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NEWS

RELAY FOR LIFE FRIDAY; WEATHER MAY MOVE

Crittenden County Relay for Life starts at 6 p.m. Friday at Marion-Crittenden County Park, with line-up for the survivors' lap starting at 5:30 p.m. The fundraising event for the American Cancer Society, held locally for the 23rd year, is scheduled to run until midnight. At press time, the forecast was calling for showers and storms all day Friday. In the event of rain, Relay will take place at Rocket Arena. An announcement will be made by noon Friday at Facebook.com/rflcrittendenco.

HURRICANE CAMP MEETING NEXT WEEK

The 131th Hurricane Camp Meeting starts next week with



Cunningham

Kory Cunningham, an associate pastor at Hardin Baptist Church near Murray, serving as pastor for the nightly services. The meetings, which coincide with the youth camp onsite, also feature a meal prior to a non-denominational service and special music, running from Monday through Sunday, June 9. (See ad on Page 16 for a complete schedule.)

Outdoor services at the tabernacle start at 7 nightly at the historic campground on Hurricane Church Road off Ky. 135. The full-course meal begins at 5:30 p.m.

HOGROCK STARTS NEXT WEEK IN SOUTHERN ILL.

HogRock, an annual motorcycle rally just across the Ohio River in southern Illinois, starts next Thursday and runs through Sunday, June 16. The adult-only event typically draws thousands of enthusiasts to the area. Residents of Crittenden County and users of the Cave In Rock Ferry will notice a significant increase in motorcycle traffic next week. Ferry crossing of the river can be delayed significantly due to much heavier-than-normal usage.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

- **Crittenden County Board of Education** will meet at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday at Rocket Arena.
- **Crittenden Fiscal Court** will meet at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, June 13 at the courthouse for a working session. Discussion of a millage tax proposal for the conservation district, the rescue squad's request for a new truck and bids for banking services will be on the agenda. No action will be taken.

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Unique paths taken by two seniors to graduation They did it their way

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By ALEXA BLACK
STAFF WRITER

Moving away from home is considered a milestone in a person's life, one cementing the steps out of childhood and into a self-sufficient, independent lifestyle as an adult. While statistically most make this transition in their early to late 20s, there are some who take the plunge at an early age, not even out of high school.



Wolosonowich

Two graduating members of Crittenden County High School Class of 2019, Charity Wolosonowich and Chiann Little, have done exactly that. Having both come from homes headed by single mothers, the teens developed hard-working attitudes



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Chiann Little (right) was one of two Crittenden County High School graduates to overcome the odds, completing their compulsory education while working and maintaining a household. Charity Wolosonowich was other.

and mantras, crediting their mothers for giving them incentive at an early age. Both feel Crittenden County Schools also did its part in getting them ready for the challenges of adulthood.

"I was excited about getting out on my own, but it has taken a lot of hard work and motivation," Wolosonowich said. "Money management was

always the hardest thing, and I think that it is for many in my situation, but I prepared."

Overcoming the financial and emotional hardships that can come with moving out of a parents' home takes perseverance and strategy that most teens have yet to cultivate. But Wolosonowich learned the

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Council OKs \$8M budget

STAFF REPORT

Marion City Council last Thursday approved an \$8.04 million 2019-20 budget that maintains all the services to which city residents have become accustomed while trimming allocations to two local feeding programs and bypassing raises for employees yet another year.

The spending plan will be funded by a slight increase in property tax rates and includes \$5 million in loan proceeds to address mandated upgrades to the city's wastewater collection system. No revenue from

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State tests show city's water safe to consume

STAFF REPORT

The City of Marion appears to be past the worst of its water problems.

On Tuesday, City Administrator Adam Ledford said the number of complaints about a persistent foul taste and odor had dropped to one or two per day from 55 registered a week prior on May 28. On the following day, two official complaints about the quality of water were registered with the Kentucky Division of Water.

"We seem to now be chasing small pockets of issues," Ledford said. "We'll mark where (the problems) are and flush those areas to alleviate anything that might be a concern for those people."

ple."

This follows a system-wide flushing of all lines and the city's water tanks. The city is also considering another system-wide flush and inspecting its clear well, the last step in the treatment process for water drawn from Lake George, the city's reservoir.

Clear wells are used to store filtered water of sufficient capacity to prevent the need to vary the filtration rate with variations in demand. Clear wells are also used to provide chlorine contact time for disinfection. Ledford said the city's clear well is typically cleaned

every three years.

After last week's complaints, investigators from the Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet were dispatched to Marion, where water tests were conducted. Robin Hartman, spokesperson for the cabinet, said Marion's water is safe to drink based on tests done

last Wednesday.

The complaints, Hartman said, were that the water was dark in color and smelled of chlorine.

"It seems to be fine from our testing," Hartman explained. "Our testing found

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Fohs Hall takes steps to end parking issues

STAFF REPORT

Parking issues tied to events at Fohs Hall have been made less likely with the acquisition of an adjacent lot by the namesake group that owns the community center.

Fohs Hall Inc., the non-profit organization charged with the upkeep and management of the 93-year-old landmark building, has purchased a 60-foot by 105-foot empty lot on North College Street from Jared and Amy Byford. The 0.15 acres adjoin the back of the Fohs Hall property where a paved parking lot exists.

"Fohs Hall wants to be a

good neighbor," said Alan Stout, president of Fohs Hall Inc. "As the size of some of the events at Fohs Hall have grown, Fohs Hall (Inc.) is trying to be proactive in dealing with some of the parking problems, and this will provide some additional parking."

At a March 16 bluegrass and country music variety show, overcrowding and parking was an issue brought before Marion City Council. City resident Ric Carder, who owns neighboring property, complained that event-goers often park on his

property during performances when the parking lot at Fohs Hall is filled. He also noted illegal curbside parking along North Walker Street that made the road impassable for emergency and most any other vehicles.

Since that time, the City of Marion has painted curbs along North Walker and North College streets indicating areas where curbside parking is prohibited.

Stout said the vacant grass lot will remain empty and can be utilized as overflow parking for events at Fohs Hall. After

business hours, the neighboring Ben E. Clement Mineral Museum and Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center on North Walker Street across from Fohs Hall have granted parking on their properties.

Fohs Hall Inc. paid the Byfords \$2,000 for the lot that lies at the rear of their North Walker Street residence. Crittenden County PVA's tax roll values the property at \$5,500.

"The Fohs Hall Board of Directors would like to express its appreciation to Jared and Amy in making this lot available to Fohs Hall," Stout said.

Jared Byford is the city's mayor.



Stout

Library adds week to checkout period

STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County Public Library Board of Trustees has revised the circulation policy of the facility to include several new features that should help make it easier to borrow materials.

Among the new changes are a three-week loan period for print books and CD audio books checked out at CCPL. This change from a longstanding two-week period aligns with the checkout period in Libby, the library eBook platform. Because of busy schedules, the borrowing habits of library patrons has changed over the years and patrons have indicated they need longer to finish books before they must be returned. The checkout period for videos and magazines remains at one week, or seven days.

Another new policy at CCPL allows students in

Crittenden County Schools to obtain a limited use student card without a parent's signature.

"In looking at user statistics and hearing from students that hang out in the library in the summer months, we identified that it has become a barrier for children in our school district to get books if their parent or guardian has an overdue fine that blocks access," said Library Director Brandie Ledford. "Many of these fines are due to overdue movies or lost books. In addition, some students may not have transportation to and from the library."

"By allowing students to show their school ID card, they now have access to check out one print book at a time for three weeks with one renewal with no fines for late returns."

Another part of the

student card program is a partnership formed with the local elementary school. Now, students can request CCPL books from Mary Ann Winders, the school librarian, and the bookmobile librarian will deliver and pick them up on a weekly basis.

"We are really excited to have formed this partnership. Parents really like being able to bring all of their borrowed books back to one central location at the school in their child's backpack. We plan to expand this service to the middle and high school in the coming school year," indicated Ledford, who has been working with the middle school's new English language arts teacher Derrick Ford about this future project.

Another policy change includes a benefit for

guests staying with relatives this summer. Guest cards will now be issued to visitors passing through but not staying longer than three months. In the past, visitors could check out on a relative's library card, but now they have the same circulation policy as the new student card with one checkout at a time, one renewal and up to three holds.

With the addition of the new library catalog, cardholders now have the option to log into their account to place holds and renew books themselves. The library catalog can be found at crittendenlibrary.biblionix.com.

A Universe of Stories, the library summer reading program has recently begun and registration is still open until June 30 for the adult and teen programs.



Ledford

\$600,000 comes to Livingston for road resurfacing

STAFF REPORT

Livingston County will be receiving more than \$600,000 from Frankfort for nearly 8.5 miles of resurfacing on seven roads.

The announcement of \$601,686 in discretionary funds was made by a representative of the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KyTC) Department of Rural and Municipal Aid last week at the May meeting of Livingston Fiscal Court. Resurfacing repairs will address existing surface cracks, potholes, raveling and base failures.

