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W.O.W. Fish Fry, Sat., April 28th

Woodmen of the World, Lodge 871, Germantown, will have their annual fish fry Saturday, April 28 from 5-7 p.m. at the lodge hall in Germantown.

The menu will consist of fish, hot dogs, buns, baked beans, macaroni & cheese, cole slaw, chips, cookies, sweet iced tea, and soft drinks.

The all you can eat meal is free to all Woodmen members. Non-members are also welcome and their cost is \$5 adults and \$3 children 12 & under.

AHS Prom this Saturday, Bracken St. to be closed

Augusta Independent School's Prom is slated for this Saturday, April 28th in the gymnasium. Walk-in and pictures will begin at 7 p.m.

In an effort to make walk-in a safe event for prom-goers and the families attending, there will be changes implemented this year. Bracken Street will be completely closed to all vehicles from Second Street to the school entrance from 6-8 p.m. This will be reserved as standing room for visitors to view the walk-in events. Students participating in walk-in will enter Bracken Street at Fourth Street and proceed to the school's main entrance. This portion of Bracken Street will be open for walk-in vehicles only. Members of the crowd will be asked to remain on or behind the grass and not to gather in the parking lot area. The Frankfort Street parking lot entrance will also be blocked, so prom attendees must enter through the Bracken Street entrance.

Prom will follow the walk-in events from 8 p.m. to midnight. Crowning will take place at 11:30 p.m. Parents and guests will be asked to wait outside the gymnasium until approximately 11:25 p.m. The prom is sponsored by the Class of 2013.

Antique & Craft Expo to be held this weekend

The Washington Lions Club is hosting their 18th Annual Antique and Craft Expo at the King Burley Warehouse Center in Maysville this weekend April 28 and 29. More than 125 vendors from six states will be exhibiting their wares. Antiques are in the east show area and crafts are in the west show area.

The expo will be open on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is only \$2 and parking is free. Customers are invited to bring in their heirlooms and have them appraised free of charge.

A variety of good food, featuring country ham, pork tenderloin, beans and corn bread, and numerous other dishes will be sold at the event.

The King Burley Warehouse Center is located behind Mann Chrysler Dodge Jeep of Maysville off the AA Highway.

AVFD Annual Fish Fry and Cake Auction this Friday

The Augusta volunteer Fire Department will hold their annual Fish Fry and Cake Auction this Friday night, April 27th at the Fire House on Main Street in Augusta.

The fish fry will begin at 5 p.m. with the cake auction following at 7:30 p.m. Platters will be served and include a fish sandwich, chips, slaw, dessert and drink. All donations are welcome.

Everyone is invited to come out to support the Augusta Volunteer Fire Department.

Budding Artists Exhibit now on display at the Augusta Art Guild

An Opening Reception will be held on Friday, April 27th from 6-8 p.m. for the annual "Budding Artists Exhibit," hosted by the Augusta Art Guild. This exhibit, which celebrates the talent and creativity of Bracken County students, will run through Wednesday, May 2nd.

Artwork created by these exceptionally talented young artists will be featured in the Augusta Art Guild gallery located at 116 Main Street in Augusta.

Gallery hours are Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 1-4 p.m. For more information, visit www.AugustaArtGuild.com.

Miller's Home Center to open in Brooksville this week



Pictured above in front of their paint center is General Manager Scott Miller, left, and employees, Ellen "Sis" Dotson and Andrew Cummins.

Recognizing the need for a hardware store in Brooksville, Miller Lumber Company in Augusta will be opening Miller's Home Center at 102 Woodward Avenue in Brooksville this week. General Manager Scott Miller is in the process of stocking, labeling and preparing the full line hardware store for its opening. While the grand opening will be held later in May, Miller is ready to test the waters and invites the community to stop in, look around and purchase items that will be helpful with their honey do lists, minor renovation projects and day to day upkeep of their home and business.

Miller's Home Center will carry a full line of hardware items distributed by House-Hasson Hardware out of Knoxville TN, where they have been in business for over 100 years. As a full line hardware store, they carry Delta Faucets, a full line of DeWalt tools, Porter Paint, Design House Lighting and Bath Furniture, lawn mowers and Charbroil Grills. They will even carry a limited supply of lumber including regular 2x4's in 8 foot lengths, some treated posts, OSB board, drywall and insulation to name just a few items. A full line of Electrolux and Frigidaire appliances will be available. As the business grows down the road, Miller's Home Center will carry hunting and archery products and eventually plans to carry guns and ammunition.

Miller's Home Center is located in the former Main Street Market building on the corner of Frankfort Street and Woodward Avenue across the street from the Watson Building. They will be open Monday-Friday 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and closed Sundays. The business phone number will be 606-735-2080. Scott Miller appreciates the Ware family for their willingness to open the building up to a new store and for playing a large role in bringing Miller's Home Center to the people of Brooksville and all of Bracken County.

Skip Miller, Scott's father, came up with the idea of a hardware store in Brooksville and Scott is glad to have the opportunity to coordinate the project and become the General Manager. He has learned a lot over the years from his father and brother, Craig Miller the General Manager at Miller Lumber Company. His experience with them will be invaluable to his overseeing Miller's Home Center. Scott credits the work diligence of the many contractors and workers for their hard work in renovating and setting the store so it will be ready for business this week. In addition, he appreciates the crew at Miller Lumber Company for pulling together to help with this project and the support of his family, his wife, Ashlee, daughters, Natalee and Claire, and his parents, Skip and Caroline Miller, throughout the project.

India topic of Homemakers International Night Program



Pictured left to right are Shannon Smith, Karen Sweeney, Allison Parker, Joanne Teegarden, Mary Ellen Stegemann, Janet Meyer, and Edith McKenney.

On Thursday, April 19, the Bracken County Homemakers hosted their annual International Program at the Bracken County Extension Office. The theme was a "Night in India". The room was lavishly decorated in Indian style by Mary Ellen Stegemann, Karen Sweeney, Janet Meyer and Mary Lou Hickey. A delicious Indian meal was prepared by the Parkview Inn which included chicken curry and various other traditional Indian dishes. Guests were treated to a slide show throughout the evening from a trip to India which included pictures of everything from the poverty in the streets to the magnificent Taj Mahal.

County President, Edith McKenney welcomed the homemakers and various guests. Louise Moneyhon delivered a wonderful inspiration and blessing. Joanne Teegarden, International Chair, welcomed our guest speaker, Miss Allison Parker. Allison, an Augusta Rotary Club member, spoke about the Rotary's efforts to bring clean water to impoverished countries including India. These efforts include water wells, reservoirs, filtration systems, etc. Because the Rotary Club has always been so supportive of the homemakers, we were honored to help them with their cause. Donations were collected to help the Rotarians in their efforts to bring clean water to India. If anyone else is interested in donating to this cause, please contact the Augusta Rotary Club or Bracken County Extension directly.

Shannon Smith, CES Agent, thanked the group for attending and briefly spoke of other upcoming programs offered by Extension. A wonderful night in India was enjoyed by all!

Drug Take Back Program is this Saturday, April 28

On April 28 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. the Bracken County Sheriff Office and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) will give the public another opportunity to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs. Bring your medications for disposal to Bracken County Sheriff Office at 116 West Miami Street, Brooksville, KY. The service is free and anonymous, no questions asked.

Last October, Americans turned in 377,080 pounds—188.5 tons—of prescription drugs at over 5,300 sites operated by the DEA and nearly 4,000 state and local law enforcement partners. In its three previous Take Back events, DEA and its partners took in almost a million pounds—nearly 500 tons—of pills.

Sheriff Howard Niemeier asks that anyone who has unused drugs lying around their household to bring them to the Sheriff's Office on April 28. Drugs are destroying families everywhere and Bracken County is not immune to this epidemic and it is critical that we take all steps possible to prevent the abuse of prescription drugs in our community.



Vendors needed for Showcase in June

River Valley Agritourism Alliance is looking for interested participants in their Second Annual Agritourism Showcase. The Showcase is on June 23, 2012 at the Bracken County Industrial Park on the AA Highway. The event will be from 10 am to 4 pm. There will be agricultural vendors, food, music and games for children and adults. Those interested in being a vendor at this event are encouraged to contact Sara Swope at (937) 213-1083 or saraswope65@yahoo.com.

BIRTHS

Jimmie Combs and Rebecca Seiter, of Gertrude, are proud to announce the arrival of their newest granddaughter, Emma Faith Overbeck. She was born at 3:59 p.m. on April 4, 2012 at Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati. She weighed in at 7 lbs. 12 oz. Mark & Stephanie Overbeck, of Independence, KY, are so proud of their new bundle of joy. Her grandma, Karen Combs, is also overjoyed.

Brooksville VFD to host Fish Fry Sunday, May 6

On Sunday, May 6, the Brooksville Volunteer Fire Department will be having their annual Open House/ Fish Fry at the fire department from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Come out to visit, eat your lunch, and support a very worthwhile effort to help the volunteers get new equipment to continue the excellent service they have provided this community for many years.

Brooksville Vol. Fire Department list of contributors

Latest contributors to the Brooksville Volunteer Fire Department's 2012 fund drive include:

Wanda Brooks; Carota's Pizza - Brooksville; Concord United Methodist Church; Joan Jacob Cummins; David & Jan Fatka; Richard D. (Dickie) Hamilton; Steven S. & Katie M. Hershberger/ Bluegrass Barns; Jamey & Tabitha Johnson; Jeffrey L. & Amy Jones; Gene & Patty Martin; Ernie & Sharon Meyer; Ron & Debbie Neeley; Darrel & Carol Persinger; Larry & Barbara Smith.

Baker-Bird Winery to host 'Open Mic' performance this Saturday

The Olde Washington Wordsmiths present an 'Open Mic' performance at the Historic Baker-Bird Winery on Saturday, April 28 5-7 p.m.

The evening will feature two special guest poet/writers from Kentucky, Jude Lally and Arwen Donahue.

Jude Lally, a Lexington poet originally from Maysville, is a 2006 graduate from the University of Kentucky with a B. A. in Business Administration. He writes and recites poetry as an outlet for his creative needs and as a means of enlightening and inspiring listeners. In 1998, he was diagnosed with a rare, degenerative neuromuscular disease called Friederich's Ataxia. Jude is a member of the poetry group Poezia, reads at events for the Poet's Supper and is a regular presenter at the Holler Poetry Series. His first book, *The View from Down Here*, was published by Accents Publishing in 2010, and received critical acclaim. Richard Taylor, former poet-laureate of Kentucky, wrote, "These unflinching poems let us walk in the unfamiliar shoes of someone who sees the world from wheels, revealing our customary world with re-imagined perspectives that are powerful and empowering." Jude's full length volume of poetry, *I'm Fine but Thanks for Asking*, was published this year by Accents Publishing.

Arwen Donahue is an artist, writer and farmer. She is the author of *This Is Home Now: Kentucky's Holocaust Survivors Speak*. Published by University Press of Ken-

tucky in 2007, it is a collection of oral history interviews she conducted with survivors over a ten-year period. Her latest work, a comic book, *Old Man Gloom*, will be released in June. Arwen has also illustrated three books; *The Hatchet Buddha*, poems by Rebecca Gayle Howell; *Dividing Ridge*, poems by Mary Ann Taylor-Hall; and *Recruiters*, a short story by Silas House. Arwen received a Bachelor of Fine Arts from California College of the Arts. Her accomplishments include; an Al Smith Fellowship from the Kentucky Arts Council, three Artist Enrichment grants from the Kentucky Foundation for Women and several other grants from the Kentucky Humanities Council and Oral History Commission. She and her family reside on Three Springs Farm in Nicholas County, Kentucky.

After the guest readers, an 'Open Mic' venue will be offered for members of the Wordsmith and the public who want to share their written work within a three minute time frame. The Wordsmiths are excited to present this special evening at the unique, stone winery in Bracken County. Located just outside Augusta on Rt. 19, Baker-Bird Winery is the oldest estate winery in America and provides a perfect sitting for this artistic event.

Light refreshments and a cash wine bar will be offered during the break. For more information and to sign up for the 'Open Mic' contact Jim Lally at 606-407-1457.

