	438,389	-	-	402,717	438,389
Plant operations	1,176,282	971,560	-	-	1,176,282	971,560
Student transportation	376,189	158,803	-	-	376,189	158,803
Community service	26,685	90,749	-	-	26,685	90,749
Interest on long-term debt	74,338	311,699	-	-	74,338	311,699
Food service	299,138	43,256	616,706	660,878	915,844	704,134
Total Expenses	12,733,439	12,056,307	616,706	660,878	13,350,145	12,717,185
Transfers	-	14,600	-	(14,600)	-	-
Change in net position	1,258,507	1,020,224	202,965	(245,346)	1,461,472	774,878
Beginning net position	(506,469)	(1,678,216)	(73,420)	162,288	(579,909)	(1,513,928)
Change in accounting principle	(719)	149,503	-	9,638	(719)	159,141
Beginning net position restated	(507,208)	(1,528,713)	(73,420)	171,926	(580,628)	(1,354,787)
Ending net position	\$751,299	(\$506,489)	\$129,545	(\$73,420)	\$880,844	(\$579,909)

Governmental Activities

Instruction comprises 67% of governmental program expenses. Plant Operations expense makes up 9% of government expenses. District and School Administration total 9% of governmental expenses. The remaining expenses for support services, community service activities, transportation and interest account for the final 15% of total governmental expense.

Business-Type Activities

The business-type activities include the food service operations. This program had total revenues of \$819,671 and expenses of \$616,706 for the fiscal year. Of the revenues, \$13,816 was charges for services, and \$810,380 was from State and Federal grants. Business activities receive no support from tax revenues. The School District will continue to monitor the charges and costs of this activity.



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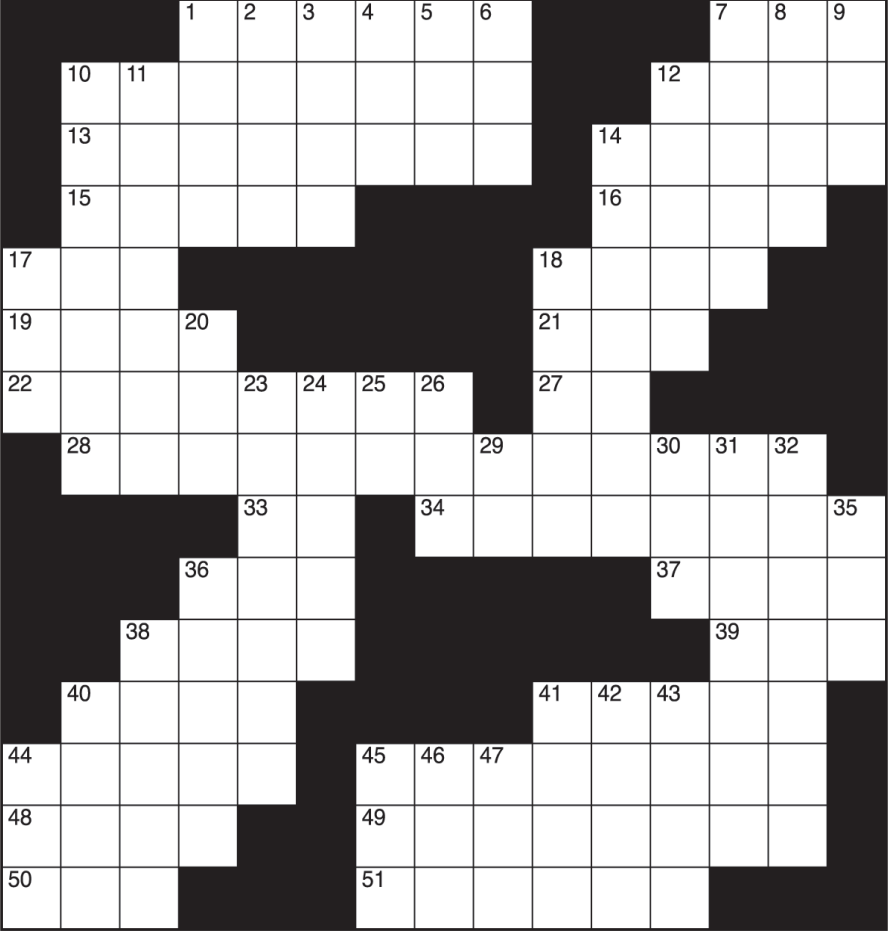
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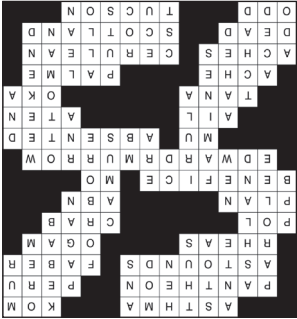


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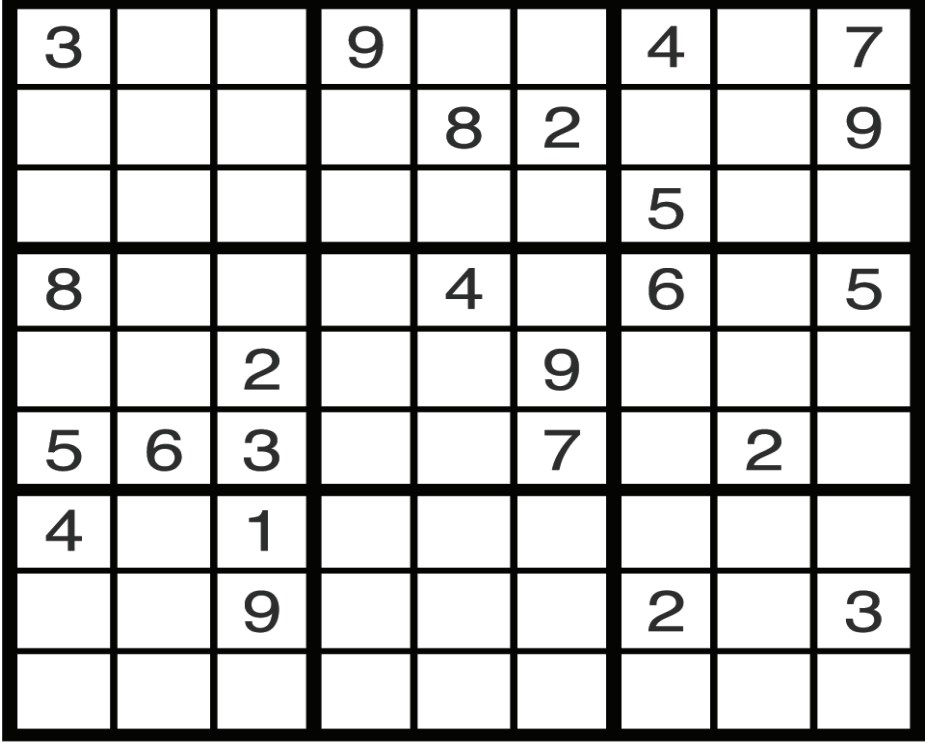
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7. Bulgarian mountain peak
10. Group of important people
12. South American nation
13. Amazes
14. ___-Castell, makers of pens
15. Perlman and Seehorn are two
16. Early medieval alphabet
17. Legislator (slang)
18. Tasty crustacean
19. Course of action
21. Airborne (abbr.)
22. Permanent church appointment
27. Larry and Curly’s pal
28. Famed American journalist
33. 12th letter of Greek alphabet
34. In a way, vanished
36. Afflict in mind or body
37. Egyptian Sun god
38. Source of the Blue Nile
39. Egyptian unit of weight
41. Esteemed award ___ d’Or

44. Partner to pains
45. Deep blue
48. No longer living
49. Country in the UK
50. Not even
51. Arizona city
- CLUES DOWN**
1. Wager
2. Classical portico
3. As a result
4. Bird
5. A type of “Squad”
6. Autonomic nervous system
7. Dish with food on a stick
8. City northwest of Provo
9. C. European river
10. One out of jail
11. Henry Clay estate
12. Heathen
14. Refrained
17. Parts per billion (abbr.)
18. “The Stranger” author
20. Not old
23. Periods of starvation
24. Language of tribe in India
25. Savings account
26. Pitching stat

29. Megabyte
30. Ribonucleic acid
31. A place to put your feet
32. The fun part of a week
35. We all have our own
36. Partner to “oohed”
38. African nation
40. Breezed through
41. Sets out
42. Other
43. Not fattening
44. “Much ___ about nothing”
45. Central Time
46. Former EU monetary unit
47. Charles S. Dutton sitcom



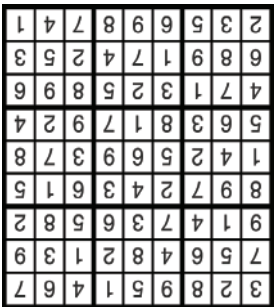
Sudoku



Level: Intermediate

Here’s How It Works

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9X9 grid, broken down into nine 3X3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!



CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to Chinese New Year. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 17 = A)

- A. 7 14 24 17 13**
Clue: Relating to the moon
- B. 3 19 13 19 23 6 19 5 26**
Clue: Prediction based on stars or symbols
- C. 6 3 11 24 17**
Clue: Asian country
- D. 10 26 23 22 11 12 17 7**
Clue: Large celebration

Answers: A. lunar B. horoscope C. China D. festival

LUNAR NEW YEAR WORD SEARCH

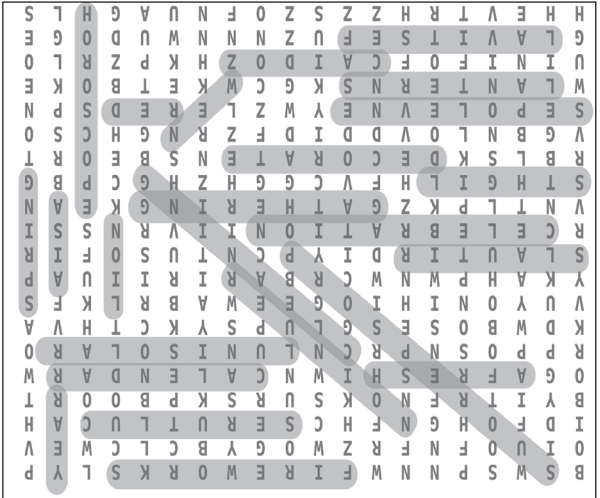


Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

LUNAR NEW YEAR

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FIREWORKS
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HOROSCOPE
LANTERNS
LIGHTS
LION
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NEW
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RED
REUNION
RITUALS
SPRING
YEAR



Reflections

January 16, 1924 Fire does \$150,000 damage

The most disastrous fire in the history of Berea and Madison County occurred when two separate conflagrations, which started within three hours of each other, destroyed property in both the East and West Ends of the city. The first fire happened in the home occupied by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wertenberger and their two children, and by Dr. Pearl B. Hoeve and her children. A strong northwest wind was blowing, and the thermometer stood close to the zero mark. Mr. Wertenberger was the first to notice the flames as he saw smoke pour through the crevices in the walls and heard the roaring flames beneath. The fire started in the cellar in the area of the furnace and made its way up the inside walls until it reached the ceilings. Fire Chief Pruitt Smith, with his boys, arrived at the scene within a few minutes after the whistle blew and with heroic effort, fought the flames from every angle. However, the fire had gained such a headway which could not be reached with water, causing efforts to save the building to be abandoned. Dr. Hoeve and the Wertenbergers were able to save the majority of things from the first and second floors. However, everything in the basement and attic were lost. It was probable the reason the fire could not be extinguished was the fact that old shingles beneath the tin roof caught fire and could not be reached by the water hose. Several men who were on duty, had to abandon their work because their ears and hands were frozen. Pruitt Smith froze the tips of his fingers and received burns on his neck. Marvin Johnson of the Foundation School was so badly frozen he had to be taken to the hospital Sunday afternoon. The fames had barely subsided when sirens sounded again for a fire at the Berea Department Store. In a very brief time, the sky was lit up with a read glare and clouds of black and white smoke. By this time, the north-west wind had grown stronger. Within six minutes, the building was one mass of flames and completely beyond control.

January 15, 1948 Epidemic caused by virus

Approximate estimates given by local physicians and the Berea College Hospital placed the number of persons who had been affected by the “epidemic” of a disease presumably caused by a viral infection at around 100 in the Berea area. The illness which was characterized by fever, vomiting and diarrhea, has affected

both infants and adults. According to an interview with Dr. Marcum, he thought the “epidemic” was on the decline at that time. Local physicians were not sure as to the cause of the illness, but they believed it was a viral infection. A similar “epi-demic” was also occurring in Louisville.

January 11, 1973 Hiles president of Chamber

J. Donald Hiles, president of People’s Bank and Trust was elected president of the Berea Chamber of Commerce at its January meeting held at People’s Restaurant. Mr. Hiles succeeded Earl Shupe. The other new officers were Bill Maish, vice president, Colbert Smith, secretary, John King, treasurer. A meeting of the directors of the Chamber was to be held to complete the reorganization of the organization for the new year. Much of the discussion at the January meeting can-tered around the All-Kentucky City award luncheon that was to be held in Louisville on January 19th. A delegations of Bereans would be attending the event to learn whether the city would achieve the honor of being an All-Kentucky City for a third time, earning a place in the All-Kentucky City Hall of Fame. Berea, which previously won the honor in 1969 and 1971, was one of the 40 cities now in the finals, having survived the regional elimination several weeks previous. Altogether 80 cities entered the competition, so it was felt that Berea had already brought some distinction to itself.

January 8, 1998 And the winner is ...

Sandy Bolster was the winner of a 25-inch Sanyo color television in the new subscriber promotion sponsored by The Berea Citizen. The winning name was drawn on December 31, 1997, by three-year-old Deanna Anglin. Bolster was not home when the director of circulation Teddi Przybys tried to reach her immediately following the drawing. However, Bolster was delighted when she received the news on January 1, 1998. “Me?” Bolster exclaimed when Przybys informed her she was the winner. “Oh my gosh! I never win anything!” The Bolsters said they were very excited to have won the color television and had already made plans to give their old television to their teenaged sons to use with their Nintendo Game. All new subscribers to The Berea Citizen received during the month of December were entered into the drawing for the television.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Jan. 3

- Burnhamwood Estate, LLC to Kris-topher Lewis and Katherine Lewis, tract Madison County, \$390,000
- Jaryn Davidson, Executrix for the Estate Judith Hancock to Gustavo Murillo, 124 Tate’s Creek Avenue, \$50,000
- Matthew McKirahan and Hayley McKirahan to Zachary Reed Lakes and Allyssa A. Morrison, 368 Lacey Mae Way, \$265,500
- Ramsey and Ramsey, LLC to BRG Park Place, LLC, tracts Madison County (Mahaffey Drive), \$9,387,500
- Jacob Curtis Kobza to Nishant Jindal, lots 48 – 50 Norwood Subdivision, \$268,000
- Brittany Wooten and David Palfi to Mark Christopher Sexton and Tamara Ann Sexton, tract Old U.S. 25, \$215,000
- Howard Hill and Brenda Hill to Jason L. Gentry and heather Gentry, lot 32 Brae-mar Subdivision, \$475,000
- Logan Fields and Sara Beth Fields to Justin L. Lawniczak (a/k/a Justin L. Lawniczak, a/k/a Justin Lee Lawniczak) and Cierra Danielle Lawniczak, 617 Wal-nut Creek Drive, \$205,000
- Nicholas S. Todd and Megan D. Todd to Jeremy H. Wilson and Alicia M. Wilson, 531 Ashley Court, \$220,000
- Michael Brandon Combs and Shaina Combs to Lisa Marie McCleese and Janice May Spicer, 113 Henry Drive, \$165,000
- Ashtavinayak, LLC to Prosper Hospi-tality, 100 Eastern By-Pass, \$4,025,000
- Leonard Franklin Dyer and Lee Ann Dyer to Michael Remi Stiles and Rebecca Ann Stiles, lot 2 plat 30/117, \$190,000
- Jarrod Hastie to Suzanne L. Edmister, 543 Southern Cross Drive, \$250,000
- Childers Custom Homes, LLC to Mat-thew KcKirahan and Hayley McKirahan, 240 Tahoe Way, \$377,500
- Edna W. Cornelison to Bryan Francis Cross and Kathy Anne Cross, lot 3 Clay towers Subdivision, \$160,000
- Joshua Tyler Jewell and Samantha Dawn Jewell to Amy E. Morris, tract plat 21/211, \$215,000
- The Estate of John Newby to Samuel James Cooper, lot 3 plat 5/261, \$136,000
- Doll Properties, LLC to Rickey Sam Horn and Tina Horn, Unit 1000 Golden Leaf Condominiums, \$200,000
- Pauline W. Wells Executor of the Estate of Owen W. Howard to Pauline W. Wells, 912 Turnberry Drive, for and in consid-eration of distributing real property from the Estate of Owen W. Howard to grantee pursuant to the terms of Item III of the will of Owen W. Howard
- Marcellus Hembree and Katherine Hembree and Blevins Law, PLLC to Mar-cellus Hembree and Katherine Hembree, tract Madison County, for and in consid-eration of the love and affection between spouses and immediate reconveyance of the property from trustee to grantee
- Marcus F. Bordelon to Theodore Lehrman and Machiko Lehrman, lot 13 Steeplechase Subdivision, \$175,000

- Carla Michelle Patton and Jacob Elijah Patton to Brett Munchick, lot 17 The Crossings Subdivision, \$279,900
- Tommy Cope Properties, LLC to Rob-ert J. Koukol and Jacqueline R. Koukol, lot 21 Fincastle Subdivision, \$360,000
- Larry Nelson Wright and Donna Crutcher Wright, co-trustees of the Wright Family Revocable Living Trust to Larry N. Wright, tracts Madison County, \$1.00
- Commercial 627 LLC to DNS Hold-ings, LLC, tracts plat 23/383, \$750,000
- Steven Brewer and Carolyn Brewer to Joshua Dane Combs and Allison Combs, 104 Ivy Creek Drive, \$1.00 and love and affection between parent and child

Jan. 4

- Josephine W. Lewis, by Jennifer Clark, guardian to Pamela Fugate, 235 Keenland Drive, \$220,000
- Joshua Baugh and Jennifer Baugh to Baugh Properties, tracts Madison County, for and in consideration of an agreement between the parties, grantor being the sole members of the grantee, a limited liability company
- Gary Rose and Marvena Rose to Baugh Properties, LLC, tracts Madison County, \$129,370.55
- Russell Richard Reichenbach Caven-dish, Midland & Western I LLC to Mark and Patricia Blankenship, Enchanted Forest Wildlife Rescue of Kentucky, non-profit, 240 Cedar Cliff Road, for no valu-able consideration whatsoever and purely as a gift
- Edith Carol Baker to Darlene Gamble, tract Madison County, \$19,000
- William Dale Adams and Sandy Adams to Henry Hellard and Thelma Hel-lard, 219 Stoney Creek Way, \$220,000
- Julie A. Dibley (f/k/a Julie Ann Join-ville) to William Dale Adams and Sandy Adams, 610 Powderhorn Road, \$75,000
- Kyle Houghton, Member for and on behalf of Houghton Homes, LLC to Stacy Lynn Jones, 1084 Judah Bear Boulevard, \$214,900
- Richard Mark Walls and Anne Walls (a/k/a Anne H. Walls) to Carl Gene Bates and Teresa Mattie Bates, lot 10 Mocking-bird Hills, \$350,000
- Jo Elizabeth French and Callum An-derson to Alexander Downing Wingate and Hannah Wingate, lots 143, 144, and 145 Battelfield Subdivision, \$195,000
- Stanley D. Wolfe to Brandon Wayne Holt and Brandie Begue, 105 Crossing View Drive, \$175,000
- Aaron Cruse Pingleton to Sara Beth Fields, tract 2C plat 6/303, \$205,000
- BP Rental Homes, LLC to SGN Prop-erty Management, LLC, 529/531, 521/523, 517/519, 509/511 Spinnaker Drive, \$1,625,000
- Beth Frazier to Kim Frazier (a/k/a Kimberly Frazier), 212 Trillium Loop, pur-suant to property settlement agreement of Civil Action No. 22-CI-50474, Madison Circuit Court, Decree of Dissolution, en-tered December 13, 2022

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE: Hyster-Yale Group, Inc., f/k/a NACCO Materials Handling Group, and f/k/a Hyster Company, a Delaware corporation, plan to place an Environmental Covenant pursuant to KRS 224.80-110, *et al.* on their real property known as the Hyster-Yale Group facility, 2200, 2240, and 2224/2226 Menelaus Pike, Madison County, Berea, Kentucky, identified as Parcel Number 0060-0000-0026, more particularly described in Deed Book 451 Page 57 of the Madison County Clerk’s Office (“Property”), as follows:

Deed 1

A certain tract or parcel of land in Madison County, Kentucky, north of Middletown, bounded on the East by Menelaus Pike, a/k/a Caleast Road, on the South by the lands of Jack Anderson and the lands of Carl Alexander, on the West by the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, and on the North by the lands of Leonard Isaacs, as shown on a Plat of same titled “Hyster Company Property”, dated November 16, 1973, a copy of which is recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 43, in the Madison County Clerk’s Office.

This property is subject to the rights of the general public in and to so much of said property as is now used as a public road known as Menelaus Pike.

Said property being the same property conveyed to Hyster Company, a Nevada corporation, by the City of Berea, a city of the fourth class of the commonwealth of Kentucky, by Deed dated August 9, 1974, and recorded in Deed Book 451, Page 57, in the Madison County Court Clerk’s Office.

Deed 2

A certain tract of land, consisting of 4.70 acres, located on the west side of Menelaus Road (KY 1983), in Berea, Madison County, Kentucky, and designated as Tract A, on that certain plat prepared by Jay L. Webb, L.S. 3505 of Central Kentucky Land Surveying, Inc., which is of record in Plat Cabinet 18, slide 186, in the office of the Madison County Clerk, Richmond, Kentucky.

Said property being the same property conveyed to Nacco Materials Handling Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation, by deed dated February 1, 2001, from PPG Industries, Inc., a Pennsylvania corporation, and recorded in Deed Book 525 at page 598, in the office of the Madison County Clerk, Richmond, Kentucky.

Deed 3

A certain tract or parcel of land located on the west side of Menelaus Pike (Ky. Hwy. 1983) approximately .8 miles north of Walnut Meadow Road in Berea, Madison County, Kentucky, and being bounded by survey completed by James D. Mayo, a licensed land surveyor (L. S. 2726) of Palmer Engineering, and designated as Tract 1, consisting of 3.38 acres, more or less, on that certain Consolidation Plat for Berea Industrial Development Authority, of record in Plat Book P28 at page 269, in the Madison County Clerk’s Office.

Tract 1 is a consolidation of the properties conveyed to the Berea Industrial Development Authority, an industrial authority created pursuant to KRS 154.50-310 *et seq*, by the following deeds dated April 5, 2019:

1. From Jeff Middleton, a single man, and recorded in Deed Book 0772 at page 24, in the office of the Madison County Clerk, Richmond, Kentucky.

2. From Mildred Faye Anderson (a/k/a Mildred F. Anderson), the un-remarried widow of Jack Eugene Anderson, Jr. (a/k/a Jack E. Anderson, Jack G. Anderson and Jack Gene Anderson, Jr.), and recorded in Deed Book 0772 at page 27, in the office of the Madison County Clerk, Richmond, Kentucky.

3. From F. Wayne Seals, a single man, and recorded in Deed Book 0772 at page 33, in the office of the Madison County Clerk, Richmond, Kentucky.

Said property being the same property conveyed to Hyster Yale Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation, by Berea Industrial Development Authority, an industrial authority created pu8rsuant to KRS 154.50-310 et seq, by Deed dated May 2, 2019, and recorded in Deed Book 773, Page 85, in the Madison County Court Clerk’s Office.

