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## Next week

Find out all you need to know about the 2009 Crittenden County Lions Club Fair in next week's issue of The Crittenden Press with the annual fair catalog insert. The catalog, including rules for exhibits and contests, can be found in newspapers distributed throughout Crittenden County. The catalog can currently be found at locations throughout Marion.

## CCC fund-raiser set for Saturday

Crittenden County Cares, the group that spun off when Habitat for Humanity disbanded, will be hosting a pork chop sandwich sale from 9 a.m., until 2 p.m., Saturday at Johnson's Furniture store's parking lot. Sandwiches are \$3 and drinks \$1. All proceeds benefit Crittenden County Cares.



## Motorcycle rally kick starts today

The rumble of motorcycle engines has already begun as the Little Sturgis Rally gets under way today (Thursday). The annual gathering of motorcycle enthusiasts at neighboring Union County brings thousands of bikes through Marion and Crittenden County for the four-day affair. More than 15,000 attended last year's rally at the Union County Fairgrounds, spending hundreds of dollars for gas, food and merchandise in Crittenden County.

## Online survey

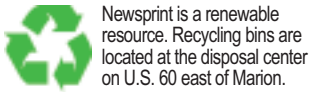
The most recent Crittenden Press Online survey asked visitors: "What is your favorite local park?" By a slight margin, those who responded seemed to enjoy the sporting recreation at the city-county park best. The results of the survey: Veterans Park .....0% Dam 50 Riverview Park.....47% Marion-Crittenden County Park .....53% Check The Press Online to vote on each week's poll, as well as to find breaking news.

## Meetings

■ Marion City Council will meet at 6 p.m., Monday at Marion City Hall.  
■ Crittenden Fiscal Court will meet at 9 a.m., Tuesday at the courthouse.  
■ The Heart-to-Heart Advisory Council meeting has been changed from Friday to July 24. The meeting will be at 8:30 a.m., at the Senior Citizen Center on North Walker Street in Marion. All advisory council meetings are open to the public.

## Online

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# Fair features mower derby

STAFF REPORT

Nick Stone was thrilled to find a cheaper outlet for one of his hobbies, crashing things with motors.

Since he was 16, Stone has put time and money into prepping cars for the demolition derby, the featured event each year at the Crittenden County Lions Club fair. This year, with two children and an economy where every penny spent seems to be magnified, he's turned his attention to crashing something cheaper – lawn mowers.

Yep, that's right; the same mowers Stone may otherwise be seen riding on a Saturday afternoon to cut the grass. But on the first Saturday in August, he'll be riding that mower look-

■ This year's Crittenden County Lions Club Fair starts July 25 with a horse show and runs through Aug. 1. A midway and other exhibits will also be featured daily at the fairgrounds.

ing to crash into something inside the event ring at the fairgrounds.

As one of two new events at this year's fair, the Lions Club has enlisted Anthony Wallace of Marshall County to put on a riding mower demo derby heat. It will take place prior to the crunch of the more traditional automobiles during the Aug. 1 finale of the county fair.

If you've never heard of crashing lawn tractors into one another, you're not alone. Wallace admits is a pretty new

phenomenon, starting in western Kentucky in 2008, but one brought on largely because of the rising cost of prepping cars for destruction.

Stone agrees. "It's easier and cheaper to fix up a lawn mower," said Stone, who says he'll have only about \$100 in his green Statesman lawn tractor when it's done.

Stone and his cousin Junior Hardesty spent much of Tuesday afternoon this week at the family's shop outside of Marion, welding on two mowers headed for destruction.

"They're a lot easier to find, too," Hardesty said of mowers versus cars.

Wallace said forming Ken-

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PHOTO BY DARYL K. TABOR  
Nick Stone (right) and his cousin Junior Hardesty prepare a lawn tractor Tuesday for welding and accessories to make it ready for the Aug. 1 lawn mower demolition derby at the county fair

## Running on empty



CRITTENDEN PRESS PHOTO

Scott Tabor (left) and Jimmy Tabor represent the two generations of the family who have been selling fuel at the full-service gas station on the corner of Main and Gum streets since 1967. Later this week, however, Tabor's Chevron will stop selling gas, but will maintain its wrecker and auto repair service.

## Tabor's ends fuel sales

By CHRIS EVANS  
PRESS EDITOR

When the Tabors started pumping gas on the corner of Main and Gum streets, there were 13 other filling stations in town.

"There was one on every corner right here," said Jimmy Tabor, pointing across the street to where other stations were located. "And another right down there where Convenient Car Care is located."

Naturally, times have changed since the late 1960s.

Scott Tabor and his wife Melissa are the second generation to own and oper-

ate the service station where U.S. 641 converges with U.S. 60. On Friday, an era will come to pass as the fuel pumps there go idle.

"I hate it," Scott Tabor said Monday as he stood inside the air-conditioned office next to three gas pumps and three mechanic bays. "This is what I grew up with. It's what my dad did, and I always thought it was the neatest thing in the world to pump gas."

A changing regulatory system along with high overhead and low profits for re-

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## Berry, 39, picked to head Farmers Bank

By CHRIS EVANS  
PRESS EDITOR

When the torch passes at Farmers Bank and Trust Co., later this year, there will be no chance that the speed of the deal will extinguish the flame. And that's just fine with everyone involved.

Wade Berry will become the new president of the local bank on Jan. 1. Gareth Hardin, who has been at the controls for 15



Hardin

years, will gradually ease into retirement. For a guy who is sincere when he says that he loves his job, the evolutionary process will be much easier than quitting cold turkey.

"It would be tough to just stop and one day not go back," said Hardin, who began as a senior loan officer at the bank in 1987 and moved up to become chairman, president and CEO. "I will miss a whole lot of things about this job, and this way I can kind of wean myself off of it."

Hardin, 60, says grandchildren, boating, fishing, golfing and some light traveling are where he'll spend his retirement hours. But all of that will have to wait a while as he will continue on full-time at the bank through 2010 as CEO. His term as chairman of the board runs through March of next year and he plans to remain on the board of directors. Hardin will also continue in a part-time, senior advisory role starting in 2011.

Berry, 39, becomes just the 12th president in Farmers Bank's 110-year history. Hardin's tenure as head of the bank is the third longest.

A graduate of Western Kentucky University and Louisiana State University's Graduate School of Banking, Berry is a life-long resident of Crittenden County where he and wife Krista (Blackburn) are raising their two children, Lauren 16, and Hannah, 11.



## Berry ripe to lead

Wade Berry has been chosen as Gareth Hardin's successor as the 12th president of Farmers Bank and Trust Co., the county's oldest financial institution. He will begin his new role Jan. 1, 2010. Below is a list of previous presidents of the bank and the dates they held the position.

### Farmers Bank presidents

1994-2009	Gareth Hardin
1970-1993	H.D. Sullenger
1960-1970	Sam Guggenheim
1960-1960	Homer McConnell
1959-1960	Hollis Franklin
1947-1959	John Quenterous
1937-1947	R.F. Wheeler
1937-1937	R.G. Fowler
1930-1937	O.S. Denny
1929-1930	W.T. McConnell
1899-1929	William Fowler

For Berry, the transition should be seamless. He has been part of the management team for years and currently serves as executive vice-president and senior loan officer.

"I am blessed to be able to come in and continue building on something that has a very solid foundation," he said. "Farmers Bank has been on this same street corner in Marion for 110 years. We have a very professional staff, a great management team, a highly supportive board

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## Growth forces rules at Riverview Park

### Road work closes Dam 50

STAFF REPORT

Drainage work by Kentucky highway crews will keep a portion of Ky. 387, or Dam 50 Road, closed today (Thursday), shutting off Riverview Park at Dam 50 from all traffic during for a second day.

Access to the recreation area at Dam 50 overlooking the Ohio River, its camping sites and boat ramp will be prohibited again today between 8 a.m., and 2:30 p.m., according to Keith Todd, a spokesman for the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet. The closure is necessary to allow a Crittenden County highway maintenance crew to complete drainage work and replace four

cross drains near the recreation area. Work began at the site Wednesday.

The planned closure is near the entrance to Riverview Park, between the 3- and 4-mile marker on Ky. 387. This is between Cotton Patch Road and the end of state maintenance at Riverview Park. Motorists, campers and fishermen who normally travel Ky. 387 to access the recreation area should make advance alternate plans during daylight hours Wednesday and Thursday.

The plan of work called for the roadway to reopen to traffic overnight Wednesday and this evening.

STAFF REPORT

Some growing pains are creeping into the newly developed park at Dam 50.

Riverview Park is a 72-acre complex overlooking the Ohio River at the former site of Dam 50. Thanks to state and federal grant funds and a huge amount of local labor and volunteer work, the park is being literally overrun by guests.

In the past year, a development plan has come together providing water, sewer and electric for seven modern camper pads, countless primitive campsites, a walking trail, three pavilions, park benches, playground equipment and restrooms. The site already had a large parking area and a boat

launching ramp.

"It was full over the Fourth of July," said Crittenden County Judge-Executive Fred Brown. "The park has become very popular and people are standing in line for those campsites."

In fact, there has been some confusion in regard to reserving and using the campsites where water, sewer and electricity are provided. Some new rules are being established and will be enforced at the park, said Michele Edwards, director of tourism for the City of Marion.

Brown said the local tourism department has been a major partner in overseeing the development and management of Riverview Park. Combinations

to locks on the camping pods are available at the tourism center, by calling 965-5015 during normal business hours. After hours, central dispatching at Marion Police Department is handling calls regarding the park. That number is 965-3500.

Cost for primitive camping at the park is free, but there is a charge for using any of the seven modern campsites where utilities are available. Check-in and check-out is at noon each day. Camping pods, which include a concrete pad, are available on a first-come basis. Cost is \$15 per day. Owners of campers, tents,

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# Preserving our nation’s history urgent

Brenda Underdown and The Crittenden Press are to be highly commended for the hard and sacrificial work of presenting and preserving our Crittenden County history.

We are living in a time when it is absolutely urgent that we, as publishers and historians, do the same for our national history, that if lost, the America we have all loved and greatly appreciated will also be lost.

So, I salute The Crittenden Press for presenting and preserving our history of our veterans and their sacrifices year after year. If my memory serves me correctly, Daryl Tabor was the first to really put this front page and center so to speak.

Now, I also am grateful for the opportunity to present and hopefully preserve some of our national history as our true history is being corrupted by those that are frantic to take God out of our national history, and our



lives.

A great disservice has been done many of our founders by eliminating their religious convictions and influences in the establishment of this nation. So with God's help, I'm correcting the false notions by presenting the facts.

Our second President John Adams has been accused by a letter writer in this publication that he was a deist, and did not believe Jesus was the Son of God. The letter also stated America was not founded on the Judo/Christian principles. The following is proof of just how wrong she is on John Adams and also

on all four of the other men she listed.

Now, John Adams will speak for himself. First, America and its religious foundation: February of 1765 in his notes for "A Dissertation on the Canon and Feudal Law." "I always consider the settlement of America with reverence and wonder, as the opening of a grand scene and design in Providence for the illumination of the ignorant, and the emancipation of the slavish part of mankind all over the earth."

On Aug. 28, 1811, he wrote: "Religion and virtue are the only foundations, not only of republicanism and of all free government, but of social felicity under all governments and in all the combinations of human society... This form of government ... is productive of every thing which is great and excellent among men."

On Oct. 11, 1798, in an address to the military stated:

they not inculcate this great virtue? If the rights and duties of Christian magistrates and subjects are disputed, should they not explain them, show their nature, ends, limitations, and restrictions, how much soever it may move the gall of Massachusetts."

So you see, I get my instructions from the same God our founding fathers got their ideas and instructions.

In retorting Thomas Paine's assertions he stated July 26, 1796 in his diary: "The Christian religion is, above all the religions that ever prevailed or existed in ancient or modern times, the religion of wisdom, virtue, equity and humanity. Let the blackguard Paine say what he will; it is resignation of God, it is goodness itself to man."

Now to the straw that breaks the critics' back. John Adams wrote to Thomas Jefferson about his wife's failing health and included: "That you and I shall meet in a bet-

ter world I have no doubt than we now exist on the same globe; if my reason did not convince me of this, Cicero's Dream of Scipio, and his Essay on Friendship and Old Age would have been sufficient for that purpose. But Jesus taught us that a future state is a social state, when He promised to prepare places in his father's house of many mansions, for His disciples."

Yes, he believed Jesus was the Son of God. John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died the same day, July 4, 1826.

May God help all of us to care about the truth and handle it carefully, with diligent homework and honesty.

*(Editor's note: Rev. Tedrick is a Marion minister. She shares her views weekly in this newspaper. Her opinions are her own, and are not necessarily those of the newspaper. Rev. Tedrick can also be heard on WAVJ 104.9 FM at 9 a.m., Tuesday.)*

## The Crittenden Press Letters to the Editor

### \$1 bill symbolism hearkens to God

**To the editor:**

In going through some clippings of my mother's, I came across this piece that was of interest to me. It was in a newspaper dated 1983. This is what it read:

"Have you ever taken a look at a dollar bill? On the backside we see both sides of the Great Seal of the United States, which was designed by an appointed committee in 1782, namely Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson, and John Adams."

Thomas Jefferson thought it would be appropriate to have a design of the children of Israel struggling in the wilderness. Benjamin Franklin's idea was to have a scene of the Red Sea parting for Moses. Each wanted something to symbolize the American struggle for freedom.

So, they had to compromise and presented congress with the design we have today. On the front, with wings spread, we have a bald eagle clutching an olive branch in one talon, representing peace. Power is represented in the other talon, with 13 arrows, which is the number of the original states. The 13 stars above the eagles head also represents the 13 states, as do the 13 stripes on the shield in front of the eagle, which is unsupported, implying that the nation will depend on its own power and virtues and not on Great Britain's to signify the new nation emerging from the 13 colonies. The eagle grasps in its beak a ribbon with the Latin motto, "E Pluribus Unum," meaning "Out of many one."

On the back side, signifying permanence and duration, is a pyramid, having 13 symbolic stripes. The Roman numerals carved into the base give the date 1776.

Above the pyramid, in a burst of light, you can see an eye, which symbolizes the eternal eye of God, looking with favor one the new nation. The Latin motto "Annuit Coeptis," means "God has smiled on our undertaking," and signed John Summy.

**Mrs. Jonas Yoder**  
Marion, Ky.

### Franklin: Christian statesman or not?

**To the editor:**

In one of Lucy Tedrick's recent columns, the writer was apparently attempting to use Benjamin Franklin as an example. Having studied Franklin in both high school

and college, could I have studied about a different Franklin?

Perhaps the best insight into Franklin's thinking is taken from one of his speeches: "Most sects in religion think of themselves in procession of all truths, and that whenever others differ from them, it is so far error."