"These funds will help us address much needed road improvements in our county and will provide

residents with the safer and more mobile roads they deserve," said Livingston County Judge-Executive Garret Gruber. "Our appreciation cannot be understated."

Resurfacing work will address:

- Bloodworth Road from its origin to mile-point 0.76.
- Holland Road from its origin to mile-point 0.88.
- Willow Pond Drive from its origin to mile-point 0.145.
- Scotts Chapel Road from mile-point 1.26 to 1.639.
- Colin Road from its origin to mile-point 0.511.
- Brummite Road from its origin to mile-point

0.284.

- Lola Road/Ky. 133 from mile-point 3.834 to 9.20.

Projects submitted to the Department of Rural and Municipal Aid for discretionary fund consideration were evaluated by the KyTC district staff to assess the condition of roads and determine the most critical needs based on factors such as safety, economic impact and traffic volumes.

Sen. Robby Mills, R-Henderson, noted the benefits these improvements will have upon the community.

"These resurfacing projects will go a long way toward enhancing roadway safety in this region,"

said Mills. "Communities develop with the help of good infrastructure, and I'm thankful for the Governor's investment in our community."

Rep. Lynn Bechler also emphasized the importance of the work.

"Discretionary funding is a critical part of addressing safety and mobility on our roads," said Bechler. "This investment in Livingston County is enormously important, and I want to thank Gov. Bevin for his commitment to local transportation issues."

Livingston Fiscal Court is responsible for administering the work, and KyTC will reimburse the county for the projects.

BUDGET

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taxes on alcohol sales was budgeted despite the referendum allowing sales having been approved by city voters last month.

With no way to accurately estimate what that revenue might be in the coming fiscal year, though \$80,000 has been cited as potential gains in a full year, City Administrator Adam Ledford said it is easier to adjust the budget to account for the new monies later.

Approved 4-2, the budget cycle begins July 1 and runs through June 30, 2020. Councilmen Don Arflack and Darrin Tabor opposed both the overall spending plan and pay plan for city employees.

Tabor's chief complaint appeared to be money budgeted for the vacant utilities director position. Arflack objected to the city's continued \$10,000 allocation to Marion-Crittenden County Airport

Board. Ledford said the money for the coming year is the city's contribution toward the local match for a federal grant to build additional hangars. Crittenden Fiscal Court has proposed sending \$3,500 in cash to the airport while keeping the facility mowed at no cost to the board.

Other customary allocations were reduced or cut out completely. For the second consecutive year, Crittenden County Coalition for a Drug-Free Community will receive nothing. After a \$7,500 contribution to Marion Main Street Inc. was cut in half when the current budget was approved last spring, the council removed all monies for 2019-20. And Crittenden County Food Bank and Crittenden County Senior

Citizens Center's home-delivered meals program were sliced down to only \$600 each from \$2,400 and \$1,200 in the current year, respectively.

Just two years ago, the city appropriated a combined \$16,200 to the food bank, senior center and drug-free coalition.

Ledford has budgeted \$297,500 in general fund revenue from property taxes, which includes a 2 percent revenue bump that will come from a tax rate increase and new revenue from Crittenden Community Hospital, which is now privately owned. Crittenden County PVA's assessment of the property is \$5 million.

The city's largest revenue line item is \$428,000 from its payroll tax on people working in Marion.

Paducah man hurt in Burna auto accident

STAFF REPORT

A Paducah man was injured late Monday night in a single-vehicle collision near Burna.

According to Kentucky State Police, Ryan Green, 35, was eastbound on Ky. 135 in 2018 BMW M5 when he failed to negotiate a turn and ran off the right side of the roadway around 11:30 p.m. Monday. The vehicle caught fire, but Green was able to free himself from the vehicle.

He was transported by Air Evac Lifeteam to Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville, Tenn., for his injuries. Speed is believed to be a factor in the collision, per the police report.

WATER

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it to be odorless and colorless.

Ledford said the city tests every day for anything hazardous that may appear in the potable water supply. Additional tests have been conducted, he said, including one from an independent lab for non-hazardous contaminants that may be tainting the water.

"They came back negative," Ledford said.

At press time, the city was still waiting on results of an additional test for water quality.

City officials have maintained that its drinking water has been safe, yet have also acknowledged the existence of issues with smell and taste. The city has also acknowledged that the problem has caused inconveniences throughout the city, particularly with commercial operations such as restaurants.

Ledford asks water customers who continue to experience a problem with the water to contact city hall at (270) 965-2266.

"Unless people make us aware, we don't know where else we may have problems," he said.

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Continuous CRP signups reopened

STAFF REPORT

USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) is now accepting applications for certain practices under the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) continuous signup and will offer extensions for expiring CRP contracts. The 2018 Farm Bill reauthorized CRP, one of the country's largest conservation programs.

FSA stopped accepting applications last fall for the CRP continuous signup when 2014 Farm Bill authority expired. Since passage of the 2018 Farm Bill last December, Fordyce said FSA has carefully analyzed the language and determined that a limited signup prioritizing water-quality practices furthers conservation goals and makes sense for producers as FSA works to fully implement the program.

This year's signup will include such practices as grassed waterways, filter strips, riparian buffers, wetland restoration and others.

Continuous signup enrollment contracts are 10-15 years in duration. Soil rental rates will be set at 90 percent of the existing rates. Incentive payments will not be offered for these contracts.

Fordyce said FSA plans to open a CRP general signup in December 2019 and a CRP Grasslands signup later.

A one-year extension will be offered to existing CRP participants who have expiring CRP contracts of 14 years or less. Producers eligible for an extension will receive a letter describing their options.

Alternatively, producers with expiring contracts may have the option to enroll in the Transition Incentives Program, which provides two additional annual rental payments on the condition the land is sold or rented to a beginning farmer or rancher or a member of a socially disadvantaged group.

For information on the CRP program and signups, contact the Salem FSA Service Center at (270) 988-2180. The center is located on U.S. 60 just west of Salem.

AREA DEATHS

Blair

Virginia Blair, 101 of Fredonia died Thursday, May 23, 2019, at her home.

She was a former housekeeper for the president of Michigan State University and member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Earlington.

Blair is survived by a granddaughter, Angela Blair of Fredonia; two daughters, Adell Christian and Sarah Reed, both of Lansing, Mich.; a son, Gregory (Cartis) Blair of Lansing; 24 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; 10 great-great-grandchildren; and one great-great-great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jesse Henry Blair; her father, Henry Asher; her mother, Lucy O'Hara Wilson; a stepfather, Jim (Suge)Wilson; three sisters, Leola Darden, Georgia Tracy and Katie Mae Sleet; a daughter, Vassie Clark; two brothers, Solomon Asher and Charles Asher; two grandsons, Steve Larkins and Charles Larkins; a great-grandson, Shawn Stiles Reed; and a son-in-law, Chris Christian.

Funeral services were Saturday, June 1, 2019 at Morgan's Funeral Home with Pastor Alfred Reed officiating. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery in Princeton.

Maher

Dennis Martin Maher, 62, of Marion died Sunday, May 19, 2019, at Baptist Health Paducah after a long battle with cancer.

He was born July 23, 1956, in Springfield, Ill., and was raised in Waverly, Ill., where he managed Waverly IGA for 20 years. He worked at Green Toyota in Springfield for several years.

Maher is survived by a son, Justin (Robyn) Maher; a daughter, Vanessa Maher, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; a sister, Theresa Snell of Virden, Ill.; his mother, Helen Maher of Waverly; a granddaughter; two nieces; and two nephews. He was also survived by special friends Tim and Barb Campbell of Salem, who helped care for him in his fight against cancer.

He was preceded in death by his father, William Maher; an infant sister, Regina Maher; and a brother-in-law, Maury Snell.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A private service will be held at a later date for family members. Donations can be made to the American Cancer Society in Maher's name.

Arrangements were under the direction of Boyd Funeral Directors and Cremation Services in Salem.



Blair



Maher

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Brown has extensive experience in diabetes education, women's health and pediatrics after working eight years at Four Rivers Internal Medicine in Paducah and more recently at Fast Pace in Princeton.

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School's Out!

2019 GRADUATION AND END-OF-SCHOOL EDITION

■ CRITTENDEN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Crittenden students future-ready

By VINCE CLARK
SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT

None of us is as strong as all of us!

As we graduated 79 outstanding students, I reflected on the importance of family, community and school in working together to get our young people "future-ready."

The Class of 2019 has certainly left their mark on our school and community. It's been a great school year, and I'm so proud of all our stu-

dents. From their growth on iReady and leadership opportunities to the district titles, regional and state appearances for extra- and co-curricular events, our students demonstrate they can compete with others across the Commonwealth when given the opportunity.