The purpose of the Environmental Covenant is to ensure the protection of human health and the environment by placing restrictions on the Property to reduce the risk to human health and the environment potentially posed by hazardous wastes, constituents, substances, pollutants and contaminants in the soils that may exist as the result of historic uses of the Property. Other interest holders in the Property include the following easement holders:

City of Berea, Deed Book 280, Page 314; Deed Book 382, Page 115; Deed Book 403, Page 74; Deed Book 403, Page 695; Deed Book 403, Page 743; Deed Book 403, Page 731; Deed Book 403, Page 746; Deed Book 403, Page 740; Deed Book 274, Page 395; Deed Book 403, Page 698; Commonwealth of Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, Department of Highways, Deed Book 689, Page 255; Deed Book 682, Page 211; Deed Book 591, Page 136; Deed Book 595, Page 519; Deed Book 677, Page 192; Deed Book 689, Page 255; Deed Book 682, Page 216; Deed Book 682, Page 211; Deed Book 599, Page 111; Delta Natural Gas – Deed Book 388, Page 235; Deed Book 388, Page 229; Deed Book 388, Page 431; Deed Book 680, Page 779; Deed Book 456, Page 663; Deed Book 388, Page 54; East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc., Deed Book 400, Page 199; all of which may be found of record in the Madison County Court Clerk’s Office. No other interest holders in the Property have been identified.

Public records on the environmental condition of the Property can be found at the Division of Waste Management, Energy and Environment Cabinet, 300 Sower Blvd., 2nd Floor, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Religion

Could someone really mistake the fridge for a restroom?

I've always loved the story about the pastor who stopped by to visit with a 97-year-old man from his congregation.

"How's your spiritual life?" the pastor asked him.

"It has never been better," the old gentleman said. "God really loves me. You know, I don't see well, but God has fixed it so when I get up in the middle of the night to use the bathroom, poof, the light comes on. And, when I'm done, poof, the light goes back off."

Later that day, the pastor ran into the old gentleman's son, a deacon at his church, and told him about the conversation with his father.

"I am amazed by how good the Lord is to your dad," the pastor said. "Is it really true

that when he gets up during the night to use the bathroom that, poof, the light comes on, and when he's finished, poof, the light goes off?"

"Oh, no," the son said, "he's using it in the refrigerator again."

I am fortunate to have a good many friends who have been blessed to live into their 80s and 90s. It's always so interesting to hang out with them. They have seen and done so much. They have experienced things beyond my imagination. Some of their stories are serious and some hilarious. All are interesting.



Roger Alford

Because they've lived longer than most of us, they know things we don't. They have amassed great wisdom. They are repositories of incredible knowledge. That's why Proverbs 16:31 says frosty white hair is a crown of glory.

Sure, some of them don't see as well as they used to. Some don't get around like they once could. But they're still such blessings to everyone around them. That is, everyone who will take the time to listen and learn.

A word of warning though: Make sure you ask about their spiritual lives before accepting a glass of lemonade from their fridge.

Reach Roger Alford at (502) 514-6857 or rogeralford1@gmail.com.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Assemblies of God

• New Life Assembly of God, 1002 Paint Lick Rd., Berea, Pastor Ricky Rector, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-9880.

Apostolic

• Potter's House of Restoration Apostolic Church, 217 N. Estill Ave. in Richmond, Pastor Craig Thomas. Sunday service 2 p.m., Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Call 606-234-5167

• Calvary Apostolic Church, 1350 Paint Lick Rd., Sunday School 1 p.m. worship 2 p.m., Pastor Josh Hampton. For details, call 302-3926 www.cacbera.com

Baptist

• Berea Baptist Church, 310 Chestnut St., Pastor Kevin Slemp, Service at 10:45 a.m. For details, call 986-9391

• Bethel Baptist Church, 847 Scaffold Cane Road, Pastor Kenny Davis, Sunday worship 11 a.m. 986-7341.

• Bethlehem Baptist Church, Dreyfus Road, Pastor Chris Cobb, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-1711.

• Blue Lick Missionary Baptist Church, Blue Lick Road, Pastor Jimmy Lakes, Sunday worship 11 a.m.

• Calvary Baptist Church, 614 Richmond Road, Pastor Wayne Miller, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 985-9788.

• Conway Baptist Church, US 25S, Conway, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Bro. Bobby Turner, 606-308-2055. Sunday evening 6 p.m.

• Church on the Rock, 1049 Richmond Road, the Rev. Mark Sarver, Sunday worship 10:45 a.m. For details, call 986-1899.

• Emmanuel Baptist Church, 1456 Paint Lick Road, Pastor Joey Kays, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-2604.

• Faith Baptist Church, 486 Battlefield Memorial Hwy, Pastor John Doss. Sunday services 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. 859-625-8548.

• Faith Decision Baptist

Church, 1335 Guynn Road, Paint Lick, Pastor Jimmy Closterman. Sunday worship 11 a.m.

• Farristown Baptist Church, Menelaus Road, Farristown, Pastor, Ray Reed, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-2617. Van ministry, 986-3770.

• First Baptist Church of Berea, 459 Walnut Meadow Pike, the Rev. J.K. Cunningham, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-2127.

• Friendship Valley Baptist Church, 740 Red Lick Road, Big Hill, the Rev. Ralph Shepper-son, Sunday worship 11 a.m.

• Galilee Baptist Church, Mason Lake Road, Pastor Lee Abney, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 985-0471.

• Gethsemane Baptist Church, Old U.S. 25, Pastor Ed Cortez, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-0655.

• Gloryland Baptist Church, Richmond Road, Pastor Cecil Burns, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 624-3023.

• Grace Baptist Church, 111 Haiti Rd., Pastor Jim Murriner, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-1129.

• Hays Fork Baptist Church, 4447 Hays Fork Lane, Richmond. Minister Samuel Smith, Sunday worship 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday evening.

• Knob Lick Baptist Church, 225 Knob Lick Road, Irvine. Sunday worship 11 a.m. 859-353-7215.

• Liberty Avenue Baptist Church, 273 Mt. Vernon Road, Pastor Kenneth Felty, Sunday worship 11 a.m. Celebrate Recovery, Tues. 6 pm. For details, call 986-9249

• Lighthouse Baptist Church, Gabbardtown Road, the Rev. Chad Miller, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 859-421-1689.

• Middletown Baptist Church, 2253 Menelaus Pike, Rev. William Dooley, Sunday worship. For details, call 985-7033.

• New Liberty Baptist Church,

Smith Lane, Bobtown, Pastor Alfonso Kenney, Sunday worship 11:15 a.m. For details, call 986-2919.

• New Vision Missionary Baptist Church, 193 Bridge Stone in Berea, Pastor Glen Whittemore. 859-248-5096.

• Owsley Fork Baptist Church, 627 Owsley Fork Road, Big Hill, Bro. Danny Robbins. 986-4481.

• Panola Baptist Church, Panola Road, Waco, Bro. Marvin Neal. Sunday worship 11 a.m.

• Pilot Knob Missionary Baptist Church, KY 421, Big Hill, the Rev. Greg Lakes, two Sunday worship services at 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Sunday school - 9:30 a.m. For details, call 985-9342.

• Red House Baptist Church, 2301 Red House Rd., Richmond. Sunday worship 10:45 a.m. For details, call 623-8471.

• Red Lick Baptist Church, 601 Red Lick Road, Big Hill, Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday worship 11 a.m. Pastor, Bro. Chris Isaacs 859 302-3411.

• Roundstone Missionary Baptist Church, US 25 South, Sunday School, 10, Worship 11 a.m. Bro. Bill Hammond, 606-392-1826

• Silver Creek Baptist Church, P.O. Box 97, Sunday worship 10:45 a.m. Rev. Jimmy Ashcraft For details, call 986-LOVE.

• Valley Baptist Church, 4482 Copper Creek Road, Sunday worship 11 a.m.; Sunday night 6 p.m., Pastor Bro. Jeff Draper 859-302-3752.

• Wallacetown Baptist Church, 3121 Guynn Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. Pastor Leonard Harrison 859 230-5005

• West Side Baptist Church, Prince Royal Drive, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Bro. Allen Livingood. For details, call 986-3444.

• White Lick Baptist Church, Cartersville Road, Sunday worship 11:00 a.m. Brother David Stewart. For details, call 925-4641.

(Next Week: Churches C-Z)

3 BEREA LOCATIONS

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Out of the Blue

Wednesday, January 11, 2023

The Berea Citizen A10

Coen returns as OC

Liam Coen made an impact in his lone season at Kentucky. After one year in the same capacity with the Los Angeles Rams, Coen officially announced his plans to return to the Bluegrass on Tuesday, ending speculation that he would rejoin Mark Stoops' staff as offensive coordinator. Coen helped lead the Wildcats to a 10-3 record and a win over Iowa in the Citrus Bowl in 2022. "It was evident that he made a dramatic impact in the one season he was with our team," Stoops said. "He brings a great deal of knowledge, and he also brings an excitement that players and recruits can relate to." Under Coen, the Wildcats ranked fifth in the Southeastern Conference in scoring offense, eighth in total offense and fifth in rushing offense. "I can't wait to get to work in helping lead the UK offense and bring a championship to Big Blue Nation," he said. Coen signed a three-year contract on Dec. 12 that will pay him \$1.7 million next season and increase \$100,000 over the next two years.

UK to honor Mike Pratt

Kentucky will honor one of its own this season. The school will retire a jersey in Mike Pratt's honor on Feb. 4 when the Wildcats host Florida. Pratt spent 21 years as an analyst on the UK Radio Network and passed away on June 16, 2022. He played for the Wildcats from 1966-70 and scored 1,359 points and grabbed 718 rebounds during his career. He will be represented by his wife Marcia and members of his family.



Kentucky coach John Calipari cheers on his team during a 71-68 loss to South Carolina Tuesday night. The loss dropped the Wildcats to 10-6 on the season and 1-3 in the SEC. (UK Athletics Photo)

'Stick with these kids'

Cats stumble to 1-3 in SEC after stunning loss to South Carolina

LEXINGTON (KT) — Kentucky was a heavy favorite against South Carolina on paper. It was a different outcome on the court. The Gamecocks added to Kentucky's mid-season slump with a stunning 71-68 win over the Wildcats on Tuesday night. Kentucky's Southeastern Conference-leading 28-game home winning streak came to an end and it marked South Carolina's first victory over Kentucky at Rupp Arena in 14 years. The Wildcats (10-6, 1-3 SEC), coming off an humbling 78-52 loss at No. 4 Alabama Saturday, never led and trailed by 15 after the Gamecocks scored 13 of the first 15 points. Kentucky crawled back within striking distance and had a chance to tie the game on its last possession, but missed a pair of 3-pointers as time expired. "We lost the game in the first half," Kentucky coach John Calipari said. "In the second half, we hold them to 29 (points) and we did some things better, but in the end, a loose ball we do not get, we did a great job of guarding them and guy runs in (the lane) and gets a tip. We didn't block him out. Those are winning plays (and) those are the difference between winning and losing." Kentucky was shorthanded and without senior forward Jacob Toppin (shoulder), while guard Cason Wallace left the contest in the first half because

"Am I happy? No, I'm not happy. I hate losing. We've got to do better and better than this and that's on me."

John Calipari

of back spasms. Wallace scored just four points in eight minutes. Amid all the circumstances, Calipari offered no excuses for his team's performance. "Am I happy? No, I'm not happy," Calipari said. "I hate losing. We've got to do better and better than this and that's on me. We've got to be better. ... Are the fans mad? They should be. We lost at home. We don't lose at home (and) we were down 10 at half. I expect fans to be mad and we have the best fans. I love our fans and I know they may be mad at me right now, but I've been here a long time teaching and working and having our fans have a big part of this. All I am saying is be with these kids. They need you now more than they need you when they're 4-0." Kentucky guard CJ Fredrick, who came off the bench and scored 14 points after missing the previous three encounters because of finger injury, was disappointed.

"You've got to give them a lot of credit, they came in here ready to play," he said. "They punched us in the mouth early and they were hitting shots ... they came in here and beat us." Oscar Tshiebwe led the Wildcats with 19 points and 12 rebounds, but like Fredrick, he wasn't happy with the team's third conference loss in four tries. "We've just got to get better," he said. "... We come to Kentucky for a very good reason, we come chasing greatness. And if you come not willing to fight, it's going to be tough." Mired in a slump to open conference play and rumors circulating regarding a future opening at the University of Texas, Calipari, who is "on a mission" and was "into the game," urged the team's disgruntled fan base to direct their frustrations at the head coach. "Stick with these kids," Calipari said. "If you want to get on me, that's fine. I'm the coach. If we weren't ready to play, then I've got to look at me and (say) where were we mentally? I was trying things today to get them in a positive mindset, because it's hard and it's hard. This isn't for everybody, including coaches."

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 17
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 21
Florida A&M • Won • 88-68
 28
at Missouri • Lost • 89-75
 31
Louisville • Won • 86-63

January
 3
LSU • Won • 74-71
 7
at Alabama • Lost • 78-52
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Redeeming Hope to aid victims of human trafficking

“We want Madison Countians to realize how serious human trafficking is in this area.”

Lisa Foster
Redeeming Hope

By Andy McDonald
For The Citizen

The Berea City Council heard plans Tuesday night for a local home that will aid victims of human trafficking. Speaking on behalf of a soon-to-be-established non-profit Redeeming Hope, Lisa Foster, Vickie Primrose and

City Council

Jamie Arnold addressed the devastating effect of human trafficking, particularly on young girls and women. Foster said the location of the home has been selected though not yet publicized, and it will serve girls between the ages of 14 and 18.

“We want Madison Countians to realize how serious human trafficking is in this area. Kentucky ranks number nine in the nation for human trafficking in 2019 for federal cases,” Foster said. Foster added they are raising the issue now because January is National Human Trafficking Prevention Month,

adding that while incidents of human trafficking seem low in various Kentucky counties, those numbers typically skyrocket once citizens know what to look for. Victims are typically groomed for trafficking, coerced, tricked, and in some cases, they are even

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Marching onward



The Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Day Celebration was held Monday. Berea College students and members of the community, above, marched from Union Church to First Christian Church. The Bluegrass Ensemble performed, Rev. Caldwell Reiss, pastor of First Christian Church, bottom right, gave the welcome. The keynote speaker was Hannah L. Drake, bottom left, of Louisville. Drake is an author of 11 books and a blogger, activist, poet and public speaker. The events were sponsored by the Carter G. Woodson Center for Interracial Education Black Cultural Center and the City of Berea.

Photos by Brooklyn Kenney (2) and Crystal Wylie/Berea College



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Mary Allen

Allen documents a life worth living

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

When COVID-19 hit across the world in the spring of 2020, many people felt isolated and alone and yearned for contact with friends and loved ones. That was especially true for the older generation.

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To combat the isolation, Mary Allen, who was accustomed to hosting huge Sunday

dinners for her large family, began having daily phone conversations with one of her five daughters, Jean Bolaski, about her life and growing up during The Great Depression.

Allen and her late husband, Paul, are the parents of 10 children, including five sons.

“During Covid Mom got really down and I was worried about her becoming depressed because she wasn’t getting as much company as she liked,” Bolaski said. “She loved to make huge Sunday dinners each week, like

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OBITUARIES

Milford Eugene Hounshell



Milford Eugene Hounshell, 76, of Berea, passed away Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at the VA Hospital in Lexington after a brief illness. Milford was born in Berea, Kentucky to the late Andrew and Ruby Irene Engle Hounshell. He was an auto technician for several Dodge/Chrysler dealership in the area. However, his love for cars was with Chevrolet's. He was of the Christian faith. He was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of the American Legion in Irvine.

He is survived by his wife, Debbie Lethgo Hounshell; one son, William Hounshell and his wife, Kristy; one sister, Martha Louise Neal; one brother, Ronald Hounshell and his wife Lisa; sister-in-law, Lynn Zieverink and her husband Joe; his grandson, Kason Hounshell; several nephews, one niece; and extended family members, Linda Lethgo, Doris Lethgo, and Dena Swim.

Funeral services were at 1 p.m., Monday, January 16, 2023, at Lakes Funeral Home. Bro. Marvin Neal officiated and burial with military honors followed in the Berea Cemetery. Pallbearers were Kason Hounshell, Kevin Saylor, Charles Richardson, Doug Henson, Darrin Sexton and Justin Flannery.

Anna Sue Taulbee



Anna Sue Taulbee, 80, passed away peacefully Wednesday Jan. 11, 2023 at The Terrace in Berea. Anna was a homemaker and member of the Red Lick Holiness Church, and preceded in death by her husband Donald Lee Taulbee. Anna was born in Madison County to the late Arthur and Ella Stewart Webb, she was also preceded in death by a daughter Lynn Parker, and several brothers and sisters.

Anna is survived by her children: Gary (Elaine) Taulbee, LaDonna (Scott) Smith, and Cheryl (Bill) Hunter, her sisters Lizzie (Phillip) Farthing, Eliza Baker, and Nannie Webb, and her five grandchildren: Greg Hunter, Levi Hunter, Donald Taulbee, Alisha Marie Johnson, and Nathaniel Gage Parker, and her two great-grandchildren Quinnley and Jonas Johnson, and many loving nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Saturday Jan. 14, 2023 at 2 p.m. at Lakes Funeral Home and burial followed in the Red Lick Cemetery beside her husband.

Amanda Renea Lamb Pence



Amanda Renea Lamb Pence, 38, passed away, Thursday January 12, 2023, in Richmond. She was born March 22, 1984, in Richmond to Betsy Bain Lamb and the late Jerry Lamb. Amanda was always smiling.

She was a good person with a giving heart and would help anyone in need. Amanda attended Crestview Holy Sanctuary.

Other than her father, she was preceded in death by one brother, Jeremy Lamb, grandparents, Bill & Grace Bain, and Hubert & Margaret Lamb.

In addition to her mother, Amanda is survived by her husband John Pence of Richmond, one daughter, Gracie Lamb Rogers of Richmond and mother & father-in-law, Billy and Diana Pence of Richmond.

Funeral service is at 1 p.m. on Thursday January 19, 2023, at Crestview Holy Sanctuary. Rev. Mark Adams officiated and burial followed in the Silver Creek Cemetery.

Davis & Powell Funeral Home.

Roy Eugene "Reg" Gaunce III



Roy Eugene "Reg" Gaunce, III, 59, husband of Natalie Wesley Gaunce, passed away Sunday, January 15, 2023 at Norton Brownsville Hospital.

Born September 17, 1963 in Paris, he was a 1981 graduate of Berea Community High School, a U.S. Air Force veteran of Desert Storm and worked for many years as the Director of Beneficiary Services for Humana Military. Roy was also a member at the Middletown United Methodist Church. Roy loved his family fiercely and was loved by them just as fiercely.

He took great pride in his children and grandchildren and all of their accomplishments. An avid fan of UK Basketball and the Cincinnati Bengals, he also enjoyed traveling, shopping and meeting new people.

Other survivors include his mother and stepfather, Mary Jo & Noel Russell, of Berea; 3 daughters: Rebecca (Nick) Dillard, of Paoli, Indiana, Nicole Moyer, of Shelbyville, and Kelly Moyer (Brent Kakwitsch) of Nashville, Tennessee; 2 beloved grandchildren, Dayton & Olive Dillard; a brother, Brent (Emily) Gaunce, of Carlisle; 3 sisters: Lisa (Mike) Helton & Lori (Doyle) Sparks, of Berea, and Regina (Robert) Sosby, of Carlisle; and his stepmother, Brenda Gaunce, of Carlisle, along with several nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his father, Roy E. Gaunce, Jr.; his son, Christopher Gaunce; and his grandparents, Eugene & Nancy Gaunce and Joe & Ann Bratton.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 19 at Stoess Funeral Home in Crestwood by Rev. Leslie Robinette and Rev. Sandra Murphree. Burial with military honors will follow in Floydsburg Cemetery. Casket bearers will be Nick Dillard, Isaac Fraliex, Kyle Fraliex, Will Gaunce, Landry Gray, Mike Helton, Brent Kakwitsch, Tim Pike, Don Rebholz and Doyle Sparks.

Arrangements are under the direction of Mathers-Gaunce Funeral Home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the USA Cares Wounded Warrior Project.

Berea Police reports

Drug Arrest

- On Jan. 3 at approximately 3:04 p.m., officers conducted a traffic stop on Maple Street. The operator, Roy Cope was arrested and charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance 1st Degree (Heroin), Failure to or Improper Signal, Operating on Suspended or Revoked License, Failure of Non-Owner Operator to Maintain Required Insurance 1st and Failure to Produce Insurance Card. The passenger in the vehicle, identified as Shannon Mullikan was also arrested and charged with Possession Controlled Substance 1st Degree (Methamphetamine) and Drug Paraphernalia (Buy/Possess). Furthermore, after Mullikan was transported to the Madison County Detention Center, it was discovered that he was concealing more suspected Methamphetamine. Mullikan was additionally charged with Possession of Controlled Substance 1st Degree (Methamphetamine) and Tampering with Physical Evidence.

Arrests

- On Jan. 4 at approximately 6:48 p.m., officers responded to a non-injury collision, involving one vehicle on Logston Lane. The operator identified as Travis Mullins was arrested and charged with Operating a Motor Vehicle Under the Influence of Alcohol 2nd Offense.
- On Jan. 6 at approximately 10:14 p.m., officers responded to West Jefferson Street, in reference to a male subject who was possibly intoxicated in public. Ezekiel Byrd was arrested and charged with Alcohol Intoxication in a Public Place.
- On Jan. 9 at approximately 11:13 p.m., officers responded to Wal-mart in reference to a female who was acting disorderly in public. Mary Katherine Peyton was arrested and charged with Disorderly Conduct 2nd Degree.
- On Jan. 10 at approximately 1:36 p.m., officers responded to Dollar General on Prospect Street, in reference to a male subject who was possibly intoxicated in public. Chad Gabbard was arrested and charged with Public Intoxication (Controlled Substance-Excludes Alcohol).
- On Jan. 10 at approximately 8:59 p.m., officers responded to the area of I-75 76 Northbound exit, in reference to aid in an on-going pursuit involving Mount Vernon Police Department and Kentucky State Police. Officers blocked the exit ramp at the 76 NB exit. The operator collided with a Berea Police cruiser and continued back onto I-75 Northbound. After a brief pursuit, the suspect vehicle was successfully spike stripped by Kentucky State Police near the 83-mile marker. The operator identified as Byron Watson was arrested and charged with Wanton Endangerment 1st Degree (Police Officer), Criminal Mischief 1st Degree, Fleeing or Evading Police 1st Degree (Motor Vehicle), Leaving the Scene of an Accident-Failure to Render Aid or Assistance, Reckless Driving and Possession of Firearm by Convicted Felon.