Franklin was not the atheist; he did not deny the existence of God. He believed, however, his God was the humane conception of deism and not the God of Christianity.

Franklin's motion for prayers in the Constitutional Convention has been used as the basis for another falsehood that has been presented to nearly every person in the United States. We are told that the convention, for a month, opened its sessions without prayer and at the end of this time nothing had been accomplished. When Franklin's proposal to open the sessions with prayer was adopted, the work of the Convention was speedily and successfully performed.

Actions prompted by a man of God or that of a great politician? You decide!

I cannot disagree that God was very much a part of American history, however, you do the research. See if you don't find that Franklin was an eminent and patriotic statesman and a shrewd businessman and that he was well-traveled and knew the ways of the world at the time. Franklin proved that he had an unbounded faith in humanity, but to call him a "Christian statesman" may be going too far.

One writer wrote, "In a world that was then, alas it still is now, bloodied by those who seek to impose theocracies, Franklin helped create a new type of nation that could draw strength from its religious pluralism."

**Bill A. Belt**  
Dallas, Texas

*(Editor's note: This letter was edited for brevity to meet this newspaper's policy regarding letters to the editor.)*

### Writer denies God, His healing power

**To the editor:**

The letter in the last Press written by (Clarence) Walker was one of the saddest things I have ever read. It made me angry, and yet broke my heart at the same time.

In my defense, I cannot listen to someone totally dismiss my God, my Lord and Savior without being infuriated. I am only human. That is what I feel that this bitter

man seems to misunderstand about Christians. We are only human, and as such, we mess up. Thankfully, God does forgive our shortcomings!

The things written about Lucy Tedrick were nothing short of callous and seedy. It is the literal definition of defamation of character. We all have different beliefs and interpretations of God's word and His instructions. While I don't necessarily agree with everything Sister Lucy writes in her columns, I do admire her courage to speak out and stand up for her beliefs. It takes gumption that, unfortunately, many Christians these days lack.

I don't wish to attack anyone's opinions or views, but, I have seen, heard and felt the awesome presence of the one true, almighty God, and there is nothing anyone could do or say to diminish that.

In my church alone, I have seen demons cast out of people. I have seen emotional and psychological healings, and I have seen too many physical healings to count. Three members of our congregation were told they had various types of cancer. We laid hands on them and they were cured. Their doctors were baffled, except the ones who are also believers.

In closing, I would like to say this to Mr. Walker: It seems a bit silly and very presumptuous to write such

a letter to a local paper where the community is mostly of the Christian faith. And though I am sure you'll find it unnecessary, there is an entire loving community praying for you.

**Nikki Croft**  
Marion, Ky.

*(Editor's note: This letter was edited for brevity to meet this newspaper's policy regarding letters to the editor.)*

### Columnist should 'put up or shut up'

**To the editor:**

"Anyone who votes their liberal beliefs will have to face God and will spend eternity in Hell."

This is a direct quote from view columnist Lucy Tedrick. In the July 9, 2009, Press, she also said, "I make sure I'm right and can prove it before I put my name to my writings."

So, columnist, Lucy Tedrick, prove it. I challenge you to prove that I am going to Hell for voting for President Obama.

Put up or shut up! Have you ever heard that statement? Prove that I am going to Hell or print a retraction.

You also lament about how many people are writing to The Crittenden Press bad-mouthing anyone that speaks against evil.

You have hit the nail on the head. More good people are writing and speaking up

about the rants of someone who, obviously, is delusional at best.

Also, have you ever heard the statement below, it was made by a priest concerning the actions of Germany in World War II?

"When they came for the Jews. I did nothing, because I am not a Jew. When they came for the Gypsies, I did nothing; I am not a Gypsy. When they emptied the mental institutions, I did nothing; I was not insane. Then they came for me, and there was no one left to speak."

This is why more people are speaking out. The extreme far right conservative, Rush-loving, fair-and-balanced, gun-toting idiots may start to feel empowered.

And that is one thing the world doesn't need – a bunch of Barney Fifes running around with loaded guns shooting anyone who is not white or conservative, and who voted for a black man.

**Sam Flanary**  
Marion, Ky.

### Reunion for CCHS 1980-85 grads set

**To the editor:**

I am a former resident of Crittenden County and still consider that to be my home. I even worked for your newspaper while I was still in high school. I enjoy every time I get to take a break and drive that direction to see the

countryside and the people I grew up with. That is the reason I am writing.

I graduated in 1982 from Crittenden County High School and several of my former class members and myself are organizing a class reunion on Labor day weekend, Saturday, Sept. 5. It will be held there in Marion, and we would like for anyone who graduated from 1980 through 1985 to contact one of us and let us know of your interest. It will be an event that you can bring your whole family to, and we encourage you to do that.

The only cost to anyone would be \$10 a person or \$20 for the whole family. But if that is a problem for anyone, please don't let that keep you from contacting one of us. We will make a way for you to enjoy the day. We would all love to see and catch up with each one of you. Please contact one of the numbers listed below before Aug. 5 so we can plan the rest of the event:

- David Godfrey, (618) 543-9230;
- Stuart Collins, 965-3216;
- Kim (Johnson) Collyer, 965-2045;
- Vickie (Sanders) Moutray, (573) 259-6703; or
- Renee (Kemper) Sizemore, 965-9627.

I hope that we hear from you soon. May God bless and keep you.

**David Godfrey**  
Joppa, Ill.

## The PressLetters Policy

The Crittenden Press accepts and encourages letters to the editor on a variety of subjects. Letters should be submitted by 5 p.m., Friday the week before publication.

Submissions must include only the author's name (no multiple names or groups), address, phone number and signature. Phone numbers will not be published. They are for our records only in order to authenticate a letter's author.

Letters should be written in

good taste and in most cases should not exceed 300 words. Letters will be edited for spelling and grammar and The Crittenden Press reserves the right to reject or edit letters for clarity, brevity and otherwise at our discretion. Writers should limit their letters to no more than one per month. Original copies of submitted letters will be retained in our files.

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# Local&RegionalBriefs

## \$100K grant helps defray storm cost

Crittenden County has received a \$100,000 grant to help defray expenses associated with cleanup from the winter ice storm.

County Judge-Executive Fred Brown said Monday that the funds will go toward paying crews who removed debris from roadsides in the months after the late January ice storm.

The county also anticipates receiving funds from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for overtime hours worked by county crews during the cleanup process.

"The grant will help offset the costs of regular time worked," Brown explained. "We think FEMA will end up paying us for the overtime."

The grant comes in the form of money from the Community Emergency Relief Fund. Brown said that virtually all major storm cleanup is complete. However, crews are still working on some small lanes and road spurs, finishing up removing leaning trees and hanging limbs.

"The money will go a long way toward defraying the costs of the ice storm," Brown said.

The ice storm may end up costing the county close to \$1 million once all receipts are counted, Brown said.

## New Walmart now open in Princeton

Princeton's new Walmart opened this week, offering a larger store for customers, 150 new jobs and environmentally-friendly features aimed at reducing the 173,000-square-foot building's energy footprint.

The new store, more than double the previous Princeton Walmart's size, opened to customers Wednesday morning after a ceremonial ribbon-cutting. The supercenter is located a mile from old Walmart, across from Bremner on U.S. 62 West. It will offer a full line of grocery products, including a bakery and deli; more than 30 merchandise

departments including an expanding electronics department and lawn and garden center; a pharmacy and tire and lube express automotive department.

Store manager Allen Dixon said the new supercenter will employ 300 people.

## Ridley named to NCSL committee

Kentucky Senate leadership has appointed Sen. Dorsey Ridley (D-Henderson) to serve on a committee of the National Conference of State Legislators (NCSL) by Senate Leadership. Sen. Ridley, who is the Regional Business Development Director of Independence Bank in Henderson, will serve on the NCSL Communications, Financial Services and Interstate Commerce Committee for the 2009-2010 biennium.

He said that being appointed to the Communications, Financial Services and Interstate Commerce Committee provides opportunities for him as a legislator to share concerns with his counterparts in other states. The organization also offers ample research resources to compare trends and practices among states.

"Such committees allow me the opportunity to hear new ideas and provide me with access to information that can help my district as well as allow me to express the concerns I hear on Main Street to people who are influential at the national level," said Ridley, who serves Crittenden, Livingston, Caldwell, Union, Webster and Henderson counties.

The NCSL Standing Committee on Communications, Financial Services and Interstate Commerce has jurisdiction over state-federal relations with regard to electronic commerce, banking, insurance, securities and other financial services issues, interstate commerce and taxation of electronic

transactions, telecommunications and interstate business activity taxes. Senator Ridley has served in the Senate since 2004 and in the House of Representatives from 1987-1994, the Senator serves on such Kentucky Senate committees as Banking and Insurance; Natural Resources and Energy, and Agriculture.

## City: No plans for former drive-thru

There are no immediate plans for the former Peoples Bank drive-thru at Marion Commons.

Marion City Administrator Mark Bryant said the office area, which served as The Peoples Bank drive-thru before it moved to north Main Street last week, is for lease.

"The lettering is gone from the facade and right now we don't have any plans for it," Bryant said.

## Pulverizer allows 2nd life for glass

Regional Recycling Corp., has added new equipment at its processing center in Fredonia that should make quick work of waste glass collected in Crittenden and other participating counties.

The glass pulverizer used by the six-county recycling alliance will crush bottles and other glass containers as they head up a conveyor belt and will undergo a process, according to The Times Leader newspaper in Princeton, that turns the waste to a sandy aggregate, smooth to the touch. The product, which can be as large as marble-sized, can then be used in landscaping or other applica-

tions.

The crusher is housed at the Western Kentucky Correctional Complex near Fredonia, where inmates are used to sort through recyclable materials brought to the center by participating Regional Recycling counties - Crittenden, Livingston, Caldwell, Lyon, Marshall and Trigg. The majority of the cost of the crusher was funded by a \$34,224 recycling grant received a year ago.

The corporation purchases equipment for the facility and shares amongst the six participating counties the revenue generated from the sale of recycled goods, like cardboard, glass, plastic, newspaper, aluminum, steel and office paper.

## Bark for Life event to aid cancer fight

The American Cancer Society has gone to the dogs and is asking area residents to join forces with man's best friend for the Bark for Life event next month in Ed-dyville.

Bark for Life is a fund-raising effort to honor the caregiving qualities of canine companions, which represent unconditional love, compassion and no judgment on abilities or appearances of humans. The first-ever event for the area will be held from 9 a.m., to noon, Aug. 8 at Ed-dyville City Park. The non-competitive walk-a-thon is aimed at raising both fund and awareness in the fight against canine and human cancers.

Registration for the event is \$15 for the first dog and \$5 for each additional dog. All



CRITTENDEN PRESS PHOTO  
An inmate from Crittenden County Detention Center paints the ceiling last week inside the upstairs courtroom at Crittenden County Courthouse as part of an asbestos abatement at the building that is now complete.

dogs and their owners are welcome, but the animals must be on a leash.

An animal adoption drive will also be held at the event by Crittenden County Animals Shelter.

For more information, or to register, contact Pam Whittemore at the ACS office Paducah at 444- 0750

## Asbestos work at courthouse ends

Local crews finished encapsulating asbestos ceilings at the Crittenden County Courthouse last weekend, saving the county thousands of dollars, according to Judge-Executive Fred Brown.

Brown, along with Sheriff Wayne Agent, local resident

Ron Padgett and inmates from the Crittenden County Detention Center, finished the project that has taken about a year.

The work was estimated to have cost the county about \$150,000 through a contractor. With the work being done by county employees and inmates, the cost was a fraction of the estimate, Brown said.

"We used 35 gallons of the encapsulate and 82 gallons of paint," the judge said.

The main floor of the courthouse was done last year and last weekend the main courtroom on the third floor was finished. Brown said that all three floors have fresh paint, but there was no asbestos in the basement level.



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The Press **Community Spotlight**

**Riley elected to state jailer’s board**

Crittenden County Jailer Rick Riley was elected last month to the Kentucky Jailer's Association board of directors for 2009-10. At the association's annual conference in June,



Riley

Riley became one of 20 directors chosen by fellow Kentucky jailers to lead the group. The Kentucky Jailers' Association is made up of constitutionally elected jailers and appointed Jail Administrators of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. The goal of the association is to form an organization to establish harmony of action, insure protection and success, provide pecuniary support, secure protection and promote the best interest of the Jailers' in the State Of Kentucky. We have been serving the training, legislative and support needs of Kentucky Jailers since 1982. The Jailers' Association Board of Directors is the governing body of the Kentucky Jailer's Association. The board members

are elected annually at the Kentucky Jailers' Association Summer Conference.

**2 locals graduate with WKU degree**

Two local students at Western Kentucky University students completed degrees for the spring 2009 semester at the Bowling Green college. Sarah B. Vied of Fredonia and Caleb M. Jenkin of Sturgis both received bachelor of science degrees. There were no graduates from Marion.

**Farm Bureau gets A+ financial grade**

Kentucky Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co. again received A.M. Best Co.'s superior rating for its financial strength. A.M. Best graded the insurance company at A+ for the fifth consecutive year for 2008 performance, despite declines in investment income because of weak economic conditions and \$140 million in underwriting losses resulting from record payouts of \$227.4 million to policyholders from damages during a year of severe winter, summer and fall storms.

Kentucky Farm Bureau ended 2008 with more than 1.2 million policies in force and \$1.6 billion in assets. A.M. Best is the oldest and largest worldwide insurance rating and information agency.

**Learning center awards 33 GEDs**

The Crittenden County Adult Education Program had a record-breaking number of GED graduates this year, including nine student inmates from the detention center. The 33 graduates for 2009 are: David Austin, John Autry, Kyle Baker, Patrick Baker, Jena Berban, Jonathan Curtis, Leola Glore, Mike Gore, Melissa Graham, Danielle Green, Joy Guffey, Chris Hackney, Joey Hackney, Neal Hall, Cassandra Holloman, Marlon Hollis, Julian Irick, Emmanuel McCurrin, Daniel Nolan, Shannon Oliver, Carrie Powell, Krystal Powell, Misty Pugh, Paula Rankin, Nicole Reynolds, Jennifer Roberts, Jonathan Schneider, Eli Shelter, Michael Stone, Ray Thompson, Brandy Tinsley, Jodi Williams and Linda Young. For more information about Adult Education services, contact the Learning Center at 965-9435.