I am especially proud of our staff, who are connected to our students, leading them into the 21st century. It is



Clark

clear, from our learning defenses for fifth and eighth grade, along with our senior exit interviews, that our students are developing communication, collaboration, critical thinking and problem-solving skills that are essential for career and college readiness.

As our 2019 #RocketResilience school year closes out, I'm reminded of the importance of grit and courage

in moving forward. I think about our first-ever Madisonville Community College Senior Academy student, the development of a comprehensive district literacy plan through the Striving Readers Grant, the Gear Up And Soar Grant that will provide a computer science curriculum for grades 1-8 and the learning opportunities that will spin off that technology pathway in high school. I'm reminded of the obstacles that we've over-

come to provide free breakfast and lunch, universal preschool, dual credit courses, school nurses and a school resource officer.

I am thankful for a community that partners with our school district to help us grow and graduate students who are good citizens. I hope everyone has a great summer, and I encourage everyone to take time to read to a child this summer to keep learning fresh and minimize the summer slide.



Crittenden County High School graduated 79 seniors May 24 at commencement for the Class of 2019. At top, Preston Tinsley (left) and Zach Claybrooke head a line of graduates as they prepare for graduation inside the high school library. Above, Ashley Wheeler and Devon Nesbitt await the final walk as Crittenden County students from the high school to Rocket Arena, where commencement ceremonies were held.

■ CCHS

CCHS students making name in community

By AMANDA IRVAN
CCHS PRINCIPAL

It is hard to believe that another school year has come and gone. From academics to athletics and everywhere in between, Crittenden County Rockets have made their mark on our community and throughout the state.

CCHS students traversed the state for FBLA, FCCLA and FFA, with Hannah Bell and Sydney Coomes holding state offices in their respective clubs. The hard work of students and sponsors has led to students earning offices for the upcoming year as well, with Shelby Brown and Kirsten DeBoe representing CCHS, respectively. Ellie McGowan is the next FFA Regional President and is headed to Washington, D.C., this summer for the Washington Leadership Conference, winning a scholarship through National FFA.

CCHS athletics continue to appear on the regional map with volleyball, football, boys basketball, cross country, golf and track making strong regional showings, with several students making state qualifying appearances, including Lauren Gilchrist, who placed eighth at the state golf competition, and Kate Keller, who traveled to New York City to run in the USA National Track and Field Championships.

We had many students break records



Irvan

this year as well in their respective areas. We also had our first student participate in KHSAA sanctioned swimming, with Shelby Cooper sporting the blue and white while practicing with Madisonville High School's team. Coach Kent Waide and his team welcomed her to their practices and meets and she swam in the regional championship meet, effectively providing her the opportunity for college scouts to recognize her times.

Sawyer Towery became our first Madisonville Community College Senior Academy student, earning 30 college credit hours and saving himself time and money for his future. He also forged the trail for eight more students to become fully accepted into the program for next year. We are excited that Cooper, Bell, DeBoe, Jagger Hayes, Skyler James, Ellie Smith, Jaycie Driver and Ashleigh Dunkerson have all met the requirements, participated in interviews and been accepted into the 2019-20 class of Madisonville Community College Senior Academy.

CCHS boasts four students who have been accepted into the 2019 Governor's Scholars Program. Bell, DeBoe, McGowan, and Brown will all spend time on college campuses this summer. Established in 1983,

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CRITTENDEN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2019

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2019 valedictory addresses

HANNAH EASLEY
and **SHEA MARTIN**

Hannah Easley: Good evening ladies and gentlemen. The Class of 2019 has a wide variety of personalities that will be shown throughout the



Hannah Easley
daughter of Anthony and Gail Easley



Shea Martin
daughter of Tony Martin and Kristi Howell

speeches. We are both very honored to stand in front of you tonight as two of the eight valedictorians.

Shea Martin: We've definitely always been a smart class in more ways than one. If you've ever seen our class compete for the spirit stick, you know exactly what I'm talking about.

Easley: Just like that one time our grade cheered for getting only 1 point towards the spirit stick.

Martin: Our sarcasm is definitely what makes us special.

Easley: Even though our sarcasm makes it seem like we don't care, we have always come together and supported one another when the need arises.

Martin: Our class has been through so many things together, from the middle school teacher switch, to tragedies, to losing loved teachers and friends. No matter what happens, we have always been one of the most supportive classes. We've always been really close with each other and willing to join in prayer for those in need. Although we've once been so close, I've learned that there comes a time when people have to grow apart, and that's OK.

Easley: We all eventually have to go our separate ways and form new relationships with new people. But we will always carry with us the memories that we made together.

Martin: Speaking of memories, do you remember our middle school fight club where our boys got their bathroom taken away?

Easley: Yeah, but we don't talk about fight club. It wasn't our only trip to the principal's office. We've been through plenty of those, along with guidance counselor trips and detentions to get to where we are today.

Martin: We've also been through some major high points, such as our district championships in various sports and activities. It's an honor to be a part of a class that has broken so many school records.

Easley: I feel that our class is best represented by our boys basketball team. During last year's season, they experienced a lot of loss, but then out of nowhere, they won districts. Our class is the same by going with the flow until it's our time to shine.

Martin: Of course, next year I'm going to miss the Class of 2019 and our sarcastic personalities; but other than that, I'm going to miss second-chance breakfast. Hopefully, I can find a place that sells tornadoes.

Easley: I also know that y'all will never find a place with sketch wars as good as Crittenden County.

Martin: Were so proud of all of us for graduating. Some of us worked so hard for this moment, while others barely made it; but either way, you earned it.

Easley: And for some, what are the odds got the best of us and put us into some pretty awkward situations.

Martin: Class of 2019, I am proud to say that I have been a part of all our ups and downs. We want to personally thank all the parents, teachers, friends and families. Without y'all, we wouldn't be who we are today.

Easley: Many of you are going straight into the workforce after school and that's OK. Many are going into military forces, and we are thankful that you're willing to stand up for your country. Many are going to college, some a university and some a community college. I hope you find something that you're passionate about.

Martin: No matter what path you have chosen, good luck with your future ambitions, stay determined and overall, enjoy yourselves and enjoy life. No matter what you decide to do, I hope you all find something you love. We're all so proud of each other for making it this far in life. And I know for some, it was hard, but you made it, and now it's time to start the rest of your life.

made memories with them that will last a lifetime. Like in kindergarten when Matthew Dunham accidentally let his pet praying mantis loose in the classroom. Honestly, who has a pet praying mantis?

Who could forget in seventh grade when we all went on strike because the school switched all of our teachers around? Or the countless amount of times our entire boy student body got called into Mrs. Marshall's office?

It seems like just yesterday that Hunter Holeman stapled his arm. Well, probably because it was right before we walked out for baccalaureate. Make good decisions Hunter, am I right Shawn?

I'll never forget Josh's 72-slide Powerpoint on World War II airplanes and machinery, and I didn't even get to see it. For real Josh, you know way too much about World War II.

Lastly, who could ever forget our senior trip? The food we ate, the fun we had, the new purse Sydney bought, and the things we saw from the bus. It just goes on to show that our class can always make something out of nothing, which I feel is a defining characteristic of our class.

In all seriousness, being in this class has shaped me into the man I am today. For that, I thank each and every one of you. I wouldn't trade you all for the world. You all are as great as the Tiger tank from World War II. Did I use that right Josh?

Thank you, everyone.

Each of us has a bright and exciting future ahead. Some of us are headed to college hours away, while others are going to be close to home. Some of us are entering straight into the workforce. Four of us are entering into the armed forces.

No matter what your future holds, you have the opportunity to make it into great days.

These days are not going to come without hardships along the way. Just as high school took hard work, we will have to work hard to achieve a great future. When these bumps in the road come along, do not get discouraged.

Ecclesiastes 7:14 says, "On a good day, enjoy yourself; On a bad day, examine your conscience. God arranged for both kinds of days so that we won't take anything for granted. Stay in touch with both sides."

God has prepared us for the bad days in life, and allows us to have them so that we can look back and be proud of all that we have accomplished. This week of reflection on our high school career has been hard for some of our students and parents, but do not let the sadness of taking this next step overshadow your excitement for the future.

Class of 2019, it has been a privilege to experience the "good old days" of high school with you, but I cannot wait to see the great days that are ahead.

Thank you.

Growing up in Crittenden County has been one of the biggest blessings that I could ask for. Don't get me wrong, Marion, Kentucky, definitely has its flaws, but I wouldn't pick another community in the world to be a part of.

Many people say that the worst thing about Marion is that everyone knows each other, which can be true sometimes. However, I would argue that this is also the best thing about Marion.

When people are in times of need, everyone in the community comes together to show support. When we have had students in terrible car accidents or (who) suffered severe injuries in some other way, this school system has allowed us to lift up students in prayer, which I fully believe has changed these students' lives. When my family went through a house fire, people all throughout the community were there to help us in any way that they possibly could.

To the community of Crittenden County, thank you for always being there for each other.