Message from Cora Jane Wilson

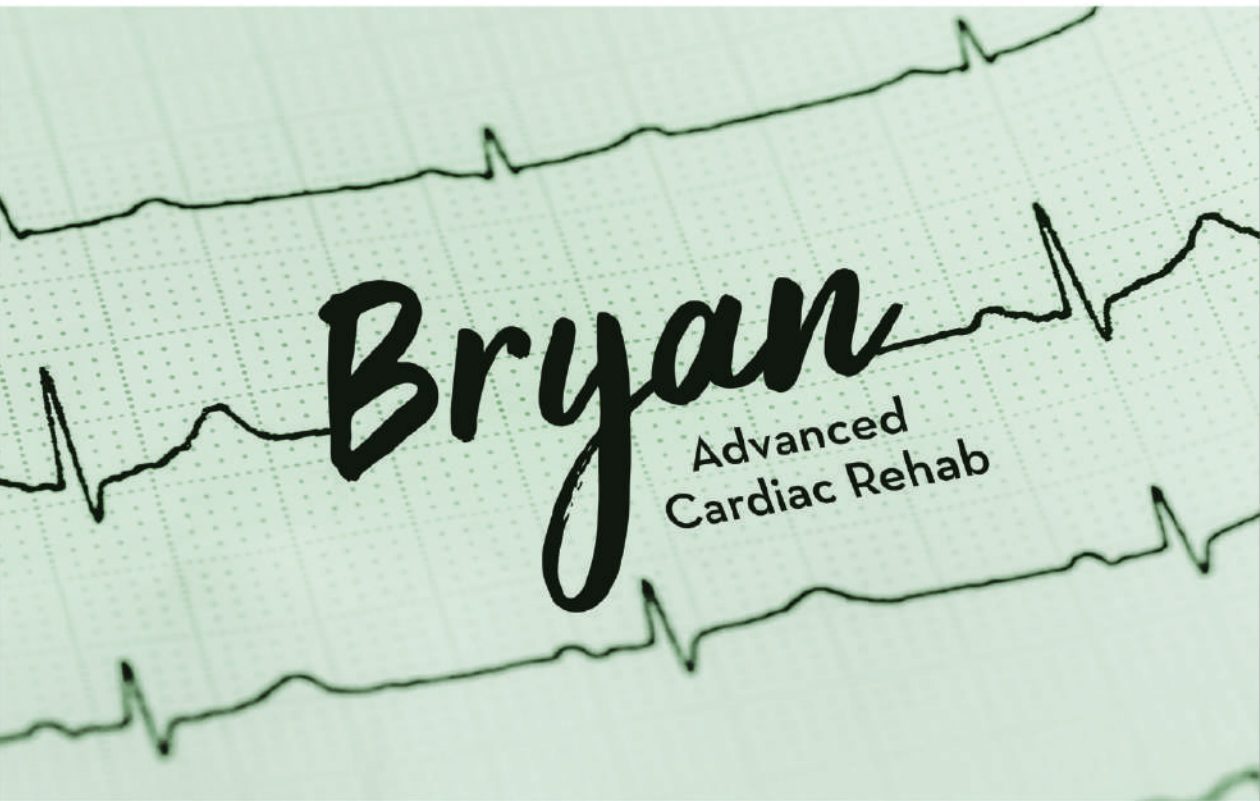


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Sandra D. Wingett

Sandra D Wingett (Roe) suddenly passed from this world Jan. 6, 2023, with the love of her family surrounding her. At the age of 64 she had accomplished so much and is remembered as a caring partner, mother, grandmother, sister, daughter, active family member, friend, and overall rock to many.

Sandra was born to Helen Roe and the late Ernest Roe on October 21, 1958, in Richmond Ky. She graduated from Madison central high school in 1976 and later furthered her education at ECU. Graduating with honors in nursing in 1997. She worked in her field at Eastern state hospital for many years until deciding to assist in the care of family members.

She is survived and forever missed by her mother Helen Roe and brother Larry Roe. A 20-year partnership with Scotty Marrow. The loving memories from her 3 children Logan Wingett, Christina Wingett and Geno Marrow. Cherished by 3 grandchildren Alexandria Simpson, Octavia Pugh, and Ariana Pugh. Along with the countless family and friends to whom she had made an impact upon their lives.

As per Sandra's request, no funeral service will be held. A private ceremony with close members has been planned as her ashes leave to their final resting place. The family sends special thanks to all involved during this difficult time as it's been met with compassion. We ask that you remember her from good times and how beautiful her life truly was.

Lakes Funeral Home & Cremation Services is caring for Sandra and her family.



Deborah Mae Witter

Deborah Mae Witter, 69, passed away Friday, January 13, 2023 at Baptist Health in Richmond. Deborah was born in Richmond to the late Carl and Gladys McKeehan. She was a former school bus driver of eight years for Madison County School system, and most recently an over-the-road team driver with her husband for Van Eerden Trucking.

She was a member of Pilot Knob Baptist Church. Deborah had a great love for family and cher-

ished cooking for their Sunday family get-togethers.

She is survived by her husband of twenty-four years, Eugene Witter. Her children: Doug McKeehan, Stacy (Brenda) Mink, Kevin Mink, Step-son Russel Witter, daughters: Devonna (Rodney) McIntosh, an extended daughter Lora (Derek) Cummins. Brothers Corky, Johnny, Gerald, and Terry McKeehan, sixteen grandchildren, 7 great grandchil-



dren and a host of family and friends.

She was preceded in death by step-daughter Rebecca Witter, grandson Chris McKeehan, and brother Gene McKeehan.

Services were Wednesday, January 18, at 11 a.m. at Lakes Funeral Home and burial followed at Madison County Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers will be Ta Cline, Mark McKeehan, Derek Cummins, Cody Kelley, Joshua Mason, Vince McKeehan, Chris Masters. Lakes Funeral Home & Cremation Services.

Mitchell Powers

Mitchell Powers, 62, passed away Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond. He was born January 1, 1961, in Chicago, Illinois to Susie R. Benjamin and the late A.C. Powers. Mitchell loved Rock & Roll, was an avid sports fan including Nascar and target shooting, and enjoyed gardening. He was of the Baptist faith.

Mitchell was a great man and wonderful companion to Terry Schwartz and an amazing father to her children, Joseph Schwartz, and Christine Grimaudo both of Illinois. He was a very loving son to his mother, Susie R. Benjamin of Berea and a wonderful brother to Melissa Powers of Woodland Park, Colorado., and uncle to Justin, Jordan, and Kendra.

Visitation will be Saturday, January 21, 2023, from 11 a.m. until the service at 2 p.m. at Davis & Powell Funeral Home, with Rev. Greg Lakes officiating. In accordance with Mitchell's wishes he will be cremated following the funeral service.



Rita Lark

Rita Lark, 67, passed away Friday, January 13th, 2023, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington. She was born March 2nd, 1955, to the late Charles and Rilda Baker. Rita was a wonderful cook and found great pleasure in making sure everyone had their favorite dish.

Other than her parents she was preceded in death by her sister, Virginia (Ginger) Denham, and a loving nephew Kevin Jones.

Rita is survived by three sons, Charles Jason (Kristi) Bratcher, Neil (Jill) Singleton, and Sean (Angela) Lark. Five siblings, Jack Baker, Patsy Hembree, Johnny Baker, William Baker, and Christi Clark. Seven grandchildren, Tucker, Kylie, Savannah, Tony, Reagan, Peyton, and Liam. One great grandchild Liam, several nieces, nephews, and friends also survive.

Funeral service was at 1 p.m. Wednesday, January 18 at Davis and Powell Funeral Home. Rev. William Dooley officiated and burial followed in Madison County Memorial Gardens.



Dale Wayne Bray

Dale Wayne Bray, 75, Berea, passed away Tuesday, January 10, 2023 at Rockcastle Rehabilitation in Brodhead.

Dale was born in Clay County, Kentucky to the late Leonard Bray and Ruby Stewart Bowling. He worked for the Parker Seal Company in Berea and was retired from Johnson Controls in Lexington. He was a U.S. Army veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Phyllis Bray; two children, Denise (Scott) Strange and Kevin (Carri) Bray; his sister Glenda (Donald) Held, five grandchildren, Michael (Ashley) Stonecipher, Samuel Stonecipher, Mollie Stonecipher, Hannah (Zach) Toomey, and Rachel (Scotty) Barnett; and two great grandchildren, Elliot Stonecipher and Taytum Toomey.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m., Friday, January 13, 2023 at Lakes Funeral Home. Pastor Jimmy Closterman and Pastor Stephen Boyd officiated. Burial will follow in the Madison County Memorial Gardens with military honors.



Robert (Bobby) Mosier

Robert (Bobby) Mosier, 61 of Berea suddenly passed away on Jan. 7, 2023.

Bobby was born on Jan 17, 1961, to the late Phillip and Wanda Robinson Mosier of Cartersville. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Raymond and Lillie Mae Robinson, his paternal grandparents Jennings and Katie Clark Mosier.

Bobby was a 1979 graduate of Garrard County high school and was an employee of Hyster-Yale for 39 years.

Bobby is survived by his wife Cathy Seals Mosier, his son, Zachary (Becca) Mosier of Richmond and a daughter, Emily Harrison, Dallas TX; a brother Tom (Leigh Ann) Mosier, sisters, Virginia (Dale) Abbott and Becky (Rick) Wilmot, all of Cartersville. He is also survived by a special sister-in-law Patti Seals Colyer and his mother and father-in-law, Preston and Gaye Seals all of Berea. Bobby also leaves



to cherish his memory three nephews, Andrew Colyer, Kaleb Mosier and Ryan Wilmot, and four nieces, Kaliegh Mosier, Kara Mosier, Miranda Bristow, and Brianna Wilmot, and one grandson, Levi Mosier.

Funeral services was at 2 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 12, 2023 at Lakes Funeral Home. Rev. Kenny Davis officiated and burial followed in the Cartersville Cemetery. Pallbearers were Andrew Colyer, Kaleb Mosier, Ryan Wilmot, Tom Mosier, Zachary Mosier, and Bill Segar.

Beatriz Pagal del Rosario

Beatriz Pagal del Rosario, 85, passed away Monday January 9, 2023, at St. Joseph Hospital in Berea. She was born July 29, 1937, in Catanduanes Bicol, Philippines, one of seventeen children, to the late Severino and Maria Pagal del Rosario. Beatriz was a Master Seamstress. She enjoyed sewing, crocheting, quilting, watching Filipino romance movies, and playing bingo. Beatriz loved flowers, angels, and pretty things. People would say she was a classy lady, had a kind giving soul, and her strength was gentle and persevering. Beatriz was a member of Saint Clare Catholic Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by thirteen brothers, and three sisters.

Beatriz is survived by her children, Maria Feltner of Berea, Maria Lourdes Iso of the Philippines, Brian Brown and his wife Sarah-Jane of Paris, Beth Wharton and her husband Rob of Greenville, SC, Francisco Astorga and his wife Abigail of the Philippines, Alexander Astorga and his wife Jhen of the Philippines, and Alfredo Astorga of the Philippines. Twenty-eight grandchildren and twenty-four great grandchildren also survive. Funeral mass was at 11 a.m. Friday January 13, 2023, at Saint Clare Catholic Church. In accordance with her wishes, she will return to the Philippines for her final resting place.



Jaime Rivera

Jaime Rivera, 63, husband of Silvia Rivera passed away Sunday, Jan. 8, 2023. He was born December 27, 1959, in Lima, Peru one of 10 children. He was a truck driver for UPS Freight. Jaime was a faithful member of the Saint Clare Catholic Church. He enjoyed singing, he loved music especially playing the guitar and keyboard, Jaime also liked woodworking, cooking and was an excellent all around handyman.

Jaime is survived by his wife, Silvia Rivera and one daughter, Angie Rivera both of Berea.

Funeral mass was at noon Saturday, January 14, 2023, at Saint Clare Catholic Church. Father Gary Simpson and Father Daniel Taylor officiated and burial will follow in the Berea Cemetery.

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Same beat, different drum

Some to you may or may not know, but I love to play music and have played since I was young enough to hear any kind of musical instrument. I can remember my mom and dad buying me a guitar at an early age and I learned the basic chords and played some at a church dad pastored in Richmond. I believe it was Faith Temple on Fifth Street, but I'm not 100 percent sure. I remember a church member showing me the chords and telling me if I knew those chords I could get by and learn the guitar.



Keith Taylor

Although I enjoyed playing the guitar, I felt like there was something more and began to develop a passion for the drums. I talked mom and dad into buying me a starter set to begin with and I set them up in my bedroom and listened to albums, cassette tapes and 8-tracks — yes you read that right — 8-track tapes. They ranged from country, gospel to 70s and 80s rock and bluegrass. I played enough to drive my parents crazy before dad finally let me set up a set of drums at his church at the time.

I became skilled enough to graduate from the starter set and mom and dad bought me a professional CB 700 set from a gospel group that visited dad's church back in the mid-1980s. That's when I began to elevate my style and learned even more. I played the Burgundy CB 700 set while I was with some gospel bands at my home church at

the time and numerous other events and venues. I kept my hands on that set until just last week when I sold them.

I didn't want to sell them to just anyone or anybody. I wanted them to be used and taken care of just I had done for the past 35-plus years. I hadn't planned on selling them at all until my friends Justin and Carolyn Lear asked if I knew anyone who wanted to purchase their set of Blue Pearl's. I thought for about three seconds and told her I was interested in them.

I had filled in for Justin and Carolyn numerous times at concerts and was familiar with the set they were selling. The fact they had been taken care of — just like mine — made me feel very at ease. This past week they came my own, while my first “Big Boy” set of drums went to a church that my parents visited frequently when I was growing up.

As I was packing them up, I told David Farthing, the new pastor at Paint Lick Church of God, that I had played them for more than 10 years at the Lancaster Road Church of God and mom would have been very pleased that I sold them to his church. I know dad was excited that they are being used for God's glory, just I had done when I played them at various churches and concert venues for more than three decades.

I ended up with a set of drums that I always wanted and a church got a set they needed.

I'm still marching to the same beat, but with a different drum.

Keith Taylor



Rent or buy? Which works for you?

A retired minister and his wife had never owned a house. They had spent all their married lives living in housing provided by churches. At age 65 they bought a house and financed it for 15 years. They had been frugal and had saved a good down payment. They paid for the house by age 80. The value of the house increased over the years and at age 83 they sold the house and received a very nice check. The money from the sale was enough to help them fund their next ten years in a nice assisted living apartment. While taking on a mortgage at 65 appeared crazy to some it afforded them financial security further down the road.

Many years ago, I bought a modest new house that cost \$151,000. I barely scraped together the nearly \$30,000 down payment. The house was financed for 15 years. I began the laborious journey of writing a monthly check to the bank. After about eight years, I needed money to pay medical bills and was able to borrow \$30,000 against my equity. It was nice that I had the equity because at that time I really needed the cash.

Looking back, I would never do that again because it made the actual cost of my house increase to \$181,000. For a couple of years, I had two payments to make to the bank. A couple of years later my wife passed. If I had needed to borrow \$10,000

against my house, I could have done so to pay for funeral expenses. Fortunately, we had both taken out small insurance policies that covered that cost. Eventually I refinanced and consolidated the mortgages. By the grace of God I still paid for the house in 15 years.

I don't like monthly payments or paying rent. For most of us, at some point in our lives there will be a monthly payment of some kind. I've lived in apartments on several occasions and even houses furnished to me by congregations I served. I didn't care for either one. I'm not saying I wouldn't do it again but my preference is to live in a place that is actually mine for as long as possible.

Renting a house or an apartment works for many at different stages of life. Buying a house is tough because it is a major financial commitment. You normally have to come up with 20% of the price to pay down as well as have the income to make the payments. That's not always easy.

New houses in a nearby neighborhood are presently selling for \$400,000. Most of them are modest three to four-bedroom houses. Having enough money to make the down payment and monthly payments is a lot for



Glenn Mollette

any person or family.

However, rent is expensive. Depending on where you live you may be paying \$800 to \$3,000 a month for a small apartment. You don't have maintenance or property taxes but you'll also never see that money again. A friend of mine sold her house at age 70 and moved into an apartment complex for people over age 55. She pays rent but she says the landlord treats her well and is timely with upkeep. A landlord who is very untimely with upkeep is very frustrating.

There are pros and cons to owning and renting. Choosing depends on your situation and personal preferences. A landlord can raise your rent and have rules pertaining to pets, painting, and more. However, it may be just exactly what you need. Typically, you don't want to sink your money into property if you are going to move in three or four years.

You might come out ahead if you buy a fixer upper and have the time and money to improve the property. You don't want to make a bad buy. Buying property that you can't resell is a bad idea, unless you love it and plan to live there a long time.

Keep in mind that a big chunk of most American's wealth is in the house they own.

If you pay for it and maintain it you can normally sell it to someone and recoup a lot of your money. You might even make a nice profit.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Shouse: Praying for humility in 2023

Dear Editor:

Life is beautiful! It is a precious gift from God.

We joyously celebrated the overturning of Roe v. Wade in June 2022, a life-affirming decision by the United States Supreme Court.

Unfortunately, this joyous occasion was met with unprecedented hatred and vitriol that culminated in attacks on pregnancy help cen-

ters, churches, and pro-life groups.

The events that occurred after the overturning of Roe v. Wade further illustrated the deep division in our country and our unwillingness to listen to and respect the opinions of others without hostility.

As we enter into a new year, we take time to soberly recognize January 22 and the many years prior to 2022 that we hoped, prayed and worked for the end of Roe v. Wade.

Now that Roe v. Wade is a tragic footnote in history, we look to the

future and pray that the hearts and minds of all Americans will be softened and recognize and respect the sanctity of not only unborn life, but all life created by God.

Let us all move forward in 2023 with humility, unselfishness, and love for one another. With these attitudes, we can once again make America a great, God-fearing nation that values the lives of all of its citizens, born and unborn.

Lora Shouse, Vice President
Madison County Right to Life

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MADISON COUNTY DETENTION CENTER

Jan. 5

- Val C. Randolph, 22, Richmond: menacing
- Ryan Combs, 27, Berea: failure to appear
- Trelane Christopher, 35, Lexington: speeding, 21 mph over limit; trafficking in marijuana (less than 8 oz) – 1st offense (2 counts); trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (less than or equal to 4 grams cocaine); operating a motor vehicle under the influence of a substance – 1st (aggravated circumstances; trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st degree 2nd or greater offense (less than 4 grams cocaine); wanton endangerment – 1st degree failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance/security – 1st offense
- Brittani Jo Denny, 34, Berea: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order (2 counts); failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor
- Jimmy Marcum, 32, Richmond: failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor; probation violation (for felony offense)
- Dylan Montgomery White, 28, Richmond: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order; escape, 2nd degree; flagrant non-support; non-payment of court costs, fees or fines
- Joseph Callahan. 28, Richmond: assault, 4th degree dating violence (no visible injury)
- Jordan W. Graham, 36, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury

Jan. 6

- Lewis Corum, 64, Lexington: reckless driving; no operator’s – moped license; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 -1st
- Elmer J. Kidd, 51, Boggs

Lane: failure to appear

- Bobby Allen Bowen, 47, Frenchburg: incest – forcible compulsion/incapable of consent or under 18 years of age; sexual abuse – 3rd degree
- Stephanie May, 29, Berea: fleeing or evading police -1st degree (motor vehicle); reckless driving; disregarding traffic control device (traffic light); failure to or improper signal
- Cynthia Fields, 55, Lexington: manslaughter, 2nd degree
- Billy Dwayne Willis, 31, Berea: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence) minor injury; violation of a Kentucky EPO/DVO; criminal mischief, 3rd degree
- Adrian R. Estep, 33, Waco: probation violation (for technical violation)
- Jacob Shelby Mosley, 33, Mozell: flagrant non-support
- Charles S. Holbrook, 66, London: probation violation, for misdemeanor offense (4 counts)
- Ezekiel Z. Byrd, 24, Berea: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses)

Dec. 7

- Sarah Thomas, 22, Richmond: trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st offense (heroin); drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; failure to appear (2 counts)
- Jose Norwin, 43, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offense); possession of open alcohol beverage container in motor vehicle
- Phyllis Davis, 49, Richmond: drug court violation
- Michael Bowles, 58, Richmond: failure to appear; non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines
- Ralph Carpenter, 20, Paint Lick: driving on DUI suspended license – 1st offense; failure to produce

insurance card

- Eugene Christen Moore, 37, Louisville: serving parole violation warrant
- John Alexander Kuhn, 38, Richmond: failure to appear; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine)

Jan. 8

- Steven Matthews, 21, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offense)
- Kevin C. King, 42, Richmond: contempt of court, libel/slander, resistance to order
- Amanda Lynn Barnes, 47, Richmond: serving parole violation warrant
- Ashley Miller, 36, Richmond: failure to appear
- Bekki Ann Hoover, 40, Irvine: criminal trespassing – 2nd degree; theft by unlawful taking or disposition. Shoplifting; possession of marijuana; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine)
- William K. Combs, 65, Lexington: failure to appear
- Mitchell J. York, 41, unknown: parole violation (for felony offense)

Jan. 9

- Dusty Daniel Dunaway, 42, Richmond: distribution of obscene matter to minors over 12 but under 18 – 1st offense
- Hakeem Ameer Moore, 30, Richmond: failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor
- Gary Hampton, 21, Richmond: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, all others
- Ashlee K. Burgin, 34, Richmond: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting; criminal trespassing – 3rd degree

- Gwendolyn N. Peterkin, 24, Berea: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense; drug paraphernalia – buy/possess; failure to appear
- Marvin Dewayne Knuckles, 45, Berea: trafficking in a controlled substance, 2nd or greater offense (heroin)

Jan. 10

- Mary Katherine Peyton, 40, Dayton: disorderly conduct, 2nd degree
- Kristi M. Hull 26, Irvine: public intoxication – controlled substance (excludes alcohol)
- Daniel Bates, 27, Huntington, West Virginia: hold for court
- Ricky Dale Slone, 54, Richmond: hold for court
- Kenneth A. Cole, 28, unknown: hold for court
- Delores J. Sparks, 45, Mt. Vernon: failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor (2 counts)
- Melissa Beebout, 57, Lexington: failure to appear
- Chad David Gabbard, 38, Richmond: public intoxication – controlled substance (excludes alcohol)
- Kyle Edward Broadus, 41, unknown: hold for court
- Earl Tommy Abee, 50, Richmond: failure to appear (2 counts)
- Amu M. Fuson, 41, Richmond: probation violation, for felony offense (2 counts)
- Caninan Elijah Musgrove, 22, Richmond: disregarding stop sign; reckless driving; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol .08 – 1st

Jan. 11

- William Anthony Simmons, 38, Richmond: no registration plates; possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine)

- Byron T. Watson, 62, Frankfort: wanton endangerment – 1st degree – police officer (2 counts); criminal mischief – 1st degree; fleeing or evading police – 1st degree (motor vehicle) – 2 counts; leaving scene of accident – failure to render aid or assistance; reckless driving (2 counts); possession of a firearm by a convicted felon; failure to or improper signal; improper passing; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol – 2nd; speeding, 26 mph or greater over speed limit
- Rose M. Leedy, 62, Richmond: failure to appear
- Robert Ingram, 30, Richmond: hold for court
- Matthew Connors, 48, Mt. Sterling: serving bench warrant for court
- Larry Wayne Morrow, 55, Berea: probation violation (for technical violation)
- Jennifer Harvey, 36, Richmond: court
- Joseph Sell, 29, Berea: failure to appear; failure to appear, citation for misdemeanor
- Carlos Orr, 32, Cincinnati, Ohio: failure to appear
- Rodney Shane Hix, 46, Irvine: hold for court
- Brazz A. Sawyer, 27, unknown: hold for court
- Cameron Taylor, 18, Richmond: terroristic threatening, 2nd degree
- Mary Lou Riley, 41, Richmond: failure to appear
- Gregory Skidmore, 39, Richmond: hold for court
- Jackson Wayne Puckett, 45, Richmond: failure to appear
- Alex T. Edington, 44, Richmond: serving parole violation warrant
- Kristina Sago, 24, Fisherville: criminal possession of a forged prescription, 1st offense

MARRIAGES

Jan. 5

- Candida Diane Vester, real estate broker, 46, of Irvine to Shayne Brady Puckett, BGAD, 43, of Irvine
- Brianna Renee Anderson, factory, 19, of Richmond to Marekus Donnell Woodward, factory 45, of Richmond
- Alexis Sue Powell, student, 26, of Lexington to Dannie Lee Thompson III, truck driver, 25, of Richmond

Jan. 6

- Kali Jennifer Snowden, homemaker, 35, of Berea to James Isaac Marlier, agriculture, 40, of Berea
- Austin Wade Howard, factory worker, 23, of Berea to Hailey Jade Tirey, factory worker, 19, of Berea
- Derek Wade Jones, clerk, 25, of Richmond to Kaitlyn Dannielle Moore, social worker, 24, of Richmond

Jan. 10

- James Tyler Marcum, supply chain manager, 37, of Richmond to Bailey Alisa Harris, UK Health Care, 24, of Columbia
- Delia Susana Moreno Pretelt, accounting, 41, of Berea to Oswaldo Jose Guarema Gonzalez, labor, 36, of Richmond