The Press **Calendar & Church Notes**

**Today**  
■ VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post 12022 in Marion is sponsoring a free Lupus Seminar at 6 p.m., today (Thursday) at the VFW Post on 412 N. College St. Guest speaker will be Michelle Mitchell, RN/MA, Kentucky Lupus Support group coordinator. She will be speaking and answering questions on Lupus. Refreshments will be served. Open to the public. Everyone invited.  
■ A nutrition class will be held at 10:30 a.m., today (Thursday) at the Senior Citizens Center.  
■ All who attended Crayne Grade School are invited to a reunion planning meeting to be held at Crayne Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m., today (Thursday)  
■ The Crittenden County Inter-Agency Council will meet at 9 a.m., today (Thursday) at the Crittenden Health Systems Education Building.  
■ Crittenden Health Systems Auxiliary will meet at 4 p.m., today (Thursday) in the Education Building at Crittenden Hospital. All members are urged to attend.  
■ The Crittenden County Democratic Executive Committee will meet at 6 p.m., today (Thursday) at Rebecca Johnson's office. Any Democrat interested in running for local office is urged to attend.

**Friday**  
■ Bingo will be played at 10:30 a.m., Friday at the Senior Citizens Center.  
■ The Braxton McDonald Foundation will meet at 3 p.m., Friday at the

Farmers Bank meeting room on Carlisle Street.

**Saturday**  
■ Crittenden County Cares will be selling BBQ pork chop sandwiches from 9 a.m., to 2 p.m., Saturday in front of Johnson's Furniture.  
■ Crittenden County High School Class of 1994 will have its 15 year reunion on Saturday at the Marion County Club. For more information, call Kelly Kirby at 965-2823.  
■ Marion Baptist Church will have Men's Ministry Breakfast at Conger's Country Kitchen at 7 a.m., Saturday.

**Sunday**  
■ Tolu Methodist Church will have their 111th homecoming Sunday. Services will begin at 11 a.m., with a potluck following, and The Hamptons will sing at 1:30 p.m.  
■ Loveless Chapel Pentecostal Church will have homecoming beginning at 11 a.m. Sunday. Lunch will be at 12:30 p.m. and an afternoon worship service at 2 p.m.

**Monday**  
■ Bingo is hosted every Monday at the Marion VFW on North College Street. The doors open at 5:30 p.m., with bingo following an hour later.

**Tuesday**  
■ A legal aide will be available at 10 a.m., Tuesday at the Senior Citizens Center.

**Wednesday**  
■ Pam Anderson from Madisonville Rehab will be at the Senior Citizens Center at 11:30 a.m., July 22.

**Thursday**  
■ Crittenden Health Systems will present a Cholesterol Program at 11:30 a.m., July 23 at the Senior Citizens Center and Bro. Brian Hayes from Marion First Cumberland Presbyterian Church will speak at 10:45 a.m.

**Upcoming**  
■ Crittenden County Senior Citizens food Distribution will be from 10 a.m., to noon on July 24.

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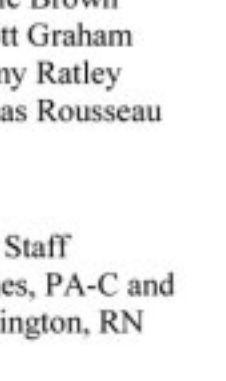
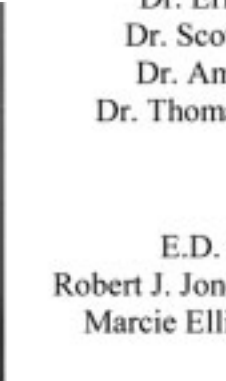




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**E.D. Staff**  
Robert J. Jones, PA-C and  
Marcie Ellington, RN

**2009 Crittenden County LIONS CLUB FAIR**  
**Tractor Pull & Demolition Rules**

## Farm Stock Tractor Pull

**Thursday, July 30 • 7 P.M.**

### Classes

- 12,000 Non Turbo
- 12,000 Turbo
- 14,000 Turbo

- 16,000 Duel Wheel
- Open Duel Wheel

**All Classes Are Two Wheel Drive**  
**For questions contact, Jared Belt (270) 871-4502**



### Farm Stock Tractor Pull Rules

1. No consumption of alcoholic beverages or narcotics in track or pit area. Failure to observe rules will result in removal from track or pit area with no refund of entry fees.
2. All contestants must be 16 years of age with parental consent through age 18. Parent or guardian must be present to compete.
3. Judges have the right to re-weigh or re-tech any tractor anytime during or after the pull.
4. All engine fans must be shrouded with factory shroud or minimum of 1/16" thick steel.
5. No weight may extend more than 24" beyond the most forward point of the tractor.
6. The tractor tires must remain in the boundaries of the contest course.
7. Minimum draw bar length of 18" from the center of the rear axle to the point of hook. Draw bar must be stationary in all directions. Maximum height of 20" from top of hitching device parallel to the ground.
8. Draw bar to be equipped with steel hitching device not more than 1.5" thick and a 3" diameter opening. Cross sectional thickness must be measured 7/8" minimum to 1.5" maximum.
9. No pressurized tanks unless UL approved. No nitrous oxide, no oxygen, or propane.
10. All tractors must compete using the fuel the tractor was intended to run from factory.
11. All tractors competing must run under a working governor.
12. No portion of the tractor may interfere with any portion of the sled or the sled hitching device.
13. All weights must be secured to the tractor on weight bracket. Fluid ballast and wheel weights will be permitted, any loss of fluid or weight on track will result in disqualification.
14. All tractors must be equipped with workable rear brakes.
15. Contestant has 100' to decide to restart.
16. Driver must be in total control of the tractor at all times wheel while pulling and operate in a safe manner or be disqualified at the discretion of the flag person.
17. Tractor must be stopped upon signal from either track official. Pull is considered over when forward motion of the sled stops, no hole digging allowed.
18. All tractors must be in neutral or park transmission selector while being hooked and unhooked.
19. The number one puller will be the test puller, and may take the pull if the working condition of the weight machine is satisfactory. Driver will have the option to drop to the sixth pulling position. In the event the sled is changed there is no option to drop, and the next puller will be the test puller.
20. Each contestant may spot the sled for their pull. Contestant must notify tract official or sled operator before the sled is backed into start position.
21. All contestants must pull in position drawn within 3 minutes of sled spotting or will be disqualified. Track officials must be notified of any delays, and then the contestant may become last puller.
22. All pulls must start with a tight hitch, no jerking.
23. Violation of any rule will result in automatic disqualification. Track official has the right to stop and disqualify any tractor at any time.
24. All tractors will be inspected by the same official.
25. No tractor can compete in more than two weight classes.
26. All classes must have a hood, grill, and fenders.
27. There will be a 2700-rpm limit on all classes.
28. Failure to obey either flag person will result in disqualification of that class.
29. Any fighting will result in removal from grounds without refund of any entry fees.
30. Tractors are required to have a working PTO.
31. You will not be allowed to pull next year if you intentionally break these rules.

## Demolition Derby

**Saturday, August 1 • 7 P.M.**

### Demolition Derby Rules

The Following rules and regulations are designed and shall govern all events. The participant agrees to comply and understand they are intended as a guideline for the conduct of the event. All rules will be enforced and if a question arises on any of the rules, an official decision shall be made and will be final and binding for that car. Guidelines subject to change.


**DECISIONS OF THE OFFICIALS WILL BE FINAL AND BINDING!**  
**For questions contact, Jared Belt (270) 871-4502**

#### Driver Regulations

1. All drivers must be 18 yrs of age or older. MUST be able to provide proof of age at the request of officials.
2. All persons MUST sign entry form, insurance waiver, and release form.
3. Registered driver MUST drive the car he is registered with. (same car same driver)
4. No one allowed in race area under the influence of liquor. POSSESSION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, OR DRUGS ON FAIRGROUNDS WILL RESULT IN EXPULSION FROM PROPERTY.
5. All drivers MUST wear seatbelt, and helmet. Safety glasses are optional.
6. Officials reserve the right to accept or reject any and all entries.

#### Car Body Regulations

7. Passenger cars or station wagons. NO trucks, Jeeps, hearses, or limousines. NO CHRYSLER IMPERIALS. Cars previously ran may install new front clip. Any clip may be used on any car, MUST be installed in stock manner. NO IMPERIAL SUB FRAMES. Officials Must approve.
8. All cars MUST have Bright Legible Numbers on driver door and roof with no profanity.
9. All glass, side windows, headlights and taillights must be removed.
10. Rear seats of sedan MUST be removed, top and bottom. On wagons, all seats and decking MUST be removed. Wagons MUST be emptied to floorboards. All cars MUST be swept clean. NO spare tires, broken glass, or trash allowed in cars.
11. All cars MUST have approved seat belts.
12. Battery must be moved, but MUST be securely fastened and covered in front seat passenger floorboards. ONLY ONE AUTOMOBILE TYPE BATTERY ALLOWED
13. Stock gas tanks MUST removed from original position and mounted in rear seat area and secured. All tanks MUST have secure cap. All lines and fittings MUST be leak proof and meet approval of Officials. NO MORE THAN FIVE GALLONS GAS TANK.
14. Radiators MUST remain in stock location. Any type allowed. NO added reserve tanks. Radiator may be strapped or wired in. NO home-made supports, protection, or reinforcements allowed.
15. Transmission coolers are allowed with the lines covered.
16. ONLY factory bumpers may be used. Bumper shocks, brackets and shock hanger may be welded. NO reinforcement may be made to bumper.
17. NO welded hoods. They may be bolted, chained or wired in no more then 4 place, using up to 1 in all thread or 10 gauge wire.
18. Two holes no smaller than 4" X 4" shall be cut in hood on each side of engine.
19. All doors can be welded, chained, or wired shut.
20. Trunk lids can be chained, wired, bolted or welded as long as officials can have access to trunk compartment.
21. Suspension must be stock. DO NOT invert spring shackles, DO NOT crank up torsion bars. ALL CARS MUST HAVE GIVE. Screw in spring risers or blocks may be allowed at discretion of officials.
22. NO altering of springs (no leaf to coil or vise versa)
23. NO truck or floater rear ends. Any auto rear end may be used.
24. Only 16 inch or smaller tires and wheels is allowed NO SPLIT RIMS.
25. All frames must remain OEM stock. ANY driver caught with altered frame at check in will not be allowed to enter the car. Any driver caught with altered frame at post race inspection will be suspended from competition and stripped of any prizes won.
26. Broken frames may be patched as long as patch dose not exceed 6" on either side of break and no more then ½ " thick with no stuffing. This decision will be at the officials discretion. BENT IS NOT BROKE
27. Core supports can have minimal repaired if broke.
28. A four point cage can be built around drive as long as bars are straight down to body.
29. Bars can run across the dash and behind the drivers seat. NO bar is to exceed more than Six(6) inches behind drivers seat or past the dash.
30. Modifications to drivers door are excepted as long as plate does not exceed past 6" either side of drivers door . Drivers door may also be filled or padded for safety reasons. All modifications of door and driver compartment MUST remain on the interior of the car.
31. If the rules do not say you can do it, then do not do it unless you speak to someone on contact list.
32. Re-read and define any section of the rules you do not understand. Re-read section 24, 25, and 26.



#### Mini Car Regulations

Same as big cars except for:  
MUST be powered by a 4 cylinder motor.  
MUST NOT be 4 wheel drive.  
MUST have a 102 inch wheel base or less.  
NO FRAME SHORTENING OR REAR END MOVING FORWARD PERMITTED

**Big and mini cars can be disqualified for :**

A: Using up 2 min. time limit  
B: Hitting drivers door  
C: Driving off track to escape competition  
D: Refusing to obey orders of the official. This means drivers, pit crews and family  
E: Holding another vehicle where it cannot move while another makes contact  
F: Sand bagging  
G: Possessing drugs or alcohol on grounds.

**NO OUTLOW OR LOADED CARS WILL BE ALLOWED - NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**  
**THE OFFICALS AND JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL !!!**

**Reach us by 5 p.m., Monday to get your ad in The Crittenden Press. Call 965-3191.**



# Examining Crittenden County's old bar

## Pioneer Lawyers

Crittenden County pioneer lawyers played an important role in the early history of our county. I'm sure that their knowledge and education of the courts and laws were always on demand from the citizens of our town.

From early records we know that Sumner Marble was appointed the first county attorney of the newly formed Crittenden County in April 1842. He served the county until 1853. After his term ended in 1853, he returned to his home county of Caldwell, and there he died in 1881 and is buried in the Cedar Hill Cemetery at Princeton.

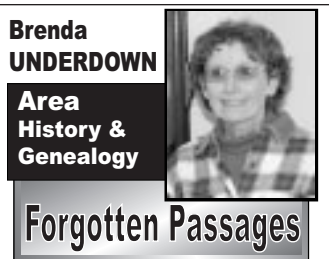
Other attorneys that practiced law in Crittenden County in the late 1880s and early 1900s included:

## Blue & Blue

J.W. Blue Jr. of the law firm of Blue & Blue, was born in this city March 29, 1861. He was educated in the public school and Marion Academy, and graduated from the last named in 1880. He then entered upon the study of law in his father's office and afterwards supplemented that knowledge by attending lectures in the Louisville Law School, graduating in 1885, when he became associated with his father's office, Blue & Blue, a firm whose fame is extant for the many cases they have led even under the severest litigation to a successful termination.

By his assiduous works he has risen rapidly in the ranks of his profession. As a lawyer he is an indefatigable laborer and has made a splendid record here, which few young men in Kentucky have equaled.

He has built up a splendid law business, and is considered an attorney of sterling worth, and his success is brilliant. By his oratorical powers and persuasive address in addressing a political gathering or elucidating law and evidence before a jury, the force of his argument is irresistible. As a cit-



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izen of Marion, as a lawyer of excellent intellectual attainments, as a neighbor and as a gentleman, in the highest sense of the them, Mr. Blue is esteemed by everyone who has the pleasure of his acquaintance, and the powerful law firm of which he is the junior member, will go into history as one of the ablest, and most honorable that ever existed in this section of the state.

J.W. Blue Sr., died May 23, 1898 and is buried in the Blue family plot at Mapleview. J.W. Blue, Jr. died in 1934 and is buried at the Mapleview Cemetery.

## James & James

Lemuel H. James, born in Nashville, Tenn., June 7, 1844, received his education in the common schools and when only 12 years of age was left fatherless and began working to support himself and widowed mother. No doubt his trials and need to work gave him a great deal of the push, pluck and perseverance which made all that have a personal knowledge of his character and of his work pronounce him as a thoroughly capable and reliable lawyer.

He practices in all the state and federal courts. He is noted for his success in winning cases. He wields a jury as one man. He is a self-made man, began educating himself when 19 years of age, studied law under the Hon. Sumner Marble, and was admitted to the bar in 1859.

In politics, he has always been a staunch upholder of his party and was by it elected two times to the office of county attorney and afterwards a nominee for commonwealth attorney but



**J.W. Blue, Sr.**

resigned the nomination in order to devote his entire time to his large practice.

He has made a successful specialty of criminal law, and has in the most severe litigation been equal to the task and come off conqueror.

He is noted for the quickness and vigor with which he compels attention to the governing questions and the same quality has given him is enviable reputation among businessmen.