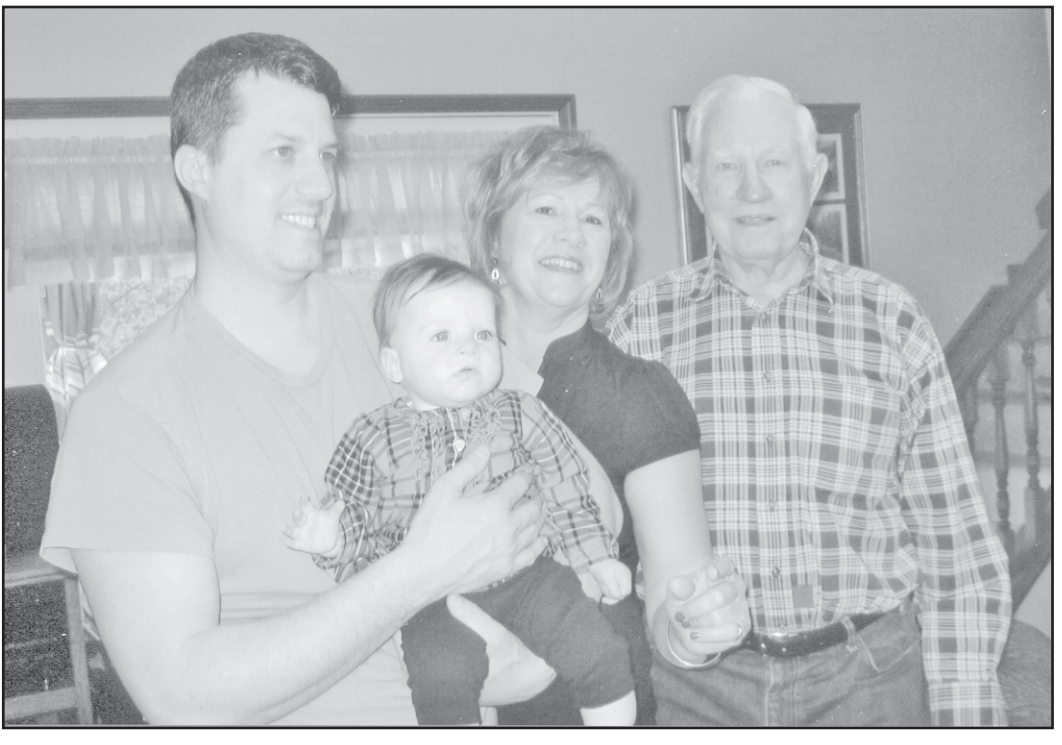
Shear Happiness now open on US 68 in Maysville



Pictured left to right: Heather Lynch, Amber Jefferson and Angie Applegate.

Former stylists of a Maysville Market Square Salon are proud to announce the opening of their new salon 'Shear Happiness' located at 901 US 68, Maysville. Shear Happiness will present to you a warm welcoming atmosphere and provide you with a friendly environment of experienced hairstylists. They offer the latest in hairstyles and color trends to meet the needs of your satisfaction. Business hours: Monday 10-7; Tuesday CLOSED; Wednesday 10-7; Thursday 10-8; Friday 10-7; Saturday 9-3; Sunday CLOSED. Business phone: (606)564-9880. Now taking appointments and walk-ins are welcome!

Four generations gather together



Baxter Courts recently had the pleasure of spending time with his daughter, Cheryl Crawford, grandson, Travis Crawford, and his 8 month old great-granddaughter, Eloise Crawford.

This spot reserved for your ad. Call today to make sure it's in the next issue! 735-2198

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
 BRACKEN CIRCUIT COURT
 CIVIL ACTION NO. 11-CI-00006**

UNITED MIDWEST SAVINGS BANK **PLAINTIFF**
VS.
KEVIN LYNN KINGSTON, ET. AL. **DEFENDANT**

NOTICE OF SALE

In obedience to a Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the above styled action, I will, as Master Commissioner of Bracken Circuit Court, proceed on

**Friday, May 11, 2012
 at
 10:00 A.M.**

**AT THE FRONT DOOR OF THE BRACKEN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
 (LOCUST STREET SIDE)
 Brooksville, Bracken County, Kentucky**

to sell the hereinafter described tract of real estate and any improvements thereon. This sale is to satisfy an in rem Judgment and Order of Sale in favor of the Plaintiff against the Defendant herein in the total sum of \$44,280.14, plus interest at the rate of \$7.75 per diem from October 6, 2011 until the date of judgment, plus interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of judgment until paid, reasonable attorney's fees in the amount of \$1,350.00, together with amounts for late fees, penalties of late charges, assessments and advancements for the protection of the property including, but not limited to, taxes and insurance, escrow advances, insurance premiums and court costs incurred herein.

The real estate to be sold is described as follows:
ADDRESS: 298 Woodland Acres Road, Brooksville, Kentucky 41004
 A certain lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Bracken County, Kentucky, and being designated as Lot No. 19 on the Plat of Woodland, which said plat is of record in Plat Book No. 1, Page 1, Bracken County Records.

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Kevin Lynn Kingston and Sherry Walton Kingston, husband and wife, by deed dated October 12, 1999 and recorded in Deed Book 155, Page 557 on December 13, 1999, Bracken County Court Clerk's Records.

The property shall be sold to the highest and best bidder(s) and said purchaser shall be required to pay cash or the sum of ten percent (10%) of the bid price in cash deposit with the balance of the purchase price to be due and payable in cash or certified funds, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. The purchaser shall be required to execute a bond, with good and sufficient surety, bearing interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date which is thirty (30) days following the date of sale, until paid, and payable to the Master Commissioner.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of paying all or any part of the purchase price or paying said bond before maturity by paying the balance of the principal together with all accrued interest thereon. If the total purchase price is not paid in cash, the required deposit shall be applied to any expenses incurred by a default of the purchaser. Provided, however, in the event a party of this action is the successful bidder at the sale of the property by the Master Commissioner, then the said party, upon payment of the court costs and sale expenses and any liens or judgments that have been given priority herein over the lien and judgment of said successful bidder/party, shall have its bid credited against its judgment herein.

If the purchaser(s) fails to comply with the terms of the sale then, in such event, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions as set forth herein, excepting only any necessary changes in the time and date of sale. Possession of the property herein sold shall be given to the purchaser after payment in full of the purchase price and confirmation of the sale by the Bracken Circuit Court.

Pursuant to the Judgment herein, the purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all ad valorem property taxes assessed against the property for 2012 and all subsequent years thereafter. The title interest of the parties to the lawsuit will be conveyed without warranty by the Master Commissioner to the purchaser and the purchaser shall receive a deed to property upon payment of the purchase price in full (and costs of sale, if applicable) and after confirmation of the sale by Bracken Circuit Court, subject to any equity of redemption if the property does not sell for two-thirds of its appraised value.

**Mark A. Schumacher
 Master Commissioner
 Bracken Circuit Court**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been mailed, postage prepaid, to the Hon. Stephanie A. Maguire, Lerner, Sampson & Rothfuss, P.O. Box 5480, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, Sherry Walton Kingston, 298 Woodland Acres Road, Brooksville, Kentucky 41004, Capital One Bank, c/o Any Officer or Managing Agent, 4851 Cox Road, Glen Allen, Virginia 23060, Michael D. Burkart, 60 Clay Street, Tiffin, Ohio 44883, Donna L. Burkart, 60 Clay Street, Tiffin, Ohio 44883, and Hon. Thomas Leksan, 1000 Tri-State Bldg., 432 Walnut Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202 on this the 19th day of April, 2012.

Mark A. Schumacher

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Annual Baby Gala held at Bracken Co. Extension Office



Twenty three new and expecting parents and fifteen guests attended this year's Baby Gala held at the Bracken County Extension Office on Tuesday, April 17th. The annual event is sponsored by the Augusta FRYSC, Bracken County FRYSC, the Bracken County Extension Service and the Bracken County Health Department HANDS Program. Several organizations donated door prizes and setup informational booths.

Some of the events attendees can be seen above pausing after visiting booths and collecting information, and speaking



with Stephanie Hamilton about child care options at Brooksville Day Care. David Sticklen, Certified Child Safety Seat Technician, can be seen checking the installation of a child safety seat in one of the attendees vehicles.

Photos submitted

Interested in Helping a Child?

As you know there are thousands of children in foster care in Kentucky and in Bracken and Robertson Co. We currently have no homes with openings to take in children removed from their parents care. These children have to be placed in other counties sometimes a great distance from their friends and family. Children need stability and familiar surroundings to keep them connected to their families when the social workers are working to reunite them with their birth parents. This is why it is so important to keep them in their home county.

If you are interested in helping our children, there will be an informational meeting on Tuesday, May 8 in the Mason Co. Department for Community Based Services Office from 6-8 p.m. Light refreshments will be served and staff will do a short presentation and be available to answer all your questions. You may call Dalawna Kearns 606-735-2195 for more information.

(Note: To be a foster/adoptive parent you may not be receiving any type of public assistance to meet the needs of your family).

Open House, bake sale to benefit Peach Grove tornado victims this Saturday, April 28th



On March 2, 2012, Sherry Dusing-Webster and Mike Pendleton along with their two daughters lost everything to the Peach Grove tornado. Thank God everyone was ok. Although they will never get back what they had, we as a community can help them start over.

On Saturday, April 28th there will be an Open House at the Watson Building in Brooksville from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. where numerous vendors will be setting up booths. Vendors will consist of Scentsy, Thirty One Gifts, Premier Jewelry, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, Pure Romance, Advocate, Cash 4 Gold, Beauti Control, and Rada Knives. Each Vendor will be donating a portion of their earnings to Sherry and Mike.

Also at the Open House there will be hamburgers and hotdogs and all the proceeds from the cook out will be donated. A Bake Sale will also be held at the First National Bank in Brooksville from 9 a.m.-noon that Saturday also.

Everyone is encouraged to stop in and help this family rebuild. Donations are welcome! If you would like to just simply donate baked goods, cookout items, or money donations, contact Amber Dusing 606-782-5544 or Brandy Norris 606-782-4168. Volunteers are welcome as well.

Photo submitted

Roses to celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. David Rose of Milford, are proud to announce that they are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. The couple were married on April 20, 1962 by Reverend Sorrell at the Cynthiana Church of God. They are the parents of Mrs. Lisa (Louis) Kendall of Cynthiana and Mrs. Kathy (Joel) Brumley of Milford; and the grandparents of Jacob and Jesseca Kendall and Michaela Brumley.

They would like to invite all friends and family to join them at the Cynthiana Christian Church for a reception on Saturday, April 28, 2012 from 2 to 5 p.m. Refreshments will be served. The couple requests that there be no gifts.

Heartfelt Thanks!

Despite the cold weather Sunday afternoon, "Kickin' It for KB" was a HUGE success! Thanks to the more than generous donations made by local and out of town businesses and the efforts of many amazing people, we were able to raise \$4,500 for Miss Kenason's education! Thank you to everyone who was involved in making this such a wonderful event. To those of you who helped plan the event and those who helped set-up and clean up. Thank you to all of our amazing Zumba instructors, the junior class of Augusta High School for supplying the food and the City of Augusta for all your hard work at the boat dock. Most of all, thank you to the members of the community who braved the cold and made our day successful! We could not have done any of this without you all and words cannot express the gratitude felt by those of us involved in the event. It was truly amazing to see everything come together! Thank you from the bottom of our hearts! Because of your support, Kenason is one-step closer to the future Levi would have given her!

THANK YOU FROM ALL OF US!

Club News

PARKVIEW COOKING CLUB

Sixteen people enjoyed the Cooking Club last Tuesday night when we learned some tips on cooking less, with less time, less money, and less ingredients.

Some delicious appetizers, soups and entrees were enjoyed by: Barb Perry, Judith Richards, Rita Hargett, Jackie Taylor, Colleen Taylor, Shirley Perkins, Mary Lou Simons, Carolyn Taylor, Jenny McGee, Sue Lucas, Jewel Mefford, Suzy Perkins, Vida Kennard, Dorothy Selby, John and Juanita White.