Jan. 11

- Amber Nickole Abney, optometrist tech, 23, of Berea to Brynнан Gabriel Bertrand, patient relations assistant, 24, of Berea
- Gina Marie Shuker, factory, 51, of Berea to Kevin Thomas Taylor, unknown, 48, of Berea
- Donna Elaine Kindred, unemployed, 45, of Berea to Arvel Turner, Jr., Sherwin Williams, 57, of Waco
- Matthew Louis Sheridan, contractor, 58, of Columbus, Ohio to Danielle Brittany Gibson, unemployed, 27, of Berea
- McClain Scott Wyatt, student, 22, of Richmond to Sierra Rose Lewis, student, 21, of Richmond

District Court

Jan. 6

- Karen Quarrels vs. Richard Quarrels

Jan. 11

- Danyelle N. Brockert vs. Timothy Hays Isaacs
- Leslie A. Philbeck vs. Jase W. Fidler

Circuit Court

Jan. 5

- Amanda Susan Barrett vs. Tyler Ray Barrett

Jan. 6

- Walker Madden vs. Eulah Madden
- Logan Dean Conner vs. Payden Faith Richmond Conner
- Nora Jean Mason vs. Larry W. Mason

Jan. 9

- Lola Bauer vs. Lakin Brown
- CHFS EX REL., Pamela L. Gordon vs. Jimmy W. Marcum

Jan. 10

- Carmine Salerno vs. Allison Salerno

Jan. 11

- Kalli Fain vs. David Conway
- Sylvia Ruthann Davidson vs. Shannon Damrell, ET AL

Foreclosures

Jan. 10

- Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB NOT vs. Maxine Powell

Jan. 11

- United Wholesale Mortgage, LLC vs. Robert N. Howell, ET AL



PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Jan. 5

- Robert Wayne Short and Linda Carol Short to Gregory Dale Short and Norma Jean Short, 713 Opossum Kingdom Road, Berea, \$100,000
- Marion Taulbee and Susan Rae Taulbee to Richmond Rentals, LLC, 1057 Merrick Drive, Richmond, \$265,500
- David G. Wright and Jacqueline Michelle Wright to Tommy Cope Properties, LLC, tract U.S. 25, \$120,000
- Mircea Enciu and Billie Joe Enciu to George E. Riley and Jessica Riley, 3535 Berea Road, Richmond, \$100,000
- Milton L. Ward, by and through his Power-of Attorney, Rick Newman to David R. Baird and Constance Mulligan Baird, lot 3 Rockledge Subdivision, \$8,500

Jan. 6

- Robert E. Cook and Lisa

Hallmark-Cook (a/k/a Lisa Hallmark – Fleenor), Jeffrey Fleenor, Keith A. Williams (a/k/a Keith Williams), Sarah J. Klaser (a/k/a Sarah Jane Klaser-Williams), Tomas E. Horvath and Kimberly Horvath (a/k/a Kimberly Sullivan) and Roger Sullivan to Rebecca Williams (a/k/a Rebecca L. Noyola), 625 Greens Crossing Road, \$124,900

Jan. 9

- Jerry T. Hockensmith and Bethany Hockensmith to Jason Scott Griffith and Melissa Michelle Griffith, 524 Greathouse Drive, Richmond, \$286,000
- Kit Man Law to Tiffany Harvey, 205 Hollywood Court, \$290,000
- The Estate of Imogene Cates (a/k/a Imojean Cates a/k/a Imojean Cates), by and through Sandra Richardson, in her capac-

ity as Executor to Sandra Richardson, tract Madison County, for and in considerations of the provisions of and as a distribution of Item IV of the Last Will and Testament of Imogene Cates (a/k/a Imojean Cates, a/k/a Imojean Cates), Sandra Richardson, being a daughter and heir-at-law of the descendant

- Shannon Snapp and Danna W. Snapp to Snapp Property Group, LLC, lot 37 Southern Hills Subdivision, for and in consideration of an Agreement between the parties, Grantor Shannon Snapp being a Member of Gantee, a Kentucky LLC
- Jonathon B. Myers and Alicia D. Myers to Michael Sikes and Amanda Sikes, lot 36 Berkley Hall, Phase 2, \$40,000
- Creative Renovations, LLC and Haley Investments, LLC to Julie Ann

Fouts and Madison Taylor Hicks, lot 27 Rose Trace Subdivision, Phase 3, \$232,000

- Thomas R. Land and Melba A. Land to Thomas R. Land and Melba A. Land and Tia M. Land, tracts Forest Lane, \$for and inconsideration of the love and affection which Grantors have for Grantee, Tia Land, being daughter of Grantors
- Vanwinkle Real Estate Holdings, LLC to Chirag R. Patel, 3220 Old Irvine Road, Richmond, \$55,000
- Paul Sherbet to Ramesh Patel, lot 1 Estill – Hayes Subdivision, Moberly Road, Richmond, \$70,000

Jan. 10

- Brandon N. Fritz, member for Fritz Investments, LLC to Carlin Earl Champ, Michaela Rose Champ and Patric D. Haddix, 220 Brittany Circle, Richmond, \$215,000

- Josten Dakota Folmar to Kipnegetich Kirui and Jasmael Cherotich, 225 Amayllis Drive, Richmond, \$250,000
- Emmitt L. Igo and Edna K. Igo to Carlos D. Igo and Rachel Igo, 141 Short Street, Richmond, for and in consideration of the love and affection the grantor has for their son and daughter – in-law, the grantees
- Richard Clay Green and Marshia K. Greene, Jonathan David Green, Gladys Beck Green, and Rebecca Sue Tucker to James Carl Green, tract Madison County, \$1.00 and love and affection between siblings
- Mitchell Thomas Kiser and Danielle Kiser to Raymond P. Duncan and Jennifer L. Duncan, 516 Upper Hines Creek Road, Richmond, \$555,000

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Keith Taylor, publisher



Recipe from the heart

This time of year, it seems we all get tired of eating the same old thing. I happened up on this recipe and made it for the family and it was a hit. It is now in my "go to" recipe file.

Crockpot General Tso's Chicken

Makes 5 servings

Ingredients

4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts, cut into 1-inch cubes
1 Tablespoon vegetable oil
1/2 cup hoisin sauce
2 Tablespoons soy sauce
1/2 cup brown sugar
3 garlic cloves, minced
3 Tablespoons rice wine vinegar
1 teaspoon sesame oil
1/4 teaspoon dry ginger
1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper (can add more if desired)
1 Tablespoon cornstarch

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Directions

Cube chicken into 1-inch cubes and place in a crockpot (I recommend spraying or using a crock pot liner). In a small mixing bowl, whisk together, hoisin sauce, soy sauce, brown sugar, garlic, rice wine vinegar, sesame oil, ginger and crushed red pepper. Pour over chicken. Cook on low 3 – 4 hours or until chicken is thoroughly cooked. Remove chicken from crockpot. Mix 1 Tablespoons of cornstarch into the liquid in the crockpot. Add the chicken back into the crockpot and cook an additional 15 minutes longer.

Serve over rice. Garnish with green onions, sesame seeds or additional red pepper flakes if desired.

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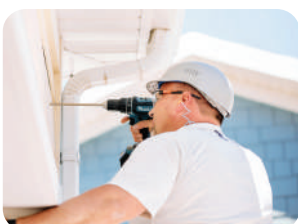
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Reflections

January 17, 1023 New construction

During the spring and summer and continuing into the next 2 years, great changes would be taking place on the Berea College Campus. Before the 1923 commencement, two new buildings would be in process of construction. These buildings would be the Women's Industrial Building, which would stand where the post office and doctor's office was moved from and the Normal Women's Dormitory, which will stand opposite the chapel on the other side of the street. President Hutchins announced that \$25,000 more had been pledged for the building. This would bring the total pledged for the project up to \$75,000 leaving a remainder of \$15,000 to be raised. The new Administration Building would perhaps be located near where the flagpole stood to take the place of the barracks near Howard Hall. Two New York architects, Messrs., Gray and Lawrence, would be on campus to devise plans for the first two buildings with



TAKING THE OATH--Kenneth Conn and Farrell Richardson were sworn in to serve terms on the Berea Board of Education by the chairman, Dr. Dwight Blackburn, at the first meeting of the board in the new year, on Jan. 10.

hope that the latter two buildings would be underway shortly after.

January 15, 1948 New Ford trucks here

A new line of Ford trucks was being shown in Berea for the first time at a special display held by Foley Motor Company. The streamlined models, new from the wheels up, were representative of the first post-war products of Ford according to Mr. C.V. Foley. He said that the new trucks were notable for an unprecedented range of models and capacities as well as many engineering changes. Two new series, F-7 and F-8 were the largest trucks ever manufactured by Ford to date. These mod-

els had a maximum gross vehicle weight of 19,000 and 21,000 pounds respectively. Another new series being displayed was a six-cylinder, cab-over model. Three new power plants were available for the new trucks, a 95 horsepower, six-cylinder engine, a 100 horsepower V-8 engine and a 145 -horsepower V-8.

January 18, 1973 Chamber plans for new year

Initial planning for 1973 projects was initiated at the January luncheon meeting of the board of directors of the Berea Chamber of Commerce. Don Hiles, president of the chamber as a whole, presided until Earl Shupe was re-elected chairman of the board. Projects

with highest priority that were considered were the re-establishment of the public information booth for the summer months and continued expansion of the Christmas lighting program. Mr. Hiles said considerable interest had been expressed in repeating the hospitality classes for local service people and asked Mrs. Harold Shearard to head the project for a second year. It was decided to turn over the corresponding secretarial duties, handled so capably for years by Mrs. Betty Anglin to Steve Snowden and his assistants at People's Bank and Trust Company. Mr. Shupe said that distributions of mail, etc., had become more difficult since most Chamber officers were in business in the east end of town, while Mrs. Anglin did her work on her own time at Parker Seal Company. The continued problem of there not being a Chamber phone number (other than the summer information booth) was also discussed. Mr. Hiles suggested that a permanent Chamber listing be inserted into the next phone

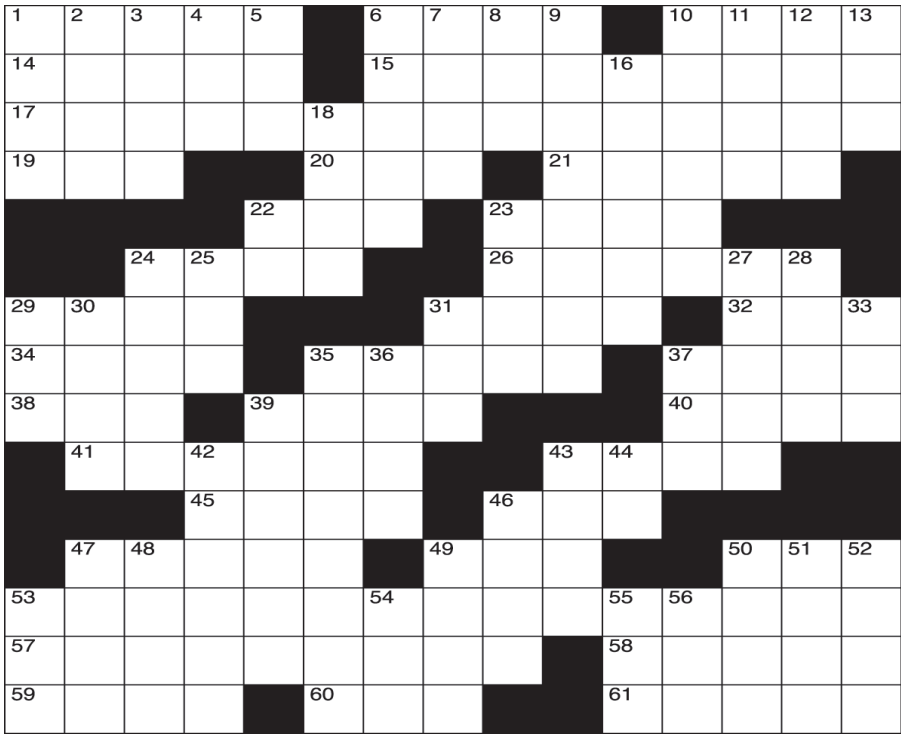
book connecting with one of the People's Bank telephones. Several other matters were addressed which had potential of developing at future meetings of the board and general membership.

January 15, 1998 Court purchases new chairs

The Madison County Fiscal Court voted Tuesday to purchase new chairs for the County courtroom to the tune of more than \$4,500. Madison County Judge Executive Kent Clark said that several boards and commissions use the classroom for meetings, the money would be well spent especially since the Fiscal Court would probably begin holding meetings each month beginning in the spring of 1999. Clark said that the old-fashioned wooden chairs that were in use at the time, were very uncomfortable, especially when meetings were very long. The court approved the purchase of nine chairs at just over \$500 each.

Games

Crossword



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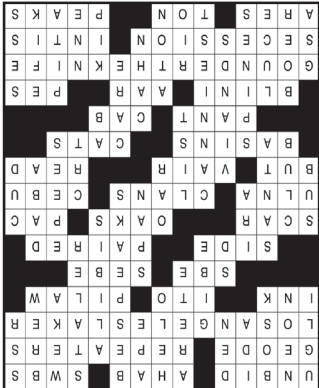
- Not invited
- Whale ship captain
- One point south of southwest
- Small cavity in a rock
- Recidivists
- City of Angels hoopster
- A way to mark with one's signature
- OJ trial judge
- Rice cooked in broth
- One point east of due south
- One point east of southeast
- Complements an entree
- Grouped by twos
- Disfigure
- Woods
- Political action committee
- Longer of 2 bones in the forearm
- Kin groups
- Philippine Island
- Contrary to
- Bluish-gray fur
- Comprehend the written word
- Natural depressions
- Felines
- Breathe noisily
- Taxi
- Pancake made from buckwheat flour
- Swiss river

- Have surgery
- Formal withdrawal
- Monetary units of Peru
- Greek war god
- 2,000 lbs.
- High points

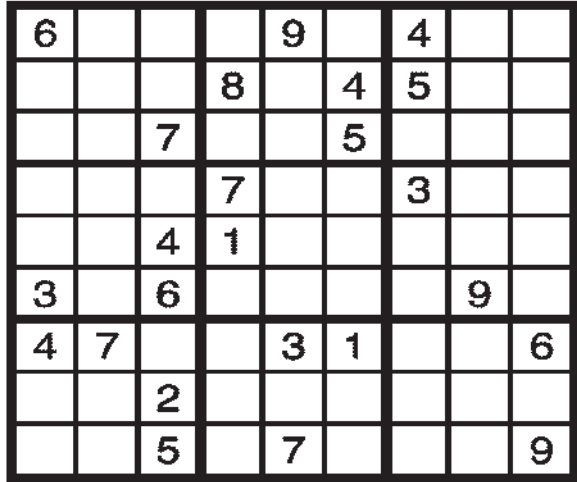
CLUES DOWN

- Green and yellow citrus fruit
- A bright color
- Thicket
- Journalist Tarbell
- A place to work or relax
- Sharp mountain ridge
- Helicopter
- Mimic
- Suggests
- More musty
- Large, flightless rail
- Make beer
- Soviet Socialist Republic
- People who can account for you
- Taunt
- South Dakota
- Cover the entirety of
- Kids' favorite visitor
- A way to save for retirement
- Fencing swords
- C. China mountain range
- Type of sandwich
- Team
- Paddle
- Partly digested food
- Most cagey

- Shoppers make one
- Cathode-ray tube
- Food supplies
- Backbones
- Concern
- Blood group
- Broadway songwriter Sammy
- Dutch colonist
- Full-grown pike fish
- Deity of a monotheistic cult
- Type of bread
- S. Nigerian people
- Scottish tax
- Young women's association
- Brazilian city
- Hide of a young animal
- Midway between north and northeast



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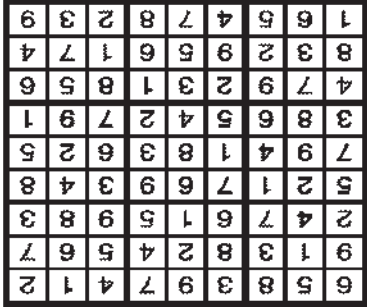
Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

Level: Intermediate

Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!



ANSWER:

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to bath safety. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 3 = G)

A. 8 15 24 10

Clue: Slide

B. 3 9 11 2

Clue: Hold on

C. 15 24 3 4 5 24 25 3

Clue: Illumination

D. 23 11 5 14 9

Clue: H2O

Answers: A. slip B. grab C. lighting D. water



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ALLEN

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they used to do in the old times, and whoever could come over would. Her company went down so I started calling her everyday and asking her to tell me different stories about her life. I tried to write them all down and we decided to put them on Facebook. She loved reading all of the comments and those interactions made her feel a lot better.”

Bolaski said her 92-year-old mother, who no longer drives but still loves to cook, told the stories with such color and emotion in voice that she felt like other people should hear them. “My Mom is such a character and isn’t afraid to tell a story or two about herself,” she said.

Sharing stories

Allen, who was born June 4, 1930, has written and shared stories about everything from family reunions to getting electricity in her home, to the first time seeing skywriting by an airplane, to even the day she was born, although she admits to not remembering much about that day but is proud to say that she lives only two miles from the house where she was born.

In her “Family Reunion 1930-1940” story, Allen wrote about her grandfather, Napoleon Bonaparte Combs, born in 1873. “The family reunions were held on his farm, which was not accessible by car for those who had them, so people parked as close as possible and carried food up a rocky, ledge roadway to his house,” she wrote. “Most of the horse drawn wagons could maneuver the bumps and rocks.”

Allen described her grandfather as a tall, thin, and nobel man. She said he worked his way through college by digging ginseng and selling it, and had to walk daily up over a mountain to get to school. Later in life, he was the Perry County Court Clerk for many years. She painted a picture of him as kind and loving to his family, friends and strangers. “He always has candy or a copper to give to the kids and he is a wonderful storyteller,” she writes. “He planted an apple orchard, peach trees, apricot trees, a mulberry tree and huge gardens just to give away to anyone in need. Always thinking of others.”

Amazed by electricity

Allen can vividly recall the day electricity was installed inside her home and the curiosity of how it worked. “Electricity finally arrived in many country homes near us in 1948. It had been a long wait because many city homes were wired in 1920’s and before,” she wrote. “The poles were planted and houses were wired. People were skittish and afraid. Many were suspicious and thought the government was spying. Some said those wires were a doorway for evil to enter our homes. Most were terrified of electrocution.”

Her story continued, “We were amazed that we had a light in every room. The novelty of walking in and turning on a light without having to carry the lantern with us was most amusing.

“I was very curious. Looking into an empty light socket I wondered what “electrocution” might feel like. I wanted to know the possibilities. I had the sudden urge to put my finger in it and see what it felt like (I have no idea why) so I just stuck my finger straight into the two prongs inside the socket, and my whole arm instantly went numb, this was the most intense shock. It almost made me fall on my butt. This is the dumbest thing I’d ever done. I’ll never make that mistake again. I doubted the theory of evil coming through the wires or the government spying but electrocution was real.”

Allen said since she had written about her mischief as a youth with sticking her finger in the light socket, that she wanted to share about her conviction, adding that attending church services regularly was very important to her family.

She begins her story, “Well, I am a teenager and having a ball, living my life. Not always paying attention to my readiness to meet Jesus. That day, I found myself alone in the house. I heard a strange noise outside. It was a steady buzz and unusual. I went outside to see an airplane and it was maneuvering in a weird pattern. Seeing an airplane is not common and this one is doing something different.

As I watch, I can clearly see the letter “P” and right then and there, I knew it was a message from God Almighty Himself!!! “P R E P A R E T O M E E T T H Y GOD”

My heart is racing, and with no one home to turn to, I lift my dress and scale the barbed wire fence to get to the closest neighbor!! In a big rush, my dress gets caught up in the wire but I keep running in my bare feet, with half the skirt flapping behind me. I run down a little hill, through some wetland and up the other side, I am screaming as loud as I can. Falling, clawing at the dirt and dragging my dress, I run and don’t stop until I reach Lena and Dean Guinn’s place.

They see me running and hollering and come outside on the porch. I was pointing skyward and shouting out a warning! They look up, and appear to be as frightened as I am! It scares the pure daylights out of me.

Finally, reach them, and I turn around to take another look. Knowing the Lord would be in the clouds and I am not prepared. There across the sky, in the biggest letters, I ever saw, I read “P E P S I C O L A”

Laughing, Lena, Dean and I are relieved, and that doesn’t even describe what I feel. I have another chance, another day to prepare.”

Allen continues to share stories of her life on Facebook. She loves reading the comments by her friends of her life well lived.

- If you or someone you know wants to be included in this series, call and leave a message at (859) 986-0959.

BRIEFS

Rotary Club meeting regularly

The Berea Rotary Club meets every first and third Tuesday from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at Smokehouse Grill, Berea. Each luncheon features a guest speaker, projects are discussed and ordinary business conducted.

The club also meets on the forth Thursday 5:30 p.m. at Honeysuckle, Churchill for a relaxed and informal “after hours meet and greet.”

For more information, call (859) 248-0690.

COVID-19 cases rising again

FRANKFORT (KT) – Kentucky saw an increase in new cases as well as deaths due to COVID-19 over the past seven days, while decreases were seen in hospitalizations and the positivity rate, according to the latest report released Tuesday afternoon.

State public health officials say there were 7,559 new cases over the past seven days. That is a significant jump from 6,208 last week, and 3,532 the previous week, but well below the 8,920 from two weeks ago. A total of 1,085 new cases were reported in

those 18 and younger, compared to 425 in the Jan. 9 report.

This brings the total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Kentucky to 1,680,601, since the first one was reported in Harrison County during March 2020.

Gas prices trending upward

FRANKFORT (KT) – Gas prices in Kentucky, which dropped to an average of \$2.79 per gallon for regular unleaded around Christmas, are back on the rise, with the blame being placed squarely on the cold weather experienced on the Christmas weekend.

The prices have rebounded to a statewide average of \$3.01, as of Monday afternoon, according to GasBuddy.com, a crowd-sourced gas price tracking app and website. That is up a penny from Sunday, seven cents higher than a week ago, 12 cents above one month ago, and two cents per gallon more than last year.

The jump is due to previous refinery outages caused by the cold weather the week of Christmas, according to Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy.

HOPE

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sold by their families for money or drugs, Foster said.

Vicki Primrose added that while people don’t initially believe human trafficking could be a problem in central Kentucky, it’s far more prevalent than realized, and a great many of the victims are children forced into sexual servitude to survive.

“You may not know someone who has been trafficked, but I can assure you that you have walked past at least one little girl who has been part of this vile exploitation,” Primrose said. “The first step toward changing the outcome for these girls is raising awareness. It’s not something you see in a movie or a TV show, it’s real life. It’s a real thing, a real issue, and it happens every day.”

Jamie Arnold noted the goal of Redeeming Home and the Berea home is to help teach victims of human trafficking that they don’t have to be defined by “the worst thing that has happened to them in their lives.”

Instead, Arnold said residents will live in a secure homestyle setting, they’ll be assisted in securing their GED or high school diploma, but most of all, they will receive emotional support to begin a new life, living among other girls who are also recovering. “They are going to get the love and support they need,” Arnold said.

Those wanting to help Redeeming Hope can check out the organization’s Facebook page, or they can contact Lisa Foster at 859-582-1010. When asked by Councilmember Teresa Scenters how Bereans can support Redeeming Hope, Foster said financial support and awareness are the two things most needed right now.

“We’re are trying raise money by fundraising in ways that we can. We need your support and we need you all to love these girls and to talk it up in Madison County, and we need your eyes to watch and report,” Foster said.

At the conclusion of their presentation, Councilmember Cora Jane Wilson told an unsettling story of a man who came into her antique shop in search of a girl who was clearly on the run. While Wilson suspects the girl got away, the incident suggested to her Berea will likely see more instances of possible trafficking and child exploitation.

“It’s real. It’s here, we’re on the interstate. It’s real folks,” Wilson said.