I would also like to thank my family for being my support system during my educational career, starting from my very first day of school in preschool, all the way through this day, where I stand on this stage and say goodbye to my high school adventure for good.

I also have to thank this school system and all of the magnificent teachers that it has. I cannot explain how much of an impact all of you

have made on me as well as everyone else in this graduating class. I could not ask for a better set of teachers to help get me to where I am. And for those of you who are unaware, it is Mrs. Cara Hunt's birthday today. Mrs. Hunt – or as I've always called you, Mrs. Merrick – happy birthday and thank you for all that you have done for me since the first day that I walked into your classroom in seventh grade.

I have to extend my final thank you to my church family. I have been a member of Life in Christ Church for what seems like countless years now. Many of you who are a part of the Life in Christ family have had the chance to see me grow up.

To pastors Chris and Sue McDonald, thank you for everything that you have done for me and for the church. I know that I don't say it enough, but your leadership there and the direction that the church has gone has been incredible. Without you guys, there is just no possible way that I would have become the person that I am today.

To the Class of 2019, it has been a journey hasn't it? It seemed like only yesterday we were all meeting each other for the first time on our first day of kindergarten. I have had the honor of growing up with you guys since we were all small little 5-year-olds running around the elementary school like we owned the place.

We have lost some members of our class that should be here tonight – Gabby Schanz and Madison Conger – and some of our class are only with us by the grace of God after different accidents. Even years after their passing, we remember and honor you here tonight. To those of you who moved here later on in our journey to graduation, you guys have blended in with us so well, and I cannot explain how thankful (I am) to say that you are a part of the Crittenden County graduating Class of 2019.

Isaiah 40:28-31 says: "Do you not know? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the Earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom. He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint."

If any of you are like me and are having a hard time dealing with the fact that most of us may not see each other after tonight, I want to leave you with this ... Though we may grow tired, anxious, worried, depressed, angry, emotional or weary, the Lord is our strength. There is power in the name of Jesus. Keep your hope in that name and in the power of the one who sits upon a heavenly throne, and He will give us strength where we are struggling.

I hope that I have left as big of a mark on Crittenden County and its people as they have left on me. I love you guys.

Thanks for having me, Crittenden County.

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\$303,000 in 2019 scholarships awarded

SCHOLARSHIP NAME	RECIPIENT
Kentucky Wesleyan College	Kenlee Perryman
Murray State University	Gavin Dickerson, John Duvall, Caitlyn Lynch, Matt Lynn, Payton Riley, Sydney Taylor
Madisonville Community College	Brandy Book
West Kentucky Community & Technical College	Hanna Easley, Paige Gilbert, Shea Martin, Kelsie Webster
Southeastern Illinois College	Jake Gibson
Campbellsville University	Parker Johnson, Brock Langston, Devon Nesbitt, Sean O'Leary
UT Martin	Ethan Dossett
University of the Cumberland s	Hunter Boone
University of Kentucky	David Maness
Western Kentucky University	Shelby Summers
Community Arts Foundation Scholarship	Lily Cox
Jake Hodge Memorial Scholarship	Brandy Book, Shelby Summers, Ethan Dossett, Gavin Dickerson, Hannah Cooksey, Hanna Easley, Sharon Collins
Salem, Ky., Garden Club Scholarship	John Duvall
CHS Charlotte Fowler Memorial Scholarship	Hannah Cooksey

SCHOLARSHIP NAME	RECIPIENT
Crittenden County Retired Teachers Scholarship	John Duvall
Woman's Club Scholarship	Sydney Taylor
Woman's Club of Marion Outstanding English Award	Paige Gilbert
Crittenden County Nancy Hunt Extension Homemaker Scholarship	Parker Johnson
Raymond & Agnes Easley Scholarship	Hanna Easley
Marion Eye Care Center Scholarship	Sydney Taylor
Crittenden County Attorney Rebecca Johnson Scholarship	David Maness
Crittenden Health Systems Auxiliary Scholarship	Briley Brown
Crittenden County Education Association Scholarship	John Duvall
Hamilton Cochran Memorial Scholarship	Dylan Peek
Nellie Stone Hamilton Memorial Scholarship	Hanna Easley
All "A" Classic Scholarship	Shea Martin
Paul F. Riley Memorial Scholarship	Dylan Peek
Doris & Donna Rushing Memorial Scholarship	Dylan Peek, Shelby Summers

SCHOLARSHIP NAME	RECIPIENT
Dr. James Hawkins Scholarship	Sydney Taylor
Greg "Dozer" Belt Memorial Scholarship	Dylan Peek
American Private Enterprise Kentucky Youth Seminar Scholarship	John Duvall, David Maness
Crittenden County Conservation District Scholarship	John Duvall
FFA Alumni Scholarship	Kenlee Perryman, John Duvall
Crittenden County Farm Bureau Scholarship	Shelby Summers, John Duvall
American Legion Fund Scholarship	Shelby Summers
American Legion Burna Post 217 Scholarship	Shelby Summers
Gareth W. Hardin Memorial Scholarship	Caitlyn Lynch
Logan's Legacy	Shelby Summers
Rosemary Pace Region 2 FCCLA Scholarship	Sydney Coomes
Crittenden County Cattlemen's Association	Shelby Summers
Pennyrile Umpire Association Barry Lutz/ Jim Dorris Memorial Scholarship	Briley Brown
Democrats for Kids Scholarship	Sydney Coomes
Paul E. Mick Memorial Scholarship	Gavin Dickerson

■ CCHS GRADUATION

Class of 2019 valedictory addresses continued

KENLEE PERRYMAN

As the yearbook members were adding the final touches to our 2019 yearbook, Jessie Potter asked me if I would add in a quote about high school. I told her that I would and, of course, got on my Chromebook to search “quotes to use in a high school yearbook.”

Just because I'm valedictorian does not mean that I haven't learned to use my resources. I Googled my way through about 75 percent of high school, so I figured if it's gotten me this far, I might as well not stop now.

As I scrolled through all of the quotes that other students had used, there was one in particular that stuck out to me.

This quote read, “The days go slowly, but the years go by fast.”

Just as any high school student, I once was at the phase where I could not wait to leave. I began senior year by bragging to the underclassmen that I only had one year left in this dreadful place — or what I thought was dreadful at the time.

The truth is that senior year, and high school in general, go by in the blink of an eye. One day you'll go to your last football game and sit in the student section one last time; you'll take your last test; you'll go to your last high school dance; and you'll realize that the time you have to finish making some of the best memories will soon come to a close. So embrace every minute of it.

Whether this means literally fishing for a senior prank idea because you're having trouble thinking of another one, accepting the fact that you still have a crush on that one boyfriend you had back in middle school, or going to hangout with a random group of people that you don't normally hangout with. Who knows, you might just become bros in the end.

I pray that each of us cherishes the moments that we've had together, because we will never get these moments back. I'm thankful for the Class of 2019 and all of the friendships and memories that we were able to make together here at CCHS. As you receive your diploma, I hope you think to yourself that you wouldn't have done it any other way.

Thank you to my family and friends for encouraging me and pushing me to get where I am today, and a special thanks to Google for helping me along the way, too.

Relieved that he showed up to graduation on time, I would now like to welcome Payton Riley to the stage.

PAYTON RILEY

It has been a long ride, but a good one, I must admit. These past years have taught me many things about true friendship, companionship and love ... the

kind of love that extends beyond all boundaries and teaches us how to reach out to others during rocky times.

As a matter of fact, I will really miss Crittenden County High School. I will miss each and every person that I know here. It is here that I was born as a young adult — someone who is ready to take off into a new life with much reverence and appreciation for all that has passed.

Life is full of highly important lessons. I believe that the most valuable experiences are not those filled with “positive vibes only.” Profound experiences can be both positive and negative; in fact, conflict can often be used as a profound chance to grow as an individual and to take relationships to a level of greater understanding. Thus, when I say that I am grateful, I am talking about the whole range of experiences that I have gone through while studying here.

I have found some wonderful friends who, I hope, will stay with me for the rest of my life. Crittenden has given each of us numerous opportunities for inner growth: from sports and extracurricular activities, to the constant assistance provided by our teachers. Each of the teachers that I came in touch with left a mark in my life, which I am grateful for. Thank you!

While studying here, I have learned how to be a better student, better person, friend and human being thanks to each of the experiences that I had here. When it comes to our class, I feel so lucky to have been close to all of you. You are funny, lovable and, simply said, unique. I hope you stay just the way you are all your lives. I would not want to see you change, because you rock, just the way you are — each of you.

One of the most profound lessons that my peers taught me concerns group work, caring for one another, reaching out to each other and just being there. Such simple things are often the hardest to find in life. And I really hope that each of you, each one of us, upon leaving Crittenden, finds even more good friends, positive experiences and support as we fly off into a much wider and less protected reality.