The Cooking Club would like for you to give us a try sometime and come join us for a fun-filled night with delicious food and some good hints, tips and recipes. We meet the third Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. So come on down and bring a friend.

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B101
AUGUSTA WEST: Augusta Volunteer Fire Department, 219 Main Street, Augusta, KY. 41002.

C101
AUGUSTA EAST: Augusta Music Building, 207 Bracken Street, Augusta, KY. 41002.

D101
BERLIN: Forest Hills Baptist Church, 661 Haley Ridge Road, Brooksville, KY. 41004.

E101
CHATHAM: Chatham Christian Church, 3809 Brooksville-Chatham Road, Augusta, KY. 41002.

F101
BROOKSVILLE: Bracken Co. High School, 350 West Miami St., Brooksville, KY. 41004.

G101
MILFORD: Bracken Co. High School, 350 West Miami St., Brooksville, KY. 41004.

H101
GERMANTOWN: Germantown Fire Dept., 70 Bridgeville Rd., Germantown, KY. 41044.

Election Day is May 22, 2012
All polling locations open at 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding where you are to vote or any other concerns, please call 735-2952.

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Matthew Rudd
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Tyler Newman
Carol Miley
Sabrina Sebastian
Christopher McDowell
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Brandon Figgins
Chana Thouroughman
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Christopher Rudd
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Nancy Sharp
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Allen Reed
Gary Strange
Rebecca Teegarden
Mr. & Mrs. Harold King
Mr. & Mrs. Junior Flynn
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Big Boys Toys will hold a "Cruise-In" on Sunday, May 13 from 2 - 6 p.m. on their lot at 1220 Highway 52 in Aberdeen, OH.

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BRACKEN CIRCUIT COURT
CIVIL ACTION NO. 11-CI-00171**

KENTUCKY HOUSING CORPORATION **PLAINTIFF**
VS.
STACEY D. DOHERTY **DEFENDANT**

NOTICE OF SALE

In obedience to an In Rem Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the above styled action, I will, as Master Commissioner of Bracken Circuit Court, proceed on

Friday, May 11, 2012
at
10:00 A.M.

**AT THE FRONT DOOR OF THE BRACKEN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
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Brooksville, Bracken County, Kentucky**

to sell the hereinafter described tract of real estate and any improvements thereon. This sale is to satisfy an in rem Judgment and Order of Sale in favor of the Plaintiff against the Defendant herein in the principal sum of \$51,083.06, including late charges of \$572.64, plus interest at the rate of 1.00% per annum from Augusta 1, 2011 until the date of judgment, and thereafter at the judgment rate on the entire sum until paid, reasonable attorney's fees, together with amounts for late fees, penalties of late charges, assessments and advancements for the protection of the property including, but not limited to, taxes and insurance, escrow advances, insurance premiums and court costs incurred herein.

The real estate to be sold is described as follows:
ADDRESS: 50 Hester Road, Germantown, Kentucky 41044
Being a Lot, part of that larger Tract No 4 of the Commonwealth Pointe Subdivision in Bracken County, Kentucky, lying south of Hester Road and west of KY 875 as conveyed to Ronald L. and Wilma Jean Silvey by Ruby A. Silvey et als., on September 21, 2001, and recorded in the Bracken County Clerk's Records in Deed Book 163, page 380 (all deed references to Bracken County) and being more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2" iron pin found with yellow cap, in the south right of way of Hester Lane corner to Francis Ernest Deed Book 132, Page 11, Tract 3; thence S 23 deg. 32' 46" W a distance of 250.20' to a 1/2" iron pin found, corner to common the Ernest and Tracy Carpenter Deed Book 142, Page 314, Tract 2, thence with her line S 19 deg. 11' 57" W a distance of 189.90' to a 5/8" iron pin set with cap stamped JHP 723 corner common to Carpenter and Ronald L. and Wilma Jean Silvey, Tract 1, thence with the line of Ronald L. and Wilma Jean Silvey, S 15 deg. 17' 33" W a distance of 94.08' to a 5/8" iron pin set with cap stamped JHP 723; thence leaving the line of Tract 1 a new division the following two calls; N 76 deg. 16' 55" W a distance of 139.33' to a 5/8" iron pin set with cap stamped JHP 723 the south west corner of this Lot; thence N 15 deg. 28' 36" E a distance of 323.11' to a 5/8" iron pin set with cap stamped JHP 723 set in the line of Ricky and Paula Jett, Deed Book 150, Page 38, thence with the aforesaid line two calls, S 61 deg. 28' 31" E a distance of 125.07' to a wood fence post; thence N 23 deg. 36' 19" E a distance of 249.95' to a 1/2" iron pin with yellow cap found in the south right of way of Hester Lane, thence with Hester Lane S 61 deg. 33' 03" E a distance of 30.00' point of beginning, having an area of 51,072.4160 square feet, 1.1725 acres more or less, and as surveyed by James H. Pollitte PLS 723 for Maysville Survey & Engineering Co. Inc. on July 5, 2001.

The above described lot is subject to all easement for access and utilities of record and specifically and the Seller retains an easement for access and utilities described as follows:

Beginning at a 1/2" iron pin found with yellow cap in the south right of way of Hester Lane corner to Francis Ernest, Deed Book 132, page 11, Tract 3; thence S 23 deg. 32' 46" W a distance of 250.20' to a 1/2" iron pin found, corner to common the Ernest and Tracy Carpenter Deed Book 142, page 314, Tract 2, thence S 19 deg. 11' 57" W a distance of 30.43 feet, thence leaving the line of Tract 2 N 61 deg. 28' 31" W a distance of 102.62 feet, thence S 15 deg. 28' 36" W a distance to 288.84 to a point in the division line between Tract 4 and Lot A or Tract 4.

This sale includes a 2002 Palm Harbor EVP350A2 28 x 50 mobile home, serial number PH320H0226772AB.

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Stacey D. Doherty, unmarried, by deed dated July 26, 2006, of record in Deed Book 181, Page 219, in the Office of the Clerk of Bracken County, Kentucky.

The property shall be sold to the highest and best bidder(s) and said purchaser shall be required to pay cash or the sum of ten percent (10%) of the bid price in cash deposit with the balance of the purchase price to be due and payable in cash or certified funds, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. The purchaser shall be required to execute a bond, with good and sufficient surety, bearing interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date which is thirty (30) days following the date of sale, until paid, and payable to the Master Commissioner.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of paying all or any part of the purchase price or paying said bond before maturity by paying the balance of the principal together with all accrued interest thereon. If the total purchase price is not paid in cash, the required deposit shall be applied to any expenses incurred by a default of the purchaser. Provided, however, in the event a party of this action is the successful bidder at the sale of the property by the Master Commissioner, then the said party, upon payment of the court costs and sale expenses and any liens or judgments that have been given priority herein over the lien and judgment of said successful bidder/party, shall have its bid credited against its judgment herein.

If the purchaser(s) fails to comply with the terms of the sale then, in such event, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions as set forth herein, excepting only any necessary changes in the time and date of sale. Possession of the property herein sold shall be given to the purchaser after payment in full of the purchase price and confirmation of the sale by the Bracken Circuit Court.

Pursuant to the Judgment herein, the purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all ad valorem property taxes assessed against the property for 2012 and all subsequent years thereafter. The title interest of the parties to the lawsuit will be conveyed without warranty by the Master Commissioner to the purchaser and the purchaser shall receive a deed to property upon payment of the purchase price in full (and costs of sale, if applicable) and after confirmation of the sale by Bracken Circuit Court, subject to any equity of redemption if the property does not sell for two-thirds of its appraised value.

Mark A. Schumacher
Master Commissioner
Bracken Circuit Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been mailed, postage prepaid, to the Hon. Stephen R. Solomon and the Hon. Brant W. Sloan, Goldberg Simpson, LLC, 9301 Dayflower Street, Louisville, Kentucky 40059; Stacey D. Doherty, 50 Hester Road, Germantown, Kentucky 41044 on this the 19th day of April, 2012.

Mark A. Schumacher

Rotary Club tours Meldahl Dam



The Augusta Rotary Club had a change of scenery when they traveled to Chilo, Ohio to hold their regular Monday night meeting and dinner on April 16 inside the Meldahl Dam on the Ohio River. After the meeting they enjoyed a lunchbox dinner and had a 2 hour tour of the locks, dam and enjoyed viewing the construction site of the Hydro-Electric plant from the Ohio side. Members attending were Rolland Tongret, Jackie Hopkins and guest, Gary Frodge, Dolly Plummer, Tom Burke and guest, Dina Burke, Eddie Hay, Goree Spradlin, John White and Jay Pritchard. Unable to attend were Rob Schweitzer, Allison Parker, Bud White and Charlie Wilson. Augusta Rotary meets every Monday night at the Parkview Inn in Augusta. Anyone interested in being part of the Rotary Club, contact any Rotary member.

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... Facts Behind the Image

There's only one Kentucky Derby. The world's image of Kentucky is often of thoroughbreds grazing in white-fenced bluegrass pastures under the watchful eyes of owners, trainers and staff -- with Derby aspirations on their minds. But what are some of the facts behind this image?

- The 138th Kentucky Derby will be run Saturday, May 5, at Louisville's Churchill Downs, a thoroughbred racing venue since 1875. Its 2012 spring meet runs April 28-July 1 (no races generally on Mondays, Tuesdays or Wednesdays; exceptions are Derby week.)

- Each May, up to 20 3-year-old thoroughbreds answer the call to the post for the Kentucky Derby. The vast majority of these highly-trained horses are Kentucky-bred.

- They are the cream of the crop of more than 8,000 registered thoroughbred foals born every year in Kentucky, by far the leading state in the U.S. for producing this breed of horse.

- Kentucky accounts for about 30 percent of thoroughbreds foaled in the country, while Florida comes in a distant second with about 2,000 or 9 percent.

- There are about 450 thoroughbred farms in Kentucky, with the largest concentration found in the Bluegrass region around Lexington, Midway, Paris and Georgetown.

- Racing, the specialty of thoroughbreds, has been a favorite sport in Kentucky since it became the 15th U.S. state in 1792.

- According to the Kentucky Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association,

Kentucky-bred horses have accounted for 76 percent of Kentucky Derby winners, 75 percent of Breeders' Cup winners, and eight of the 11 winners of the Triple Crown.

- 2012 marks the 76th spring meet at Lexington's Keeneland Race Course, where racing is being held for 15 days from April 11-29 (no races Mondays or Tuesdays).

- When top thoroughbreds retire from the track, they often stand at stud on Kentucky farms. Fees to breed with top stallions range from \$1,150 to as much as \$150,000, depending on the sire's lineage and racing history, according to the thoroughbred association.

- It's easy to visit thoroughbred farms in the Bluegrass region. You can join in a group tour to several farms, customize your tour with the help of a private guide, or visit on your own (only with advance arrangements, though). The Lexington Convention and Visitors Bureau website (www.visitlex.com) features listings of tour operators, guides and farms that admit individual visitors.

Even if you're not bound for Churchill Downs, you can still get in the Derby spirit with your own party -- whether you prefer a traditional theme, something more modern or just good friends and family getting together for an afternoon of fun. The Derby is not just about horse racing. It's about the magic that makes the first Saturday in May unique in sports, fashion and style and how people come together to honor Southern traditions. Visit www.kentuckyderby.com/party for ideas on how to celebrate Kentucky's signature day.

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Bracken County Quilt Club holds 11th Annual Quilt Retreat



The Bracken County Quilt Club held their 11th Annual Quilt Retreat on February 21st-24th at Blue Licks State Park. With nearly 60 women from all over Kentucky and surrounding states, the ladies enjoyed days of sewing, quilting, and fellowship. During their Thursday night Show & Tell ritual the quilters showcased their talents and awed the crowd which included several extra visitors who come to the event yearly. Show & Tell Night highlights a years worth of hard work ranging from elaborate fabric and patterns to detailed appliqué on quilts. Bracken County Quilters are proud to carry on such a time honored tradition. The event was enjoyed by all and plans are underway for next years event.