Those who suspect they have seen a victim of human trafficking can call 911, their local law enforcement agency, or call the Department of Homeland Security anonymous hotline to report human trafficking at 888-373-7888.

In other news, the council unanimously approved the appointments of Greg Lakes, Michael Barnett, Ben Robinson III, and Jeff Johnson to four-year terms on the Berea Planning Commission. Mayor Bruce Fraley thanked outcoming P&Z commissioners Jeff Reed and Phil Malicote for their service. Additionally, the council approved the appointment of Jeannie Hogg to the Berea Housing Authority Board. Fraley also thanked Ken Vasey for his 24 years of service.

Planning and Codes Administrator Amanda Haney requested the city accept street and road infrastructure at the Stoney Creek Subdivision, including 4,757 linear feet of road, curb, gutter from Wildwood Way past Boulder Court, Sapphire Drive to Middlecreek Drive. The infrastructure build by developers is valued at approximately \$1.9 million. Additionally, the council voted to accept 2,100 feet of sewer line and 10 manholes into the city’s maintenance plan.

During the City Administrator’s Report, Rose Beverly revealed three first responders will be retiring soon. James Hampton will be retiring from the Berea Police Department, while Scott Adams and Steve Bryant will be retiring from the Berea Fire Department. The men were thanked for their service by Mayor Fraley and members of the council.

The next Berea City Council meeting will be February 7.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Jan. 10

- Timothy J. Nelson and Julie B. Nelson to Ivan Fredrick McMurty and Sarah Anne McMurty, 2040 Hidden Falls Trail, \$699,500
- Jacob Curtis Kobza to Reuben Carlisle Rawlings Watson and Emily Dawn Watson, 204 Norwood Drive, Richmond, \$157,500
- Susan Danner and Craig Danner to Cherisan Davis, lot 6 Green Meadows Subdivision, Block 1, \$241,500
- Courtney Smith and Kristi McAllister, as Co-Administrators of the Estate of J. Susan Smith to Rebecca Dawn Helfinstine, 686 Cottonwood Drive, \$168,500
- Anthony Michael Smith and Sadie Marie Smith to Cynthia Ford, Donald Taylor and Freida Gross, lot 178 – 1 Dixie Park Subdivision, Berea, \$179,000
- Robert J. Cottrell, III to Joshua H. Coyle, Anna M. Coyle and Bobby Coyle, 110

Washington Drive, Richmond, \$149,500

Allison Renae Noland and William Nicholas Noland to Ridgeline Premiere Properties, LLC, lot 80 Lower South Pointe Phase I, \$324,000

- Boone Square Shopping Center, LLC to Abe Haak and Elizabeth Ann Elert, parcel A plat 30/285, \$6,500
- Jordan D. Bellamy and Sheri Bellamy to Jamie L. Hull, Donald R. Hull and Franklin Edward Jezek, 137 Bryson Way, Richmond, \$326,900
- Virginia Rose Foster to Alvin Wayne Foster, tracts Madison County, for and in consideration of \$1.00 and for the love and affection of a parent to child
- Buy Lexington Houses, LLC to Switzer Investments, 218 Whirl-A-Way, Richmond, \$175,000
- Joy A. Stevens to James Darwin Wilson and Nicole

Leigh Wilson, tract plat 18/398, \$185,000

- Shiloh Cove Properties, LLC to LP Construction, LLC, lot 4 Shiloh Cove Subdivision, Phase I, \$32,000

Jan. 11

- Amy Maupin Harris to James Douglas Harris, II to Rebekah Terry and Mark D. Terry, 2786 Old U.S. 25 North, Berea, \$570,000
- Joe D. Kerr, III and Angela R. Kerr Jennifer Graham, 236 Miller Drive, Richmond, \$215,000
- Dustin Kelley and Sidney Marie Kelley to David M. Kelley, tract Madison County, for and in consideration of the love and affection
- Taylor R. Davis and Beth Davis to Joshua Maynard and Laura Maynard, lot 62 Double D. Meadows, Phase III, \$229,000
- Carolyn M. Fish to William M. Reichert and

Sharon Reichert, 315 Riva Ridge Road Richmond, \$285,000

- Indigo Run, Inc to Broadadd Homes, LLC, lot 4 Berkley Hall, Phase 3, \$50,000
- Rebecca E. Helton, Trustee of the Rebecca E. Helton Trust and Rebecca E. Helton, Trustee of the C. Robert Helton Trust to Rebecca E. Helton, Trustee of the Helton Family Trust, 439 Crooksville Road; 489 Crooksville Road; Parcel 3 Crooksville Road; 1900 Berea Road, for the purpose and in compliance with the Order of the Madison County Court
- Madison Properties, LLC to RCK Investments, LLC, lot A 1 plat 26/70, \$2,100,000
- Virginia Haley, through her Attorney-In-Fact, Betty Kotila to Betty Kotila, lot 17 Mockingbird Hill – South, for and in consideration

of 1% ownership, being \$179.00

- Bessie Sizemore (a/k/a Bessie Ellen Sizemore) to John Walker Biggs, tract Madison County, the Grantor, for no monetary consideration but as a gift from a parent to her grandchild
- Bessie Sizemore (a/k/a Bessie E. Sizemore) to Johnella Sizemore Marcum, tract Madison County, the Grantor, for no consideration but as a gift from parent to child
- Mark Alcorn (a/k/a Mark S. Alcorn) and Jocie Alcorn to Tyler Alcorn, tracts Madison County, the Grantor, for no monetary consideration but rather as a gift from parents to a child
- Chester E. Powell and Helen Faye Powell to G.T. Construction, tract Madison County, \$185,000

Religion

It's hard to look cool when your suit doesn't fit

A young preacher needed a suit, but he didn't have a lot of money to spend. So the salesman pulled one off the rack that was priced at \$30. When the young preacher tried it on, he quickly realized the left arm was shorter than the right. "That's why it's so cheap," the salesman said. "Just pull up your left shoulder and tuck the lapel under your chin a little bit."

"But the right leg is way too short, too," the young preacher said.

"No problem," the salesman said. "Just keep your right knee bent a little and no one will notice."

So the young preacher bought the suit and walked out the door; his shoulder pulled up, the lapel under his chin, and his knee slightly bent.

"Look at that poor injured man," a lady shopper said to her friend.

"Yeah, but doesn't that suit fit great," her friend replied.

What I've learned over the years is that just because something fits well doesn't mean we ought to wear it.

I was reminded of that earlier this week while pumping gas. A young man was getting gas at the pump beside me, the beltloops on his britches midway down his thighs. Fortunately, he had on some kind of underpants to cover his modesty.

Amazingly, he seemed to get around fine like that. He made it inside the convenience store without tripping. So, obviously, he could walk in that getup. But I feel sure he couldn't run, at least not fast, because I didn't see anything to prevent those pants from falling down around his ankles.

In an emergency, I suppose he could grab his trousers and hold them up to run.

That's kind of what the great prophet Elijah did one time. In Elijah's day, men wore long robes and cloaks.

Not the kind of things you'd wear when jogging.

One day, Elijah had to get to a



Roger Alford

place called Jezreel quick, so he "girded up his loins" and sprinted so fast that he outran a horse-drawn chariot (1 Kings:18:46). He essentially pulled up his robe, tucked it into his belt, and ran like the dickens.

We have to be careful that we're not slowed down by robes or cloaks or low-hanging trousers or irregular suits. The Bible instructs us to run our races unincumbered.

"Let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily best us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus who is the author and finisher of our faith" (Hebrews 12:1-2).

From a spiritual perspective, that scripture is describing sin as a "weight" that can trip us up.

From a practical perspective, it could also be a reminder that we can also be slowed down by the clothing we wear, whether that's britches down around our thighs, or a long robe, or an irregular suit that causes us to walk like we've been injured.

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- Mary Oldfield, DMD, PSC, 126 North Broadway, Berea. Phone: 986-2060

Pharmacy

- Berea Drug, U.S. 25 North. Phone: 986-4521

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Christian

- Glades Christian Church, Glades Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m., Pastor Rick Fulton. For details, call 986-1421.
- Wayside Christian Church, Mene-laus Pike, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Ron Lutes. For details, call 985-9465.

Church of Christ

- Berea Church of Christ, 357 North Dogwood Drive, Berea. Sunday worship 11 a.m., Bro. Stephen Boyd. For details, call 986-4438.

First Church of God

- Fountain Park First Church of God, 5000 Secretarian Dr., Richmond. Pastor Ben Jordan, Sunday worship - 11 a.m. 623-3511.

Church of God

- Berea Church of God, 189 Rash Road, Berea, the Rev. Steve Hobbs. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. For details, call 986-4968.
- Conway Church of God, US 25 South, Conway, Sunday worship 11 a.m., the Rev. C.W. Williams.
- Paint Lick Church of God, Old RailRoad Bed Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-3390.
- Harmon's Lick Church of God, Harmon's Lick Rd, Sunday service 11 a.m., Bro. Vernon Willard, 792-8639.

Catholic

- St. Clare Catholic Church, 622 Chestnut St., Sunday mass 9 a.m., Saturday mass 7 p.m., Spanish mass Sunday 4 p.m. Rev. Gary Simpson. For details, call 986-4633.

Disciples of Christ

- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), 206 Chestnut St., Sunday worship 10 a.m., Rev. Mark and Rev. Lisa Caldwell-Reiss. For details, call 986-4553.
- Kirksville Christian Church, KY 595 at KY 1295, Kirksville, the Rev. John Poulette, 484-769-9351. Sunday worship 11 a.m.
- Mt. Zion Christian Church, 830 Battlefield Memorial Highway, the Rev. Roger Hurt.

Episcopal

- Danforth Chapel, Berea College Draper Building, evening prayer 6 p.m. on first, third and fifth Thursdays.
- Episcopal Church of Our Saviour, 2323 Lexington Road, Richmond, the Rev. Carol Ruthven, Priest in Charge. Sunday Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Bible study 10 am. For details, call 623-1226 or www.oursaviourky.org.

Lutheran

- St. Thomas Lutheran Church, 1285 Barnes Mill Road, Richmond, Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., the Rev. Barry Neese, pastor. For details, call 623-7254.

Methodist

- Berea United Methodist Church, 101 Fee St., Sunday worship 8:30 & 11 a.m., Pastor Timo Karvonen. For details, call 986-3485.
- Paint Lick United Methodist Church, 10950 KY 52 West, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 925-4441.

Pentecostal

- Bearwallow Pentecostal Holiness Church, Bear Wallow Road, Dreyfus, Pastor Charles Whittamore.
- Berea Evangelistic Center, 180 Plaza Drive, Sunday worship 1 p.m., Pastor Jeff Osborne. For details, call 986-8491. bereaevangelistic.org
- Big Hill Pentecostal Holiness Church, US 421, Pastor, Rev. Steve Isaacs. Call 606-386-3237.
- Compass Worship Center, 292 Glades Rd., Ste 5, Pastor Adam Roberts. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. 859-358-3391.
- Holy Pentecostal Sanctuary, Crest-view Drive, Bro. Harold Eads.
- Harmons Lick Holiness Church, Harmons Lick Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11:30 a.m., Pastor Mikie Leger. For details, call 859-893-4367.
- Pony Express Holiness Church, 1711 Big Hill Rd., Worship Mon. - Fri. at 7:30 p.m., Sunday worship 6 p.m., Pastor Artie Jacob Alexander. For details, call 859-893-3654.

Presbyterian

- Whites Memorial Presbyterian Church, 401 White Station Rd., Sun. worship 11 a.m. Pastor, Rev. Tim Noel. Call 986-7734 or go to whites-memorial.weebly.com / Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)
- Berea Friends Meeting, 300 Harrison Road, Sunday worship 10 a.m. For details, call 334-0406.

Other

- Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 156 S. Keeneland Dr., Richmond. Sunday sacrament 10:50 a.m., Bishop Emery Martin. For details, call 624-2067.
- Crossroads Fellowship Church, 475 Paint Lick Rd., Sunday worship 11:03 a.m., Pastor Jonas Hill. For details, call 859-986-LIFE.
- First Faith Independent Church, 700 N Powell Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Darren Slone. For details, call 859-314-1465.
- Liberty Avenue Full Gospel Outreach, 113 Liberty Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Donald R. Wilson.
- Living Waters Sanctuary, Liberty Avenue, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Rev. Larry Day. For details, call 859-661-2119.
- New Hope Reformed Church, 704 Mayde Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. Pastor Russ Westbrook 606-975-3415. newhopereformed.net.
- River of Life Foursquare Church, 590 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Sunday worship 9 & 11 a.m., Pastor Tim Lawson. For details, call 985-7809.
- Rugged Cross Cowboy Church, Bluegrass Stockyards (348 K Street), Thursday at 7 p.m. Pastor Jeff Duncan, contact at (859) 608-5322.
- Union Church, 200 Prospect St., Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Kent Gilbert. 986-3725.
- Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 1081 Willis Branch Road, Richmond, Sunday service 10:45 a.m. Call 623-1584.

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Five and counting

Lady Pirates capture 5th straight 11th Region title for state berth

**By Mike Moore
For The Citizen**

Before the season, Berea Lady Pirates Coach Dammian Stepp wasn't sure how his team would respond after graduating six seniors from last year's squad that helped the Lady Pirates win its fourth straight 11th Region All-A Championship.

“We were able to pick up some good wins early over teams like Paris and Lafayette,” Stepp said of his 2022-2023 team. “I think that helped build confidence.”

The confidence was evident as the Lady Pirates (11-4) again marched through the 11th Region All-A tournament to win its fifth straight title with a 35-27 victory over Lexington Christian Academy on Saturday.

Abigail Beard and Maddy King paced the Lady Pirates with 12 and 11 points, respectively. Beard also added 10 rebounds in the win. Sophie Brewer added four points and six rebounds in the winning effort, while Mandy Newman finished with four points. Kandence Stepp and Lauren Stepp each added two points to round out the scoring for Berea.

"I have been more than pleased with how our players have stepped up," Stepp said. "They have successfully stepped into roles unfamiliar to them and have done so very quickly."

Stepp praised the efforts of Beard, who has become Berea's leading scorer on the year with a 12.1 per game average and a 4.9 rebound per game average.

"Most of the offense goes through her," Stepp said. "She is also an excellent defender who gets tough assignments each night."

While Beard has stepped into the leading scorer role, King runs the offense from the point guard position.

"She has proven to be an excellent ballhandler," Stepp said. "She is

very effective under pressure. She is also an excellent athlete and has used her athleticism and basketball skills to become a top-notch playmaker."

Stepp said the difference between the teams that won the school's previous All-A Region titles is depth.

"(They) were blessed with depth," he explained. "They were essentially the same group of players for four years. They experienced success as freshmen, and it carried over through graduation.

"While several of our current players were key contributors to past success, they are now in leadership roles where the weight falls on their shoulders," he continued. "This team is also faced with less depth and is asked to play more minutes."

While players like Beard and King grab the headlines, the fifth straight title wouldn't have happened without the whole team contributing.

Stepp said Brewer has become viable inside and outside threat and has an outstanding work ethic.

"She is also the vocal leader we needed," the coach said.

Lauren Stepp provides size in the middle, and Coach Stepp said the more experience she gains, the better she will become.

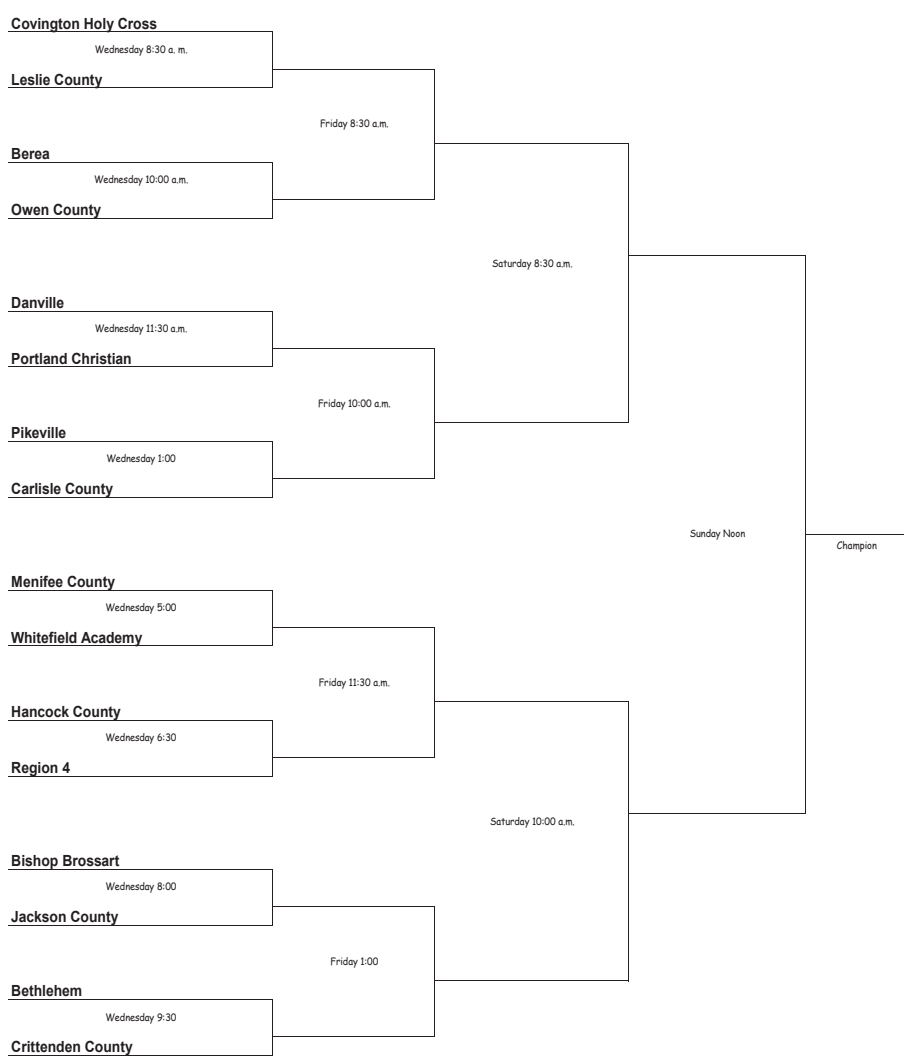
As a freshman, Kadee Step has surpassed all of Coach Stepp's expectations.

"(She) has been a pleasant surprise," Coach Stepp said. "She has been able to contribute at the varsity level, and she also provides size in the post and is a solid defender down low."

Berea begins the State All-A tournament Wednesday, Jan. 25, when they take on the Owen County Lady Rebels (12-6). Owen County punched its ticket to the state All-A tournament with a 56-37 win over Carroll County in the 8th Region title game. Tip-off time is scheduled for 10 a.m.

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Jacob Toppin and CJ Fredrick celebrate Kentucky's win over Tennessee last Saturday in Knoxville. (UK Athletics Photo)

Signature victory

Cats crush Vols to get back on track

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (KT) — Kentucky ended a week of turmoil with a triumph. A program in disarray following a two-game losing streak, the Wildcats (11-6, 2-3 Southeastern Conference) recorded their first signature win of the season over a ranked opponent with a stunning 63-56 victory over No. 5 Tennessee Saturday. It marked the first time in school history an unranked Kentucky team had defeated a ranked opponent on the road. "This was a great road win," Kentucky coach John Calipari said. In an effort to get his team back on track, Calipari had his players turn in the iPhones, iPads and "everything else" on Friday. The scheme worked and the players didn't mind

being without their tech tools for an extended period of time. "He's going to do that every game now," Kentucky senior Jacob Toppin said. "At first I wasn't going to give it up, but it was for the betterment of the team. We gave up our phones and a lot of people were struggling to give up their phones. Everyone did it and we won a game." Calipari even had school president Dr. Eli Capaluto come along with the team for the duration of the stay in Knoxville. "I wanted him to be absolutely immersed in this so he could see what we're trying to do and how we're trying to do it," Calipari said. "These players did that for themselves and the fans that have stood

by them. I'm happy for Dr. Capaluto, (athletics director) Mitch Barnhart and Lee (Todd), the guy who brought me here. I'm happy for them. It's no easy road, but I haven't lost any faith in these guys, "I've done it a long time. When you are shooting arrows and bullets, I've got bazooka holes in my body. They go right through, they don't even hit skin. "It is what it is and you can be mad, happy or sad. I've got a good team." Kentucky displayed the toughness that Calipari's past teams employed and made clutch shots, connected on free throws (22 of 25) and overcame the absence of point guard Sahvir Wheeler, who sat out because of an injured shoulder.

The makeshift backcourt included Cason Wallace, Antonio Reeves and CJ Fredrick. Reeves led the Wildcats with 18 points, one of three players in double figures. "Antonio was the most impactful player," Calipari said. "He did great. ... we're just trying to patch it together. Here is what happened today: We defended and fought like my teams normally do. We hadn't been that (kind of team) up to this point." Oscar Tshiebwe added a double-double with 15 points and 13 rebounds, followed by CJ Fredrick with 13 points, 10 of those coming in the first half. However, the biggest difference was Kentucky's ability to overcome adversity throughout the contest.

Coen seeks to restore 'Big Blue Wall'

LEXINGTON KT) — Liam Coen's top priority in his second stint as Kentucky's offensive coordinator is to get the offensive line back on track. "That's the No. 1 priority when we get there is diving into that position group. Both personnel wise, schematically, fundamentally, technique, attitude, demeanor," Coen said. "All of that needs to get (dived) into really quickly when we get there." During Coen's first stint with the Wildcats two years ago, the Wildcats had an offensive line that rarely got pushed around and domi-

nated the line of scrimmage. Coen guided an offense that helped lead the Wildcats to a 10-3 mark and a win over Iowa in the Citrus Bowl. "We had experience (and) that was different," Coen said. "We had three players on that offensive line that went on to play in the National Football League. One's (Fortner) obviously starting, so those things are different. There's a different set of experience, different personalities in that room."



Liam Coen

Coen will work alongside second-year Kentucky offensive line coach Zach Yenser. Coen is familiar and comfortable with Yenser. "We definitely know each other a little bit from the previous time and have been able to speak to him a little bit over the last few weeks. But, really like (Yenser) as a dude," Coen said. "I think he's the type of person that we'll work well together. He's a little bit different, obviously than Wolf (Eric Wolford). A little bit less probably in terms of some of just demeanor wise. I love Wolf. "I think we'll blend pretty

well together. Excited about listening to him in terms of how he's teaching some things. And then for us to get on the same page about how ultimately we'd like it to be done." In addition to getting the offensive line back in rhythm, Coen added that running the football also needs to improve. "I think we'd all agree that we need to be able to run the football better and protect the quarterback better. So those are the two things that we're going to get together and talk about and be able to kind of figure this thing out."

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17

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Florida A&M • Won • 88-68

28

at Missouri • Lost • 89-75

31

Louisville • Won • 86-63

January

LSU

3

LSU • Won • 74-71

7

at Alabama • Lost • 78-52

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Tennessee • Won • 63-56

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Georgia • Won • 85-71

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County considering sharing funds for rehab facility

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

The Madison County Fiscal Court and the City of Richmond are in discussions to fund the construction of a 95-bed rehabilitation facility for men in Richmond. Richmond City Manager Rob Minerich asked the court to participate in an interlocal agreement, along with the city of Richmond,

“**This would be one of the missing pieces of the puzzle in our community ...**”

Rob Minerich, Richmond City Manager

to help finance the facility at the fiscal court’s Jan. 24 meeting at Richmond City Hall. The court will vote on Feb. 14 whether or not to enter into the agreement with the city.

In his speech to the court, Minerich said there were 69 deaths in Madison County in 2022 due to overdoses. So far in 2023, there have been five confirmed overdose deaths in the county.

“This would be one of the missing pieces of the puzzle in our community,” Minerich said. “We have a women’s rehab center, God’s Outreach, a food bank, and Madison Home, which serves the homeless, as well as helps with addiction and mental health. “ Minerich said it would cost \$6 million to purchase property and renovate it for use as a rehabilitation facility.