Today, I would also like to thank my family and each of our families. Community and family support is such an important part of our lives. Not everybody has the privilege to belong to a loving family, and I thank God for being part of such a family. Thank you Mom, Dad. A big thanks to my older brother and best friend, Paxton. All of you never gave up on me, and I promise to never give up on you, no matter where we are geographically.

Saying goodbye is always sad. Yet, on such occasions as today, it is also a happy moment — a moment of bliss, expectation, hope, plans and anxiety. We feel that the whole world is in front of us, yet this also generates a cer-



Payton RILEY son of Todd and Sarah Riley

tain fear — fear of loss, fear of failure.

Well, today, I just want to wish each and every one of us sitting here that we may find the necessary support within ourselves and outside of ourselves in order to conquer these fears. This requires vulnerability. The vulnerability to open up, to make mistakes, to admit these mistakes and to just be human — be just as we are, our true selves.

Nobody is perfect. We all know that. Our failures and victories, our ugly and beautiful parts — they make us who we are. One of the things that I really appreciate about our high school is that it supports each of its students. The community is so strong, I really could not ask for more. In our school, diversity and tolerance are fostered on all levels. And this is so important for the formation of a young person's heart and mind — feeling accepted, supported and loved at all times.

Actually, I might sound very philosophical today, and many of you might not really be used to me speaking this way, but it is our graduation day and I cannot afford to conceal my true feelings.

I guess I have already said too many thanks, but I will say one more — a thanks to myself. And I believe that each of us should say this very special “thank you” to ourselves, within ourselves, inside our hearts.

Now, I don't want to sound too “new age,” but this is something that I have realized when writing this speech. Self-love is really, really important. As we grow up, our love for ourselves is shaped by our significant relationships with others, which is why I love and value this community so much — for its constant support. But, when we become adults, we ourselves have the power to override any stereotypes or obstacles, inner or outer, by offering ourselves constant inner love and support.

In fact, I feel that leaving Crittenden, we have each been given numerous resources that are bound to keep us going long and far. I hope that even as years pass, we will remember those funny jokes and moments, those home-school dances and sports events — and they will put a smile on each of our faces.

I want to say one last thing, summing up what Crittenden means to me. When you know that you are loved, everything is possible. I thank our high school for giving each of us the feelings of love and acceptance.

SHELBY SUMMERS

There are no words to describe the privilege that I feel to stand before you as one of the valedictorians of our class. Of course, like every other person that you have heard speak tonight, I would like to thank my parents, grandparents and the rest of my family for surrounding me with genuine love and support for the past 18 years of my life. I want to thank the staff here behind me for not only caring about our academic growth,

but also caring about us outside of the classroom. Lastly, I want to thank everyone here tonight for supporting all of us that are graduating today.

Living in Crittenden County has given us such a unique, tightly-knit community full of people who truly care about us and want us to be successful, which is incredibly rare. I will forever be grateful to have spent my childhood here.

Of course, there is so much I would like to say. However, due to the fact that we have about 30 valedictorians, I know that you are all tired of hearing speeches. So, I'll try my best to keep this short and sweet. There are two quotes that I felt the need to share with you tonight.

Now, just like every graduating senior class, many of us have different feelings about graduating. Some of you feel very scared and anxious about taking your first few steps into unknown territory. Some of you are probably the exact opposite. This step in your life should not be one that frightens you, but one that excites you and motivates you to make yourself more than what you were prior to this point in time.

There is a quote by Isaac Newton that says, “I do not know what I may appear to the world; but to myself, I seem to have been only like a boy playing on the seashore, and diverting myself now and then in finding a smoother pebble or prettier shell than ordinary, while the great ocean of truth lay all undiscovered before me.”

While high school has given us some of the best times of our lives, it is only a small portion of our time on earth. High school is only the shoreline, and our future is the great ocean lying before us waiting to be explored.

The second quote requires a little bit of a back story. When I was in middle school, I was extremely bored one day at home and I came across a movie on TV called “Cloud Atlas.” There are only three things that I remember about this movie:

- 1.) It was very, very strange and confusing.
- 2.) Tom Hanks was in it.
- 3.) It included a quote that has stuck with me for the years since I first heard it.

In the movie, there was a young woman standing with her husband. She was telling her father about her and her husband's plans to join a group of people called the Abolitionists. Immediately, her father became angry. He went on and on about how their work with this group would be pointless. He said, “No matter what you do, your life will never amount to anything but a single drop in a limitless ocean,” to which the husband replied, “And yet what is any ocean but a multitude of drops?”

When I was younger, I always felt the pressure to leave some sort of miraculous impact on the world when I grew older. I think it is also common for us to some-

times feel insignificant while living in such a small town.

Sometimes, it is easy to feel as though you aren't making a large enough impact on those around you, or to feel like you don't matter. It is easy to feel like a single drop. But it's not that simple. We are so much more complex than just a drop: we are a part of a vast ocean. Your drop is touching other drops even when you don't realize it. We have no idea how much our words and actions impact those who surround us. You can change someone's entire perspective on life without even realizing it.

So, in the days ahead when you feel like nothing more than a single drop, always remind yourself that you are a significant part of something much larger than you may ever be able to fathom.

Earlier, I said that you never know how you may impact someone's life. I thought it would be appropriate to recognize some of you, my fellow class members, and acknowledge how you have made a mark on my life and on our class as a whole.

So I would like to say thank you to Kelsie Webster for having the most genuine, kind heart and always letting me borrow your pencils; to David Manness for always coming to the girls basketball games and oftentimes being the only person in our student section; to Julia Davidson for having the most contagious laugh I have ever heard; to Sawyer Towerly, John Claude Duvall, Kalysta Jones and Marcus Manns for joining the National Guard and serving our country in the ultimate way; to RheaVynn Tabor for laughing at my jokes when no one else did; to Brandy Book for being the mom of every friend group and keeping us all in line; to Briley Brown for making my darkest days brighter; to Drake Kemper for showing me how to turn up the speed on my go kart at the senior trip, which let me lap Sydney Coomes and everyone else three times; to Payton Riley for making sure that we never have to wonder what the newest Nike shoe looks like; to Devon Nesbitt for making it possible to use the excuse, “Well, Mom, at least I don't skip class as much as Devon does;” to Josh Sarles for reminding us all that nobody knows as much about military aircrafts as he does; to John Claude Duvall, again, for flexing on all of us when he got almost every single local scholarship offered and motivating us all to work harder; and finally, to Ethan Dossett and Hunter Boone for reminding us all that true love still exists.

Class of 2019, this is it. Now, when we speak about high school, we must speak about it in the past tense. I no longer play basketball; I played basketball. We no longer love being a Rocket; we loved being a Rocket.

This is not something to be sad about, but it is something to celebrate. We have no idea what amazing opportunities we will find in the vast ocean that awaits us outside of Crittenden County High School. It's time for our adventure to begin.



Shelby SUMMERS daughter of Patricia Summers and Von Summers



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the program provides academic and personal growth through the balance of a strong liberal arts program with a full co-curricular and residential life experience. Students compete with others from across the state for an opportunity to participate. We are thrilled that these four young ladies will be representing CCHS this summer.

speech, academic, STLP and chess teams each had exceptional years as well. Led by Lindsey Byrd, Millie Hughes, Don Winters, and Billy Cunningham, respectively, students earned competition spots in a variety of areas. Three students – Caleb Estes, Kalysta Jones and Kady Parish – earned spots in the All-District Band, while four students – Gage Campbell, Estes, Thomas Phillips and Kalysta Jones – were part of the Western Kentucky University Honor Band. Mc-

Gowan, Leah Fritts, Haley Belt, Sara Jones, Quinn Templeton, Aliyah Frutiger and Anna Fesler all represented CCHS with performances in the preliminary rounds of the state speech competition. John Duvall represented CCHS at Regional Governor's Cup, and David Maness represented CCHS STLP in regional competition. Our chess team also had another great showing at state competition.

All of our students learned the value of hard work and giving back to

the community that has done so much for them through their participation in the first annual Civic Responsibility Engagement Week, or CREW. Their work throughout the community was well received and a highlight of the 2018-19 school year.


Our senior class has been awarded over \$303,000 in scholarships for their post-secondary educations and over 300 college credit hours over the course of the high school careers. Thirty nine seniors are Aca-

demarc Ready and 56 are Career Ready, with 17 of those being both Academic and Career Ready. Several seniors also have jobs waiting for them upon graduation as a result of their CREW job shadowing opportunities. Finally, four of our seniors – Sawyer Towery, Marcus Manns, Kalysta Jones and John Duvall – have enlisted in the Kentucky National Guard this year.

This class is definitely making a name for themselves as some that will change our world for the


better

We have an amazing faculty at CCHS who embody the Rocket Way and give so much of themselves to enable our students to shine in a variety of ways. From field trips to tutoring, coaching athletes to speakers, it was a great year to be a Crittenden County Rocket. We thank our community for their continued support of our students and school and look forward to even more awards, accolades and successes in the next year.