We have associated with him in business, his son.

Ollie M. James, born to legal purple, his success might have been great through the illustrious name of his father, but his own merits give him a prominence that is distinctly his own.

He was born on a farm in Crittenden County July 27, 1871, attended the public school and academy at Marion, receiving a thorough general education.

In 1887, he was elected page to the House of Representatives and in 1889 was made cloakroom keeper of the Senate.

He was admitted to the bar in 1891, under Judge Givens, and formed a partnership with his father in 1892. His naturally strong and well-equipped legal mind together with his persuasive address has won him an enviable reputation and he has that magnetism that commands strict attention when he talks.



**J.W. Blue, Jr.**

He is a good jury lawyer, always gaining his prestige by honorable means. He has a larger acquaintance over the state than any man in the county and before him opens a bright prosperous future.

L.H. James died in 1928 and is buried in the James family plot at Mapleview Cemetery. His son and partner, Ollie M. James, died Aug. 28, 1918 and is also buried here.

## Cruce & Nunn

The law firm of Cruce & Nunn occupy a fine suit of rooms in the Carnahan building, and are they are never too busy to talk and execute business, although they have a large law practice, one that has proven alike satisfactory to the lawyer and the client.

Their large library, composed of the authentic works with the latest reports and publications, brings them in touch with the brightest minds of this and every other age, and much time is devoted to a careful perusal of its volumes.

They are both men of experience and ability, whose practice has won the favor of all with whom they have met in business connection.

Wm. I. Cruce, the senior member of the firm, is a Kentuckian, born in this county near Crayne. His legal education was thorough and he possessed the necessary qualifications to make prac-



**W.J. Cruce**



**L.H. James**

tical use of it.

He is a lawyer of recognized ability and Marion has cause to feel proud of him. Well versed in law and unusually ready and quick in repartee, it is not strange that he has established a position among the best lawyers in the state.

Clem S. Nunn is also a son of Kentucky and is a rising young attorney. He has the natural adaptation and educational training for a good, sound lawyer, and thus far in his professional calling has every reason to be pleased with his success.

He is careful and painstaking, looks closely after the interested of his clients, and secures favorable verdicts by the employment of honorable and professional methods. The firm as now composed is one of the best in this part of the state.



**C.S. Nunn**



**O.M. James**

They have incorporated into their law practice live business methods. The are not only able to handle any matters entrusted to them, but they give close and prompt attention to all cases of whatever magnitude, and it they take it al all, it is "to win." Their live methods are continually adding to their already large volume of business.

William I. Cruce, after this time moved to Ardmore, Okla., with other members of his family. He died there in 1928 and was also buried there.

Clem S. Nunn died June 19, 1935 and is buried in Mapleview Cemetery.

These are only a few of the many attorneys that practiced law in Crittenden County. We will read more about others in future articles.

## THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

**From The Press Archives**  
**News from 1984:**

•Contestants in the Crittenden County Fair Queen competition were pictured on the front page of The Press. Contestants were Stacey Woodall, Daphenia Wesmolan, Audura Watson, Michelle Hughes, Cindy Frazier, Melanie Hill, Cynthia Elaine Gregory, Michelle Payne, Danette McKinney, Robyn Davidson, Sara Frazer and Sandra Myers. Not pictured were Diana Blazina, Debra Blazina and Kim Martin.

•Barbie Trowbridge and Kevin Pride, both of Crittenden County, were named Little Miss and Mister at the Union County Fair.

•Dycusburg News - Houseguests of Geneva Dycus last week were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Orday and granddaughter April and nephew Mr. and Mrs. Marl Cooksey of Wimwood, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Tim Cannon and family of Kuttawa and Tim's father, Odess Cannon, were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Jean Cannon and Mrs. Mabel Ferguson. Odess also visited Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Ramage. Mrs. Vada Linzy is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Linzy and family in Hopkinsville this week.

•Dennis "Tea Bag" Tyner of Rt. 4, Marion had been selected as Safety Person of the Month for June at Marion's Potter and Brumfield AMF plant.

•Amy Kirk was pictured swimming the butterfly during the individual medley event against Hopkins County. She finished second in the girls' 14-under event.

•Golf - Melissa Jones and Pat Harshman continue to lead the ladies golf league. Suzanne Goad and Faye Phelps moved into second place, while Geneva Chandler and Jean Jepsen took third position after last week's play. Jones and Harshman were the low team net with a 71. Mary Tabor was low net player with a 34. Annabelle Pfunder had low putts with 13.

Cub Scout Pack 202 boys slept in tow-man wall tents at their Lad N' Dad campout June

23-24 at Camp Wildcat Hollow near Russellville. Lads and dads attending were Troy and Donald Lynn, Brent and Donald Corley, Brad and Wally Garrett, Joe and Jim Estes, John Michael and Tommy Loyd, Jamie and Jim Curtis, Chad and Harlon Belt, Jason and Jack Cosby, Bryan and Bob Guess, Tim and Doug Shepherd, Brent Kemmer and Donnie Beavers, Jarod and Ronnie Riley, Josh and Donnie Orr, Cayce Gass and Blaire Trask and Eric and Brent Roberts. "Mavericks" attending with other fathers were Michael Ramage, Dean Kirk, Billy Roy Chandler and Jerry Kinnin.

## News from 1959:

•The Marion Girl Scout Day Camp completed a six-day session with an overnight camp cookout. The encampment was held at the Cruce McDonald farm with Mrs. Albert Wilson, camp director. The girls participated in planning scouting activities which included crafts,

music, games and various outdoor activities. Mrs. Harold Johnson was unit leader of the Brownie Scouts and was assisted by Mrs. Mabel Moore and Miss Nancy Biggs, Junior Counselor. Miss Nancy Getman was unit leader of the Girl Scouts and was assisted by Helen Cochran, Nancy Beth Baker and Penny Taylor, counselor. Mr. Edgar Biggs assisted with delivery service and Billy Bob Frazer helped pitch camp. Brownies who attended were Karen Abbott, Barbara Allen, Vicki Conyer, Barbara Frey, Peggy Fryar, Rose Marie Gregory, Cathy Hatfield, Elizabeth Hill, Kathy McNeely, Susan N. Phillips, Connie Moore, Debbie Nunn, Virginia Weldon and Mary Jane Wilson.

Intermediate Girl Scouts were Dianne Abbott, Jane Browning, Darlene Fryar, Patsy Hamilton, Carol Hill, Phyllis Hopkins, Candace Johnson, Judy Lewis, Rebecca Linzy, Brenda Moore and Susan Sullenger.

•Miss Gayanne Gutherz was named Miss Crittenden County at the annual American Independence Day celebration in Marion.

•Dycusburg News - Mrs. Betty June Young, teacher of the Intermediate Class of the Baptist Sunday School, took the following girls to Kentucky Lake Friday night for a picnic supper, Betty Carol Kinnis, Linda Linzy, Rosalee Buchanan, Norma Grace Kinnis, Betty Lou Kinnis,

and Mrs. Young's husband Ralph and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shewcraft. Danny and Lanny Shewcraft of Roxana, Ill., were spending several weeks visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Shewcraft and Mrs. Florence Rednour. Mrs. Frances Shields and Rudy were in Marion Saturday. Mrs. Mayme Lott spent last weekend with Mrs. Fannie Kinsolving, and with her aunt Mrs. Frank Smith.

•Jimmy Lou Rhem was host

to a group of friends. Guests were entertained with games and music during the evening following dinner. Those present included Carol Hill, Phyllis Hopkins, Linda Williams, Debby Davis, Michaela Knight, Julie Runyan, Gay Franklin, Peggy Rhem, Benny Walker, Billy Allen, Jimmy Rohrer, David Davis, Steve Farmer, Aaron McConnell and the host.



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**100 X 200 LOT -** Utilities, kitchen, dining area. 2 car garage. mh

**QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD -** 3.37 acres in Grandview Estates, county water, underground electric, \$25,000.00. mr

**4 NICE BUILDING LOTS -** Lots, are located on A.H. Clement Rd., Lake View Rd. and Twin Lake Rd. Priced from \$8,750.00 to \$12,500. jn

**30 +/- ACRES -** 30 Wooded acres with creek, excellent for hunting. Reduced to \$46,000. jh

**APPROX. 1 ACRE -** Hwy. 506. \$5,900.00. dh

**GOOD LOCATION -** Lot across from Crittenden Farm Supply on Gum St. \$8,000.00. rd

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# Native American church grows quietly in area

SUBMITTED ARTICLE

Few in the town of Marion may realize that it is becoming a destination for Native American descendants seeking healing and reconciliation. Since the late autumn of 2007, a branch of the Native American Church (NAC) has conducted healing and worship services, attracting people from as far as New Jersey, Chicago, eastern Kentucky and Virginia, and inquiries from as far as Australia and the United Kingdom.

While many in Marion know Brian Wilkes as a local businessman and Cherokee language instructor, few outside of the Native American community realize that he is also head of the region's nascent branch of the NAC, a century-old denomination with a membership approaching 300,000. "We keep pretty much to ourselves," Wilkes says. "We don't do sales pitches. We are first and foremost a healing ministry. People usually come first for healing, and later for worship ceremonies. We meet in homes, and we protect the anonymity of those who come to us."

Since the beginning of 2008,

about 40 have accepted salvation and two have been baptized through the local, Four Rivers chapter of NAC.

"NAC is ethnocentric like the Greek Orthodox Church, but not exclusionary – you don't have to be Native American to join, but most likely, you will be," Wilkes adds. "Each chapter takes on the culture of its local community. Around here, most of us are Cherokee descendants who were raised

Christian, so our services follow the form of a non-denominational prayer meeting with hymns in Cherokee. In other communities, the form will be different. It has a strong Christian feeling because that's who we are, but we don't force it on anyone.

"In the Navajo or Lakota country, where there are fewer Christians, there will be few Christian elements. But in the Winnebago chapters, the medicines will be placed on an open Bible to acknowledge the source of the healing. One size does not fit all."

Wilkes points to the healing of co-founder Quanah Parker. "Parker was a Comanche chief whose mother was a white Texan. He was critically

wounded, and his mother sought out a traditional Indian healer. The only one she could find was a Huichole Indian from Mexico, who only knew one medicine. It was a cactus known for its antibiotic and anesthetic properties.

"As he hovered near death, Parker saw Jesus reach down from heaven, and thought his time was up. Instead of taking him home," he saw Jesus hand him the medicine the Huichole healer had brought. In that moment, Parker accepted both Jesus and Indian medicine teachings. Since then we consider the medicines that relieve human suffering to be sprung from the blood of Christ, and recognize both as sacraments."

The denomination was formed in 1918 by an act of Congress, and the church enjoys special legal status, including exemption of its ministers from state jurisdiction normally imposed on therapists. Wilkes began the Four Rivers chapter after being approached by an isolated community in west Texas about forming a chapter. He was then able to help them get started and documented, and now Wilkes conducts one meeting monthly of the Four Rivers in or around Marion, and another in or around Murphysboro, Ill. In fact, his co-pastor, Joyce Rheal, and another cluster of



SUBMITTED PHOTO BY DARYL K. TABOR  
**A branch of the Native American Church (NAC) has been growing quietly in western Kentucky. Brian Wilkes, a Marion resident, businessman and Cherokee language instructor, is co-pastor of the Four Rivers chapter of the NAC.**

church members live in Murphysboro.

The name Four Rivers was inspired by the Old Testament book of Genesis, said Wilkes, and its service area covers western Kentucky and southern Illinois. Recently, a Four Rivers satellite group was formed in Sussex, England.

Rheal, of Murphysboro, was raised in a Cherokee home that still followed traditional healing practices, and she attended NAC meetings until age 13. She then went into a different church with unexpected consequences.

"I had rejected Christianity because I was victimized by a cultish denomination for 23 years," Rheal said. "They de-

humanized my gender as a woman and my ethnic heritage as a Cherokee brought up in those traditions. I thought all Christianity was like this.

"A few years ago, I started coming to the Native American Church meetings in Marion, and asked the Holy Spirit if Jesus and his teachings were real. After receiving commu-

nion for this first time, I received a comforting feeling as if Jesus was putting his arms around me. I realized that my Cherokee grandmothers' teachings about Jesus were true, and now I'm back on that path, and recognize Jesus Christ as my savior."

Rheal began medicine training in 2008, and is now co-pastor of Four Rivers.

Wilkes began his own return to the "medicine path" in 1990 under a Cherokee teacher. He later traveled to Peru, studying with Quechua and Shuar teachers. His current teachers include Seminole, Shaptian and Lakota elders. At the beginning of 2009, he was named to one of the elders' councils and the curriculum review committee.

"It's not all roots and berries," he joked. "We're as likely to use dark-light microscopy as a medicine pipe. We have no animosity to technology."

Four members are currently involved in training as healers and ministers.

## Crittenden endowment at MCC serves local students

NEWS RELEASE

Madisonville Community College (MCC) students of all ages from across Crittenden County continue to receive scholarship support through the Crittenden County Endowment for Excellence.

Established in 2004 as part of MCC's Fulfilling the Promise gifts campaign. The endowment offers seven to ten \$1,100 awards, depending on yearly market earnings, to Crittenden residents attending MCC.

For academic year 2008-09, 10 students received endowment awards. For the upcoming year, eight awards are available, including three awards to 2009 high school graduates and five others. At least three of the annual \$1,100 awards are reserved for

students over the age of 22. Jessie Colter, Cassidy Pinson, Jada Williams and Bailey Travis are all recent graduates receiving support. The awards are given for two years if students maintain at least the minimum academic performance required for the scholarship.

When combined with KEES money, the endowment offers about \$4,600 over two years for students attending MCC. This represents approximately 57 percent of the total cost necessary to earn 50 credit hours over a two-year period, including book purchases.

For more information on the Crittenden County Endowment for Excellence or other scholarship information, contact John Peters, advancement director, at 824-8593 or



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## OBITUARIES

### Berry

J.W. Berry, 79, of Waverly, Ky., died Saturday, July 11, 2009 at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville.

Berry was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, a U.S. Army veteran from the Korean War era, a lifelong farmer, owner of J.W. Berry Trucking and he restored tractors and rebuilt horse-drawn equipment.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda Berry of Waverly; five daughters, Katrina and husband Mike Greenwell of Henderson, Brenda and husband David Wilson of Waverly, Mary Lee and husband Andy Buckman of Waverly, Darlene Berry of Morganfield and Marlene and husband Jack Bailey of Morganfield; one son, Willie and wife Pam Berry of Waverly; 15 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; three step-great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Annie Yates Berry; a daughter, Rebecca Jane Berry; grandson, William Chad Berry; and great-grandson Matthew Thomas Allen Wilson.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 15 at St. Peter's Catholic Church with Father Freddie Byrd officiating. Burial was at St. Peter's Cemetery in Waverly.