The city is applying for a \$3 million federal grant from the Economic Development Association. He is asking the county to contribute \$1.5 million to match the \$1.5 million the city would contribute. The money from the city and county would come from the Opioid Settlement Fund, which is not a part of

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‘Aye’ for the All ‘A’



The Berea Lady Pirates made their fifth straight appearance in the All “A” Classic State Tournament on Wednesday at Baptist Health Arena in Richmond. The Lady Pirates dropped a 30-25 setback to Owen County. Abigail Beard led Berea with 10 points, followed by Lauren Stepp with eight, Sophie Brewer with six and Mandy Newman with one. At left, Berea’s Sophie Brewer pulls down a rebound, while cheerleader Jessica Bowles gets the crowd going prior to tipoff. The event concludes Sunday at EKU.

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Red Lick Fire Department building training facility

By Leslie Barlow
Citizen Staff Writer

The Red Lick Volunteer Fire Department is working to enhance the image of volunteer firefighters with the construction of a new regional training facility. “A common problem with volunteer firefighters is that most people think we are not trained the same as other firefighters,” said Red Lick Assistant Fire Chief Chad Furrow. “So we are building a training facility to kind of combat that image. The new building will allow people to see that we train just as much as other fire departments.” The new facility will allow firemen to work on skills such as forced entry into burning structures, as well as roof ventilation, and many other skills to enhance their training. “This new building is going to give our

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OBITUARIES

Mr. Gary Allan Elam



Mr. Gary Allan Elam, 72, of Berea, passed away on January 18, 2023, at the UK Hospital in Lexington.

Gary was born in Kenton County, Kentucky on June 20, 1950, the son of the late Jack & Maxine Tarter Elam. He was raised in Cincinnati and was a graduate of the Courter Tech High School and was a faithful employee of Dresser Industries for over 27 years until they closed. According to his family and friends, Gary was a fountain of knowledge and very smart – he never quit learning and in 2007, he earned his associates degree from the Kentucky Business College. Gary also loved to travel and had visited 47 states. Most of all, Gary loved the Lord and was a member of the Holiness Faith. He attended the Crestview Holy Sanctuary and the New Hope Holiness Church where he looked forward to taking part in the service with singing.

Survivors include: the love of his life, and wife of almost 50 years, Charlotte Powell Elam; his children, Gary Daniel Elam (Emily), & Angela Elam Isaacs; two grandchildren, Timothy Isaacs & Lucas Daniel Elam; one brother, Roger Elam (Glenda); two sisters, Lana Bailey (Wayne), and Gail Gabbard (Conrad); as well as a host of other extended family and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one son, Timothy Allan Elam; two brothers, Darrell & Randy; one sister, Marsha; his beloved grandfather and hero, Browder Tarter, and a special pastor and mentor, Pastor Harold Eads.

Funeral Services were conducted on Saturday, January 21, 2023, at the Crestview Holy Sanctuary. Pastor Greg Cress, Pastor Mark Adams, Pastor Marty Howard, Bro. Ricky Powell and Bro. Luther Akers officiated. Burial followed in the Flatwoods Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Lucas Daniel Elam, Timothy Isaacs, Angela Isaacs, Matthew Bailey, Jeremy Bailey, Brian Elam, JC Powell, Ray Powell, and Jack Clontz. Honorary Pallbearers were Teddy Elam, Ricky Cress, Mark Tabor as well as his cousins and work friends.

The Combs, Parsons & Collins Funeral Home, W. Main St., Richmond, is in charge of the arrangements.

Message from Cora Jane Wilson



“Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof. ... Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God.”

Romans 6: 12-13 (KJV)




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Berea College welcomes back community members

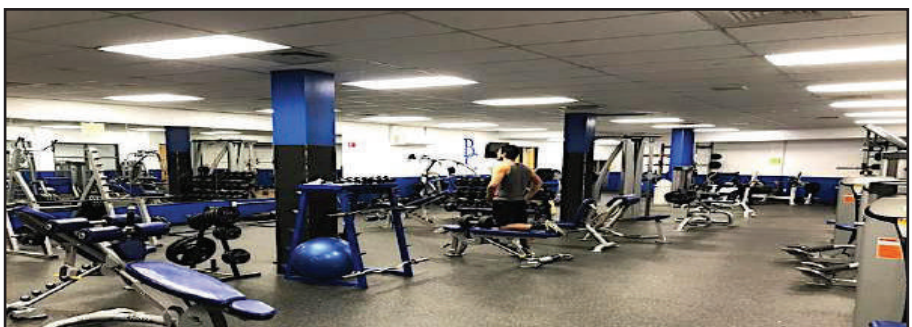
**By Paula Keshderian
Berea College**

The Seabury Center at Berea College has reopened to community members following a nearly three-year closure due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

“We are excited to welcome members of the community back to Seabury Center,” said Berea College Athletics Director Ryan Hess, who also serves as director of Seabury Center. “We value the unique connection between our campus and the surrounding community and look forward to renewing those relationships.”

“If there is one message the Seabury Center wants to convey to folks, it would be, come back,” Hess said. “As a member, there are so many activities members can participate in, from swimming laps to walking on the indoor track.”

Community members have access to all amenities Seabury Center offers: the cardio room, weight room, indoor track (a community favorite, according to Hess), racquetball courts, swimming pool, tennis courts and, when available, the Hager gymnasium.



Several group fitness classes have already resumed, including Chronic Conditions and Water Arthritis, and Hess said he hopes several more will be added in the not-too-distant future.

Masks currently are not required, but that policy is subject to change. “The College remains committed to making sure our students, faculty, staff and our members are safe,” Hess explained.

“Group fitness classes are a great way for campus and community members to come together and support each other,” Hess added. “These classes are fun, engaging opportunities to begin your fitness journey or jumpstart your fitness goals in a welcoming environment, and we love to see our members engaging with our students.”

A community membership is required for entry and can be purchased at the Seabury Center service desk on the ground floor. Memberships that were deactivated in March 2020 will need to be reactivated. Members can sign up for an individual semester membership (fall, spring, summer) or annual access to the center. Membership fees vary. Daily or weekly guest passes also are available.

On-campus parking in the Seabury Center lot is also available with membership approval.

Questions about Seabury Center and membership can be directed to seaburycenter@berea.edu or by calling the center at (859) 985-3420.

For more information, follow the Seabury Center at Berea College Facebook page or visit the center’s website at <https://www.berea.edu/seab/>.

Sporting events open to the public

Berea College athletics events are open to the public, and all Mountaineer contests are free for spectators.

“Our athletes are excited to, once again, play in front of larger crowds,” Hess said. “Crowd support plays a huge role in motivating our student-athletes. We hope members of the community will join us at home games, and we greatly appreciate their support of our teams.”

“Both of our basketball teams are playing great right now and are fun to watch,” Hess added. “The women’s basketball team has won four straight conference championships and should contend for another title this season. The men’s team plays hard and are well-positioned for a post-season run as well. We would love to welcome folks back to Seabury Center to watch some basketball games, and our spring sports are just now getting underway as well.”

For a complete schedule of athletics events, visit www.bereaathletics.com.

Wanda Powell Ingram



Wanda Powell Ingram, 81, of Berea, died suddenly at her home Sunday, January 15, 2023, of an apparent heart attack. She was a life-long resident of Berea born November 8, 1941, daughter of the late Albert and Minnie Gabbard Powell, homemaker, and member of the Baptist Faith. Wanda enjoyed cooking, bird watching and gardening. In her spare time, she enjoyed poems and watching W.L.J.C. on the television. Survivors include two children Mitchell Ingram (Mary), Shana Barnett (Bobby); sister Hallie Alexander; grandchildren Heather Ingram, Jacob Ingram, Cheyenne Barnett;

great-grandchildren Dawson Nichols, Elijah Nichols; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her loving husband of 55 years Bert Ingram; daughter Penny Ingram; siblings Anna Jett, Sylvadia Gabbard, Harold Powell, Russell Powell. Funeral services were conducted on Friday, January 20, 2023, at Reppert Funeral Home. Bro. Doug Collins officiated and burial followed in Silver Creek Cemetery. Pallbearers were Michael Gabbard, Darrell Gabbard, Brandon Nichols, Jacob Ingram, Lloyd Grant, Boyd Grant. Honorary Pallbearers will be Frank Himes, Robert Jones, Troy Grant, Gerald Alexander. Reppert Funeral Home and Cremation Service entrusted with arrangements.

Pamela Jean Rourk



Pamela Jean Rourk, 61, of Berea, passed away on Monday evening at UK Healthcare in Lexington. Pamela was born in Richmond, Indiana to the late Alice Faye Combs Moore and Charles D. Moore. In addition to her mother, she was also preceded in death by her husband, James Rourk. She was a member of the Berea Church of Christ. She was a homemaker, which was her greatest joy! She loved making a home for her children and all of her extended family. She loved to cook and feed anyone that would come over and considered

them all close family. In addition to her father, Charles D. Moore, she is also survived by two sons, Jeramie Moore, and Jason Kenworthy and his wife Jennifer; their two children, David Kenworthy, and Austyn Kenworthy; her siblings, Kelley Hackworth, Charles D. Moore, Jr., Stephanie (Dwight) Brown, Bernadette (Gary) Wolf, William Edgar (Michelle) Moore, and Anthony Scott (Cindy Embs) Moore; and many special, nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews, and great-great nieces and nephews. The family accepted friends on Saturday, January 21, 2023, at Berea Church of Christ. Pastor Stephen Boyd officiated. Lakes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Rhonda Causey



Rhonda Causey, 63, of Crab Orchard, passed away from complications of Multiple System Atrophy (MSA-P) on Friday, January 20, 2023, at Rockcastle Regional Hospital. She was surrounded by loved ones. Despite a long struggle and many things MSA-P took away she never lost her sense of humor or her sweet nature. Rhonda was born in Richmond, Kentucky to Delores Causey and the late Sammy Causey. She was retired from Signature Healthcare. Rhonda enjoyed crafting, party planning, and the beach. Her daughters and granddaughters were her pride and joy, she treasured

time spent with them. She was also an animal lover and always had a treat on hand for visits with her dog, Murphy, and her "granddogs". She is survived by her mother, Delores Causey; her daughters, Andrea (Louis) Brin, and Crystal Stokes; her brother, Terry (Brenda) Causey; two grandchildren, Sammy Caidance Stokes, and Zoey Elaina Brin; sister-in-law, Tina Causey; two nephews, Kevin Causey, and Chris Causey. She is preceded in death by her father Sammy Causey, and her brother Darrell Causey. Funeral services will be 1 pm, Wednesday, January 25, 2023, at Lakes Funeral Home with Bro. Stevie Robinson officiating. Burial will follow in the Cartersville Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday at the funeral home from 11 am to 1 pm.

Carl Douglas Alexander



Carl Douglas Alexander, 77, of Berea died suddenly at his residence Tuesday, January 17, 2023, of an apparent heart attack. He was a Jackson County native born March 22, 1945, son of the late Lymon and Lucy Cates Alexander, retired Hyster-Yale employee with many years of service. Doug made many life-long friends at Hyster that he missed dearly after his retirement. Doug was a member of the Baptist Faith and known by everyone for his hearty laughter and generous heart. In 1964 Doug married the love of his life Malinda Jane Hembree and they made a wonderful life together for the next 58 years. He is survived by his loving wife Malinda Jane Hembree Alexander; children Carl Alexander (Mary Ann),

Malinda Dvonne Mills (Ronnie); brother Mike Alexander (Jan); sister Julie Hembree; grandchildren Mariah Sanders (James), Sabrina Guzman Padron (Martin); great-grandchildren Luke Sanders, Arya Sanders, Sylvia Guzman Padron, and a 4th great grandchildren due in May, Amelia Guzman Padron; brother in law Tom Ray Lamb; sisters in law Patsy Hembree, Karron Hembree, Leona Hembree, Shirley Hembree; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, relatives and friends whom he loved dearly. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by siblings Grover Alexander, Luevada Lamb. Funeral Services were conducted on Saturday, January 21, 2023, at Reppert Funeral Home. Bro. Wayne Miller officiated and burial followed in Cates Family Cemetery. Pallbearers were Martin Padron, James Sanders, Charlie Hembree, Craig Hembree, Tommy Lamb, Glenn Wayne Stewart. Reppert Funeral Home and Cremation Service entrusted with arrangements.

Mayme Lamb Gregory



Mayme Lamb Gregory, 85, of Berea died Sunday, January 15, 2023, following an illness. She was a Berea native born May 13, 1937, daughter of the late Rev. Homer and Ella Mae St. John Lamb and retired Berea College Student Snack Bar Manager. At the Snack Bar she fed an untold number of students, faculty, and employees. She was concerned with "her" students and "her" children as she called everyone, feeding them, listening to their problems and being their friend. She remained a resident of the Berea area all her life and was a faithful member of Lighthouse Baptist Church. Mayme loved flowers, gardening, and was a superb cook. She prepared food

and delivered it to anyone who was sick and to families that had suffered the loss of a loved one. Survivors include her children Patricia Douglas, Robert Gregory (Becky); 5 grandchildren Chrystal, Tammy, Dawn, Brittani, Joshua; 5 great-grandchildren; brother-in-law Frank Himes; as well as numerous relatives, friends, and church family. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her loving husband of 68 years Gillis Gregory; sister Odessa Himes; son-in-law J.D. Douglas. Funeral Service were conducted on Monday, January 23, 2023, at Reppert Funeral Home. Pastor Kenny Davis officiated and burial followed in Madison County Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers were Crystal Owens, Adam Hall, Aaron Hall, Jason Neikirk, Larry Phillips, Orville Lamb, Frank Himes. Reppert Funeral Home and Cremation Service entrusted with arrangements.

Paul Lee Abbott



Paul Lee Abbott 79, of Nancy, passed away Thursday, January 19, 2023, at The Terrace in Berea, surrounded by his family. Paul was born in Nancy, Kentucky to the late William Ray and Ruth Roberts Abbott. He was a farmer and a member of the White Oak Baptist Church in Nancy. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his sister, Nancy Humphrey and one sister-in-law, Judy Abbott.

He is survived by his siblings, Lewis R. Abbott and his wife Evelyn, Clinton Abbott, Kenneth "Dale" Abbott, and his wife Virginia, and Roger Abbott; his nieces and nephews, Lesa (Travis) Douglas, Randy (Lynn) Abbott, Angela (Attila) Donmez, Deana Abbott, and Christina (Andrew) Daugherty. Funeral services were conducted on Monday, January 23, 2023, at Lakes Funeral Home. Rev. Harvey Spry officiated and burial followed in the White Oak Baptist Church Cemetery in Nancy. Pallbearers were Tom Mosier, Ricky Wilmot, Rodney Himes, Chris Pierce, Chad Pierce, and Travis Douglas. Lakes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Eula Frances Reed



Eula Frances Reed, 84, passed away Saturday, January 21, 2023. Frances is preceded in death by her parents Marvin & Martha Brown (King), her loving husband Joe Reed, her son Joey Reed, Daughter Lisa Reed and Granddaughter Billie Jo Baker. Frances is survived by her son James Brown, Grandsons Rick Reed (Abra), Michael Griffio (Halley) Granddaughter Ginger Sparks, Great Grandchildren Maegen Perry (Marshall), Travis Wilkins Jr. (Olivia), Aziah Reed, Anton Reed, Avian Reed, Abram Reed, Romie Griffio, Shiloh Griffio, Great Great Grandchildren Billie Perry, Anistasia Johnson,

Eden Johnson, Adrianna Wilkins, Jaxon Wilkins, Creed Wilkins and baby Della Wilkins arriving soon. Frances loved children and devoted her life to raising her Children, Grandchildren, Great grandchildren and great great-grandchildren. She enjoyed spending the last years of her life being able to live with Rick and watching the boys grow. She was the kindest and most giving person you could ever imagine. A celebration of life will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 28, 2023, at the Bethel Baptist Church Family Life Center in Berea Kentucky. Serving the family is Arpp, Root & Carter Funeral Home, 29 N Main St. Germantown OH 45327. On-line condolences can be made at www.arpproofth.com

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Life lessons from ‘A Man Called Otto’

We’re all fighting a battle no one knows about. Some are willing to share their struggles with others, while others aren’t as open about their circumstances. I’m guilty of not showing compassion at times and it’s certainly not intentional on my part. I do everything I can to love my neighbor as myself as my parents taught me from childhood to adulthood. I was reminded of how it important it is to consider the feelings of others when Rhonda and I watched, “A Man Called Otto” last week,

a comedy-drama film featuring Tom Hanks. As always Hanks was superb in his role as Otto Anderson a widower living in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. After losing his wife, Otto struggles with unsuccessful attempts of suicide until his new neighbors — Mari-sol, Tommy and their two children (Abby and Luna) move in the neighborhood.



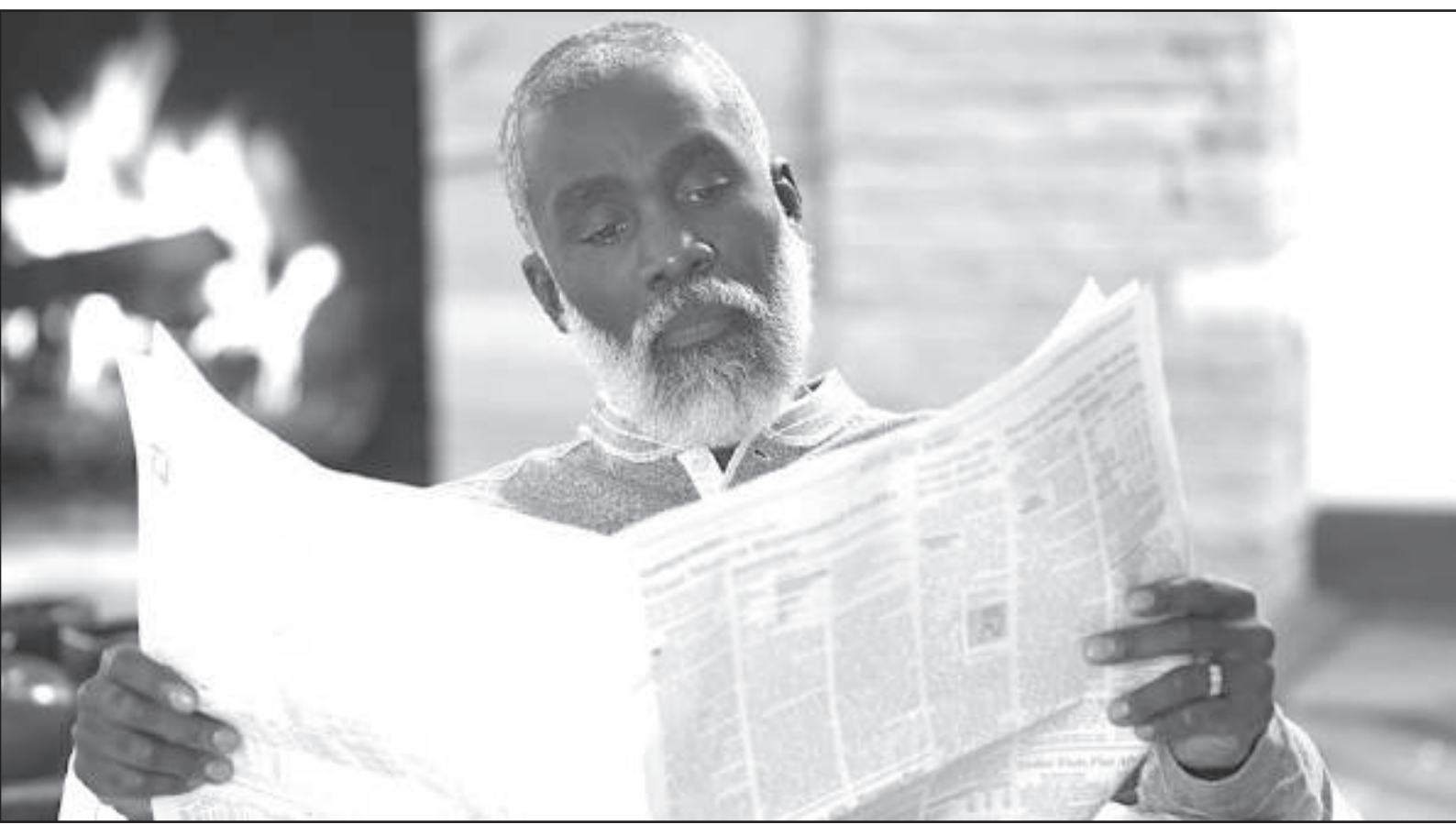
Keith Taylor

At first Otto appears as a grumpy older gentleman disgruntled with life and just set in his ways. As the movie progresses, flashbacks of Otto’s life appear and we learn that his wife Sonya was paralyzed in a bus crash while pregnant and had passed away recently. Leading to Otto’s severe depression and an unwanted desire to live. His new neighbors gave Otto a new lease on life and provided inspiration for living until Otto passes away because of heart trouble at the end of movie. As with Otto at the beginning of the

flick, I never knew anything about the character and saw him as just a man dissatisfied with life. We should all learn a lesson from Hanks’ character and apply it to our everyday lives and show compassion and concern to everyone we encounter on a daily basis. I try each and every-day not to be judgmental and show love and genuine compassion to my friends and neighbors. If someone is struggling with thoughts of suicide or even depressed and lonely, don’t be afraid to reach out to them and offer them love and com-

passion. Show them there is more to life and it is worth living and get help before it’s too late. Because we are of the human race, it’s not an easy task to be the kind and gentle souls we all should be, but it is attainable by simply trying to be a better citizen each and every day. That is my goal each and every day and I hope it’s yours, too.

Keith Taylor



We need the news

We like good news but typically the news is not good. Too often no news is good news. In reality, no news is bad news for us all. There is lots of recent bad news. A crazed gunman entered a dance hall in Monterey Park, California killing 10 people and wounding many innocent people. A former employee walked into an Evansville, Indiana Walmart and shot an employee in the face in the store breakroom. The shooter was killed by local police. A planned protest in downtown Atlanta turned violent when protestors damaged stores and burned a police car over the weekend. We did hear astonishing good news from Monterey Park. Brandon Tsay confronted the gunman at a second location where he was about to enter and kill more people. He heroically wrestled the gun away from the killer and pointed it at him causing the gunman to leave the scene. Only God knows how many lives Tsay saved. He is a true hero. News is always happening nationally, locally and individually to us all. We need

the information whether it’s good or bad. We need the national and regional news but the local news is up front and close to us. For example, all around us we are targets of scams, thieves and prowling bad people. Americans were scammed to the tune 5.8 billion dollars in 2021. (Digital Guardian). We are never beyond being duped. Today, daily text messages, emails, phone calls and mail come to Americans phishing for a sucker who will buy the false story they are telling. They are good at what they do. My son was away in a foreign country when I was duped out of \$350 years ago. The caller was very professional sounding and convincing. I believed that if I did not pay the money owed by my son it would negatively impact his career. This was at the beginning of the telephone scam industry and I paid him the money. Later



Glenn Mollette

I realized that I had been scammed. Years ago, a dear friend received a telephone call from someone posing as an IRS agent. The scammer told the senior adult man that he owed \$45,000 in back taxes for various reasons. The friend was about 90 years old and living on a meager retirement income. He didn’t realize he was being scammed, was overwhelmed with anxiety and killed himself. “At every level of life there is a new devil,” an old friend once said. At every stage of life there are new twists, turns and curves. We are never beyond being informed, learning and developing. Young people make mistakes but so do old people. We often think we’ve lived long enough and know most everything, but we don’t. Most of us have become more aware of this problem but crooks work at catching people off guard and are constantly developing new schemes. Today, we have search engines and are inundated with news and information. How-

ever, we don’t hear all the news nor do we know everything we need to know when we need to know. Often, we learn the hard way. This is why education is expensive. Life experience education is often the most expensive and difficult of all learning processes. Even in life education we learn but we don’t always utilize the life experience very much. Too often we repeat the same mistakes hoping for a different outcome. We can’t go wrong with good information. This is why you need the publication you are reading, such as The Berea Citizen. Your local paper and online news sources are crucial to a community’s health and overall well-being. Local newspapers, blogs and online sources tell what is happening in your local town and county. Support this news source with your subscription and advertising needs. Newspapers that have been around for years continue to close. Every week I receive notification of a newspaper printing its final edition and that’s not good news.