The Bracken County Quilt Club members are pictured above left to right, front row: Wendy Manzo, Madeline Burgoon, Gloria Smith, Mary Ellen Stegemann, and Edith Ulrich. Middle row: Jean McKee, Roberta Figgins, Audrey Riffe, Donna Usleman, Trish Steinhilber, and Shirley Perkins. Back row: Mary Lou Hickey, Pauline Speakman, Janet Meyer, Bobbi Apking, Sue Baker, Roberta Shepherd, and Gloria Auckerman.

PrimaryPlus continues Scholarship Program for area students

PrimaryPlus is happy to announce the availability of applications for its annual Carolyn Caseman Evans PrimaryPlus Scholarship program. The program started over ten years ago, providing over \$12,000 in funds thus far to graduating seniors. In 2010, the scholarship was named in memory of one of PrimaryPlus' great nurses, Mrs. Carolyn Caseman Evans, who strongly believed in the community she served, loved her patients and was passionate about quality healthcare. The PrimaryPlus Scholarship can provide a \$500 non-renewable scholarship to a class of 2012 graduate in Lewis, Fleming, Mason and Bracken Counties. The scholarship applications are available at the guidance counselors' office at most high schools, as well as, online at www.primaryplus.net (under Our Services, then click Community Programs).

Applicants will be required to submit a brief biography, transcripts of their high school grades/test scores, financial need information and provide letters of recommendation. Seniors applying must also submit a 500 to 1,000 word essay outlining their professional goals in the medical field, the future contributions they would like to make in the community and how this scholarship would help them attain those goals. The deadline for application submission is May 7th, 2012. The recipient(s) of the 2011 PrimaryPlus Scholarship will be announced at the Senior Awards Ceremony at each school. Last year's winners were the very deserving

Peggy Workman of Lewis County, Kaitlyn Parker of Bracken County, Jessica Fritz of Mason County and Emily Jamison of Fleming County.

"The PrimaryPlus scholarship program is one of many ways we believe in investing back into our communities...the class of 2012 is our future! It is important to help these young students pursue their dreams, in hopes that they will return home to begin their careers—we believe in their knowledge and their talents," states Jerry Ugrin, CEO of PrimaryPlus.

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Celebrate National Arbor Day by Planting Trees!

National Arbor Day is April 29 this year, and the best way to celebrate is by planting trees. The Arbor Day Foundation is making it easy for everyone to celebrate the tree planters' holiday. Everyone who joins the Foundation in April will receive 10 free shade trees.

To become a member of the Foundation and receive the free trees, send a \$10 contribution to TEN FREE SHADE TREES, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by April 30, 2012, or visit arborday.org/April.

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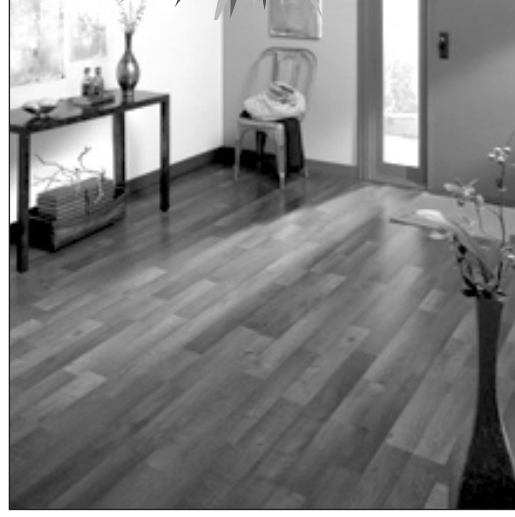
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Revolutionary War Veteran Memorial to be held for Sgt. James Thompson Apr. 28th

There will be a Revolutionary War memorial held for Sgt. James Thompson on April 28, at 1 p.m. on the farm of Harold Foster on Asbury Road north of Germantown, KY. James was a member of the Maryland Continental Line and The Maryland Militia. He emigrated from Edinburgh, Scotland to the Colonies before The Revolution and on to Kentucky in the 1790's. He was an anti slavery minister at The Minerva Baptist Church along with William Holton, Sr. This congregation was formed by Lewis Craig and The Spotsylvania Baptists in the 1780's. The Old Minerva Church is still standing and has been restored.

Signs will be posted on Route 10 NW at Asbury Road and on Asbury Road at the entrance of the Foster Farm. This cemetery is a half mile off the main road and the weather will have to cooperate with us to have the ceremony. If we have rain we will repost this message with a new date. This memorial service is supported and promoted by The Thompson descendants.

If you have questions contact Harold W. Rarden, 164 Amanda Brooke Drive, Flemingsburg, KY 41041, rarden@windstream.net, or 606-845-5196.

Generations Club makes donation



On Friday April 20th, 2012 some of the ladies of Generations Homemakers Club met at the Buffalo Trace Women's Crisis Center in Maysville where they donated a number of items found on the crisis centers "wish list". The members have been collecting these items for the last several months; in addition the club also donated a check to the crisis center. After the drop-off, the group then enjoyed a delicious dinner & had a quick meeting at Chandler's in downtown Maysville.

Members shown above left to right, standing: Angie Kelsch (presenting check to Women's Crisis Center), Chasity Saunders and daughter, Raylee Saunders, Tasha Sharp, and Cecilia Fite. Sitting: Joanne Teegarden and Amber Lippert. Photo submitted

Announcements

St. Augustine - St. James Knights of Columbus will meet Thurs., Apr. 26 at 8 p.m. at St. Augustine Church, Augusta.

Bracken Co. Water District will be closed Fri., Apr. 27 from 3-4 p.m. for training.

There will be a bake sale Sat., Apr. 28 at First National Bank, Brooksville, from 9-12 noon with proceeds going to Peach Grove tornado victims Sherry Dusing-Webster and Mike Pendleton.

Woodmen of the World, Lodge 871, Germantown, fish fry is Sat., Apr. 28 from 5-7 p.m. at the lodge hall in Germantown.

Bracken Co. Sheriff's Office will participate in the National Drug Take Back Program on Sat., Apr. 28 from 10-2 p.m. Bring any unused medications (no liquids or needles) to the Sheriff's Office to be properly disposed of by the DEA.

March of Dimes Euchre Tournament & Auction is Sun., Apr. 29 at Robertson Co. Community Center. Registration 5 p.m. Begin 6 p.m.

Bingo, sponsored by Brooksville Lion's Club, is Wed., May 2 at the Watson Community Building, 6:30 p.m. jitney, 8 p.m. reg. bingo. Smoke free building.

Scarlet O'Hatters will have lunch at Blue Lick's Thurs., May 3. Visit Thelma Whitehead after lunch. Leave Brooksville 11 a.m.

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Mon., Apr. 30 - Pop tarts, cereal, juice, milk.
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Wed., May 2 - Breakfast pizza, cereal, juice, milk.
Thurs., May 3 - Sweet rolls, cereal, juice, milk.
Fri., May 4 - Doughnuts, cereal, fruit, juice, milk.

LUNCH
Mon., Apr. 30 - Pizza sticks w/dipping sauce or ham & cheese sandwich, tater tots, tossed salad, pineapple, milk.
Tues., May 1 - Chicken nuggets or chef salad, curly fries, broccoli w/cheese, jello or peaches, milk.
Wed., May 2 - Chili fries or stuffed baked potato, tossed salad, crackers, fruit, milk.
Thurs., May 3 - Turkey roast or submarine sandwich, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, rolls, fruit, milk.
Fri., May 4 - Grilled cheese or corn dog, tater tots, peas, fruit, milk.

Local scholarship applications available from area families

Bracken County High School and Augusta High School seniors and current recipients who are planning a career in the medical profession are encouraged to apply for the Mildred C. Moore Medical Scholarship. Applications may be obtained by sending a note along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: The Mildred C. Moore Medical Scholarship, 314 Frankfort St., Brooksville, KY. 41004.

Applications for the Nicholas Free Perfect Attendance Scholarship are also available to Bracken Co. High School seniors with perfect attendance in grades K-12. Your application request may be mailed to the same address. Deadline for application requests for either scholarship is Mon., May 7.

Due to what they perceive as a mishandling of local scholarships by the Bracken County High School Administration in April 2002, the following scholarships have been withdrawn from the Bracken Co. High School system: The Mildred C. Moore Medical Scholarship; the Carmen Jett Moorhead Memorial Scholarship; and the Nicholas Free Perfect Attendance Scholarship. The families who award these scholarships have stated that since they would like to continue to encourage young people to further their education, they will now be handling the scholarship process themselves.

AUGUSTA SCHOOLS BREAKFAST

Mon., Apr. 30 - Breakfast pizza or cereal, fruit, milk, juice.
Tues., May 1 - Cinnamon or jelly toast, or cereal, fruit, milk, juice.
Wed., May 2 - Biscuit & gravy or jelly, or cereal, fruit, milk, juice.
Thurs., May 3 - Pancakes/syrup, or cereal, sausage link, milk, juice.
Fri., May 4 - Sweet rolls, or cereal, fruit, milk, juice.

LUNCH
Mon., Apr. 30 - Chicken patty on bun, potato wedges, green beans, fruit roll up, milk.
Tues., May 1 - Taco with cheese, salad or corn, mixed fruit, cookie, milk.
Wed., May 2 - Sloppy jo on bun, curly fries, slaw, fruit snacks, milk.
Thurs., May 3 - Roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, bread, butter, jello, milk.
Fri., May 4 - Pepperoni pizza, salad or green beans, peaches, cookie, milk.

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FBLA Spotlight



Jacob Tucker, a junior, is the son of Greg and Tricia Tucker. This local Parliamentarian has attended many conferences, including State 2011 and two Regional Conferences. Jacob's favorite FBLA memory is "winning at region and getting a chance to compete at state." Other than FBLA, Jacob is involved in Football, FCCLA, and FCA.

Look Who's Turning "40"!



Can you believe it? It seems so strange. But you better believe it ... this little girl is getting close to the top of the hill! So, if you see her, you better wish her a ...

HAPPY 40th BIRTHDAY
on Sunday, April 29th!



TRASH TALK

by: Mr. Recycle Bin & Ms. Pick-Up Litterbug
606-735-9960

Howdy Folks! We knew we had to get March weather sometime, so let's hope it is a condensed version and these cold, windy days won't last too long! Many of us 'older' citizens suffer from chronic or occasional bouts with arthritis and the chilly, damp air does nothing to alleviate such symptoms! Oh well, April is nearly over and while May could start out on the cool side, it will be warm summer days before we know it!

Our roll-off dumpsters will be gone before we know it and we want to extend our gratitude to Ms. Donna Rath for once again taking the time to write for the grant that pays for the use of these dumpsters in the county. To date, twenty-two roll-offs have been used and the total amount of disposed garbage is nearing one hundred tons! We really appreciate those of you who have used and not abused the roll-offs. Mason County Landfill sets the rules and regulations for the use of roll-off dumpsters and we ask that you please follow these directives to insure that Mason County roll-offs will be available to Bracken County in the future! A green, Mason County roll-off dumpster is located at the Bracken County Animal Shelter for this week and there is one at the Germantown Park location. These will probably be the final dumpsters for this year.

In our absence, the Bracken County Road Department took care of the nine Bracken County recycling trailers and we cannot express how grateful we are for their help. Their assistance bought us time with

Larry in the hospital and looking back, those were precious hours of togetherness that could never be replaced. Now we are resuming our duties and once again taking care of the recycling trailers. As we have requested many times in the past, please break down or flatten the boxes before putting them into the recycling trailers which allows for many more folks to put their materials into the trailers. Hopefully, the green flyers in last week's *Bracken County News* have found a prominent spot on everyone's refrigerator for easy reference when recycling! Another quick note on the contents of the trailers regards paper plates, paper towels, paper cups, napkins and toilet paper. These items are not recyclable and need to be disposed in the garbage for Rumpke pick-up. For some reason, we found a lot of these items in the trailers last week.