### Brown

John G. Brown, 80, of Marion died Sunday, July 12, 2009 at Crittenden Hospital. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church, Frances Masonic Lodge No. 580 and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma Brown of Marion; children, Bruce and wife Suzanne Brown of Marion, Wayne and wife Joyce Brown of Eddyville and Delores Sunderland of Marion; a brother, Chester Brown of Marion; sisters, Bobbie Brasher of Marion, Betty Jean Fitzgerald of Marion and Ada Nell Peek and Cathy Nelson, both of Indiana; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ross and Naomi Cox Brown and six sisters.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 15 at Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion. Burial was at Frances Cemetery. Masonic Rites were given at the funeral home Tuesday and military rites were given at the cemetery on Wednesday.

### Suits

Margaret T. Fryar Suits, 84, of Salem died Monday, July 13, 2009 at her home. She was a member of Lola Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include her husband of 67 years, William E. Suits of Salem; daughters, Donna Lemon of Lola, Vonna Damron of Salem and Joyce Kitchens of Salem; sons, Keith Suits of Sebree, Doyce Suits of Salem and Ken Suits of Salem; several grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Margie Sue Suits. Her parents were John and Lavada Armstrong Fryar.

Funeral services are at 2 p.m., Thursday, July 16 at Boyd Funeral Home in Salem. Burial will be at Lola Cemetery.

### Royer

Thelma L. Royer, 73, of Battle Creek, Mich., died Tuesday, July 7, 2009.

She was born to William and Wilma Tharp Loftis on Sept. 11, 1935 in Salem, Ky.

She was a 1954 graduate of Battle Creek Central High School and she worked as a lab technician for many years at the Community Hospital and at Post General Foods.

Survivors include her second husband, Donald Coffman of Marshall, Mich.; three sons, Rick Royer of Battle Creek, Gregory and wife Paula Royer of Battle Creek and Terry and wife Rhonda Royer of Acworth, Ga.; two brothers, William C. and wife Velma Loftis and Charles and wife Donna Loftis; two granddaughters, one grandson; seven step-grandchildren; and three step-daughters.

Royer was preceded in death by her first husband, Charles Royer; her parents; a brother, Robert Loftis; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were Saturday, July 11 in Michigan. Burial was at Hicks Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, or the Disabled American Veterans. Personal messages for the family may be placed at [www.farleyestesdowdle.com](http://www.farleyestesdowdle.com).

### Brown

Deborah K. Brown, 56, of Salem died Friday, July 9, 2009 at the Crittenden Hospital.

She was a member of the Hopewell Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Salem.

Survivors include her Husband Johnny Brown of Salem; two sons David Fritts and wife Shellee of Marion, and Arron Fritts of Marion; four brothers, Steve Stone, Stacy Stone, Kevin Stone and Tim Stone, all of Henderson, Ky., and one sister, Belinda Clement of Henderson.

Brown was preceded in death by one brother, Randy Stone; her mother, Kathrine Stone; and her father, Harry Stone.

Funeral services were Sunday, July 12 at Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion. Burial was at Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

### Cole

Catherine Delores Cole, 73, of Marion died Monday, July 6, 2009 at her residence.

She was a homemaker and attended Miracle Word Church in Salem.

Survivors include her husband, James R. Cole of Marion; sons, Jonathan F. and wife Occie Cole of Marion and Joseph A. Cole of Louisville; a sister, Wanda Bryant, and a brother, Albert Jagers, both of Louisville; four granddaughters, Dorreatha Stephen of Brandenburg, Ky.; Erica Houck of Bloomington, Ill.; Laura Doom of Gilbertsville, Ky., and Kelly Kinnes of Marion; and four grandsons, James and Douglas Tababen, both of Louisville, David Kinnes of Burna and Danny Kinnes of Marion; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Oscar Russell and Catherine Florence Gregory Jagers.

Graveside services were Thursday, July 9 at the Dycusburg Cemetery with Rev. Howard Jones officiating. Myers Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of arrangements.

## Local pageant looking for best smiles, eyes

STAFF REPORT

The best smiles, prettiest eyes, best attire, prettiest hair, greatest talent and best personalities will be on revue Saturday, Aug. 1 at Tumble Extreme in Marion.

The first ever Little Mr. and Miss Spirit Pageant is being planned for that day as a fundraising event for Tumble Extreme All Star Cheerleaders. The event will feature youngsters ages 0-15 in a pageant for boys and girls.

Entry deadline is July 27. Forms are available at the Tumble Extreme gym or The Crittenden Press. There will be a \$10 penalty for forms re-

ceived after the deadline.

Cost to enter the pageant is \$25. There will be additional \$10 charges to enter special categories where judges will be looking for best smile, prettiest eyes and more. There will also be a talent portion to the pageant. Dress will be casual and no pageant dresses are permitted.

The event will begin at 2 p.m., with ages 8-15 on stage first. Then, ages 0-7 will be on revue starting at 4 p.m.

Admission to the event is \$2 for adults and \$1 children.

For more information, call B.J. Minton at 704-0832.

## Williams speaker at CCEDC

Circuit Judge Rene Williams will be the featured speaker at the annual Crittenden County Economic Development Corporation's annual meeting starting at noon Thursday, July 23.

Williams, who presides over circuit court in Crittenden, Webster and Union counties, has recently been named the chief regional circuit judge for the Purchase Region that includes 21 counties.

Williams and her husband, Brent Green, reside in Dixon.

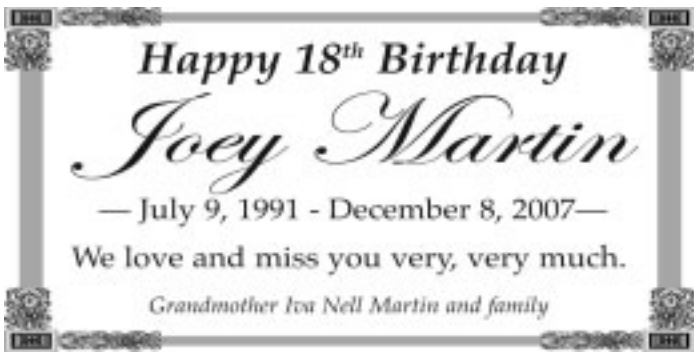
The Crittenden County Economic Development Cor-

poration promotes manufacturing, business and other area commerce. It is a 501c6 corporation and is funded through a variety of sources from both the private and public sector.

Shareholders of the corporation are invited to the annual meeting. RSVP is requested by today (Thursday) by calling 965-9294 or emailing [dwinna@crittenden-countyedc.com](mailto:dwinna@crittenden-countyedc.com).



Williams



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(270) 965-4744  
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Saturday 7:00-3:00

**SATURDAY & MONDAY SPECIALS**  
Pick-Up & Delivery Tuesday & Thursday at Dwight's Country Treasures in Sturgis

**Thank You**

From the heart of Glen Joyce and family, we would like to thank those who helped in any way during my hospital stay. Thank you to everyone who prayed for and with us, the churches of Crittenden and Livingston Counties, our friends and family, Expressions Hair Studio owners and customers, our neighbors, the visitors at the hospital and at home, and to anyone who just thought about us. Please continue to keep us in your prayers. we still have a long way to go.

*May God bless you,  
our love to all.*

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

Join us for an extreme adventure into God's word!  
**July 15-17**  
**6:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

**Marion First Cumberland Presbyterian Church**  
224 West Bellville Street, Marion, Kentucky  
For more information, call 965-4746  
Rev. Brian Hayes

**Classified Ads Start at \$6 per week**

**FAITH in Action**  
**Sunday, August 2, 8:30 am**  
**(Be The Church)**

Informal Worship/Kickoff in the Worship Center at 8:30 a.m. We will be serving the Marion/Crittenden County Area through the following projects.

- Food Distribution (10:00 am - Noon) (in the Family Life Center)
- "FREE" Car Wash (10:00 am - Noon)(in the Family Life Center)
- "FREE" Yard Sale (10:00 am - Noon)(in the Family Life Center)
- Water Bottle Giveaway
- Light Projects/Bible Studies for Senior Adults
- Nursing Home Visits
- Plus Several Other Projects

**FREE Lunch in the Family Life Center at 12:30 pm**  
**Will You Join Us?**

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Marion Baptist Church  
131 East Depot St., Marion, KY 42064  
965-5232  
[www.marionbaptistchurch.com](http://www.marionbaptistchurch.com)

**Support CHS Community Healthcare Foundation**

*"It all comes back to You"*

Contributions to the CHS Foundation support healthcare scholarships for Crittenden County students, help advance technologies and new facilities needed for future success of our community hospital.

- \*Memorial Contributions in lieu of flowers
- \*Honoree Contributions
- \*Direct donations
- \*Charitable Estate and Insurance Planning

Acknowledgement cards sent to the family or honoree.

All contributions are tax deductible. Board member, *Andy Hunt*

For information contact Donnetta Travis at 270-965-1060 • CHS Community Healthcare Foundation, PO Box 386, Marion, KY 42064

**Vacation Bible School**

**JULY 19-23**  
**6:00 - 8:30 p.m.**

New This Year: Classes Start on Sunday Night  
Closing Program: Friday, July 24 at 6:30 p.m.

**EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
108 Hillcrest Dr., Marion, KY  
For More Information, Call 965-4623

**111<sup>th</sup> Homecoming**

**Tolu United Methodist Church**

**Sunday, July 19**

Service at 11:00 a.m.

Potluck Following Service

**"The Hamptons"**

Singing at 1:30 p.m.

**Repton Baptist Church**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**SUNDAY July 19 thru THURSDAY July 23**

**5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

**Supper served at 5:30 p.m.**

Children from ages 3 thru the graduated Sixth Grader are invited!

Call 704-3242 for more information and for van pick-up

In Loving Memory of Our Mom & Dad

*Evah Lee Travis*  
~ March 4, 1921 - July 22, 2004 ~

*Billie M. Travis*  
~ January 5, 1916 - September 10, 1993 ~

The love and memories we have of you will truly last a lifetime.

Your children; Brenda & Billie  
Grandchildren; Tina & Steve



## What would Mom say?



by Allison Mick-Evans  
Crittenden Press columnist  
allison@the-press.com

# Jell-O times

Swim meets lack sweet experience

Back in the early 80s, when there was a new flavor of Jell-O on the shelves of Sureway or Conrad's, you could bet the members of the Marion swim team were the first to know about it.

Why, you might ask, would a bunch of kids in Speedos know anything about flavors of Jell-O? If you can imagine the mess, you'll easily understand. And I do mean mess.

How it started, or how it ended, is beyond me, but every swimmer from the late 1970s to early 1990s packed Jell-O to swim meets. It was the simplest of snacks, touted as energy-boosting powder, probably pre-dating Gatorade, Powerade and definitely in the days pre-dating energy drinks like Red Bull or Monster.

Seems someone came up with the idea to tear open the end of a cardboard box of Jell-O and start eating the powder. Moms didn't have to cook it by the traditional methods, boiling water and letting it gel for hours in the refrigerator. They simply gave the kids a dollar, sent them into the grocery store and out came the lycra- and goggle-clad kid with a couple boxes of Jell-O.

Look at the stores today and see the myriad of flavors. There are lime, peach, strawberry, banana, lemon, cherry and combination of all of the above. It was the coolest, easiest snack, and it was a must-have. It was like a performance-enhancing drug to those of us pre-teens who piled up in the corner of the pool area between our races, licking our fingers and sticking them in the sack of powdered goodness over and over again. When we handed our event cards to the timer, our hands would reveal an index finger stained the color that matched the flavor of our treat.

Lifeguards who opened the Marion Country Club pool after a meet hated it, because as kids do, we spilled that powdered stuff all over the concrete area surrounding the chlorinated water. Hose it down, they would. And hose and hose and hose, likely muttering under their breath how much easier it would be to pick up hamburger wrappers or potato chip bags.

Sadly, when I returned to the swimming ranks as a parent about six years ago, I was shocked to see kids at meets eating pizza, cheese sticks, and fruit although the latter are healthy choices.

Where's the Jell-O, I would ask. No one eats Jell-O at swim meets any more? It was a shock. We lived on it. Thought we had to have it. Competed for a new flavor about as much as we competed for blue ribbons.

My kids were shocked when I revealed to them the history of Jell-O and the Marion swim team. Like the other kids, they prefer a slice of pizza or a hamburger from the Conger's Country Kitchen.

I'm advocating we bring the Jell-O back. It's cheap, and it's as fun as a packet of Fun Dip. Who's with me?

Marion swim team alumni unite!

# National parents Day July 26

National Parents Day is held on the fourth Sunday in July each year. This year, it will be on July 26. National Parents Day is a special day to honor your mother and father. It is also a time to celebrate your family and your family's values. It is not a day for gifts, like Mother's Day or Father's Day. Instead, National Parents Day is about spending time with



your parents. It is also a day to let them know how much you love and appreciate them. It is also about

promoting responsible parenting in our country. There is a resolution that was signed into law by President Clinton in 1994 to recognize this day. The resolution states that National Parents Day is for "recognizing, uplifting, and supporting the role of parents in the rearing of children."

This day is not just a day for celebrating our biological parents, but also foster

parents and step-parents. One other very important part of this day is to recognize positive parental role models and people who have been positive parental figures in our lives. Our teachers, county Extension agents, church communities, neighbors, and even older brothers and sisters are all examples. These people, like our parents, take responsibility for helping

children grow and develop. They also give many children unconditional love in the role of parent figures. This creates a strong bond and trust that can last a lifetime. This is our chance to thank them!

If you would like more information call the Crittenden County Extension Office at 965-5236 or come by our office at 112 West Carlisle Street,



The Woman's Club of Marion is planning for its 89th anniversary, to be celebrated in September.

## Woman's Club plans for new year

Members of the Woman's Club of Marion met July 8 for a brunch to make plans for the coming year.

The new year starts in September with the 89th Anniversary Luncheon. A program or project is planned by the chairman in each of these departments: Arts, Conservation/Preservation, Education, Home Life, International, and Public Affairs/Publicity. Some Special Committees also have a program or project such as Membership and Community Improvement. Other Special committees are Telephone Music and

House. Standing committees are Executive Program and Publicity. There are also Finance committees for each quarter of the year. All members are welcome to participate in the planning.

Special projects include the Anniversary Luncheon, Election Day Lunch, Christmas Program, Mid-Winter

Membership Brunch, Spring Gala, Pot Luck Salad Luncheon and outings and tours. Come join our club and experience good food, fun and educational opportunities. Call Judy Winn, Membership Chair, 965-3345.