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Wilson, 32, Richmond: unauthorized use of motor	vehicle – 1st offense • Ericka Leshay Perkins, 28, Waco: theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting Jan. 16 • Amanda Sabrina Hornsby, 33, Richmond: trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st offense (heroin); manslaughter, 2nd degree • Jonathan Ray Isaacs, 43, Richmond: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses); possession of marijuana; criminal trespassing – 2nd degree; drug paraphernalia -buy/ possess • April Baker, 33, Waco: fleeing or evading police, 2nd degree (on foot) Jan. 17 • Jesse W. Smith, 30, Richmond: assault, 4th degree (domestic violence), minor injury • Jacob Kerr, 22, Richmond: hold for court • Jon Southern, 35, Richmond: hold for court • Robert Dennis Wilburn, 41, Richmond: hold for court • Tasha Marie Guarin, 33, Richmond: hold for court • Jesse Salyers, 39, unspecified: hold for court • Jesse Paul Dalton, 39, Richmond: hold for court • Jeffery Wayne Farmer, 36, Richmond: hold for court • Gregory Scott Sizemore, Jr., 35, Richmond: hold for court • Sharon Robinson, 46, Lexington: probation violation (for felony	offense); trafficking in a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (less than or equal to 2 grams methamphetamine); possession of marijuana; drug paraphernalia – buy/ possess; theft by unlawful taking or disposition, shoplifting, \$500 but less than \$1,000 • Jeremiah Wilson, 35, Richmond: hold for court • Bruce McKinney, 51, Richmond: hold for court • Earl Harvey Eades, 34, Richmond: hold for court • Destiny Bonella, 25, Richmond: hold for court • Ashley Ray Semonnes, 34, Richmond: hold for court • Gordon S. King, 53, Richmond: violation of stalking restraining order • Cleveland William Washington, 48, Richmond: non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines; public intoxication – controlled substance (excludes alcohol) • Trenton Venable, 32, Berea: serving parole violation warrant Jan. 18 • Heather Nicole Masters, 43, Berea: contempt of court, libel/ slander, resistance to order; escape, 2nd degree; tampering with prisoner monitoring device • David Holt, 42, Richmond: hold for court • Christopher Ryan Terrill, 33, Waco: trafficking in a controlled	substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (greater than or equal to 2 grams methamphetamine); trafficking in a controlled substance, 2nd or greater offense (heroin); possession of a handgun by a convicted felon; possession of a controlled substance, 3rd degree – drug unspecified; drug paraphernalia – buy/ possess; no operator’s – moped license; receiving stolen property • James Randall Bevins, 43, Hazard: failure to appear • Braaz A. Sawyer, 27, Richmond: hold for court • Brendan Smith, 26, Evansville, Indiana: sexual assault, 1st degree (victim under 12 years of age); sodomy, 1st degree (victim under 12 years of age) • Troy D. Fugate, 29, Stanton: failure to appear • Michael Wilson, 47, Wilmore: failure to appear • Thomas Lee Abner, 44, Richmond: possession of a controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (heroin) • Kelli Paige Parrett, 32, Richmond: failure to appear (3 counts); contempt of court, libel, slander, resistance to order; non-payment of court costs, fees, or fines • Billy Joe Johnson, 38, unspecified: alcohol intoxication in a public place (1st and 2nd offenses)
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PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Jan. 12 • Melissa Ann Dillion Yates (a/k/a Melissa Ann Dillon) and Mark Allen Yates to Geoffry Ronoh, lot 81 Orchard Hills Subdivision, \$271,500 • FTM Construction, Inc. to Doll Properties, LLC, lots 12, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 Dove’s Landing Subdivision, 258,000 • FTM Construction, Inc. to J and F Grant, LLC, lot 37 Dove’s Landing Subdivision, \$43,000 • FTM Construction, Inc. to River Green Properties, LLC, lot 38 Dove’s Landing Subdivision, \$43,000 • FTM Construction, Inc. to Small Ferry Boat, LLC, lot 31 Dove’s Landing Subdivision, \$43,000 • FTM Construction, Inc. to LAC Investments, LLC, lot 13 Dove’s Landing Subdivision, \$43,000 • The Estate of Jeffrey Dwayne Carter (a/k/a Jeffrey D. Carter), by and through Denise Carter, Administratrix to Daviscoyle Properties, LLC, 108 Morningview Road; 115 Daisey Road; \$100,000 Jan. 13 • KY Hometown Properties, LLC to Roscoe Childs, II, 104 Collins Court,	\$157,500 • Sherri Malear (a/k/a Sherri L. Malear) and Danny Malear (a/ka/ Danny R. Malear) to David L. Molzhon and Stacy Molzhon, lot 58 High Meadows Subdivision, \$265,500 • Houghton Homes, LLC to Ron Durham Builders, LLC, 5013 Bentwood Court, \$43,000 • Carter L. Johnson (a/k/a Carter Lee Johnson) and Denise Eugenia Johnson (a/k/a Denise King, a/k/a Denise Eugena Spillman and a/k/a Denise S. Johnson), tract Madison County, for and in consideration of the love and affection between the parties • William E. Robertson to Rebecca Ann Martin, lots Rosedale Park Subdivision, \$144,000 • Spyglass Construction Co., LLC to Melissa Ann Yates and Mark A. Yates, 2044 Partridge Way, \$291,000 • Phyllis Kirby to Matthew D. Rowlette and Haley G. Rowlette, tract P4/38, \$176,000 • Ronald E. Kincaid and Susanna Kincaid to Patricia A. Alsept, 100 Mallard Drive, \$415,500 • Duloc Richmond, LLC to Bainbridge Townhouses, LLC, 2011 Merchant Drive, \$1,232,600	• ARP, LLC to E.T. Properties, Inc., lot D Carey Acres, \$1,248,000 • Barbara Gandee to TY D. Meyers and Pristine Whorton, 6030 Old South Drive, \$600,000 • Robert Brian Heyer II and Brittany Michelle Heyer and Heyer’s Quality Lawn Care and Construction to Heyer Quality Investments, lots 65-A, 65-B and 65-C Ash Park Subdivision, for and in consideration of a capital contribution to grantee Jan. 17 • Timothy W. Miller and Toni Sue Miller to Martha Hernandez, tracts Madison County, \$100,000 • Reeves Property Group, LLC to Kathy A. Allen and Billy G. Allen, 2019 Partridge Way, \$274,900 • The Estate of Florine Renfro (a/k/a Florine Renfro – Baker, a/k/a Florine Jones Baker, a/k/a Florine J. Renfro), by and through James Michael Renfro, Executor and Lloyd Baker to Aaron Cruise Pingleton, tract b p8/112, \$52,000 • Brandi Lynn Bowles and Michael Travis Bowles, to Laurel A. Taylor and Joshua D. Tackett, lots Hagans Mill Estates, \$420,000 • Norma Stacy, as Execu-	trix for the Estate of Elmo Rose and the Estate of Wesley N. Rose, by and through Jerry Rose, Executor to Jerry W. Rose and Jessie Rose, tract Madison County, for and in consideration of the settlement of the Estate of Elmo Rose and the Estate of Wesley N. Rose, • Raymond D. Sowers and Carla D. Sowers to Charles Clark, 112 N. Robbins Court, \$1.00 • Eric Neal Smith, spouse of Natasha Smith and Natasha Smith (a/k/a Natasha Robinson), spouse of Eric Neal Smith to Dorothy A. Wolfe and Joy Wolfe, lot 2 Ballard Point, \$243,000 • Bobbie Quinn Adams and Arnold Adams to Stargazer Homes, LLC, tract Madison County, \$45,000 • Riley Anne Baker to Karen Baker, tract Madison County, for and in consideration of the love and affection and as a gift from daughter to mother • Houghton Homes, LLC to David Dato and Marilyn Dato, lots plat 30/303, \$400,000 • J.W. Smith Properties, LLC to Mary Cole, tracts Madison County, \$289,900 • Donald E. Welker, Trustee and Mary Ann Welker, Trustee of Donald E. Welker and Mary Ann	Welker Trust, 236 Clairmont Drive, \$380,000 Jan. 18 • Jeremy DeWitt and Stephanie Dewitt vs. Chaz Michael Arnold and Margaret Blaire Arnold, lots Bel Aire Subdivision, \$390,000 • Russell McMahan and Stephanie McMahan to James A Lee and Cheryl R. Lee, lot 149 Orchard Hills Subdivision, \$274,500 • Kalen Trevor Freeman to Danny Ray Malear and Sherri Lynne Malear, 3008 Landstar Drive, \$282,000 • Indian Rock Farm, Inc to Chad Harold Williams and Dawn Michelle Williams, tracts Madison County, \$1,025,000 • 4 B Investments, LLC to Gary Arnold Baker and Jeanne Treadwell Baker, 105 Menelaus Road, Berea, \$20,000 • Marsha Frazier, David Frazier, Debbie Frazier, Paul Frazier, and Jennifer Frazier to Frazier Realty Company, LLC, lot 10 plat 24/184, for and in consideration of capital contribution proportionate to the real value of the property herein transferred
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Madison County, Kentucky

Public Comment Period, TNT Washout Facility Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Interim Final Corrective Measures Study

The Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet, Division of Waste Management (Division), has tentatively approved a Corrective Measures Study (CMS) conducted by Blue Grass Army Depot (BGAD) for the 2,4,6-trinitrotoluene (TNT) Washout Facility. The CMS is required by Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) and Commonwealth of Kentucky statutes and regulations. The purpose of this notice is to solicit comments from the general public on the Interim Final CMS document for consideration, prior to the Division's final approval of CMS.

How long is the Public Comment Period?
The public comment period for the review of TNT Washout Facility Interim Final CMS is 45 days, beginning on the date of this public notice and will continue through Wednesday, March 8, 2023.

Where can I review the Interim Final CMS for the TNT Washout Facility?
The CMS report is available through the BGAD Facebook page and website, www.bluegrass.army.mil. The report is also available for review at the Outreach Office, 1000 Commercial Dr., Suite 2, Richmond, KY 40475, Phone: (859) 626-8944, E-Mail: bgoutreach@iem.com during regular work hours, Mon-Fri, 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM (EST).

How can I tell the Division what I think about this tentative approval?
Public involvement is encouraged and comments are welcome. Anyone wishing to comment on the tentative decision to approve the CMS should submit comments on or before Wednesday, March 8, 2023, the close of the public comment period. Interested persons are encouraged to submit comments to the Division or BGAD, as follows:

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Anyone requesting a public hearing must do so in writing to the individuals above providing the concerns and justification for the request also no later than **Wednesday, March 8, 2023.**

What will the Division and BGAD do with the comments they receive?
The Division and BGAD representatives will consider all comments received by the close of the public comment period (March 8, 2023) in making final decisions on the CMS alternative recommended for the TNT Washout Facility. The Division and BGAD will respond to public comments, stating any changes made or not made (with reasons why) to the Final CMS for the TNT Washout Facility as a result of the comment(s) received.

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Strategies to overcome seasonal affective disorder

Winter can be an awe-inspiring time of year. Snow-covered landscapes and opportunities to enjoy sports like skiing and snowboarding make winter a favorite time of year for nature enthusiasts and athletes.

As fun as winter can be, many people struggle with the transition from warm weather and long, sunny days to cold weather and reduced hours of sunlight. Sometimes mistaken or misidentified as the “winter blues,” this phenomenon is known as seasonal affective disorder, or SAD.

What is seasonal affective disorder?
According to the National Institutes of Mental Health, SAD is a type of depression. The NIH notes that a person must meet full criteria for major depression coinciding with specific seasons for at least two years to be diagnosed with SAD. The American Psychiatric Association says symptoms of SAD can be distressing and overwhelming and even interfere with daily functioning. The APA notes that SAD has been linked to a biochemical imbalance in the brain that’s prompted by shorter daylight hours and less sunlight in winter. As the seasons change, a shift in a person’s biological internal clock or circadian rhythm can lead to them being out of step with their normal routines. That can contribute to various symptoms, including:

- Feeling sad or depressed
- Loss of interest or pleasure in activities once enjoyed
- Changes in appetite, usually eating more and craving carbohydrates
- Loss of energy or increased fatigue despite increased sleep hours
- Increase in purposeless physical activity or slowed movements or

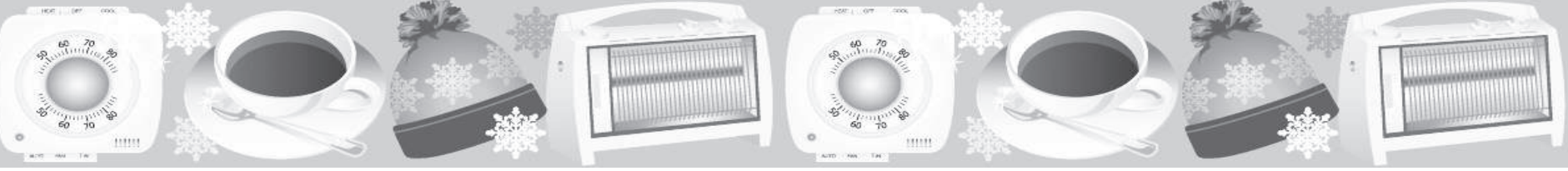
speech that may be noticed by others

- Feeling worthless or guilty
- Difficulty thinking, concentrating or making decisions
- Thoughts of death or suicide

Overcoming SAD
The weather can’t be changed, but people can speak with their physicians about the following strategies to overcome SAD.

- Light therapy: According to the APA, light therapy involves sitting in front of a light therapy box that emits a very bright light. In the winter, patients typically sit in front of the box for 20 minutes each morning, and they may see some improvements within one to two weeks of beginning treatment. Light therapy is usually continued throughout the winter.
- Medication: The APA notes that selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors, or SSRIs, are a type of antidepressant that are sometimes prescribed to treat SAD.
- Spending time outdoors: People with SAD who don’t typically spend much time outdoors when the temperatures dip may notice their symptoms improve if they make a concerted effort to spend time outdoors in winter.
- Rearrange rooms in the home: The APA notes that rearranging rooms and furniture in a home or office to allow more natural light in during the daytime can help improve symptoms of SAD.

SAD is a legitimate concern for millions of people across the globe. Working with a physician to overcome SAD can help people successfully transition to days with fewer hours of sunlight.



Reflections

Berea Citizen archives

January 31, 1923 J. B. Herndon and family to leave for Mississippi

John B. Herndon left on this date for Aberdeen, Mississippi, where they would make their home. During a recent visit to Aberdeen, Mr. Herndon made a trade with J. W. Creech for the large “Berea plantation,” which consisted of 866 acres. In this transaction, Mr. Herndon traded his Madison County farm, consisting of 427 acres, located between Berea and Richmond. Another news organization had the following to say about the transaction: “The Berea Plantation at Aberdeen contains 866 acres and is located on the Burlington Highway. There were 18 families employed on the plantation on which many improvements have been made by Madison County men who have lately owned it. Some years ago, a party of men from Berea, headed by John Welch, purchased the plantation, and started operating it. Later they sold it to other parties, if finally coming into the possession

of Mr. Creech. The homesteads of the respective places were included in trade. The place Mr. Herndon used in trade was compromised of his 193-acre farm, plus 230 acres of what was known as Clay Land. Four large tobacco barns had been built on this farm over the previous few years, besides many other improvements. Approximately 75 cattle located on the property also were included. Several mules and dairy cows would go to the Mississippi plantation.” The plantation in Mississippi was located three miles from Aberdeen and was a very fertile piece of land. Corn, cotton, and hay were its most valuable corps. In 1922 the farm produced 11,000 bushels of corn, 12,000 bales of alfalfa and Johnson hay. The community was one of the most progressive ones in the state and had a centralized school.

January 22, 1948 Adult class to organize at high school

“Dress more Smartly – Learn

to Sew” was the study topic for an adult class that would begin meeting on Mondays in the Home Economics Department of Berea High School. The class would meet each Monday and Wednesday afternoons for five weeks with Miss Elizabeth Davenport, Home Economics teacher at Berea High School in charge. All women interested in the topic were invited to attend with a special invitation extended to the wives of veterans. The first lesson would be entitled, “Save by Construction of Clothing.”

January 25, 1973 Approximately 60 attend prayer service on Inauguration Day

Approximately 60 persons attended the Prayer for Peace service held on January 20th at the Union Church with Reverend Clyde David Burberry, minister of the Berea United Methodist Church presiding. The Reverend Mace Crandall offered an organ prelude. Several prayers

were spoken, and scripture was read from the book of Micah. Mr. Burberry prefaced his introduction of the major prayer, one used at the time of the beginnings of the church, with the remark, “This is a time of prayerful consideration for all of us.”

January 22, 1998 Berea Police Briefs

In activity reported during the previous week, the Berea Police department arrested two juveniles at Madison Southern High School on Tuesday, January 13th, after a teacher allegedly found one marijuana on a student. The juveniles were released into the custody of their parents pending a hearing. In an unrelated incident, another juvenile was arrested and charged with the theft by unlawful taking/auto after police recovered a stolen P-Cab vehicle. Berea Police also arrested two men accused of shoplifting at the Berea Walmart on January 16th. According to a police report, a manager at Walmart allegedly observed a subject fill his

jacket with tools and walk toward the front door. As the manager approached the suspect, he ran to the garden section and emptied his pockets, the report stated. The tools were located where the suspect left them. A second suspect allegedly did the same thing and left the tools in the same place as the first subject. The total value of the items the alleged suspects allegedly tried to take was \$711.89 and included five tape measures, six-bit sets, seven tape rules, 19 hammers and nine saw blades. Berea Police were also investigating the theft of four chrome wheels and tires taken from a maroon and grey 1994 Chevy pickup. The grandson of the vehicle owner, who was a college student, reported the theft. According to the report, the truck was parked in back of Evans Tire World on North 25 on Friday, January 16th for maintenance. Sometime during the weekend, someone took all four wheels and 15-inch tires from the truck. Estimated value of the property was \$1,000.

GAME PAGE

Crossword

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CLUES ACROSS

- Tax collector
- Fishes without the line touching water
- Brooklyn hoopsters
- Actress Lathan
- A metric for athletes
- Food storage location
- Colossus
- Desolations
- Accustom to something unpleasant
- ___ Kubrick, filmmaker
- You might ask this at Thanksgiving
- Arkansas city
- Gave food to
- Request
- V-shaped open trough
- Make lively
- It accompanies feather
- Blonde bombshell
- One who revolves
- Bluish greens
- Charity
- Having the shape of a cube

38. Unwind

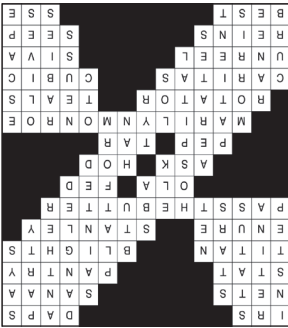
- Believed by some to be the supreme being
- Checks or guides
- Leak slowly through
- Top-quality
- Midway between south and southeast

CLUES DOWN

- Part of your foot
- It's at the back of the eyeball
- Where things stand
- Offered
- Contains pollen
- Boisterous get-together
- Asserts out loud
- They're in the sky
- Canonized
- A politician's official stances
- It can catch fish
- British thermal unit
- Helps little firms
- Where patients go for treatment

20. Large red deer

- Pokes holes in 4. “Star Wars” hero Solo
- One in a hospital
- Scandinavian god of battle
- Famous cat
- ___ Angeles: City of Angels
- Type of drug (abbr.)
- City along the Rhine
- Animal disease
- Martini ingredients
- Get away
- Rare species of rodent
- Suppress



SUDOKU

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Level: Intermediate

Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

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Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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

ANSWER:

CRYPTO FUN

Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to donating blood. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 14 = O)

A. 3 14 12 5 15 8 14 12

Clue: Gift of money or something

B. 22 21 14 1 15 5 4 6

Clue: Not enough

C. 17 8 2 6

Clue: Growth and sustenance

D. 19 5 1 8 12 4

Clue: Compassionate

Answers: A. donation B. shortage C. life D. caring

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BRUNNER

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That note led to his hiring at Ebba Mattson’s photography studio. Shortly after, Brunner opened his own studio Brunner Studio, which is now operated by his daughter, Kara Brunner.

It was at Mattson’s studio where he met his late wife, Patricia. “Eventually, a college girl came in, a little redheaded girl, who bought a roll of film,” he said. “One thing led to another and now we have children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.”

His other two daughters are Scharme Brunner Price and Gwen Brunner Hensley.

Brunner and Patricia were married almost 60 years. Away from the studio, where he photographed weddings, families, and lots of babies, the couple would load up their jeep with their three kids and a tent and wander around the mountain roads.

“We’d go on a road we’d never been before, sometimes we’d get out at the end of the road and walk and then we had our children with us, Pat was with me, and our children would get out to play with their children and pretty soon everybody ignored me and I just wandered around and said is it okay if I take a few pictures and they said yes, so I did,” Brunner said. “I miss that jeep something fierce. We had a great time as a family in that old thing.”

Taking pictures of people, that’s what Brunner loves most. His photographs of life in Eastern Kentucky soon received a lot of attention. He is best known for his 1960s photographs documenting the War on Poverty and the work of the Appalachian

Volunteers, which have been published in Time Magazine and displayed at the Smithsonian Institution.

“I had one of my first shoots in Clay County with the first group of Appalachian volunteers, a group of college students,” he said. “I had an old jeep, two kids and a tent. We pitched that tent and spent three days taking pictures. You spend time talking to people, getting to know them, and they trust you to take their photographs.”

Brunner, who will turn 95 on March 19, is highly regarded for his style of photos that reflect a sense of cultural sensitivity and a strong commitment to Appalachian people. He has worked with more than 30 government and nonprofit agencies, including Save the Children, Christian Appalachian Project, Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen, Appalachia Science in the Public Interest, the Hindman Settlement School, the Council of Southern Mountains, the Mountain Association for Community Economic Development, the Sierra Club, and Kentuckians For The Commonwealth.

His work has been published in books such as Appalachian Sensations: A Journey Through the Seasons, Appalachian Values, Country Stores, and Children of Appalachia, among other works.

His work in Eastern Kentucky led to him taking photos of the late Elizabeth Taylor and late Mother Teresa. “Ms. Taylor was making a movie here and I had the chance to take her photo. She was one of the biggest movie stars at the time. And Mother Teresa was here visiting the region and I caught her talking to families. Those are a couple really memorable photos I have taken over the years.”

Brunner hung up his professional camera 37 years ago at age 62, but admits he is never without a camera. “I keep several cameras on me at all times. Wherever I go I like to take a camera with me,” he said. “It’s just a simple point and shoot now and not all that heavy equipment.”

In his retirement days, Brunner stays busy with 10 to 15 phone calls per day and organizing his negatives and suitcases full of photos to be given to Berea College for their archives.

Eagles edge Dunbar, Clinton Co.

By Mike Moore/For The Citizen

The Madison Southern Eagles picked up a pair of victories last week, edging Paul Laurence Dunbar (91-90) and knocking off Clinton County (91-80).

Braden Hudson paced the Eagles (14-6) with a 36-point effort against Dunbar. He also knocked down six of the team’s 10 three-pointers in the win. Jay Rose added 19 points and 12 rebounds. Cason Nobbe finished with 14 points, while Zach Hudson had nine.

Southern kept winning over Clinton County as Zach Hudson led the team with 25 points. Braden Hudson added 24 points, while Avery Davidson finished with 20 points. Rose added 13 points and 11 rebounds in the victory.