We, along with many folks, were saddened last week when the news of the death of Mr. Eddie Mofford became known. Eddie was gifted with a special ability to perform his job as Supervisor of Utilities for the City of Brooksville and was able to give the locations of water and gas lines just about anywhere in the county! He and his family were our neighbors when we moved to the Frogtown area in 1974 and our children attended the Germantown School together. Our sincerest sympathy is extended to his children, grandchildren, his many close friends and acquaintances. We feel sure that Charles McAtee, Eddie Mofford and our son Larry are discussing the old neighborhood as they enjoy their eternal home! While these three and many more folks are enjoying the eternal life, we, while we still have time, need to carry on their legacy of caring for our earthly home. Earth Day was celebrated this past Sunday and it gave everyone the opportunity to step back and assess their contributions as good stewards of Mother Earth. How well are you doing to RECYCLE, REUSE and REDUCE to keep God's earth clean, green and beautiful? Be seen you - *Bin & Bug*.

Sheriff's Boys & Girls Ranch Camp 2012

The Bracken County Sheriff's Office is looking to send several boys and girls to the Kentucky Sheriff's Boys and Girls Ranch Camp. If you would like to spend a week at a summer camp where all the activities are fun and exciting, this is the CAMP for you. It includes swimming, fishing, arts & crafts, rope courses & wall climbing, sports, camp fires, archery and much, much more. A fun time was had by those that attended these camps last year.

This camp is for boys and girls ages 8 through 11 and who qualify for Free or Reduced Lunch Program. The tentative date for the boy's camp is June 10-15, 2012 and the tentative date for the girl's camp will be June 17-22, 2012. If you are interested in attending one of these camps there is no charge for the Camp. The following information will be required of all those attending the Camp:

Registration & Health Form; Application for Free/Reduced Meals; Lice Statement and a Camper Policy/Expectations Form (these must be completed and signed by both the camper and parent/guardian of camper). If you are interested in attending contact Sheriff Howard W. Niemeier at 606-735-3233 for additional information. Application packets may be picked up at the Sheriff's Office. Applications should be completed and returned to the Sheriff's Office by June 1st for the boys and June 8th for the girls.

The Bracken County Sheriff's Office is dedicated to making this a safer county for our kids, grandkids, family and friends to live, work and play.

Tiger Football Golf Scramble



Saturday, April 28th
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BCMS announces March Students of the Month



Pictured left to right are Hannah Tackett and Dillon Jefferson. Photo submitted

Bracken County Middle School awards Student of the Month recognition to students that exhibit an outstanding work ethic. Hannah Tackett, 6th grade, and Dillon Jefferson, 8th grade, have been recognized with a certificate of accomplishment, coupons for Friday break, Golden Corral and McDonald's, and will be recognized at the end of the year BCMS Awards Day. They also received a second recognition at the April 9th Bracken County Board of Education meeting.

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Sheriff's Report for February 2012

The Sheriff's Office activity during the month includes but is not limited to:

1. Sheriff Niemeier attended Fiscal Court meetings on February 8th & 22nd. Sheriff Niemeier attended the Northern KY Police Chiefs monthly meeting in Erlanger.

2. The Sheriff's Office participated in a Mock Drill with the Bracken County Nursing Home covering missing persons.

3. Sheriff's Office held its 1st Town Hall Meeting of 2012 at the Willow Baptist Church on February 14th. There were approximately 35 attendees and Chief Deputy Scott gave a presentation on Rural Crime Prevention.

During the month of February 26 cases were assigned to officers for investigation by the Sheriff. Of these cases four (4) cases were cleared by arrest; two (2) of them were closed, two (2) were declined for prosecution; and eighteen (18) are still under investigation.

STATS for February

- Felony Arrests - 9
- Misdemeanor Arrests - 8
- Traffic Violations - 9
- Traffic Warnings - 8
- Staus Offenses - 0

Traffic Accidents

- Accidents Reported - 9
- Fatal Accident - 0

Injury Accidents - 2
Property Damage - 7

Service Of Court Papers

Arrest Warrants
Felony - 1
Misdemeanor - 2
Juvenile Summons - 2
Juvenile Custody Order - 0

Criminal Summons - 7
Civil Summons - 27
Subpoenas - 1
Eviction Notices - 2
EPO - 1
DVO - 0
Dom. Viol. Summons - 0
Small Claims - 0
Rtd Unable to Serve - 8
Other - 1
Tot. Papers Served - 52

Personnel Hours Spent

Providing Court Security
Sheriff Niemeier
9 hours/15 minutes
Chief Deputy Scott
20 hours/0 minutes

Other Misc. Services Conducted

Business Checks - 142
Area Checks - 11
Open Doors Found - 3
Vehicle Inspections - 57
Vacation Checks - 14
CCDW Licenses - 10
Subjects fingerprinted - 2
Tot. Misc. Srvc. - 239
There were no individuals indicted for the Sheriff's office by the Bracken County Grand Jury in February.



Eye to Eye

with David Blandford, M.D.

ARE AGING EYES LINKED WITH INSOMNIA?

Interesting new research may help explain why so many older adults experience difficulty sleeping. While examining the eye lenses of nearly 1,000 volunteers, researchers found that the natural, age-related yellowing of the eye lens results in absorption of blue light, which has an effect on sleep. The more yellowing of the eye lens that occurs, the less blue light reaches the retina. As a result of diminished transmission of this portion of the visible-light spectrum, blue light exerts less of an effect on stimulating the release of melatonin (a hormone that signals when the body should be sleepy or alert). Yellowing of the eye lens and sleep disturbances are both linked with aging as well as each other.

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"In good habitat, does breed at 1 1/2 years of age and have twins every year as an adult," said Tina Brunjes, deer program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "In poor habitat, does have smaller fawns and may have twins, but usually both don't survive."

What makes good wildlife habitat?

"If there's land in all stages of plant succession - mature forest, young forest, brush, and open land - in close proximity, there's good wildlife potential," said Ben Robinson, small game biologist for Kentucky Fish and Wildlife. "Cover is often the limiting factor. If you stop mowing and let an area grow up, the natural seed bank will provide plenty of food for wildlife."

The amount and variety of food available has a direct impact on the number of animals that can be supported by the habitat.

Along the Ohio River, and in southeastern Kentucky, where counties are heavily forested, deer are dependent on mast, such as acorns, as their main food source. "Hunters see more deer with fawns following a good mast crop and it's reflected in the harvest," said Brunjes.

Some wildlife species have very specific habitat needs. A good example is the bald eagle, which now nests all across Kentucky.

"Eagles typically nest close to water, where there's a good supply of fish," said Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Avian Biologist Kate Hayden, in a 2010 interview for Kentucky Afield magazine. "They make their nests in tall, old trees or snags."

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Because of the number of large reservoirs built statewide since the 1940s, eagle habitat is more widespread in Kentucky than during the 18th century pre-settlement era. This results in a wider distribution of eagles in Kentucky.

The ruffed grouse and bobwhite quail are two upland game bird species whose populations in Kentucky have declined in recent decades due to a loss of habitat.

The success of grouse is tied to early successional stages of growth in forests. As woodlands mature, it is harder for grouse to find the conditions they need.

"Grouse prefer young forests, with a high stem density that provide food (seeds and berries) and nesting cover (underbrush)," said Robinson. "Our forests lack that component."

The bobwhite quail is an iconic gamebird that requires grassland habitat. This is now absent from most of the state, a victim of changes in land use, farming practices and other factors.

"Bobwhite recovery has always presented a unique challenge to biologists changing the attitudes of people in order to effect the changes to the landscape that are necessary for the game bird's recovery," said Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Commissioner Dr. Jon Gassett, a lifelong quail hunter. "Until we restore that habitat, the foothold of the quail will be tenuous at best"

Other species are habitat "generalists," able to thrive in a variety of vegetative conditions.

"The white-tailed deer is the poster child of habitat generalists," said Brunjes. "Deer can adapt to cities and suburbs, a mix of open land

and woodlands, even swamps and sloughs. The only two places deer can't live year-round in Kentucky are a parking lot and in the middle of a lake. They are survivors and that's one of the challenges as a deer manager."

During deer restoration, which ended in 1999, the strategy was to find a source of animals, live trap and relocate them. The amount of deer habitat available was never a question.

For landowners there are many benefits to be derived from an active habitat management program. The conservation of soil and water; the creation of quality forage that boosts soil fertility and provides food for livestock; and the improvement of stands of hardwood timber all benefit wildlife and the landowner. Timber presents a renewable resource of great economic value.

To fully reach the potential of wildlife habitat, it's important to develop a management plan, establish work projects and decide which wildlife species will be a priority in the management plan.

Consult your local private lands wildlife biologist for advice and technical guidance on habitat improvements on your land. Visit the department's website at fw.ky.gov. Click on Maps and Online Services, then Other KDFWR Maps, then Wildlife Private Lands Biologists.

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Bracken County Band students attend MSU Annual Band Clinic



Pictured left to right are Kyle Riley, Jennifer Leonard, Tiffany Townsend, and Jacob Boden. Photo submitted

Bracken County High School Band had the honor of having four students selected to participate in the Morehead State University's Annual Band Clinic held February 16-19, 2012. They were (pictured left to right): Kyle Riley, Jennifer Leonard, Tiffany Townsend, and Jacob Boden. The clinic featured four honor bands made up of students in grades 9-12 from the Central and Eastern United States. The event also featured rehearsals and concerts for clinic participants under internationally recognized guest conductors, performances by Morehead State University ensembles, and master classes for clinic participants by Morehead State University Music Faculty. The students appreciate Principal Mike Hunter and Superintendent Tony Johnson for the opportunity to participate in this event.



Deadline to apply for a Kentucky elk hunt is Monday, April 30

The deadline to apply for Kentucky's hunt of a lifetime is fast approaching.

Hunters have until midnight (Eastern time) April 30 to apply for a Kentucky elk hunt. The quota hunt drawing for an elk permit is open to residents and non-residents.

Kentucky will issue 900 general quota hunt permits this year, an increase of 100 permits over the 2011 season. Kentucky's elk herd is expected to surpass 10,000 animals by fall.

While there's no sure thing in hunting, Kentucky does offer phenomenal odds for hunters.

"Kentucky's success rate for hunters is higher than you'll see for wild elk practically anywhere else," noted Tina Brunjes, deer and elk program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "If hunters put in a little effort, they will see elk. If they put in a little more effort, they will take an elk."

Last year, 93 percent of bull elk hunters using a firearm were successful. Even when using more challenging archery equipment, 68 percent of hunters took their bull. Thirty-seven percent of cow elk archery hunters were successful in 2011, but the success rate climbed to 73 percent for cow elk hunters using a firearm.

Brunjes said 2012 will be a superb season for hunt-

ers wishing to put the highest quality meat on their family's table. "We had no real winter and no shortage of groceries for the animals," she said. "We should be set up for big, healthy animals coming into the hunting season and a lot of them."

Kentucky has more elk than all the states east of the Mississippi River combined. The state's 16-county elk restoration zone encompasses more than 4 million acres, nearly twice the size of Yellowstone National Park. More than half a million acres are open to public hunting for elk in Kentucky.

Hunters can select from among four different elk permits: Firearms bull, archery bull, firearms cow elk or archery cow elk. While hunters may apply for two different permits, they can only be drawn for one of those permits. Each application costs \$10.

Kentucky Fish and Wildlife will issue 135 permits to hunt a bull with a firearm through the general quota hunt this season. The department will issue 90 bull archery permits, 265 cow elk archery permits and 410 cow elk gun permits. A separate youth-only drawing will allow five young hunters to take a bull or a cow.

Demand is highest for the bull firearms hunts. Cow elk archery hunts are in the lowest demand, meaning this permit offers a hunter the best odds of being drawn.

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Bracken County Fiscal Court

A regular meeting of the Bracken County Fiscal Court was held Wednesday, March 28, 2012, for the purpose of transacting any business properly presented by the established agenda. Presiding: Earl Bush, County Judge Executive. Present: Carl Allen, Clark Hennessey, David Kelsch, David Hughes, Scotty Lippert, John Corlis, Doug Smith, and Dennis Jefferson.

Let the Record reflect that the Court members received a copy of the vendor claims to be paid for all.

Upon motion of Doug Smith, seconded by John Corlis the minutes of meeting March 14, 2012 be accepted/ approved. Voting being unanimous.