## Alexander-Glisson

Shannon Alexander and Matthew Glisson were married June 19th in an outdoor ceremony at Renee's Event Center in Paducah, Ky. Rev. John Smithmier officiated the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Larry and Brenda Alexander of Marion. Mrs. Glisson is the granddaughter of the Rev. Herbert Alexander of Marion and the late Rachel Alexander and the late Jimmy and Marybelle Belt, all of Marion.

The groom is the son of Jesse and Linda Glisson of Kevil. Mr. Glisson is the grandson of Tommy and Mary Ruth Housman of Paducah and the late C.W. "Doodle" and Mary Glisson of Kevil.

The bride chose her sister, Sherri Pruitt, of Princeton as matron of honor. Flower girl was Aniston Nelson, niece of the groom and daughter of Brent and Angie Nelson of Reidland. Ringbearer was

Cody Pruitt, nephew of the bride, and son of Scott and Sherri Pruitt of Princeton. The groom chose Andy Hosack of Knoxville, Tenn., as best man. Ushers were Braxton Nelson, nephew of the groom, of Reidland and Adam Hill, cousin of the bride, of Marion. Guest register attendant was Hilary Pruitt, niece of the bride, of Princeton.

A reception followed the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Crittenden County High School in Marion and is employed by Precision Machine, Inc., in Paducah, Ky.

The groom is a graduate of Heath High School in Paducah and a November candidate for graduation with a Bachelor's Degree in business from Mid-Continent University. He is employed by JB Crenshaw Construction Company.

Following a honeymoon in Jamaica, the couple resides in Paducah.

## Financial offers may be too good to be true

Parents of college-bound students hear a lot of sales pitches from companies that promise to help find financial aid to pay for college.

There's no need to pay for this kind of information when you can get it free by working with your guidance counselor, checking out sources in the library, doing free online scholarship searches or contacting the financial aid office of the college you plan to attend. GoHigherKY.org, the state's one-stop college planning Web site, also offers a free scholarship search.

If you decide to use a company to help you find financial aid, make sure you're dealing with a reputable one. The Federal Trade Commission cautions students to be especially skeptical about scholarship search companies and Web sites that make these claims.

"You've been selected by a national foundation to receive a scholarship." Check with a guidance counselor or The Foundation Center at [www.fdncenter.org](http://www.fdncenter.org) to find out if the foundation is legitimate. Be especially wary if you receive notification that you're a finalist in a scholarship contest you didn't enter.

"We'll do all the work." It's highly unlikely that the company will fill out all the applications for all the financial aid sources it sends you.

"I just need your credit card or bank account number to hold this scholarship." Never give these numbers to a person or company with which you are unfamiliar. You could find your credit card maxed out and your bank account cleaned out.

"This scholarship will cost some money." Some legitimate scholarships do have upfront fees, but no more than \$5 or \$10.

"You're guaranteed to get money for college or your money back." Read the fine print. If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, visit [www.GoHigherKY.org](http://www.GoHigherKY.org), write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602-0798; or call (800) 928-8926, extension 7381, or call (800) 928-8926, extension 7381.



## Hughes-Zgonina

Lindsay Hughes and Eric Zgonina announce their engagement and upcoming wedding at 5:00 p.m. on July 25 at Giant City Park in Makanda, Ill. A reception will follow at Don Marco Banquet Hall in Cambria, Ill.

Lindsay is the daughter of Glenn and Janet Hughes of Salem and Tim & Kathy Biggerstaff of McLeansboro, Ill. She is the granddaughter of Jane Hughes and the late Brownie Hughes of Marion and Maurice and Betty Garrett of Sturgis. She is a fashion design student at Middle Tennessee State

University in Murfreesboro, Tenn. and is serving an internship at Habit in Nashville, Tenn.

Eric is the son of Evelyn Zgonina of Effingham, Ill. and Tim Zgonina of Charleston, Ill. He is the grandson of Theresa Kuberski of DuBois, Ill. and Frances and the late Thaddeus Zgonina of Radon, Ill. He is a 2008 graduate of SIU in Carbondale, Ill. with a masters in Civil Engineering. He is an environmental water resource engineer for AMEC in Nashville, Tenn.



Kathy Omer stopped by the Rocky Mountain Travel Center at Pinon, Colo., in January, having her picture snapped with The Press. She also visited Pueblo and Denver before heading to New Jersey.

## BIRTHS

### Kitchens

Wesley and Kerri Kitchens of Salem announce the birth of a son, Luke Wesley Kitchens, on June 19, 2009 at Western Baptist Hospital in Paducah.

Maternal grandparents

are David and Janice Hunt of Marion.

Paternal grandparents are Dewey and Jessie Kitchens of Salem.

Maternal great grandmother is Joyce Robertson of Marion.



FOOTBALL

Little League sign-ups

Crittenden County Little League football registration will be held from 6-8 p.m., Monday and Tuesday at the Lions Club building at the fairgrounds. Little League is for boys grades 3-6. Fee is \$25.

Rocket football practice

Crittenden County High School has started preseason football workouts. The team is meeting weekdays from 5-8 p.m., at Rocket Arena. Anyone interested in playing high school football should report to the school during regular workouts. Practice starts at 9 a.m., beginning Monday.

CCMS starting football

Students interested in playing Crittenden County Middle School football should report to practice Monday, July 27 at the school. Tentative starting time is 6:30 p.m. Players need to have a physical before starting practice. For information, call Donnie Phillips at 625-1875 or Wompie Stewart at 704-2734.

SOFTBALL

Lady Rockets picnic

Crittenden County Lady Rockets softball team will host its annual softball picnic banquet at 6 p.m., Thursday (today) at Marion-Crittenden County Park.

Fredonia church league

The Fredonia Christian Fellowship Co-ed Softball League is gearing up for a fall season. Any churches in the area who want to participate should contact Donnie Conway at 625-9162. Cost is \$75 per team. Games will start in August and be played at Buddy Rogers Park in Fredonia.

OUTDOORS

Quota hunt applications

Applications for 2009 Quota Deer Hunts at Land Between the Lakes may be submitted through July 31 online at [www.LBL.org](http://www.LBL.org). For a \$7 application fee, individuals who do not have access to the Internet can call 1-800-525-7077 and submit an application by phone from July 13-July 24, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Deer harvested on LBL are bonus deer and do not count toward statewide bag limits.

GOLF

QB Club Tournament

Crittenden County Quarterback Club's annual 4-Person Scramble Golf Tournament will be held starting at noon Wednesday, July 22 at Marion Country Club. Cost is \$50 per player and a meal is included. To enter, contact Ronnie Myers at 704-0108 or 965-3104; or Pippi Hardin at 704-0071. Proceeds benefit the Crittenden County football team.

Fun Golf Tournament

There will be a Fun Golf Tournament beginning with a shotgun start at 11 a.m., Saturday at Marion Country Club. This is for couples and includes a meal. Cost is \$50. Contact Emily Shelby for more information at 965-3464.

SOCCER

Balls for local program

Crittenden County's high school soccer program is scoring some new balls for its upcoming season thanks to a \$250 contribution to replace half-dozen or so aged and tattered balls the girls soccer team was left with. New coach Andy Walker said Terry Bunnell, president of The People Bank, has contributed money to the program to purchase new balls. Walker said he plans to order about 20 new balls this week for the coming season this fall. Walker, pastor at Marion Church of Christ, was hired earlier this month by the school district to coach the girls' soccer program this fall.

Team photos available

Youth soccer team and individual photos are available for pickup at The Crittenden Press office.

British Soccer savings

British Soccer, which has held camps here the past few years, will be back in August. To register your youth for the camp, go online to [The-Press.com](http://The-Press.com) and follow the British Soccer link. The camp will be held Aug. 3-7 at Marion-Crittenden County Park. Register by July 24 and save \$10.

Halls of fame merge to include all athletics

STAFF REPORT

The Marion-Crittenden County Football Hall of Fame and Basketball Hall of Fame have merged to create an all sports hall of fame.

The Farmers Bank and Trust Co., Crittenden County Athletics Hall of Fame has been born from the two previous organizations created in the 1990s to honor football and basketball players.

Members of both hall of fame committees recently met and decided to join together in order to expand the mission of both organizations.

Andy Hunt of Marion will serve as chairman of the newly formed organization, which operates independent of the school system.

Hunt said the Crittenden County Hall of Fame will continue to honor football and basketball greats, but will broaden its scope to also include baseball, track and field, soccer, volleyball, cross country and golf.

"It will include all of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association sports in which Crittenden County schools participate," Hunt said. "This will open the door for a great

number of nominees who were previously excluded from recognition by the sports halls of fame."

The nomination committee for the newly organized Crittenden County Athletics Hall of Fame will include Hunt, Gordon Guess, Ronnie Myers, Teresa Foster, Richard Cruce, Don Brasher, Tink Hicklin and Chris Evans. Each had previously served on basketball or football hall of fame committees.

The organization will normally select two inductees each year. Nominees will be accepted from the public. Candidates must have been

out of high school for 10 years.

Induction ceremonies will be held during football season this year and may be alternated between basketball and football games in the future.

All of the past inductees to the basketball and football halls of fame will be unconditionally accepted into the new Farmers Bank Crittenden County Athletics Hall of Fame.

Although nominations have already closed for this year, nominations may be made at any time for next year. Call Hunt at 704-1330 to make a nomination.



Softball Sisters

Three players from Marion are members of the Indiana Diamond Sisters traveling softball team based out of Fort Branch, Ind. The team won the Summer Bash 2009 Tournament Saturday at Central City, Ky. The girls captured the championship after going undefeated in pool play and recorded one loss in the double-elimination segment. Their record for the tournament was 5-1. The Diamond Sisters defeated the Bowling Green Stampede 11-6 in the championship game. Players from Marion are (from left) Emily Owen, Jessica Tinsley and McKenzie Hewitt. All three players are members of the Lady Rocket softball team.

KIT League standings as of July 15				
	W	L	PCT	GB
Union City	24	16	.600	0.0
Fulton	23	16	.590	0.5
Tradewater	20	19	.513	3.5
Sikeston	18	20	.474	5.0
Owensboro	17	22	.436	6.5
Marion	14	23	.378	8.5

Harlem Travelers bring hoops to Rocket Arena

STAFF REPORT

The Crittenden County Trackers, high school track and field team boosters, are hosting the Harlem Globe Travelers at 2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 22 at Rocket Arena. The event will provide family entertainment for all ages.

"Showboat" Johnson's Globe Travelers will be squaring off against a team made up of local high school coaches and other players from the immediate

area.

Advanced tickets are on sale at The Crittenden Press, Coach's Cleaners and Myers' NAPA Auto Parts.

Tickets are \$8 in advance or \$10 at the door. Everyone must have a ticket.

All proceeds from the event will go to the track boosters.

Globe Travelers is a program that is a proving ground for aspiring members of the Globe Trotters.

Crittenden County Warrior Bowl

5-K RUN/WALK & 1-MILE KIDS FUN RUN

PRESENTED BY:  
Crittenden County Trackers  
& Sponsored by Full Body Fitness  
Saturday • August 29, 2009 • 8 a.m.

National Guard Armory, Marion, Ky.  
Proceeds to Benefit The Crittenden County Track Team

**THE RACES:** An open 5-Kilometer (3.1-mile) run and walk for teens and adults, followed by a 1-mile Fun Run for younger runners.  
**THE COURSE:** Both races start and finish at the National Guard Armory. The 5K and 1-mile course combines flats and hills.  
**AID STATIONS AND TIMING:** The Warrior 5K will have a water station at the 1- and 2-mile marks and at the finish. Hand timing at the finish, with split timing at the 1- and 2-mile marks.  
**TRAFFIC CONTROL:** Numerous course marshals will join Marion City Police for full course monitoring.  
**AWARDS:** 5K Run – Medals to top 3 male and female finishers in 20-Under, 21-30, 31-40, 41-50, 51-60, and 61-over divisions. 1-Mile Fun Run — Ribbons to all participants.  
**REGISTRATION:** 5K is \$15 for adults if received by August 14. Late fee and on-site registration fee is \$20. 1-Mile Fun Run is \$10.

**OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**

Please Print (one entry form per registering runner, please)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

RACE ENTERED: 5K \_\_\_\_\_ 1 MILE FUN RUN \_\_\_\_\_

T-SHIRT SIZE KIDS S M L ADULTS S M L XL 2XL

FEE ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_ \$15 (paid by August 14) \_\_\_\_\_ \$20 (paid after August 14)  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$10 (1 Mile Fun Run)

RELEASE: In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I, for myself, my executors, administrators and assigns, do hereby release Crittenden County Trackers and Full Body Fitness discharge actions whatsoever in this event. I attest and verify that I have full knowledge of the risks involved in this event and I am physically fit and trained to participate in this event.

Participant's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT OR GUARDIAN (if entrant is under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Send completed entry forms and checks or money orders to: Crittenden County Trackers, 5560 State Route 723 South, Salem, KY 42078.  
For more information, call Angela Starnes 965-5249.

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Sign Up Now at Any of Our 3 Locations\* Winner Announced at

Farmers Bank Night

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Thursday, July 16, 2009

Game Starts at 7:05 p.m.

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\*You must be 18 years of age or older to register for the \$500.00 Cash Give-A-Way. You must register and we must receive your entry form before the deadline on Thursday, July 16, 2009 at 3:00 p.m. at any of the Farmers Bank and Trust Company Locations. Drawing will be held on Thursday, July 16, 2009 at Farmers Bank Night at the Marion Bobcats Game in Marion, KY. You do not have to be present to win. Employees, officers and directors of Farmers Bank and Trust Company and Farmers Bancorp, Inc. of Marion, Kentucky and their families are ineligible for the drawing. The winner will be selected in a random drawing from all eligible entries received. The odds of winning depend on the total number of eligible entries received. Entrants agree to release Farmers Bank and Trust Company and Farmers Bancorp, Inc. of Marion, Kentucky, and their employees, officers and directors from any liability with respect to the gift awarded. Acceptance of the gift awarded constitutes permission to use the winner's name and photograph in newspaper advertisements and for other promotional purposes. No purchase is necessary to win. Official entry forms are available at Farmers Bank and Trust Company at 201 S. Main St. Marion, KY 42064, 203 N. Main St., Marion, KY 42064, or 216 W. Main St., Salem, KY 42078 or entrants may request an official entry form by writing to: Farmers Bank and Trust Company, P. O. Box 151, Marion, KY 42064-0151. No photocopies or other duplicate forms of entry forms may be submitted.