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Clockwise from top left, Crittenden County High School Secretary Kathy Harris checks graduate Sharon Collins and fellow Class of 2019 graduates for gum, cellphones and any other items that may be deemed disruptive to commencement ceremonies on May 24; graduate Sawyer Towery poses for pictures with family and friends after graduation inside Rocket Arena; Hanna Easley gazes stoically as she awaits graduation lineup inside the high school library; Paige Gilbert peers through a door inside the high school held open by Gavin Dickerson as graduates prepare for the march into Rocket Arena.

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■ CCHS GRADUATION



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Beta Club recognized

Crittenden County High School Class of 2019 Beta Club graduates were Shelby Summers, David Maness, Kenlee Perryman, Shea Martin, Gavin Dickerson, Matt Lynn and Paige Gilbert. The National Beta Club is the largest independent, non-profit, education youth organization in America. And for more than 80 years, it has prepared today's students to become tomorrow's leaders. The club's mission statement is to promote the ideals of academic achievement, character, service and leadership among students. "As I look at the graduating class, I am humbled to see all of these characteristics embodied by them," said CCHS Beta Club sponsor Kim Vince. "We look forward to seeing all of the great things our Beta graduates will achieve."



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Work ethic recognized

Seniors earning the Crittenden County Schools' Work Ethic certification were honored May 22 during a luncheon recognition. Using feedback from local business and industry professionals, the school district in 2016 developed the new advanced diploma that recognizes students whose high school careers reflect excellent grades, exceptional attendance, good behavior, completion of the Skills Pay the Bills curriculum and service to the school or community. Achieving Work Ethic status were David Maness, Paige Gilbert, Brandy Book, Hanna Easley, Rose Lewis and Joshua Sarles. Pictured above are (from left) Maness, Crittenden County High School College and Career Coach Christie Hughes, D'Anna Browning representing Siemens Rail Automation, Crittenden County Schools Director of Pupil Personnel Diana Lusby, Gilbert, Superintendent of Schools Vince Clark, Book, elected board of education member Eric LaRue, CCHS Assistant Principal Melissa Quertermous, Easley, CCHS Principal Mandy Irvan and Par 4 Plastics and board member Ryan McDaniel.

■ CCHS GRADUATION

Graduates prepared for next phase of life

The following 2019 Crittenden County High School graduates achieved additional honors signifying they are well-prepared for their next step in life's journey.

Valedictorians

- Gavin Dickerson
- Hanna Easley
- Paige Gilbert
- David Maness
- Shea Martin
- Kenlee Perryman
- Payton Riley
- Shelby Summers

Salutatorians

- Caitlyn Lynch
- Sydney Taylor

Honor graduates

- Brandy Book
- Briley Brown
- Sharon Collins
- Kayley Cook
- Hannah Cooksey
- Julia Davidson
- Gavin Dickerson
- Ethan Dossett
- Justis Duncan
- John Duvall
- Hanna Easley
- Jake Gibson
- Paige Gilbert
- Hogan Hatfield
- Austin Hazel
- Caitlyn Lynch
- Matt Lynn
- David Maness
- Shea Martin
- Sabreyn Moore
- Trenton Parshall

- Kenlee Perryman
- Devin Porter
- Payton Riley
- Shelby Summers
- Sydney Taylor

Advanced Diploma

- Dickerson Gavin
- Easley Hanna
- Gilbert Paige
- Lewis Rose
- Lynch Caitlyn
- Lynn Matt
- Maness David
- Martin Shea
- Perryman Kenlee
- Porter Devin
- Riley Payton
- Summers Shelby
- Taylor Sydney

Academic Ready

- Ethan Dossett
- Parker Johnson
- Trenton Parshall
- Karissa Terry
- Sawyer Towery

Career Ready

- Baileah Barnes
- Brandy Book
- Jennifer Brickner
- Briley Brown
- Sharon Collins
- Kayley Cook
- Hannah Cooksey
- Sydney Coomes
- Lily Cox
- Blake Curnel
- Julia Davidson
- Haily DiMaggio
- Michael Gibson
- Hope Goins
- Chris Haire
- Daelynn Hardin

- Hunter Holeman
- Mitchell Joyce
- Drake Kemper
- Ashton Lamprecht
- Chiann Little
- Stephen Madden
- Devon Nesbitt
- Sean O'Leary
- Dylan Peek
- Payton Riley
- Pate Robinson
- Mayce Simpkins
- Aiden Smith
- Preston Tinsley
- Ella Travis
- Shelby Wallace
- Ashley Wheeler

Academic and Career Ready

- Zac Claybrook
- Gavin Dickerson
- John Duvall
- Hanna Easley
- Jake Gibson
- Paige Gilbert
- Rose Lewis
- Caitlyn Lynch
- Matt Lynn
- David Maness
- Shea Martin
- Kenlee Perryman
- Devin Porter
- Shelby Summers
- RheaVynn Tabor
- Sydney Taylor
- Kelsie Webster

Military Honors

- John Duvall
- Kalysta Jones
- Marcus Manns
- Sawyer Towery

arts teacher.

- Tom Heaton, custodian.
- Charlotte Ladd, bud driver.
- Monty Riley, bus driver.

there were only five retirements in 2018-19. They were:

- Tony Alexander, bus driver.
- Jeanette Campbell, middle school language




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Hunter Holeman - Crittenden County High School
Hannah Cooksey - Crittenden County High School
Chloe Maxfield - Crittenden County High School
Joshua Kaden Elder - Livingston Central High School
Kobe T'Roy Ringstaff - Livingston Central High School
Dylan Capello - Lyon County High School
Noah Seth Dunaway - Murray High School

Scholarships:

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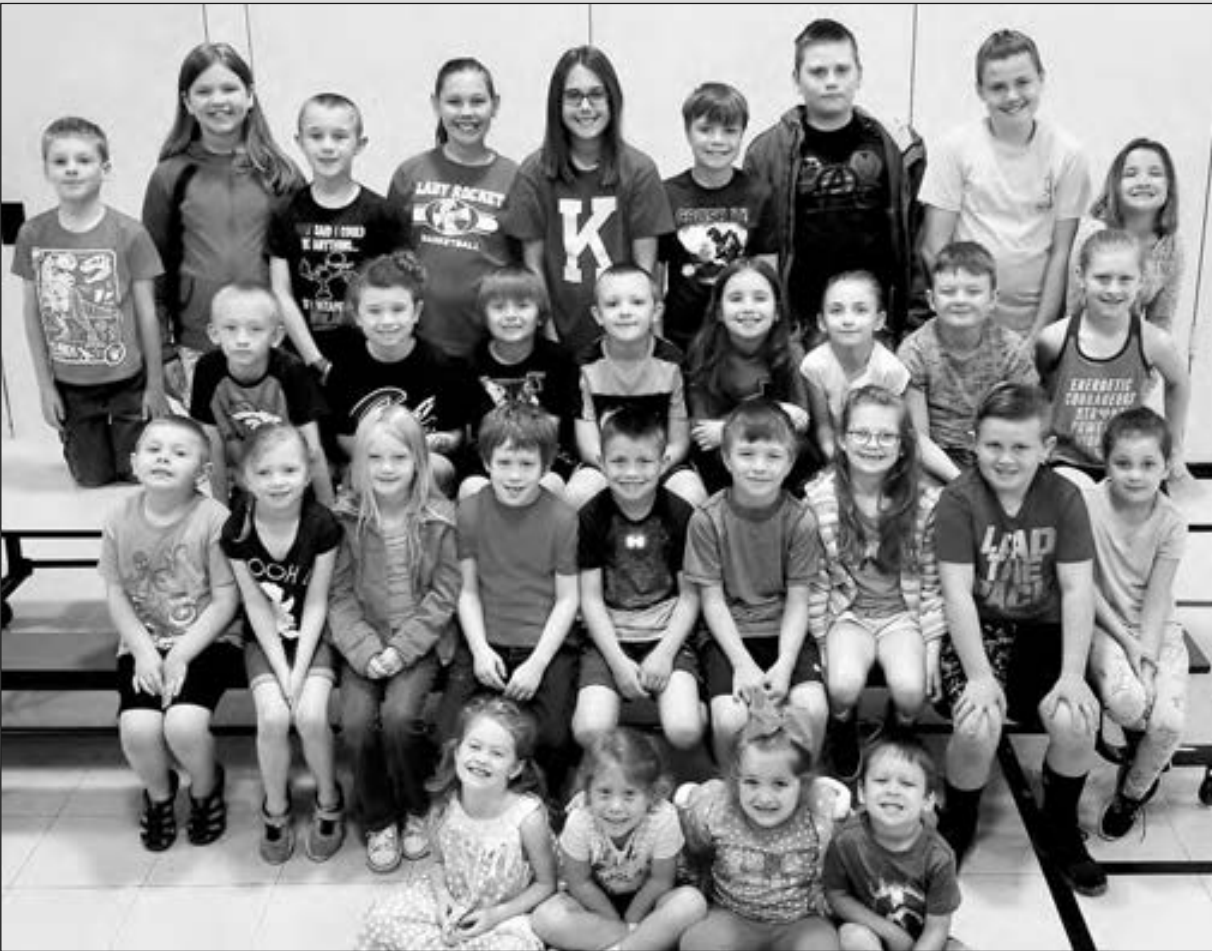
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■ CCES



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CCES Rocket Role Models

Crittenden County Elementary School Rocket Role Models for the month of April acknowledging the character trait Accomplishment were (front, from left) Mia Gray, Rosie Gonzales, Carly Mardis, Carson Story, (second row) Keegan Roberts, Chandler Winterrowd, Zayna Russell, Alex Borden, Kayson Wagoner, Gage Adamson, Brooklyn Lovell, Bentley Rushing, Kinlee Wood, (third row) Noah Martinez, Isabella Cornwell, Bradley Hall, Hunter Collins, Ella Hoover, Jaycee Bruce, Josh James, Aliza Maraman, (back) River Rogers, Ekho Byars, Randy Phelps, Braelyn Merrill, Anna Boone, Bobby Hazel, J.R. Vasseur, Bristyn Rushing and Brittany Hoover.