Floor open to the public to discuss anything other than agenda items - Judge Bush opened the floor to public comments regarding any concerns or issues of others that are not related to any agenda item. He advised that there would be order held in the court. This time would be for public to voice concerns, but no personal attacks would be allowed.

*No public comment.

Space Utilization - Courthouse (once Judicial Center is complete) - Tabled.

Brooksville/Courthouse - retaining wall & sidewalks - Judge Bush advised that he is trying to get together some drawings as specifications for a bid package for this project.

Surplus Sale Update - Judge Bush advised that the City of Augusta and the City of Brooksville wants to put items into the sale as well. The Ferry Boat Committee has a generator they would like to submit for the sale. County Attorney Mike Clark is checking on the legalities. There was much discussion on items for the sale. The tentative date for the sale is April 21, 2012.

Marty Wallingford - Casa (Annual Contribution) - Marty Wallingford distributed reports/budgets to the court and held discussion on the purpose and need for Casa in Bracken County and the surrounding counties.

Upon motion of Carl Allen, seconded by Dennis Jefferson that the Court contribute \$3,000 for FY 11-12, as budgeted.

Upon motion of John Corlis, seconded by Scotty Lippert that the previous motion be amended to \$4,000 contribution to Casa for FY 11-12 and be budgeted as \$4,000 for the FY 12-13 budget. Vote being unanimous.

*The Original Motion, amended to reflect the contribution of \$4,000.00, was called for a vote - Vote being unanimous.

Jail Fund Budget FY 2012-2013 - Upon motion of David Kelsch, seconded by Clark Hennessey that the following Bracken County Jail Fund Budget for FY 2012-13 be accepted/ approved. Vote being unanimous.

County Employee increase in wages - After discussion of the court, upon motion of David Kelsch, seconded by David Hughes that all county employees be given a 3% increase in wages for the Fiscal Year 2012-13. Vote being unanimous.

General Fund Vendor Claims - Upon motion of

Scotty Lippert, seconded by Dennis Jefferson that the following General Fund Vendor Claims be approved for payment. Vote being unanimous.

Road Fund Vendor Claims - Upon motion of David Hughes, seconded by David Kelsch that the following Road Fund Vendor Claims be approved for payment. Vote being unanimous.

Jail Fund Vendor Claims - Upon motion of Doug Smith, seconded by Dennis Jefferson that the following Jail Fund Vendor Claims be approved for payment. Vote being unanimous.

Jail Fund Interfund Transfers - Upon motion of David Kelsch, seconded by Clark Hennessey that the following Jail Fund Interfund Transfers be accepted/ approved. Vote being unanimous.

State Grant Fund Vendor Claims - Upon motion of Doug Smith, seconded by John Corlis that the following State Grant Fund Vendor Claims be approved for payment. Vote being unanimous.

Dispatch/911 Fund Vendor Claims - Upon motion of Scotty Lippert, seconded by Dennis Jefferson that the following Dispatch/911 Fund Vendor Claims be approved for payment. Vote being unanimous.

Grant-Bracken County EMS and the Augusta & Brooksville Volunteer Fire Departments - Upon motion of Carl Allen, seconded by John Corlis that the court pay 5% match in the amount of \$2,400 for the Augusta and Brooksville Volunteer Fire Departments to receive narrowband radios, etc. Vote being unanimous.

Employee: Bracken County Animal Shelter (as needed: status) - Upon motion of David Hughes, seconded by David Kelsch that the court hire Allen Moorhead as a county employee to work on an as needed basis at the Bracken County Animal Shelter. He will be paid \$10.00 hour after taxes. Vote being unanimous.

*Judge Bush informed the court of a switch grass project that will take place on the industrial park site. This will not interfere with the horse trails projects.

*Judge advised that there will be a bid opening on the CAD system on March 29, 2012 at 4 p.m.

*Judge Bush advised that there will be a bid opening Hillsdale and Mattox Road bridge/culvert on April 4, 2012 at 10 a.m.

*The Senior Center will be having an Easter Brunch at 10:30 a.m. on April 6, 2012. All are invited to attend, please call them to RSVP.

*Magistrate Carl Allen addressed the court with a need for the county to purchase a mini excavator. He advised that he inspected the work on Cannon Road bridge. He advised that the long term maintenance that can be performed with that equipment is much better than the repairs to slips on the roads that we are currently making.

*Discussion was held on the dumpster grant.

*Discussion was held on the Tire Grant.

Upon motion of John Corlis, seconded by Doug Smith that the March 28, 2012 meeting of the Bracken County Fiscal Court be adjourned. Vote being unanimous.

Bracken County holds Biomass feasibility informational meeting



Photo submitted

The Bracken County Agriculture Advancement Council recently received a matching grant to conduct a feasibility study on the production and processing of Biomass as a green renewable energy. David Appelman, CEA of Agriculture for Bracken County, can be seen above discussing the feasibility of Biomass production in Bracken and surrounding counties. See "Biomass Feasibility Study Report" on page 20 for more information.

New generation cooperatives bill now law

A rural investment bill passed during the 2012 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly to encourage outside investment in Kentucky industry has been signed into law.

House Bill 441, sponsored by Reps. Mike Denham, D-Maysville, House Agricultural and Small Business Committee Chairman Tom McKee, D-Cynthiana, and John Tilley, D-Hopkinsville, was given final passage in the House by a 93-0 vote on April 12, and signed into law by Gov. Steve Beshear

this week.

The law is based on model legislation adopted in several states that allows cooperatives to have investors rather than only patrons.

"Project managers of energy, agriculture and natural resource projects have indicated to me that they need this tool in their toolbox," said Denham.

Secretary of State Alison Lundergan Grimes, who is the state's chief business officer, said the law will offer new opportunities for investment while keeping the traditional tax advantages available in the state's existing coop statute.

Denham thanked Governor

Steve Beshear, Chairman McKee, Senator Tom Jensen, the Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy, the staff of the Legislative Research Commission, Agricultural Commissioner James Comer, Secretary of State Grimes, Secretary Len Peters and Tim Hughes of the Energy and Environment Cabinet, attorney Tom Rutledge with Stoll, Keenon and Ogden law firm and all fellow state lawmakers for their assistance with the legislation.

"This was a group effort to bring new business opportunities to the Commonwealth, and I am thankful to all who made this effort a success," said Denham.

AA Highway reopens following day-long detour last week

Traffic has returned to normal on the AA Highway at Maysville following a detour that took travelers around a Kentucky Transportation Cabinet construction site on Thursday, April 19.

The detour, which utilized the Clyde T. Barbour Parkway (US 62) and German-town Road (KY 3056), was required so contractors could safely install 130-foot long, 64-ton concrete bridge beams across the AA Highway for an overpass linking the Clyde T. Barbour Parkway with a new section of US 68 being built across country.

The new AA Highway overpass, along with exit ramps also under construction now, will create an interchange with the new section of US 68 once the project is complete.

When finished, the \$21.5 million Transportation Cabinet project will provide nearly four miles of limited-access highway, connecting US 68 directly with the Ohio River crossing at the William Harsha Bridge. The new route will increase highway system capacity and safety in the Maysville area by rerouting through traffic away from already-congested intersections along the existing US 68 highway corridor.

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<p>2008 DODGE RAM 1500 SXT QUAD CAB 4WD Big Horn Pkg., V8, Auto., ABS Brakes, Air, AM/FM Radio, Power Steering, Tilt, 20" Chrome Wheels, Tow Pkg.</p> <p>\$315 mth.***</p>	<p>2008 BMW 3-SERIES 328XI All Wheel Drive, Pwr. Sunroof, Excellent Sound System, Leather, Heated Seats, All Power.</p> <p>\$319 mth.***</p>	<p>2011 NISSAN JUKE AWD 8,000 Miles, Rear Spoiler, Alloy Wheels, 4 Cyl., Power Windows, Locks, Tilt, Cruise.</p> <p>\$339 mth.*</p>	<p>2011 HYUNDAI SANTE FE 4X4 Air, Alloys, CD, Keyless, All Power.</p> <p>\$349 mth.*</p>
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Local boy competes in AAU Division 1 State Tournament



Camryn Snapp, son of Jason and Amy Snapp of Brooksville, traveled to Lexington this past weekend to compete in the Kentucky AAU Division 1 State Tournament. His team, the Northern Kentucky Legends Elite, faced Hoop Dreams, who finished 16th in the Division 1 National Tournament last year. At the start of the 4th quarter, the Legends were down by 20, but slowly started to chip away at the lead. With 1:30 remaining in the game, the Legends got the lead down to within 4, but then had to start fouling to stop the game clock. In the end, Hoop Dreams hit their free throws and defeated the Legends by a score of 67-76, giving the Legends the Runner-up trophy for the Division 1 Kentucky State Tournament. Camryn is pictured above (back row, first on the left) with his teammates after receiving their runner-up medals. Camryn is an 8th grader at Augusta Independent Schools and is the grandson of John and Donna Corlis of Brooksville and Bob and Betty Snapp of Augusta.

Photo submitted

Sports in Kentucky by Bob Watkins

Best buzz to follow Anthony Davis out of Chicago ... Jabari Parker

Next big buzz words for college basketball beyond the NCAA wink-and-nod sell-out to one and done-ism: Jabari Parker, a 6-8, 220-pound 17-year-old hoops prodigy at Chicago's Simeon Career Academy.

Across the board, Parker could be the next Anthony Davis.

According to an Associated Press story last week, Parker is a team man on court, solid kid off it, and part of a family that puts a premium on Bible study and "Put the Lord first," poster on his bedroom wall.

Perfect caliber player for Kentucky, right? Wrong.

It bodes ill for John Calipari's recruiting chances, and a few Big Blue Nation zealots, here comes the best part about Parker: "he and his parents insist that being famous, even making a lot of money isn't the focus," wrote Andrew Seligman. "They all vow that Jabari will earn a college degree, one way or another, in a world where the starting five for national champion Kentucky all left school just weeks after claiming the title."

Sanity, stability, student-athlete-ism. Wow. My new favorite ball player, Jabari Parker.

BEST UK TEAM EVER?

Is University of Kentucky's national championship team the best in school history? Considering the Anthony Davis-centered emphasis on team that produced a 38-2 record and NCAA crown No. 8, the easy answer would be yes.

But the right answer is no. Based on same criteria, plus one, the best team in UK history remains the Fabulous Five, 1947-48. One senior, three juniors and a sophomore ran the table in SEC regular season and tournament, won the NCAA crown, became part of the U.S. Olympics team in London and brought home gold medals.

UK's record book lists the Fabulous Five as NCAA champions and World Champions.

Footnote: A Kentucky-linked return to an Olympics in London is possible. College player of the year Anthony Davis should be a prime candidate to replace Dwight Howard.

Maybe Anthony Davis fans should lobby coach Mike

Krzyzewski to include him on U.S. Olympic team roster.

BLUE-WHITE NOTES

Another spring football game at Kentucky is in the rearview mirror.

Coach Joker Phillips' sunny spin following the Blue-White game was counter-balanced by fans who have forgotten good vibe from the Tennessee-Finish last November. And, grumpy players have returned to "we're gonna prove people wrong." and "we don't get any respect."

Uh-oh.

To accentuate positives, Phillips spoke glowingly about tight ends and go-to-guys (receivers), and buzz words to sell season tickets - he expects UK's offense to average 80 plays, 45 will be pass attempts.

The good news - sophomore Maxwell Smith tightened his grip on the quarterback job, completing 29 for 45 passes. Not-so-good news - the secondary Smith picked apart for 343 yards and two touchdown passes, belongs to Kentucky also.

Good news - Phillips likes his all-new linebackers. Not-so-good-news: Danny Trevathan isn't one of them. And, none has an SEC-level resume'.

Leaves fans to wonder if Phillips is whistling past the graveyard.

These items aside, the real elephant in the room mystery to be solved is: Can Kentucky find a replacement for Field Position Man? Punter Ryan Tydlacka averaged 43.2 yards on 80 kicks last year, flipping field position by half virtually every time. Stay tuned.

Phillips won't say it, but frustrated by another basketball championship celebration, a women's team that's winning big and baseball club ranked No. 1 in America, football at Kentucky may have returned to siege mentality, grumbings about no respect and "we're gonna prove everybody wrong."