- Across town, the Berea Pirates (7-15) picked up a 61-29 win over Ligon LOGO Home School. They also fell to Frankfort Christian, 81-69. Statistics from those games were not posted to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association website before the deadline.
- The Berea Lady Pirates split a pair of games this past week. The Lady Pirates (12-6) defeated Williamsburg 58-35 before falling to Wayne County 45-30. Abigail Beard led Berea with 20 points in the win over Williamsburg. Maddy King added 14, while Sophia Brewer finished with eight points. King led Berea with 12 points against Wayne County. Brewer added nine points, while Beard finished with six.
- The Madison Southern Lady Eagles blew past Garrard County (53-20) and Harrison County (65-30) last week. Hadley French led Southern (12-8) with 17 points against Garrard. Laci Sandlin and Ashlan Estep added seven points in the win. Former Lady Eagles player Samantha Cornelison was inducted into the All-Southern Team during the game. Cornelison is a sophomore at Transylvania University, where she is a basketball team member. Bella Moberly led Southern with 15 points in the victory over Harrison County. Estep and French finished with 11 points, while Megan Correll finished with nine and 10 rebounds. Jada Carter added 10 rebounds and eight points in the win.

FOOD SERVICE INSPECTIONS FOR WEEKS ENDING 01-07-23 to 01-13-23

Regular Inspections with no follow-up	Score	Explanation
College Food Mart	600 Lancaster Ave., Richmond	100%
Seashell Food Mart	200 Eastern Bypass, Richmond	100%
Walgreens	501 Caperton Dr., Richmond	100%
TT Coffee Truck	240 N. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Kona Ice Truck #9	240 N. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Kona Ice Truck #10	240 N. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Kona Ice Truck #11	240 N. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Kona Ice Truck #12	240 N. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Chick-Fil-A	2072 Lantern Ridge Dr., Richmond	100%
Mi Pueblo at Colonels Corner	298 Second Street, Richmond	98%
Kentucky Fried Chicken	851 Eastern Bypass, Richmond	99%
IHOP	1062 Barnes Mill Road, Richmond	96%
Play N Learn Childcare	621 S. Keeneland Dr., Richmond	100%
Red Lobster	500 Richmond Mall, Richmond	97%
Abundant Hope Naturals	972 Commercial Dr., Richmond	100%
GiGi's Catering	2326 Union City Road, Richmond	100%
Blessed Boards Company	2326 Union City Road, Richmond	100

Regular Inspections with a follow up due

Waffle House #683	220 Eastern Bypass, Richmond	No response procedure for bodily fluids 94% posted.
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FOOD SERVICE INSPECTIONS FOR WEEKS ENDING 01-14-23 to 01-20-23

Regular Inspections with no follow-up	Score
Starbucks	2013 Colby Taylor Dr., Richmond 100%

Regular Inspections with a follow up due

Richmond Pizza Hut	946 Commercial Dr., Richmond 91%
Smokehouse Grill Buffet	359 Peggy Flats Road, Richmond 91%

Follow Up Inspection with a follow up due

Merrick Shell Food Mart	2048 Merrick Dr., Richmond 91%
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TRAINING

FROM PAGE 1

department the ability to train and become proficient in many different skill sets of firefighting,” Furrow said. “It will allow us to provide the best services to the people of our community.”

Furrow said access to the training facility will not be limited to just Red Lick volunteers, but will be open to the surrounding volunteer fire departments for training.

Volunteer firefighters in Kentucky are required to undergo 150 hours of training to become certified and receive 20 training hours additional training per year.

Construction on the new facility began after the department received a \$53,000 grant from the state fire commission in May 2021. Construction on the facility has been 100 percent volunteer from the 25 members of Red Lick department, as well as volunteers from surrounding departments.

“When the grant was written almost two years ago, building materials were a little less expensive than they are today,” Furrow said. “So we are kind of having to prioritize and reevaluate what we want to get opened up first.”

Furrow said the department appreciates donations and the money would be used to provide more training tools to the members of the department.

To operate, the department relies on \$11,000 from the state of Kentucky that is given to every department, as well as \$18,000 from Madison County each year.

“We do pretty good with writing and receiving grant money to help buy needed equipment,” Furrow said “But we do fundraisers such as chili cook offs and pick up trash on county roads to receive additional funding. We leave no couch cushion unturned when looking for money to support this department.”

In addition to funding, Furrow said the department could use more volunteer firefighters. “It’s a huge challenge to get volunteers to come in and be dedicated to the department,” he said. “We do all of our classroom training here at the department in a training room that we built in 2015. And we do the best we can with the hands-on training inside our facility with setting ladders up and working around obstacles.”

Furrow, a current full-time firefighter with the Lexington Fire Department, said volunteer fire fighting is near and dear to his heart. “This is the station that is two miles down the road from my house and would answer the call if my family needed them,” he said. “Volunteer firefighters are not under trained but under funded. The only thing that changes between a volunteer department and a city department is the number of runs and the funding. The required training is set by the state fire commission.”

COUNTY

FROM PAGE 1

either the city or county’s general funds.

Last February State Attorney General Daniel Cameron announced the finalization of a \$26 billion national Opioid Settlement Fund with Cardinal Health, McKesson, and AmerisourceBergenthree major pharmaceutical distributors in the U.S.- and Johnson & Johnson, which manufactured and marketed opioids. The agreement stems from the companies’ roles in creating and fueling the opioid epidemic.

Of that \$26 billion, Kentucky is scheduled to receive \$478.1 million to be paid out in installments through 2038. The state will keep 50 percent of the total amount, with the remaining 50 percent will be divided between state and local governments.

Minerich said the city had received its first payments of \$480,000 and will receive 18 more payments.

The city of Richmond began working alongside the Blue Grass Area Development District and the Fletcher Group in 2022 on the grant application, as well as began the search for property to construct the facility.

“The grant application is now in the queue to be submitted and we have secured an option on some property for the project,” Minerich said. He anticipates to include letters of support from state and federal elected officials and any agreement from the city and county would only strengthen the application.

Minerich told the court the facility could open 12 to 18 months after beginning construction and remodeling. “This all hinges on getting the EDA grant,” he said. “From what we are hearing from BGADD and the Fletcher Group is if we had an interlocal agreement it shows the project is fully funded and it is likely we would receive the grant.”

He told the court it could be late summer or early fall before the grant applications are awarded. “So, if we receive the grant, it could be the Fall of 2024 or the Spring of 2025 before you would see this open,” Minerich said.

New Vista would manage and fund all the operating costs of the facility once it is opened. Minerich said after receiving the grant and remodeling the facility, the first phase of the project would be the opening of 40 recovery beds. Phase two would open 55 longer-term beds.

“I don’t think as a local government we will ever solve the homeless problem or the addiction problem,” Minerich said. “But, I think it is our responsibility to support services where people have an opportunity to change their lives and that is all we can do.”

In other business

- Approved a \$20,000 harm reduction grant application to be submitted to the Association of Substance Abuse Policy.
- Awarded a \$122,000 bid to Atlantic Emergency Solutions for the purchase of self-contained breathing apparatus for the Madison County, City of Richmond, and City of Berea Fire Departments.
- Awarded a bid to Blue Grass International for the purchase of three snow trucks for a price of \$679,001.85 (\$226,333.95 per truck). The county currently has 10 snow trucks in its fleet.

Religion

Christians shine like diamonds in a dark world

I really liked the story I heard the other day about the teenager who lost a contact lens while playing basketball in the driveway.

He searched for a little while and gave up.

His mother then took up the search and didn't stop until she found it.

"You're a lot better at finding a lost contact than I am," the teenager told his mom.

"That's because you were looking for a tiny piece of plastic, and I was looking for \$150," she told him.

Jesus talked a lot about searching. He told about a shepherd who left 99 of his sheep to search for one that was lost. When he found it, he rejoiced.

He told about a woman who had 10 silver coins and lost one. She lit a candle didn't stop

searching until she found it.

"And when she hath found it, she calleth her friends and her neighbors together, saying, Rejoice with me; for I have found the piece which I had lost. Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth" (Luke 15:8-10).

This reminds me of the time some 30 years ago that my friend Jean Brown in Wurtland, Ky., lost a diamond out of her ring. She was frantic. She searched through the house looking everywhere for that diamond. She got out the broom thinking she'd find it by sweep-



Roger Alford

ing the floor. All her searching was futile. That diamond was gone.

Her daughter, Dee Dee, told her not to worry, that they'd find the diamond as soon as it gets dark.

When the sun went down, Dee Dee turned the lights off. Then she shined a flashlight across the floor. Sure enough, there was the diamond, sparkling in the darkness.

That's the way it ought to be with Christians. They should sparkle brightly in this dark world.

It may not be easy to find a lost sheep, a lost coin, or a lost contact. But it should be easy to spot a Christian.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

Christian

- Glades Christian Church, Glades Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m., Pastor Rick Fulton. For details, call 986-1421.
- Wayside Christian Church, Menelaus Pike, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Ron Lutes. For details, call 985-9465.

Church of Christ

- Berea Church of Christ, 357 North Dogwood Drive, Berea. Sunday worship 11 a.m., Bro. Stephen Boyd. For details, call 986-4438.

First Church of God

- Fountain Park First Church of God, 5000 Secretarian Dr., Richmond. Pastor Ben Jordan, Sunday worship - 11 a.m. 623-3511.

Church of God

- Berea Church of God, 189 Rash Road, Berea, the Rev. Steve Hobbs. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. For details, call 986-4968.
- Conway Church of God, US 25 South, Conway, Sunday worship 11 a.m., the Rev. C.W. Williams.
- Paint Lick Church of God, Old RailRoad Bed Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 986-3390.
- Harmon's Lick Church of God, Harmon's Lick Rd, Sunday service 11 a.m., Bro. Vernon Willard, 792-8639.

Catholic

- St. Clare Catholic Church, 622 Chestnut St., Sunday mass 9 a.m., Saturday mass 7 p.m., Spanish mass Sunday 4 p.m. Rev. Gary Simpson. For details, call 986-4633.

Disciples of Christ

- First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), 206 Chestnut St., Sunday worship 10 a.m., Rev. Mark and Rev. Lisa Caldwell-Reiss. For details, call 986-4553.
- Kirksville Christian Church, KY 595 at KY 1295, Kirksville, the Rev. John Poulette, 484-769-9351. Sunday worship 11 a.m.
- Mt. Zion Christian Church, 830 Battlefield Memorial Highway, the Rev. Roger Hurt.

Episcopal

- Danforth Chapel, Berea Col-

lege Draper Building, evening prayer 6 p.m. on first, third and fifth Thursdays.

- Episcopal Church of Our Saviour, 2323 Lexington Road, Richmond, the Rev. Carol Ruthven, Priest in Charge. Sunday Holy Eucharist 11 a.m. Bible study 10 am. For details, call 623-1226 or www.oursaviourky.org.

Lutheran

- St. Thomas Lutheran Church, 1285 Barnes Mill Road, Richmond, Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., the Rev. Barry Neese, pastor. For details, call 623-7254.

Methodist

- Berea United Methodist Church, 101 Fee St., Sunday worship 8:30 & 11 a.m., Pastor Timo Karvonen. For details, call 986-3485.
- Paint Lick United Methodist Church, 10950 KY 52 West, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11 a.m. For details, call 925-4441.

Pentecostal

- Bearwallow Pentecostal Holiness Church, Bear Wallow Road, Dreyfus, Pastor Charles Whitamore.
- Berea Evangelistic Center, 180 Plaza Drive, Sunday worship 1 p.m., Pastor Jeff Osborne. For details, call 986-8491. bereaevangelistic.org
- Big Hill Pentecostal Holiness Church, US 421, Pastor, Rev. Steve Isaacs. Call 606-386-3237.
- Compass Worship Center, 292 Glades Rd., Ste 5, Pastor Adam Roberts. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. 859-358-3391.
- Holy Pentecostal Sanctuary, Crestview Drive, Bro. Harold Eads.
- Harmons Lick Holiness Church, Harmons Lick Road, Paint Lick, Sunday worship 11:30 a.m., Pastor Mikie Leger. For details, call 859-893-4367.
- Pony Express Holiness Church, 1711 Big Hill Rd., Worship Mon. - Fri. at 7:30 p.m., Sunday worship 6 p.m., Pastor Artie Jacob Alexander. For details, call 859-893-3654.

Presbyterian

- Whites Memorial Presbyterian Church, 401 White Station Rd., Sun. worship 11 a.m. Pastor, Rev. Tim Noel. Call 986-7734 or go to whitesmemorial.weebly.com/. Religious

Society of Friends (Quakers)

- Berea Friends Meeting, 300 Harrison Road, Sunday worship 10 a.m. For details, call 334-0406.

Other

- Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 156 S. Keeneland Dr., Richmond. Sunday sacrament 10:50 a.m., Bishop Emery Martin. For details, call 624-2067.
- Crossroads Fellowship Church, 475 Paint Lick Rd., Sunday worship 11:03 a.m., Pastor Jonas Hill. For details, call 859-986-LIFE.
- First Faith Independent Church, 700 N Powell Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Darren Slone. For details, call 859-314-1465.
- Liberty Avenue Full Gospel Outreach, 113 Liberty Ave., Sunday worship 11 a.m., Pastor Donald R. Wilson.
- Living Waters Sanctuary, Liberty Avenue, Sunday worship 11 a.m., Rev. Larry Day. For details, call 859-661-2119.
- New Hope Reformed Church, 704 Mayde Road, Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. Pastor Russ Westbrook 606-975-3415. newhopereformed.net.
- River of Life Foursquare Church, 590 Mt. Vernon Rd., Berea, Sunday worship 9 & 11 a.m., Pastor Tim Lawson. For details, call 985-7809.
- Rugged Cross Cowboy Church, Bluegrass Stockyards (348 K Street), Thursday at 7 p.m. Pastor Jeff Duncan, contact at (859) 608-5322.
- Union Church, 200 Prospect St., Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Kent Gilbert. 986-3725.
- Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 1081 Willis Branch Road, Richmond, Sunday service 10:45 a.m. Call 623-1584.

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Dangers of alcohol abuse

Public Intoxication

Public intoxication (also public drunkenness) is criminalized in most jurisdictions as it disturbs peace and puts members of the public in danger. Once intoxicated, alcohol abusers tend to become unruly, aggressive, and disruptive, which increases the risks of avoidable injuries, accidents, and crimes.

Many jurisdictions deem public intoxication illegal in efforts to restrict alcohol consumption to bars, restaurants, and homes.

Driving Under The Influence

Drunk driving is a major offense that often attracts severe penalties due to the risks involved. As blood alcohol content continues to increase, a driver's judgment and reactions reduce significantly.

Motorists that insist on driving while intoxicated not only put their lives at risk but also those of other innocent road users. National Highway Traffic Safety Administration statistics (NHTSA) reveal that approximately 28 people die in drunk-driving crashes in the US every day, a clear indication of the need to curb drunk driving.

Due to the severity of the risks, DUI attracts heavy fines and even lengthy jail time.

Aggravated Assault

While alcohol-related euphoria usually starts with feel-good vibes, the good moods rarely last past the third or fourth bottle. As you continue to consume alcohol, you're more likely to become aggressive and hostile, which

increases the chances of violent reactions when provoked.

Statistically, approximately 30% of aggravated assaults are committed by intoxicated individuals.

And since alcohol impairs judgment, an intoxicated individual is likely to use more force than needed and use available objects as weapons to inflict as much damage as possible.

Sexual Assault

A sexual assault is a non-consensual act of sexual nature that may involve kissing, touching (inappropriately), and intercourse. Between 29%- 40% of reported sexual assaults are committed by perpetrators found to be under the influence of alcohol. The number is most likely higher if unreported sexual assaults are factored in.

Moreover, alcohol is also frequently used by sexual offenders to incapacitate victims or lower their inhibitions and, therefore, reduce their ability to resist unconsented sexual advancements.

The risk of sexual assault increases significantly upon alcohol consumption as the depressant reduces social anxiety, thus leading to potentially offensive behaviors that would be avoidable when sober.

Intimate Partner Violence

Alcohol is the leading cause of intimate partner violence in most households across the country.

Intimate partner violence mostly occurs when one intimate partner is intoxicated but can also happen if both partners are excessively drunk. Excessive consumption

in a single sitting is likely to heighten emotions and therefore lead to aggressive behavior between intimate partners, more so if there are underlying issues that are yet to be solved.

While most cases of intimate partner violence are often resolved before getting out of hand, they can lead to serious injuries and even death if allowed to escalate.

Homicide

Approximately 38% of convicted murderers were found to be intoxicated at the time of committing assaults that led to murder. In fact, no other substance increases the chances of homicides more than alcohol.

An individual that may have responded calmly to an incident when sober is more likely to resort to violence if provoked when intoxicated. And since alcohol consumption increases aggression and carelessness, an intoxicated person may use excessive force or potentially dangerous items as weapons, thereby leading to negligent homicide.

Child Neglect and Abuse

According to the World Health Organization (WHO), alcohol is among the leading contributors to child maltreatment by parents, relatives, or guardians. Even more worrying, persistent child abuse due to alcoholism has been found to increase a victim's chances of developing alcohol-related problems later on in life.

So what are some of the ways alcohol can lead to child neglect and abuse?

First, an intoxicated parent might respond aggressively and even resort to physical abuse as a way of asserting dominance. As per child welfare reports, approximately 43% of child abusers admit to being intoxicated at the time of physical or emotional abuse.

In addition to physical and emotional abuse, alcoholism can also lead to child neglect, an offense that is punishable by law!

Over time, parents addicted to alcohol will start neglecting their responsibilities at the expense of alcohol. This usually results in loss of jobs and business closure, which greatly diminishes their ability to provide for their children.

Moreover, parents or guardians struggling with alcoholism are less likely to be directly involved in their children's upbringing, thereby increasing the chances of sexual abuse by family members or strangers.

Property Damage

Alcohol works by slowing down brain function, which in turn leads to impaired judgment. This explains why a drunk individual is likely to make poor decisions and engage in careless behavior that often results in intentional or unintentional property damage. Most people arrested for property damage or trespassing blame it on alcohol.

It is also easy for drunk peers to pressure each other to commit offenses that they would otherwise avoid when sober.

* Source: National TASC



"Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise."

Proverbs 20:1 (KJV)

We the undersigned pastors and ministry leaders humbly ask that before you sign the petition to make Madison County wet that you consider the statistics above that clearly show that alcohol has detrimental and often devastating effects on society. Yet those who are seeking to make Madison County wet only care about profits and not people. ...

And if you claim to have a personal relationship with Christ the Bible doesn't mince words concerning the dangers of alcohol.

Just remember if you do sign the petition, it could very well be your family that is negatively impacted or possibly devastated by alcohol.

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Out of the Blue

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Wheeler still a big key

Sahvir Wheeler’s minutes have diminished during Kentucky’s three-game winning streak, but the senior point guard remains a valuable piece of the puzzle.

“For us to reach the heights that we’re capable of reaching, we need a good Sahvir (Wheeler),” Kentucky assistant coach Chin Coleman said Monday. “If everyone is good, no one player has to be great.”

Wheeler’s teammates also are aware of his importance to the team.

“I know a lot of people are talking bad about him but this team is nothing without Sahvir,” Kentucky forward Jacob Toppin said recently. “He does a lot for us, whether he’s starting or coming off the bench. He brings a lot of energy to this team and he changes the pace of the game on the offensive end. He defends very well even though he’s small.”

“He fights, he’s tough, so all the negative comments about him could go out the window. He’s really important to this team and we need him in order to do something special.”

- Kentucky senior forward Oscar Tshiebwe was named SEC Player of the Week for the first time this season. Tshiebwe averaged 22 points and 20.5 rebounds per game in wins over Georgia and Texas A&M at home last week.
- Tshiebwe scored a career-high 37 points and grabbed 24 rebounds in Kentucky’s 85-71 win over the Bulldogs at Rupp Arena.



Cason Wallace drives to the basket inn Kentucky’s win over Texas A&M last Saturday at Rupp Arena. The Wildcats defeated Vanderbilt Tuesday night for their fourth straight wun.

(Les Nicholson Photo)

Cats on a roll

Kentucky remained undefeated in games played in bordering Tennessee.

The Wildcats (14-6, 5-3) increased their winning streak to four and notched their 14th consecutive victory over Vanderbilt with a 69-53 win over the Commodores Tuesday night in Nashville. Kentucky’s current winning streak began with a 63-56 win over No. 4 Tennessee on Jan. 14 in Knoxville.

Kentucky scored seven straight to end the first half and led 36-27 at the half. Cason Wallace knocked down back-to-back 3-pointers and sparked a 12-3 Kentucky run to open the second half. The spree pushed the margin to 48-30 and it extended to 20 with six minutes remaining before cruising the remainder of the contest.

For the fourth straight game, Wallace started at the point-guard slot and was joined by CJ Fredrick, Oscar Tshiebwe, Chris

Livingston and Jacob Toppin. Guards Wallace, Fredrick and Antonio Reeves combined for 21 points in the opening half.

The Commodores (10-10, 3-4) had no answer to Kentucky’s post play. Oscar Tshiebwe and Jacob Toppin each had a double-double with Tshiebwe finishing with 15 points and 13 rebounds. Toppin added 12 points and 10 rebounds. Toppin has scored 40 points in the past three games.

Coming off a 23-point performance in a win over Texas A&M last Saturday, Antonio Reeves led all scorers with 16 points and 10 rebounds. Toppin has scored 40 points in the past three games.

Reeves, Wallace and Fredrick combined and made all six of Kentucky’s 3-pointers in the easy victory. Fredrick and Wallace added 10 points each.

Kentucky senior guard Sahvir Wheeler came off the bench and played 22 minutes. He scored four points and dished out five assists.

Kentucky now shifts attention to the final Big 12-SEC Challenge and will play host to No. 9 Kansas Saturday at Rupp Arena.

Burger Boys

Kentucky signees Reed Sheppard (North Laurel), Aaron Bradshaw, Justin Edwards and DJ Wagner were named to the McDonald’s All-American game roster on Tuesday. Rob Dillingham, also a Wildcats signee, was declared ineligible for the game.

Sheppard, son of former Kentucky standout Jeff Sheppard, is the first in-state product to be named to the squad since Chane Behanan in 2011. Sheppard is averaging 23 points and eight rebounds for the Jaguars.

Gametracker: Kansas at Kentucky, 8 p.m., Saturday. **TV/Radio:** ESPN, UK Radio Network.

UK fights back against ‘disruptive’ Aggies

LEXINGTON (KT) — Kentucky took a proverbial punch from Texas A&M and fought back, resulting in a 76-67 win over the Aggies Saturday.

The loss was the first in seven games for the Aggies, who had opened with five straight victories to open play in the Southeastern Conference.

“The job that Buzz (Williams) has done, to play disruptive basketball, to take out almost everything we’re trying to run and to

mold his team,” Kentucky coach John Calipari said. “They were beating everybody and they beat a couple of teams by 25 (points).”

A players-only meeting and a message from Calipari prior to the win over the Volunteers served as a wakeup call.

“I told them (in Knoxville) if I have to drag you over hot coals to where you’re supposed to go, we’re breaking through, so you can do it or I’m dragging you, but we’re going to do this,” Calipari

recalled. “I’ll be honest with you, as a coach, it’s way easier when they drag me. It’s way easier. The other one just beats you down.”

The recent resurgence has returned Kentucky to relevance in the conference. Lineup changes, coupled by routine changes off the court, helped revive the Wildcats. Last week Calipari took away the team’s cell phones and other tech tools before the surprise victory at Tennessee on Jan. 14 in Knoxville.

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Basketball Schedule

January

LSU

3

LSU • Won • 74-71

7

at Alabama • Lost • 78-52

10

South Carolina • Lost • 71-68

14

Tennessee • Won • 63-56

17

Georgia • Won • 85-71

21

Texas A&M • Won • 76-67

24

at Vandy • Won • 69-53

28

Kansas • 8 p.m. • ESPN

31

at Ole Miss • 9 p.m. • ESPN

February

4

Florida • 8:30 p.m. • ESPN

7

Arkansas • 9 p.m. • ESPN

11

at Georgia • Noon • ESPN

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at Miss. St. • 8:30 p.m. • SECN

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