WKCTC

Megan Sherrell (third from left) of Crittenden County was one of more than 1,000 men and women in May to finish their education at Western Kentucky Community and Technical College in Paducah.

■ WKCTC

Locals finish at WKCTC

STAFF REPORT

West Kentucky Community and Technical College (WKCTC) recognized more than 230 candidates for graduation who participated in its spring commencement ceremonies at the Luther F. Carson Four Rivers Center May.

More than 1,000 WKCTC students, including many local men and women, were eligible to receive an associate degree, diploma or certificate during the spring 2019 semester. In addition to the candidates for graduation, more than 40 students received nursing pins during the ceremony.

Local WKCTC candidates for graduation were:

- Macey N. Baker of Fredonia, associate in

arts degree.

- Taylor N. Belt of Marion, associate in applied science degree with distinction, earning a GPA of 3.400 to 3.599.
- Paige Alexandra Dudley of Smithland, associate in science degree with high distinction, earning a GPA of 3.6-4.0.
- Robert T. Gill of Fredonia, certificate in electrical technology.
- Kaylee Diane Graham of Marion, associate in arts degree.
- Ashley Lynn Harris of Marion, associate in applied science degree.
- Carol Ann Hodge of Marion, associate in arts degree.
- Ethan Thomas Hunt of Marion, associate in arts degree.
- Tara Kay Ramage of

Lola, associate in applied science degree with high distinction.

- Ramey Jade Schenk of Fredonia, certificate in fire/rescue science technology.
- Megan Leighann Sherrell of Marion, associate in applied science degree with distinction.
- Kaylyn Joelle Woodall of Marion, associate in applied science degree.

The following students from Crittenden County earned various certificates: Emily Taylor Brown, Ashley Rayann Croft, Lisa Ann Ewer, Shann Kayele Jean Kirk, Landry Taylor McKinney, Emily Renee Robertson, Lindsay Renee Sizemore, Sandy Arlene Urbanowski and Kelly Brook Williams.

■ UK

UK dean's list released

STAFF REPORT

The University of Kentucky has released its dean's list for the spring 2019 semester. A total of 6,562 students were recognized for their outstanding academic performance, including three from Crittenden

County. Students include:

- Dylan Hollis of Marion, mechanical engineering.
- Baylee Priest of Marion, anthropology.
- Heighlee Willingham of Marion, psychology.

To make a dean's list in one of the UK colleges, a

student must earn a grade point average of 3.6 or higher and must have earned 12 credits or more in that semester, excluding credits earned in pass-fail classes. Some UK colleges require a 3.5 GPA to make the dean's list.

■ WKU

Beavers graduates WKU

STAFF REPORT

Western Kentucky University's five academic colleges hosted special ceremonies May 11 at Diddle Arena in Bowling Green to individually recognize 2,677 graduates and celebrate the accomplishments of the Class of 2019.

Lauren Beavers of

Marion, was recognized as a scholar of the Gordon Ford College of Business at WKU's 185 commencement. She was an accounting major and a graduate of the Mahurin Honors College and received the Scholar of the College



Beavers

honor as a result of having the highest GPA in the college of business.

Beavers was a member of Beta Alpha Psi, an accounting honors fraternity, and Beta Gamma Sigma, a business honors fraternity.

■ MSU

Murray dean's list out

STAFF REPORT

Several local students have been named to the spring 2019 dean's list at Murray State University.

The following students have been recognized:

- Crittenden County: Emma Grace Atchison, Emmalea Marie Barnes, Madison LaShea Champion, Carsen Reed Easley, Sydney Allison Hunt, Jesse Imboden, Ashley Calistine Parish, Kelley Christine Sizemore, Magan Darelle Sunderland, Daniel Clay Wagoner, Colby Gabe Watson and Samuel Enoch Winders.
- Fredonia: John Reid Baker, Holdyn L. Estes, Jody Benjamin Kilgore, Aaron Michael Vinson and Landon Young.
- Smithland: Kalynn Faith Campbell, Nicholas Owen Lampley, Parker James Lindsey and Colton James McGrew.

The dean's list is calculated for fall and spring semesters. Students who are full-time undergraduate, enrolled in 12 or more hours in graded courses and have attained a term grade point average of a 3.50 or above are eligible for the dean's list.

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All at CCMS grew in 2018-19

By **KARA TURLEY**
CCMS PRINCIPAL

As the year comes to a close, it is nice to take a moment and think about all that has happened. Having been in the classroom for 14 years, I was prepared for much of what I would face in my new role, but there were still some surprises. I'll always remember the first conversation I had with one of the teachers after I became principal. My mind was consumed with scheduling, back to school nights and online registration. Mr. Cowsert said he had an important question to ask me, and I braced myself for whatever



Turley

request he may present. "So, I'd like for my class to mummify a chicken," he began, "but I'm worried about the smell." Indeed. Turns out, when you mummify a chicken the right way, there is no smell! Who knew? Not me, and not the seventh-graders either, but we sure learned, along with lots of other things this year. For example, did you know that 90 percent of the students at CCMS have one or more adults they trust here in our building? The staff was happy to learn that, and we are focused on

reaching the remaining 10 percent in the upcoming year. We are moving back to a grade-level team schedule to help students feel more connected to a small group of teachers and to other students in their grade. Students and staff also were intrigued by a mystery, one that remains as yet unsolved. There is a time capsule buried somewhere around our beloved, "out front" rocket, but we fear that it may be covered up by concrete. Sources tell us it was buried when the rocket was installed in 1971. We want to unearth it, and we have some ideas for how to do that. Stay tuned! Speaking of digging in

the dirt (on a much smaller scale), our newly formed agriculture team worked hard to get permission to plant a garden behind campus, and did a beautiful job. They have some ideas on how to work together with our energy club next year to start compost bins. Students can use the bins to collect biodegradable materials to turn into mulch for our garden, and cut down on the amount of trash we produce. We've all grown this year, as explorers, problem solvers and as citizens. It has been an amazing year of learning for our students and staff, and we can't wait to see what next year brings!

■ CCMS Middle school awards earned

8th Grade

- Plaques**
Citizenship Jordan Hardesty, Lanie Greenwell
Greatest Growth Zach Counts, Jazmyn Lineberry
110% Award Carson Montalta, Lyllian Wesmolan
Leadership Gavin Peek, Carly Towery
Best All Around Jacob Hoover, McKenna Myers

- Trophies**
Math Jordan Hardesty, Brylee Conyer
Algebra I Natalie Boone
Science Karsen Shouse
Language Arts Hanna Collins, Jacob Hoover
Social Studies Alyssa Woodall, Kaylyn Morphew, Haylee Jackson, Emilee Russelburg
Band Kadynce Parrish
Health/PE Callie Dempsey
Art Victoria Ladd
Library Skills Hailey McCann
Tech Addie Hatfield

- Certificates**
Speech Team Collin Epley, McKenna Myers, Carly Towery
Student Council Tyler Swaggirt, president Natalie Boone, vice president Lanie Greenwell, secretary Taylor Guess, reporter Brylee Conyer, representative Macie Hunt, representative Addie Hatfield, representative
Student Lighthouse Team Lanie Greenwell, Olyvia Lanham, Raegan Peak
STLP Raegan Peak, Karsen Shouse, Lyli Wesmolan, Collin Epley, Carson Montalta, Rowen Perkins, Kaleb Nesbitt

- Young Leaders In Action** Carly Towery, McKenna Myers, Macie Hunt, Brylee Conyer
Energy Team Nick Pendley, Rowen Perkins, Ricky Alvarez