And, by late summer preseason football magazines will show up and the coach's name at Kentucky will be found in the Hot Seat section.

APRIL: SCREW-UP MONTH?

Not the best of months, April. Income tax deadlines aside some of us in sports are suffering red-face embarrassment times ...

✓ In Sacramento, DeMarcus Cousins shot his mouth off about NBA officials. Cost him \$25,000.

FBLA Spotlight



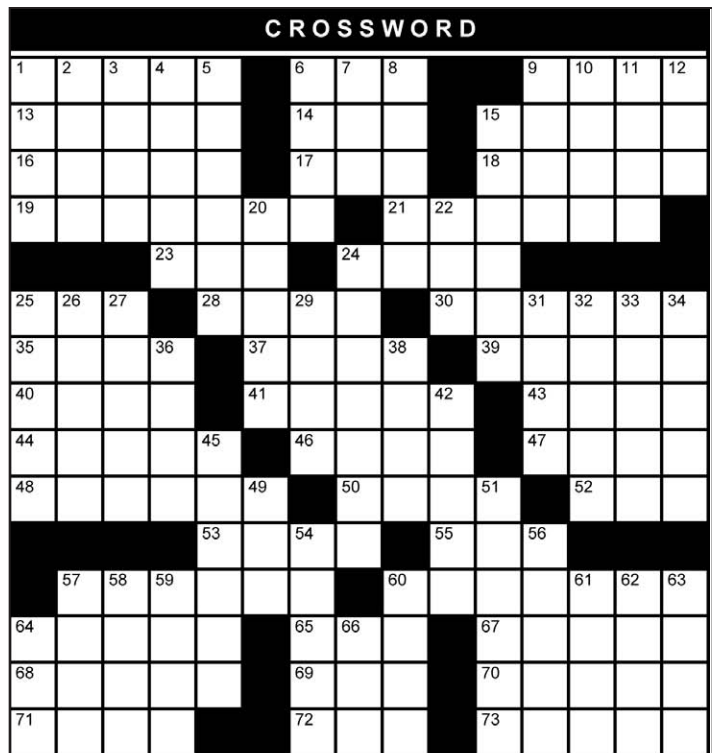
Chris Rabe, our chapter Reporter, is the son of Jason Rabe and Hope Rabe. This junior's favorite FBLA memory is going to state conference last year. Chris has attended many FBLA conferences including regionals and state in 2011. Other than FBLA, Chris is involved in Football, 4-H, and Fairview Christian Church Youth Group.

APRIL 26TH CROSSWORD PUZZLE

THEME: HEALTHY LIVING

- Across**
- Landing road
 - *The ___ cage protects the heart and lungs
 - Slang for heroin
 - Billy Joel's "___ Man"
 - International Labor Organization
 - Formed by running water
 - Imitating
 - Santa's helper
 - King's domain
 - *Ca or K, e.g.
 - Nightmare character
 - He played Opie on "The Andy Griffith Show"
 - Disdainful, pouting grimace
 - *When exercising, you get ___
 - Between mini and maxi
 - Metamorphic rock
 - Makes a mistake
 - Bart Simpson's sister
 - Saint in Mexico
 - Miners' passage
 - Swamp plant
 - Yelled to shoo a cat
 - Puzzle in pictures
 - "Smells Like ___ Spirit" by Nirvana
 - *A focal point in workouts
 - Type of coat
 - Dame ____, Australian celeb
 - Christian Chi-___ symbol
 - The upper one is used for ruling
 - Coffee pot
 - Allegiance
 - *E or D, e.g.
 - Former French currency
 - Ring of flowers
 - Singer Cara
 - *Some need more of this than others
 - Be in debt
 - What a jazz singer does
 - Bear lairs
 - Not pre-owned
 - Commotions

- Down**
- Junk e-mail
 - Cone-shaped quarters
 - Often asked to "go away, come again another day"
 - Like a special circle
 - Organized persecution of ethnic group
 - Cambodian money
 - *Not well
 - Very successful
 - What victim did in court
 - Armor-___
 - USSR to USA during WWII
 - *Usually busy after the holidays
 - *Leafy edibles
 - Indigo dye-yielding shrubs
 - Where bugs are snug?
 - Improper act
 - *Ventricular beater
 - Superior's command
 - Cherokee or Hopi, e.g.
 - *Regimented eating
 - *Where green tea tradition comes from
 - Bring upon oneself
 - Cache of money, e.g.
 - Official language of Lesotho
 - Nonlethal gun
 - Wine and cheese descriptor
 - Tedium
 - Carry, as in heavy bag
 - Ladies' Easter accessory
 - 2012 Oscar-winner "The ___"
 - Stocking fiber
 - Those in organized crime relating to narcotics
 - *Your doctor usually keeps one on you
 - Like never-losing Steven
 - Greek god of war
 - "The ___" talk and entertainment show
 - Known for notebooks
 - Keen on
 - Loch ___
 - Psychedelic drug
 - Female sheep



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Answers to 4-19-12 puzzle.

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Augusta Rotary presents AHS Coach Jason Hinson a Certificate of Excellence



The Augusta Rotary Club honored Augusta High School Head Coach, Jason Hinson at the regular Monday evening meeting. Hinson was named "Area Coach of the Year" by the Ledger Independent and went on to be named 10th Region Coach of the Year. Pictured is Rotary President, Rob Schweitzer presenting Coach Hinson with the Certificate of Excellence. Anyone interested in making a difference in your community, please contact any Augusta Rotarian.

Photo submitted

✓ In Miami, Marlins manager Ozzie Guillen, native Venezuelan, told a magazine reporter Fidel Castro is a great guy. A brain hiccup that cost him a five game suspension without pay and a club-ordered apology to Miami's Cuban population.

✓ In Tuscaloosa, Alabama U. put its BCS national championship crystal football on display after the spring game. A fan tripped on a rug, sent the football crashing to a gazillion pieces. Cost \$30,000 to replace it and a crimson red face for the fan.

✓ At Fenway Park, the Red Sox manager Bobby Valentine popped his jaws about Kevin Youkilis's intensity and had to apologize. Next, the Sox took a 9-0 lead into the sixth inning and lost to the hated Yankees 15-9. Cost? After a closed door meeting with brass, Valentine got a vote of confidence. Uh-oh.

✓ In Phoenix, NHL forward Raffi Torres suffered his own brain hiccup. The Coyote

forward put such a cheap shot hit on Marian Hossa, he was suspended for 25 games. Price to pay? Torres forfeits \$21,341 per game missed in salary.

✓ In Los Angeles, NBA thug Ron Artest a.k.a Metta World Peace, stuck an elbow into an ear belonging to James Harden, was ejected and awaits what will be a sizable fine from David Stern.

✓ At the bottom of April's brain hiccup food chain? Me.

Last week in this space I saluted Tyler Zeller's return to Indiana's basketball roster next season, opting out of the NBA June draft. Oops. Cody Zeller will be back for the Hoosiers next season while brother Tyler finishes at North Carolina and stands for the NBA draft.

A stream of Gotcha! e-mails came from readers to point out the error of my ways. Thank you.

April. Month for Screw-ups.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BRACKEN CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION NO. 11-CI-00158

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
VS.
NANCY L. BOWLING, ET. AL. PLAINTIFF
DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SALE

In obedience to a Default Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the above styled action, I will, as Master Commissioner of Bracken Circuit Court, proceed on

Friday, May 11, 2012
at
10:00 A.M.

**AT THE FRONT DOOR OF THE BRACKEN COUNTY COURTHOUSE
(LOCUST STREET SIDE)
Brooksville, Bracken County, Kentucky**

to sell the hereinafter described tract of real estate and any improvements thereon. This sale is to satisfy a Judgment and Order of Sale in favor of JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION against the Defendant herein in the total amount of \$97,799.30, plus interest, together with accrued interest at the rate of 7.25% per annum from January 31, 2012 until paid, together with amounts for late fees and assessments, advancements for the protection of the property, taxes and insurance, escrow advances, reasonable attorney fees of \$1,350.00, insurance premiums and court costs incurred herein.

The real estate to be sold is described as follows:
Address: 1675 Powersville Willow Road, Brooksville, KY 41004

Beginning at a point located in the center of Kentucky 10, corner to Ben and Mildred Hamilton as recorded in Deed Book 109, page 397; thence leaving the center of Kentucky 10 along lines of Ben and Mildred Hamilton as referenced above as follows: N 15° 41' 19" E, 20.61 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 15° 41' 19" E, 129.39 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence S 62° 07' 24" E, 30.69 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey), corner to Ben and Mildred Hamilton as referenced above and as recorded in Deed Book 109, page 123, and corner to Terry and Tammy Hamilton as recorded in Deed Book 116, page 362; thence along existing woven wire claimed boundary fenceline, N 15° 41' 19" E, 233.12 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey) located beside post, corner to Terry and Tammy Hamilton as referenced above, and corner to Lawrence P. and Mary Kaye Rudd as recorded in Deed Book 119, page 131; thence continuing along existing woven wire boundary fenceline as follows: N 21° 37' 34" W, 64.26 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 12° 58' 50" E, 31.42 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 25° 59' 15" E, 113.22 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 28° 19' 13" E, 76.65 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 51° 48' 54" E, 75.64 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey), corner to Lawrence P. and Mary Kaye Rudd as referenced above, and corner to Marvin E. and Alberta Hamilton as recorded in Deed Book 116, page 288 (Parent Tract); thence leaving said fenceline along newly established division lines of the Marvin E. and Alberta Hamilton property as referenced above as follows: N 82° 45' 07" W, 183.11 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 64° 02' 31" W, 456.22 feet, to an iron pipe (set this survey); thence N 64° 02' 31" W, 16.54 feet, to a point located in the center of gravel road; thence out the center of gravel road as follows: N 33° 18' 19" W, 20.08 feet; thence S 30° 41' 24" W, 99.81 feet, thence S 29° 11' 22" W, 168.82 feet; thence S 25° 59' 35" W, 40.98 feet; thence S 22° 44' 05" W, 38.16 feet; thence S 20° 34' 33" W, 43.65 feet; thence S 19° 06' 36" W, 43.93 feet; thence S 23° 01' 50" W, 59.60 feet; thence S 27° 32' 47" W, 62.37 feet, to a point located in the center of Kentucky 10, corner to Marvin E. and Alberta Hamilton as referenced above; thence out the center of Kentucky 10 as follows: S 59° 16' 14" E, 239.81 feet; thence S 58° 12' 49" E, 129.57 feet; thence S 57° 07' 46" E, 242.15 feet; thence S 57° 57' 31" E, 79.01 feet; thence S 60° 21' 32" E, 22.69 feet, to the beginning, subject to all legal easements, right of ways and unrecorded conveyances. Subject to an easement for utility lines and a right of way over roadway conveyed to William E. and Donna Six and Leroy and Audrey Six as recorded in Deed Book 139, page 493. All iron pipe (set this survey) are 3/4" x 24" pipe with caps stamped Gividen LS 2221. This description prepared from a physical survey conducted by Jack J. Gividen, Kentucky Land Surveyor 2221, on July 4, 1996.

EXCEPTION: There is excepted herefrom a portion of that tract conveyed Michael R. Lucas by deed recorded in Deed Book 164, Page 555 of the Bracken County Clerk's Records at Brooksville, Kentucky, being situated in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, County of Bracken, Community of Powersville, lying along the north side of State Route 10 1.6 miles west of the intersection of State Route 19 and being more particularly described (Note: any point referred to as 5/8" rebar set is a 5/8" rebar 24" long with a yellow cap stamped "2777 Schultz"):

Beginning at an iron pipe found "Gividen" at the southwest corner to Ben Hamilton as in Deed Book 109, page 397 (addition to Deed Book 109, page 123), being in the north 20' right of way for State Route 10; thence along the north 20' right of way N 60° 33' 34" W, a distance of 39.38'; thence N 57° 07' 46" W, a distance of 212.12' to a 5/8" rebar set; thence with new division lines of Lucas N 30° 42' 46" E, a distance of 177.21' to a 5/8" rebar set; thence S 60° 34' 07" E, a distance of 231.61' to a 5/8" rebar set in the east line of Lucas and common line of Terry Hamilton as in Deed Book 116, page 362; thence along Hamilton S 15° 42' 15" W, a distance of 65.57' to an iron pipe "Gividen" found; thence along Ben Hamilton as in Deed Book 109, page 397 N 62° 19' 21" W, a distance of 30.66' to an iron pipe "Gividen" found; thence S 15° 41' 19" W, a distance of 128.95' to the point of beginning. Subject to other easements of record and not of record. Being the result of a survey by Gregory C. Schultz Professional Surveyor Number 2777, dated November 25, 2002.