## BRIEFLY

### Sheep, goat producers weigh in on checkoff

Kentucky sheep and goat producers may vote on check-offs in separate referenda scheduled to be held Oct. 1 in county Extension offices throughout the Commonwealth, Agriculture Commissioner Richie Farmer has announced. The referenda ask whether sheep and goat producers wish to assess themselves at a rate of one-half of one percent (.50%) of the net market price of their animals. If the check-off is approved, the Kentucky Sheep and Wool Producers Association and the Kentucky Goat Producers Association would administer the funds in the areas of promotion, consumer information, producer communication, industry information and research. Voting will be open Oct. 1 from 8 a.m.-noon and 1-4:30 p.m., local time. Persons directly involved in the production of sheep and goats will be eligible to vote in their respective referenda in their county of residence. Producers will be required to provide identification and complete a certification attesting that they are eligible to vote. Corporate producers and eligible producers who reside outside of Kentucky may vote only in the county where their farm is located. Eligible producers may vote by absentee ballot. Votes will be tabulated in the agriculture commissioner's office in Frankfort. If approved, collection of check-off funds would be mandatory, but reimbursement of funds paid would be an option to the producer. For additional information, contact Jimmy Henning, assistant director for agriculture and natural resources in the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, at (859) 257-4302 or jimmy.henning@uky.edu, or Craig Maffet, Kentucky Department of Agriculture, at (502) 564-5126 or craig.maffet@ky.gov.

### Farm Service Agency deadlines approaching

Here are some important dates from the Farm Service Agency for Livingston and Crittenden County producers.

- Aug. 14** is the deadline to enroll in the Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program (DCCP).
- Aug. 14** is the deadline to elect and enroll in the "new" Average Crop Revenue Election (ACRE) Program.

Contact the county office to ensure you do not miss these important deadlines. The Salem Service Center near Tambco Convenience Center serves both Livingston and Crittenden counties. The phone number is 988-2180, ext. 2.

### Farmers can sign up for livestock loss program

Eligible ranchers and livestock producers can begin applying for benefits under the provisions of the Livestock Indemnity Program in the 2008 Farm Bill on July 13. "This program will provide livestock producers with a vital safety net to help them overcome the damaging financial impact of natural disasters," said Vilsack. The Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP) provides assistance to producers for livestock deaths that result from disaster. Using funds from the Agricultural Disaster Relief Trust Fund established under section 902 of the Trade Act of 1974, the program is administered by the USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA). LIP compensates livestock owners and contract growers for livestock death losses in excess of normal mortality due to adverse weather, including losses due to hurricanes, floods, blizzards, disease, wildfires, extreme heat and extreme cold. Eligible losses must have occurred on or after Jan. 1, 2008, and before Oct. 1, 2011. The following table provides the final dates to file a notice of loss and/or application for payment for either 2008 or 2009 livestock losses.

Date of Livestock Death	Final Date to File a Notice of Loss	Final Date to Submit an Application for Payment
Calendar Year 2008	Sept. 13, 2009	Sept. 13, 2009
Jan. 1, 2009 to July 12, 2009	Sept. 13, 2009	Jan. 30, 2010
July 13, 2009 to Dec. 31, 2009	30 days after death is apparent	Jan. 30, 2010

Specific provisions for the other supplemental agricultural disaster assistance programs authorized by the 2008 Act – the Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP), the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program (SURE), the Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honey Bees, and Farm-Raised Fish (ELAP) and the Tree Assistance Program (TAP) – will be implemented through separate rulemakings and announced at a later date. For more information on available supplemental disaster assistance programs, please visit your FSA county office or <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>.

### Union farmers qualify for federal assistance

Farmers in Union County are eligible for federal disaster assistance, including low interest emergency (EM) loans from USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) provided eligibility requirements are met. On July 2, President Obama declared six Illinois counties as disaster areas due to damages and losses caused by severe storms, tornadoes, and flooding that occurred from May 8, 2009, through May 9, 2009. As a result of the declaration, Union county in Kentucky was named as a contiguous county where eligible family farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance pursuant to Section 321(a) of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act. EM loan applications for physical and production losses will be received through March 2, 2010, and applications pending on that date may be processed and completed. Farmers interested in applying for assistance should contact their local FSA county office.

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# LIVESTOCK REPORTS

MARION & LIVINGSTON REPORTS WEEKLY BY KDOA-USDA MARKET NEWS

### MARION LIVESTOCK SALE

Monday, July 13, 2009. KDOA-USDA Market News. West Ky Livestock Market, Marion Auction (cattle weighed time of sale). Receipts: 311 head.

**Compared to last week:** Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter bulls steady. Feeder steers under 600 lbs steady to 3.00 lower, over 600 lbs steady to 3.00 higher. Feeder heifers 1.00 to 4.00 lower.

#### Slaughter cows:

Percent Lean	Weight	Price	Hi-Dress	Low-Dress
Breaker	75-80	1000-1460	45.00-49.50	50.00-51.00
Boner	80-85	1020-1190	43.00-48.00	
Lean	85-90	805-1140	41.00-43.00	48.00

#### Slaughter Bulls:

Y.G.	Weights	Carcass	Boning	Percent	Price
1	1780-2130	78-81			64.00-67.50
2	1195-1810	77-78			58.00-64.50

#### Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1-2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
5	426-490	439	100.00-105.00	103.88
85	501-594	579	95.50-107.00	104.53
11	607-678	638	100.00	100.00
14	708-740	710	88.00-97.75	97.02
7	800-810	804	92.50-94.00	93.28

Groups: 62 head 594 lbs 105.50 blks, thin, weaned with shots

#### Feeder Steers Medium and Large 2

Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price
1	390	390	103.00	103.00
1	535	535	92.00	92.00
1	690	690	71.00	71.00
2	815-870	842	81.00-87.00	84.10

#### Feeder Heifers Medium and Large 1-2

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Percent Lean	Weight	Price	High Dress	Low Dress
Breaker	75-80	1000-1870	43.50-48.50	52.00-57.00
Boner	80-85	910-1450	40.00-44.00	51.00
Lean	85-90	885-1170	35.00-40.00	29.00-34.00

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**for sale**

110 VOLT 5200 BTU Air Conditioner with window mounting. Used 3 times last year. Originally \$129.95. Will take \$75 obo. Phone 704-7229. (1t-3p)

15x30 ABOVE GROUND Pool for sale. 4 yrs old. If interested call 965-4225 after 5 p.m. (1t-3p)

5TH W CAMPER, 2006-28 ft-MFG by Keystone-model Springdale280 super slide-split bath-rear kitchen-queen bed, no pets, no smoke, good as new, phone 704-2512 or 965-4012. (1t-3p)

BOYS 20-INCH bicycle, \$20; men's 26-inch six-speed bicycle, \$40; women's 26-inch six-speed bicycle, \$40; two person Murray go-cart with overhead valves, 6.5 hp \$400. 965-2712. (2t-3p)

2 PC. QUEEN PILLOW/TOP Mattress set, New still in original wrapper. \$140 (Sacrifice) Call 270-854-5205. (tfc-db)

BRIGGS & STRATTON 5500-watt generator bought new this year - \$775. Call 704-0435. (tfnc)

**agriculture**

DISK MOWER Bushhog brand, 9 ft., \$4500. Round bales of hay, \$35. Call 704-0063. (2t-4-p)

8N FORD TRACTOR w/front end loader and bucket and blade, \$2000. Call 965-9276. (1t-3p)

HAY FOR SALE - Good quality square and round bales. Can deliver. Call Mike McConnell at 965-5752 or 704-0342. (3t-4-p)

17 BLACK BRED COWS \$775/head, 1 registered bull 3.5 years, \$1300, 4 black calves \$800 for all, 100 plus rolls hay \$35/roll, must take everything. Call 601-1881. (4t-3p)

91 CIH 1660, CUMMINGS Combine, 3231 hrs, AFX, 4WD, 20 ft, 1020 hd, 863 cm hd, head trailer, \$35,000, call 988-2325. (8t-5-p)

**real estate**

1997 CHAMPION HOME, 2 br, 2 bath, central h/a, newly remodeled with new appliances and 3 out-buildings, 149 Hickory Hills Ave. Call after 5 p.m. 704-0570 or 965-2906. (3t-5-p)

3 BR, 2.5 bath, full basement, 2 car garage, lots of kitchen cabinets, 360 Montevista Dr., Salem. Call 988-2170. (2t-4-p)

3 LARGE BEDROOMS, 2 1/2 baths, central heat and air, living room with gas fireplace, large kitchen, 2 1/2 car attached garage, 2,150 sq. ft. home on 13.85 acres plus one pond, metal shop building with electric and water, located 5 miles from Marion. 965-3316. Serious inquires only. (2t-3p)

202 Tanglewood Drive, approximately 2,400 sq. ft. home, 3 BR, 2 bath, 24x24 attached garage, brick exterior, 5 yr. old, ceramic tile floors, Amish-built cabinets, brick sidewalks and porches. \$259,000. Allen Lynn 965-5154. (4t-tfc-c) al 800

**for rent**

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2BR, 1 BATH HOUSE, \$400/mo. plus deposit. Call 703-4165. (2t-4-p)

HOUSE FOR RENT, 3 blocks from town, 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 sun rooms, 2 baths, 965-2537. Leave message. (2t-3p)

16x80 MOBILE HOME for rent, 2 BR 1 1/2 bath, located at 233 Sisco Cemetery Rd. Call 545-3888 or 988-4630. Will sell on land contract. (2t-3p)

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT - one bedroom, all utilities paid, call 704-2038. (tfc-c) rh 700

OFFICE BUILDING - 261 Sturgis Road in Marion. Call 664-6265 or 836-3298. (tfc-c) 700 fcf

KELLY BROOK APARTMENTS now has 1 bedroom fully accessi-

ble, Section 8 apartments available in Sturgis. Rent is based on income. Contact Kim McCallister at 333-4469 or 221 S. Holt Dr. Equal Housing Opportunity. (6-tfc-c)

CREEKSIDE APARTMENTS is now taking applications for 1, 2, and 3 bedroom apartments. Ideally located near pharmacy, grocery and restaurants. Laundry room on site. Maintenance done in a timely manner. (27-tfc-c) 800

**sports & rec**

2005 Baja Shifter 90cc Kids Go-Kart, 2 forward gears with reverse, 2 seater with seat belts that strap across the shoulders and lap. Was bought for my daughter when she was 6 a couple of years ago and has been ridden very little. \$775. 704-1552. (2t-p-3)

**animals**

ADOPTING A PET from Crittenden County's Animal Shelter gives an animal a second shot at life. Animals can now be seen online at [crittendenshelter.blogspot.com](http://crittendenshelter.blogspot.com). The shelter holds animals from Crittenden, Lyon and Livingston counties, so be sure to check with the shelter online or at 965-3376 for your lost or missing pet. (nc)

**services**

ROOFING, LANDSCAPING, Tree work, Call Sean Shuecraft at 243-0509. (2t-5-p)

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LOW SULFUR diesel, high sulfur diesel, hydraulic oils, gear oils, motor oils, anti-freeze and grease available at Liberty Fuels, 825 S. Main St., Marion, Ky. 965-4922. (39-tfc-c)650

RUBBISH REMOVAL, tear downs, cleanups, tree removal, loader and dump truck work, buildings cleaned out, driveways graded, bushhogging. 988-1958. (tfc-p)

**yard sale**

8 FAMILY YARD sale. Children's clothes boys and girls from 0-3 to size 7. Women's clothes from 4 to size 7. Men's clothes, highchair, car seat, bouncy seat and lots of home decor including a like new twin bed with mattress. 7290 US 641. Last house on right before entering into Caldwell County. (1t-3-c) jp 1000

YARD SALE - 440 E. Depot. King size bed, computer, tools. Thurs.-Fri., 8-3. 965-2773. (1t-3p)

INSIDE MOVING SALE - Thurs.-Sat., 8 a.m.-?, 6250 US 60 W, house and most all furnishings. TV's, washer and dryer, dinette set with hutch, bedroom suit, dishes, Home Interior, patio set, odd chairs, refrigerator, and a garage full for the men. Tools, mowers, 4 wheeler, welder, ladders, and fishing equipment. Lots of other items, but too many to list. Rain or shine. (1t-3p)

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., 230 E. Gum St., lots of stuff for everyone. Desk antique quilting frame. (1t-3p)

BABY BARGAINS & Big Buddies Back to School Sale - Public Sale, July 9, 8-6, July 10, 8-1, July 16, 8:00-??. Location: 1 mile down Lilly Dale Road (across from Basic Bike) between Mexico and Crayne off 641. (2t-3-c)

YARD SALE - 705 Chadd St. men, women, and kid clothes, tv and stand, stroller with car seat attached, toys, and lots of other misc. items. Fri-Sat., 8 a.m.-?, (1t-3p)

MOVING SALE - Thurs.-Sat., 6 a.m.-noon, 206 Shady Lane. Entertainment center, tv's, children's clothes, toys, infant clothes, comforters, PS2 and games, many more items. All offers considered. (1t-3p)

YARD SALE - 310 Drake St., Saturday, 8 a.m., shredder, wheel barrow, tools, house whole, nice Christmas tree, lights, elec. balls, ect., moving? 4 or 5 movers blankets. (1t-3p)

HUGE FAMILY Yard Sale - 606 Howerton Road, Marion, Thurs.-Sat., 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Keyboard, camper top, rocking chairs, clothes, books, toys, small couch, hospital beds, lots of other items. (1t-3p)

YARD SALE - 420 Sturgis Road, big men's clothes, ladies clothes, misc. items, 8 a.m.-?, Saturday, no sale if rain. (1t-3p)

GARAGE SALE - 209 Summit Drive, Saturday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., motorcycle parts, hunting and sports items, clothes, and kitchen items. (1t-3p)

GARAGE SALE - Saturday only, 8 a.m., 1163 SR 135, 1 mile off 91 N. Hunting items, antiques, student violin, tire rims, microwave

and misc items. Rain or shine. (1t-3-p)

**employment**

RIVER'S BEND has an opening for an RN night nurse from 2 p.m. to 10 a.m. M-F. Contact Kim Shoulders at 388-2868, ext. 12 or apply within at 300 Beech St., Kut-tawa, KY. (2t-3-c) 800

**notices**

**NOTICE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY**  
The City of Marion is accepting sealed bids until 2 p.m., Friday, July 17, 2009, for the following items:

- 1990 C1500 Chevrolet Pickup Truck
- 1194 S10 Chevrolet Pickup Truck
- Three (3) Dell Computer Monitors
- 103-ft. x 224-ft. Vacant Lot on Travis Street, directly across from the intersection of Lewis Street & Travis Street

All bids must be place in a sealed envelope and addressed as follows: City Administrator' Office, ATTN: Sealed Bids, 217 South Main Street, Marion, KY 42064.

To view any of these items, contact the City Administrator's office at 965-2266.

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals for constructing seal coat and pavement markings at the Marion-Crittenden County Airport in Marion, Kentucky will be received by James Johnson, Board Chairman, Marion-Crittenden County Airport Board, 291 Airport Rd., Marion, KY 42064 until 2:00 p.m. local time on July 23th, 2009. Bids received after this time will not be accepted and will be returned unopened.

At this time, all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud for the following development:

Airfield Pavement Seal Coat and Pavement Markings  
Envelopes containing proposals shall be addressed and identified as follows:

PROPOSAL: MARION-CRITTENDEN COUNTY AIRPORT AIRFIELD PAVEMENT SEAL COAT AND MARKINGS. CONFIDENTIAL (DO NOT OPEN)

To: James Johnson, Board Chairman, Marion-Crittenden County Airport Board, 291 Airport Rd., Marion, Kentucky 42064

Proposals for the Construction of the Project are to be opened at the Marion-Crittenden County Airport at 2:00 p.m., local time on July 23th, 2009. Proposals may be hand delivered to the Chairman at the airport terminal building immediately prior to the Bid Opening.

Plans may be obtained from ENTRAN, 565 Marriott Drive, Suite 280, Nashville, TN 37214 upon payment of \$50, a non-refundable deposit. Direct telephone line: (615-238-2730) – Attn: Chad Smith or Bill Stout.

Each sealed proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or satisfactory bid bond, in a sum that is not less than five (5) percent of the aggregate amount of bid, payable to the Marion-Crittenden County Airport Board.

The successful bidder will be required to execute Contract and to provide Contract Surety in an amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the bid amount for performance, and a bond in the amount equal to one hundred (100) percent of the bid amount guaranteeing the payment of all labor, materials, and etc.

Rights to waive any formality in any proposed guaranty, to reject any and all bids, and to negotiate with the apparent low bidder to such extent as may be necessary, are reserved.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of ninety (90) calendar days after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids.

The following provisions apply to this contract:

Buy American Preferences (Title 49 United States Code, CHAPTER 501).

Foreign Trade Restriction: Denial of Public Works Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Procurement Market Access to U.S. Contractors (DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 30).

Davis Bacon Act (DOL Regulation 29 CFR Part 5).

Affirmative Action to Ensure Equal Employment Opportunity (Executive Order 11246 and DOL Regulation 41 CFR PART 60).

Government Debarment and Suspension and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-free Workplace (DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 29).

**NOTICE**  
The Crittenden County Board of Education is soliciting bids for

**Randy's Plumbing**  
Drain Cleaning • Backhoe Work  
Water Heater Replacement  
Sewer Waterline Repair & Replacement  
**Randy Wooley**  
969-8152 mp-5857

**BUSH HOGGING**  
  
Call Mike McConnell  
965-5752 or 704-0342

surplus vehicles: 1977 Chevy Pickup, 1988 Chevy Van, 1994 Chevy Astro. For more information contact Tony Beard, 965.3866. Bid sheets may be picked up at the Board Office, please ask for Brent Highfil. All bids must be received by 12:00 PM CST at the Board Office 601 West Elm, Marion KY 42064 on July 24, 2009, attention Brent Highfil.

**NOTICE**  
The Crittenden County Board of Education is soliciting bids for a "Wireless WAN". For more information contact Ben Grainger, 965-2248. Bids must be received by 12:00 PM CST at the Board Office 601 West Elm, Marion KY 42064 on July 24, 2009, attention Brent Highfil.

**NOTICE OF PASSAGE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE**  
ORDINANCE NO. 09-05: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE No. 01-23, ZONING MAP AMENDMENT

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Marion, Kentucky, at its special meeting held on June 26, 2009 at 12:00 o'clock p.m., gave second reading and passed and adopted an Ordinance relating to the Marion Code of Ordinances, which Ordinance had been given its first reading at its regular meeting of the City Council held on June 15, 2005, at 6:00 o'clock p.m.. A summary of the Ordinance is as follows:

This Ordinance amends Ordinance No. 01-23 such that the property located at 231 Jarvis Street is amended from R-3 Single Family Through Multi-Family Residential District to R-3 Residential/Mobile Home Overlay.

The full text of the Ordinance is on file in the Office of the City Clerk in the City Building, Marion, Kentucky, where it is available for public inspection.

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Commonwealth of Kentucky  
Crittenden Circuit Court  
**Case No. 08-CI-00180**

Chase Home Finance LLC *plaintiff*  
vs.  
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Maranda Robinson,  
Unknown Defendant, spouse of  
Maranda S. Robinson  
A/K/A Maranda Robinson  
County of Crittenden  
City of Marion *defendants*

**RE-NOTICE OF SALE**  
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the Crittenden Circuit Court on March 12, 2009 and again on June 11, 2009, I will on Friday, July 31, 2009 at the hour of 09:00 a.m., prevailing time, at the Courthouse door in the City of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, the real estate (hereinafter described and all the right, title, and interest of the parties hereto, to-wit:)

Parcel No: 070-40-11-007.00  
Address: 520 E. Depot St.

**Legal Description**  
Exhibit "A": A certain lot or parcel of land in R. W. Wilson's Addition to the town of Marion, Kentucky, lying east of the I.C. Railroad and on the South side of Depot Street and known as lot # 4 in said Addition.

Said lot being 70 feet front and running back South 200 Feet.

Being the same property conveyed to Maranda S. Robinson, no marital status given, from William R. Polk and his wife, Barbara Polk, by Deed dated July 22, 2005, recorded on July 25, 2005 in Deed Book 202, Page 444 of the Clerk's Records in Crittenden County, Kentucky.

The description provided herein was provided by the parties and is contained in the Judgment and Order of Sale.

1. The Master Commissioner will sell same at public auction to the highest and best bidder at the Courthouse door for cash or a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days. The successful bidder shall be required to give a bond with good surety for the unpaid purchase price with said bond bearing interest at 12 % per annum from the date of the sale.

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chase price with said bond bearing interest at 12 % per annum from the date of the sale.

In the event Plaintiff is the successful purchaser, Plaintiff shall be entitled to a credit of its judgment against the purchase price and shall only be obliged to pay the Court costs, fees and costs of the Master Commissioner and any delinquent real estate taxes payable pursuant to the Order of Sale.

2. The Purchaser shall be required to assume and pay any ad valorem taxes and all taxes assessed against said property by any City, State, County or any school district which are due and payable at any time during the year 2009 or thereafter. Said sale shall be made subject to: all easements, covenants and restrictions of record; assessments for public improvements; and any facts which an inspection and accurate survey may disclose. Said property shall be sold with the improvements thereon as is.

3. The purpose of this sale is the satisfaction of a Judgment originally entered on March 12, 2009 and again on June 11, 2009on behalf of the Plaintiff against the Defendants in the amount of \$36,412.74 plus \$6.06 per diem , taxes, attorney's fees and for Court costs expended herein.

Dated this the 10th July, 2009.  
Alan C. Stout,  
Master Commissioner,  
Crittenden Circuit Court  
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THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO INFORM THAT KENTUCKY DATA LINK, INC. A RECOGNIZED PUBLIC UTILITY IN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY IS PROPOSING TO BUILD A FIBER OPTIC LINE, ON EXISTING POWER AND TELEPHONE POLES AS WELL AS UNDERGROUND, ON AND ALONG STATE HWY 60 AND CUTOFF RD. THE PURPOSE OF THIS FIBER IS TO PROVIDE CONNECTIVITY TO THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT. REPRESENTATIVES OF KENTUCKY DATA LINK WILL BE CONTACTING PROPERTY OWNERS, ALONG THESE ROUTES IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS, TO ADVISE THEM OF THIS PROJECT. ANY CONCERNS OR COMMENTS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO EITHER JESSE CHAPMAN (812) 759-7955 OR RICK CUNICO (618) 648-2420.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**CRITTENDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY STATEMENT**  
Students, their parents, employees and potential employees of the Crittenden County Schools are hereby notified that the Crittenden County School System does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex or disability in employment programs, vocational programs or activities set forth in compliance with the Office of Civil Rights, Title VI, VII, Title IX, ADA and Section 504. The Crittenden County School System offers the following vocational education programs for students in grades 9-12: Agriculture, Consumer/Family Science and Business. Vocation school classes are available to students in grades 9-12. Adult education classes are offered to individuals pursuing a GED certificate. Adult programs are offered periodically based upon the demand for specific classes. Any person having inquiries concerning Crittenden County Schools compliance with the Office of Civil Rights Law, Title VI, Title VII, Title IX, ADA and Section 504 is directed to contact Karen Nasserri, Crittenden County Board of Education, P.O. Box 362, 602 West Elm St., Marion, KY 42064-0362. Phone Number: 270-965-3525 or email: [karen.nasserri@crittenden.kyschools.us](mailto:karen.nasserri@crittenden.kyschools.us) Or Title IX Coordinator, Al Starnes at 270-965-3525 or [al.starnes@crittenden.kyschools.us](mailto:al.starnes@crittenden.kyschools.us)  
  
Authorized for Release By:  
Dr. Rachel Yarbrough, Superintendent  
2009-10 School Year



# FAIR

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tucky Destruction, the organization that heads up mower derbies across Kentucky and other states, was born out of finding new and more feasible ways to compete in derbies. And it has done even more.

"It has escalated into something awesome," the 26-year-old said.

It's not as brutal as it might seem. Wallace said a list of safety equipment and rules have so far prevented anyone from leaving a mower demolition derby injured.

And, whether it's an Statesman, Murray, Husqvarna or even Craftsman prospective participants have been calling about, Wallace said the response for this year's debut at the Crittenden County Fair has been overwhelming.

"My phone has been ringing off the hook with questions," he said Monday.

Jared Belt, a Lions Club member and regular organizer of the county fair, said most people seem to be excited about the new event.

"Everybody likes something different," he said. "I do."

Belt said a new truck heat in the derby was a big hit two years ago. After a year's absence, he said there is enough interest to again this year have another round of trucks getting their licks in on one another.

Mud bogs on July 31 will be another new event at this year's fair. The event will be modeled from the monthly mud bog meet John Carter of Union County has at his farm in Sullivan. In fact, Carter is in charge of putting on the Friday night event at the fair.

Carter said mudding enthusiasts from those who want to show off their stock four-by-fours to those who spend thousands on custom mudders are welcome to participate. Like the cost to compete in the mower demolition, the entry fee for custom trucks is only \$10. Modified trucks require a \$25 fee to compete.

Carter can be reached at 704-2224 for more information on the mud bogs.

Wallace and his mower-crashing organization can be found online at Kentucky Destruction.com or by calling 625-4023.

# PARK

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boats or vehicles left unattended or in violation of the park's rental policy will be fined \$25 per day.

Campers interested in using one of the sites where utilities are offered must pay in advance and complete a campsite rental form available at the park. A kiosk near the restrooms will have forms and information regarding the payment process. The self-serve rental process includes a receipt which must be displayed in the window of the camper or a vehicle on the campsite. Each of the seven pay campsites are restricted to no more than one camper or two tents.

# Beating the heat



**Bryce Willis, 15, and Jayden Willis, 11, enjoyed some horseplay in the pool at Marion Country Club last Thursday as temperatures soared into the 90s. The brothers were among several folks taking advantage of the club's public day. The pool is open to anyone on Tuesdays and Thursdays.**

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# BANK

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and a good shareholder base. My plan is to continue moving forward with the intention of serving our customers and our community the best we can."

Farmers Bank, with almost 50 employees, is one of the community's largest private employers. Outside of the manufacturing sector, it has more employees than any other private entity.

Among the greatest chal-

lenges for Farmers and other community banks, Berry says, is continuing to meet federal regulatory requirements. In the face of increasing government scrutiny because of mismanagement at some larger banks and mortgage companies, community banking is getting tougher and tougher, he explained.

"We have not been part of the economic crisis, but we seem to get painted with the same broad brush," Berry added. "Sure there are challenges ahead, but Farmers Bank is

adequately positioned and well prepared to meet them."

During Hardin's leadership, Farmers Bank has expanded onto the Internet, built two branches and increased its assets to \$135 million. Both he and Berry stress the positive impact its expansion into Livingston County has had on the bank. Farmers opened a branch in Salem in 2003.

After 35 years in banking, Hardin says he's ready to start winding down and says Berry, with 18 years banking experi-

# GAS

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tail fuel sales have triggered the end to Tabor's gas pumps.

"There is no way we can continue to pump gas and survive," Scott Tabor continued. "Businesses have to adjust in order to remain viable, so we're going to stop selling gasoline. There have been times we've paid more for it wholesale than what we charged at the pump. You just can't keep doing that."

When the pumps run dry later this week, Tabor's will continue to offer its other services, including wrecker, tire sales and repair, mechanic work and oil changes. He projects that those sales will increase as his staff starts concentrating on such offerings.

Tabor's Chevron has been on the same street corner since 1967. It started out with Jimmy Tabor and his brother-in-law, Tom Teer, running the business, but Doug Tabor, Jimmy's younger brother, later joined the business. Now, it's just Scott Tabor, his wife, who works part-time doing the books, and three full-time employees, Joe Frazer, Kenneth Guess and Zac Conditt.

"And I guess dad if you count him as part-time," said Scott.

Jimmy admits he had rather be home taking care of his wife Betty's honey-do list, but he still gets summoned at times, like the wrecker call in the middle of the night last weekend.

"The wrecker business helped keep us going when things were slow," Jimmy said.

When the Tabor family first entered the service station business, there were more than a

dozen similar businesses in Marion and others sprinkled throughout the area from Mattoon to Dycusburg and Shady Grove to Salem.

"There has been a gas station on this corner ever since I was a kid," said Jimmy, who turns 75 later this year. "This was the Standard station, over there where the auto parts store is was the Sinclair station, the Shell station was on that corner where the Pantry was and Gulf was over there where Randall's Repair was located."

What's ironic is that more traffic passes through the same intersection today than it did 40 years ago, but fewer cars are stopping to buy gas. The convenience stores – with more pumps, easier access and a variety of drinks and food – have harvested all of the customers, the Tabor's say.

Fuel was 32 cents a gallon when the Tabor's started, now it's about \$2.50 and was at \$4 a year ago.

"The timing is right to get out," said Scott Tabor. "Our volume has continued to drop and drop. Some weeks we were pumping 200 or 300 gallons and sometimes not even that much."

A few years ago, the station was pumping three times that amount each day.

"There are so many new regulations and rules that we were going to have to change everything out and put in a new system with new tanks," Scott continued. "There is no way that we could ever recoup our expenses."

The underground fuel tanks will be removed in August and after a soil sample is taken and approved, there will be no island for the pumps, leaving an open lot. That, said Scott Tabor, will improve his other business.

He will start offering on-demand oil changes while customers wait in the lobby. The more traditional appointment for service will continue to be accepted as well, he said.

When the final drop of gasoline leaves his pumps this week, Marion will settle for just three fueling stations. Liberty Fuels on the south end of town and Ideal on the north end are independent stations. Five Star Food Mart in downtown, will be the lone dealer of branded fuel, selling Marathon gas.

# Community

# Health Fair

## Friday, July 24<sup>th</sup>

### 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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