SOURCE OF TITLE: Being the same property conveyed to Chad L. Bowling and Nancy Bowling, husband and wife, by deed from Marvin Hamilton and Alberta Hamilton, husband and wife, dated May 2, 2003 and recorded in Deed Book 169, Page 560, Bracken County Court Clerk's records.

The property shall be sold to the highest and best bidder(s) and said purchaser shall be required to pay cash or the sum of ten percent (10%) of the bid price in cash deposit with the balance of the purchase price to be due and payable in cash or certified funds, within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. The purchaser shall be required to execute a bond, with good and sufficient surety, bearing interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date which is thirty (30) days following the date of sale, until paid, and payable to the Master Commissioner.

The purchaser shall have the privilege of paying all or any part of the purchase price or paying said bond before maturity by paying the balance of the principal together with all accrued interest thereon. If the total purchase price is not paid in cash, the required deposit shall be applied to any expenses incurred by a default of the purchaser. Provided, however, in the event a party of this action is the successful bidder at the sale of the property by the Master Commissioner, then the said party, upon payment of the court costs and sale expenses and any liens or judgments that have been given priority herein over the lien and judgment of said successful bidder/party, shall have its bid credited against its judgment herein.

If the purchaser(s) fails to comply with the terms of the sale then, in such event, the Master Commissioner shall immediately resell the property upon the same terms and conditions as set forth herein, excepting only any necessary changes in the time and date of sale. Possession of the property herein sold shall be given to the purchaser after payment in full of the purchase price and confirmation of the sale by the Bracken Circuit Court. Pursuant to the Judgment herein, the purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all ad valorem property taxes assessed against the property for 2012 and all subsequent years thereafter. The title interest of the parties to the lawsuit will be conveyed without warranty by the Master Commissioner to the purchaser and the purchaser shall receive a deed to property upon payment of the purchase price in full (and costs of sale, if applicable) and after confirmation of the sale by Bracken Circuit Court, subject to any equity of redemption if the property does not sell for two-thirds of its appraised value.

Mark A. Schumacher
Master Commissioner
Bracken Circuit Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been mailed, postage prepaid, to the Hon. Lori R. Leach, Lerner, Sampson & Rothfuss, P.O. Box 5480, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, Ms. Nancy Bowling, 1675 Powersville Willow Road, Brooksville, Kentucky 41004, and to Chad L. Bowling, 1675 Powersville Willow Road, Brooksville, Kentucky 41004 on this the 19th day of April, 2012.

Mark A. Schumacher

Biomass Feasibility Study topic of recent meeting

The Bracken County Agriculture Advancement Council recently received a matching grant to conduct a feasibility study on the production and processing of Biomass as a green renewable energy. The project began back in 2007 and involved researching the growing of switchgrass in a study with the University of Kentucky. From there, local leaders sought opportunities to add value to these crops. They originally thought of using switchgrass to make fuel pellets to burn in home heating systems. But, in 2009 the Governor's Office of Agriculture Policy became interested in the opportunity and encouraged the project to move toward what it is today. Had it not been for the Governor's office showing the interest they did, the project would not have advanced as quickly and grown to the scope it is at present.

Show Me Energy from Missouri, is conducting the study and has extensive experience in this field of converting Biomass into renewable energy. For this study, Biomass is described as either dedicated agricultural crops, such as fescue or switchgrass, or any plant material, including grasses used in bedding materials and wood waste. The Biomass materials encompass other industries besides agricultural. The horse industry is the best source for the bedding material to be used and the Forestry industry is a good source for woody Biomass. Woody Biomass would also encompass residential trimmings, and trimmings removed from underneath and around utility lines and areas all across the state.

The direction the study is now taking, has presented this area of the state with the opportunity and the challenge to gather Biomass and convert it into a liquid fuel that the military has identified it needs to help with our National security needs. Their goal is to identify a non fossil domestic liquid fuel source that is completely renewable to lessen the militaries' dependence on foreign fossil fuels. One of the requirements is the Biomass material can not compete with food production. Meaning that no ethanol fuel made from corn will be eligible.

If this project can get under way, the opportunities and challenges will reach well beyond Bracken County and the Buffalo Trace Development District to encompass twenty to thirty counties and will help to boost the local economies. In addition to the liquid fuel, there will be co-products such as animal feed and chemical byproducts for use in other areas.

The goal of the Bracken County Biomass Steering Committee is to evaluate the project and to create opportunities for the agriculture industry and new revenue potentials. The benefits to the county would be great with the increase of farm income with alternate activities while at the same time improving our National security position.

At the Biomass meeting held Thursday, April 12 at the Bracken County Extension Office, an overwhelming support was shown for the project by the magnitude of officials and counties present. The project is supported by the Commissioner of Agriculture James Comer, The Governor's Office of Agriculture Policy Chair Roger Thomas, the University of Kentucky, Morehead State University, the Energy and Environment Cabinet chair Len Peters and Assistant Chair Tim Hughes, the USDA, Congressman Davis' office, Senator Rand Paul's office, the Forestry

Department, NRCS, Amy Kennedy with the Buffalo Trace Area Development District, and Representative Mike Denham by his support with HB441.

One ton of Biomass will create 23.64 gallons of high grade liquid fuel. Locally this will mean, that one acre of fescue could produce 35 gallons of fuel or one acre of switch grass could produce 100 gallons of fuel. In talking with David Appelman, CEA of Agriculture in Bracken Co. and Tom Malone, the chairman of the Biomass Steering committee, this would be a win win situation for Bracken County agriculture. Farmers would be able to establish biomass crops in idle and marginal areas of their farms that would otherwise not be usable. As an example, farmers could have a dual use crop situation, where their hay could be grown, and harvested for farm use, but then allowed to regrow and a second cutting for use as biomass. This would however lower the yield of the biomass some what.

Projects like this have the potential to revitalize the rural agricultural communities and provide a viable income for the off farm land owners who purchase acreage in the county and wonder what they can do with it.

The feasibility of this type of project is already in the testing stage, as East Kentucky Power located on Route 8 in Mason County, has been actively involved in a study through the University of Kentucky. Using 20 research plots now in existence, they are studying the feasibility of biomass fuel combined with coal.

Show Me Energy in Missouri would be the first in the country to implement the biomass fuel production project and Appelman and Malone would hope to see this project follow a year to a year and half later as their project unfolds. The goal is to geographically place these biomass fuel projects throughout the region to meet the militaries need for fuel.

For more information on this project or to become involved, contact the Bracken Co. Extension Office at 606-735-2141.

AHS announces Prom Court



Pictured left to right are, front row: Dalton Appelman, Courtney Bills, Ashley Burdette, Elizabeth Carr, Ethan Dean, and Timothy Freeman. Second row: Jameel Halawani, Brahm Hamilton, Chelsie Hensley, Marie Hiles, and Tyler Huber. Third row: Clay Krebs, Shanice Lang, Hayley Lathem, Jordan Linville, and Dalton McCane. Fourth row: Lacey Mefford, Christopher Mills, Corey Moore, Dustin Ruf, Scott Shrader, Audra Tucker, and Becca Weiss. Not pictured: Brandi Fryman, Jacob Hopkins, Rhett Kelsch, Denise Smith, Wyatt Thorpe and Katie White.

Photo submitted

Augusta Independent School's Prom is slated for this Saturday, April 28th in the gymnasium. Walk-in and pictures will begin at 7 p.m.

In an effort to make walk-in a safe event for prom-goers and the families attending, there will be changes implemented this year, Bracken Street will be completely closed to all vehicles from Second Street to the school entrance from 6-8 p.m. This will be reserved as standing room for visitors to view the walk-in events. Students participating in walk-in will enter Bracken Street at Fourth Street and proceed to the school's main entrance. This portion of Bracken Street will be open for walk-in vehicles only. Members of the crowd will be asked to remain on or behind the grass and not to gather in the parking lot area. The Frankfort Street parking lot entrance will also be blocked, so prom attendees must enter through the Bracken Street entrance.

Prom will follow the walk-in events from 8 p.m. to midnight. Crowning will take place at 11:30 p.m. Parents and guests will be asked to wait outside the gymnasium until approximately 11:25 p.m. The prom is sponsored by the Class of 2013.



Baby Gala Thank You!



23 New and Expectant Parents and 15 guests attended the Bracken County Baby Gala 2012; Co-sponsored by Augusta FRYSC, Bracken County FRYSC, Bracken County Extension Service, and Bracken County Health Department HANDS Program. Thank you to Bracken County Extension Office for letting us have the Baby Gala at your facility. A special THANK YOU goes out to all the people and organizations, who set up a booth and/or donated a door prize for the event. Door prizes were donated from the following organizations: Bracken County Health Department, Germantown Bridesiders Homemakers; Bracken County FRYSC; Jennifer Markley, Walmart - Maysville; Farmerettes Homemakers; KY Spirit Health Plan; Child Care Resource and Referral; Licking Valley CAP, Comprehend Inc.; Bracken Co. Childcare/Stephanie Hamilton; Regional Prevention Center of Comprehend, Inc.; Woodmen of the World; Bracken Co. Public Library; First Steps/Comprehend, Inc.; Northern Kentucky Health Department/Breastfeeding Promotion; Commission for Children with Special Healthcare Needs; Women's Crisis Center; and Generations Homemakers Club. Other Booth providers included Coventry Care Health Plan. Thank you David Sticklen and Donna Teegarden for doing car seat safety checks. Thank you to Mark Mains and the Maysville Fire Department for setting up their safety trailer. Thank you Bracken County News for publishing ad in the newspaper. Without such great support from our community partners, this event would not be such a success. It truly does take a village to raise a child. Your time and commitment to help support the future generations of Bracken Countians is greatly appreciated.

Thank You!

Bracken Baby Gala 2012, Steering Committee

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Portions of local state routes named for fallen heroes, Summers & Hay

Legislation that will designate a portion of Ky. 19 in memory of fallen hero Army Sgt. Jeremy Summers and designate a portion of Ky. 68 in memory of Maysville patrolman Danny Hay has cleared the Kentucky General Assembly.

House Joint Resolution 23, sponsored by Rep. Royce Adams, D-Dry Ridge, became law during the 2012 Regular Session, which ended on April 12. Road signs naming the new designations created by HJR 23 will be erected within 30 days after the resolution takes effect in early July.

HJR 23 will designate Ky. 19 from Milford to the intersection of U.S. 62 the "Sergeant Jeremy R. Summers Memorial Highway" in honor of Sgt. Summers, who was killed last July while serving with the 101st Airborne Division in Afghanistan. A one-mile stretch of Ky. 68 in Mason County from Maysville toward Ky. 9 the Danny Hay Memorial Highway will be named in memory of Officer Hay, who was killed in the line of duty in Oct. 1979.

"Both Sgt. Summers and Officer Hay are owed a great debt of gratitude for their service and sacrifice," said Sen. Robin Webb, D-Grayson, and Rep. Mike Denham, D-Maysville, who represent the area where both roadway designations will be located.

"We are proud to stand together and honor these men, who made the lives of their fellow Kentuckians better, and brought honor and respect to their professions and to the Commonwealth," Sen. Webb and Rep. Denham said.

The legislation also designates Ky. 57 in Lewis County from the intersection of Rt. 9 to the intersection of Rt. 10 in Tollesboro the "Specialist Christopher S. Wright Memorial Highway" in honor and memory of Army Spc. Wright, a Tollesboro native who died in 2010 after he was wounded in combat in Afghanistan. That designation will also take effect in July.

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