7th Grade

- Plaques**
Citizenship Noah Atchison, Emily Adams
Greatest Growth David Fritts, Carly Travis
110% Award Carson Montalta, Lyllian Wesmolan
Leadership Avery Belt, Keira Chaney

- Content awards**
Math Caden DeBoe, Payton Maness
Science Marley Phelps, Caden DeBoe
Language Arts Jacob Mahns, Micah Newcom
Social Studies Jeremiah Foster, John Rose
Band Elizabeth Campbell
Health/PE Callie Dempsey
Art Hurst Miniard
Library Skills Tia Stoner
Tech Madison Travis

- Certificates**
Speech Team Emily Adams, Tanner Crawford, Ava Henry, Aria Kirk, Marley Phelps, Kailyn Stokes, Maddie Travis
Student Council Marley Phelps, treasurer Katie Perryman, representative Riley Smith, representative Keira Chaney, representative
STLP Brenna Belt, Jaycee Champion, Jaylee Champion, Alexis Hughes, Katie Perryman, Marley Phelps, Clhove Rozwalka, Kailyn Stokes, Tia Stoner, Madison Travis, Carson Brown, Casey Cates, Tanner Crawford, Gabe Keller

- Student Lighthouse Team** Carson Brown, Keira Chaney, Quaid Cook-Brown, Alexis Hughes
Energy Team Travis Blazina

6th Grade

- Plaques**
Citizenship Zane McBride, Taylor Haire
Greatest Growth Anthony Candelario, Braylynn Ennis
110% Award Jaxon Cartwright, Piper Certain
Leadership Caden Howard, Braelynn Pate

- Content awards**
Math Jaylea Bivins, Madisyn Switzer, Mary Rachel Stephens, Carly Porter
Science Baylee Muff, Asa McCord, Danielle Riley
Language Arts Piper Certain, Austin Martin, Christopher Gernigin, Paityne Buckman
Social Studies Drake Pierson
Band Taylor Haire
Health/PE Ethan Long
Art Donaven Allison
Library Skills Ellary McKinney
Tech Piper Certain

- Certificates**
Speech Team Jaxon Cartwright, Piper Certain, Bryan Chaney, Taylor Haire, Braden Sunderland
Student Council Hattie Hatfield, representative
Student Lighthouse Team Jayden Duncan, Asa McCord
Energy Team Drake Pierson
STLP Piper Certain, Jenna Maxfield, Mary Rachel Stephens, Bryan Chaney

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After commencement ceremonies May 24, graduates of Crittenden County High School gathered on the floor of Rocket Arena to say their goodbyes and share a few moments with friends and family. Graduates pictured above are (from left) Parker Johnson, Pate Robinson, John Duvall, David Maness and Jake Gibson.

GRADUATES

Continued from Page 1

value of work ethic in her youth, assisting her grandmother at a Princeton flea market, helping tend horses and in the summer, detailing vehicles at her stepfather's body shop. At 14, the Crittenden County native moved out of her home and in with her older sister, acquiring a taste for freedom at an early age.

Wolosonowich recalls the difficulty in securing a job as a teenager, for many places did not want to adjust their work schedules to accommodate a high school student. However, in December of last year, at 18, she was able to secure her own residence in Marion and a steady job at Dollar General on Sturgis Road.

Over the years, Wolosonowich has maintained a positive attitude, which she feels is essential for anyone following in her footsteps. She says much of her perspective comes from her mother, Tammy Head, a once single mother who raised her daughter to achieve something worthwhile in her life and embrace hardships along the way.

She also credits her accomplishments to the school system from which she graduated May 24, for the district has many programs in place to assist teenagers with non-traditional upbringings in being career-ready, offering tools to prepare them for adulthood.

"If there's one lesson I learned, it's that there is always a door opening when one closes, and with opportunities, there are some downfalls," Wolosonowich said. "It took me a bit to get that.

"When I was 14 and moved, I was happy because I had independence. But on the downside, I wasn't able to see my mom as much, although she would come to visit.

Change can be a very good thing and have many benefits, but it's best to not dwell on the downfalls and only focus on the good things in life that come from it."

Neither Wolosonowich or Little have children, so their move to independence was born purely out of a desire of making it on their own.

Diana Lusby, director of pupil personnel for Crittenden County Schools, said the women's situations are more common than some may think.

"Today's students and their unique stories are vastly different from those of the past, even of the recent past," said Lusby. "For some, a traditional educational pathway isn't always possible."

Both graduates believe that drawing up a realistic budget is essential and that having good money management when transitioning to an independent lifestyle can "make or break" a person.

Little grew up in circumstances similar to Wolosonowich's and has also achieved her goals through an unconventional path. She, too, moved out at an early age, and entered foster care for a period at 15. Now married to Dakota Little and pursuing a career as a pediatric nurse, the Marion woman says her mother was and still is an essential part of her life.

Though they now have a relationship, Little said her father left while she was very young. Years later, her mother suffered a work accident that disabled her. Unable to continue her work as a certified nurse's assistant, maintaining a household after sustaining her injuries became a major struggle.

"I helped cook, clean and take care of my younger brother. I did what I could," Little said. "Even with what she had going on, my mom did



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Charity Wolosonowich hands a customer his receipt recently at her job at Dollar General in Marion. Wolosonowich was one of two recent Crittenden County High School graduates to overcome the odds, completing their compulsory education while working and maintaining a household. Chiann Little was other.

what she could. Her being a CNA is pretty much what inspired me to seek out a nursing degree."

Little moved around multiple times throughout her youth and lived in Paducah as a teenager, scouring for various employers who would hire someone her age. She worked at places like Taco John's, McDonald's and Old Navy that were willing to work with her schedule while she sought to complete her high school education. Striving for stability and independence in her adult life, Little will be working this summer at Venture River in Eddyville and Huddle House in Kuttawa to make ends meet.

Because household expenses quickly add up and may easily drain a budget, the two women recommend to any teen planning to make it on their own to save money beforehand in order to prepare for the move.


Little was deemed Career Ready by the school system, a designation given graduates who meet benchmarks on the Ken-

tucky Occupational Skills Standards Assessment or who achieved an industry certification in their vocational classes. She even finished her career pathway in the field of social work, day care and student education early.

"As a school system, our goal is to help every student achieve and succeed, regardless of situations or challenges they may face," said Lusby. "It's important for Crittenden County Schools to encourage and support all students, so they can become active, contributing members of our community."

Like Wolosonowich, Little also feels positivity, a strong work ethic and good perspective is key in thriving on your own.


"I just told myself that on a rainy day, there will be a sunny one afterwards," Little said. "That's something that truly kept me going. My mom, Stephanie Caraway, and my Nana helped motivate and encourage me through it all, as did the school system. That's very important."




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Knight of Premiere

Marion resident attends early showing of movie

STAFF REPORT
The baseball movie “The Silent Natural” featuring Marion native Zack Knight portraying one of the players premiered last week in Hopkinsville and will be at box offices soon.

The movie was filmed entirely in Kentucky, the majority in Christian County and at historic Tradewater Park in Dawson Springs. The full-length feature movie traces the life and legacy of William “Dummy” Hoy.

Hoy was one of the first deaf Major League Baseball players in the 1800s. He is credited for having introduced hand signals for out, safe and strike to the game as he overcame obstacles to be-



Marion resident Zack Knight, one of the actors in the new move “The Silent Natural” was at last week’s premiere in Hopkinsville. Pictured are David Risotto, the movie’s director; Knight and his fiancé Tiffany Smith and Karrie Bishop, casting specialist. The picture is signed by the photographer who took it, Catherine Lacy.

come one of the greatest players of his time.

Knight, 24, played baseball when he attended Crittenden County High School, making him a valuable character in the film. He graduated from CCHS in 1993. He and his fiancé, Tiffany Smith, reside in Marion.

The couple attended last week’s red carpet and premiere in Hopkinsville.

Filming of the movie resulted in an estimated \$659,000 in economic impact for the Hopkinsville area, receiving Kentucky film incentives as part of the deal.

Knight got a role in the film through a “friend of a friend of his mom’s.”

“It was really crazy

how it happened. My mom ran into a friend in the grocery store and she knew how I played baseball and said they were looking for another player for this movie,” Knight said in an interview last spring after the filming.

“I started out just to be an extra,” Knight added, but through a twist of fate one of the ball players in a key role ended up being let go by the producer.

“Literally 24 hours before my first day on set, I got a text message saying they were going to give me a role in the baseball scenes. My character was a pitcher and shortstop,” he said.

His role includes several speaking lines.

MURDER MYSTERY

Fast approaching is the second annual Crittenden County Chamber of Commerce Murder Mystery. This “whodunnit” is a plot-driven mystery entitled Carnival of Carnage. Join the cast downtown on Saturday, June 15 to help solve the mystery of what happened to Ded Barker, owner and operator of Charon’s Carnival. A cast and crew of more than 20 locals will set the stage for sleuths digging for details. Pictured at right are a couple of the characters that participants can expect. This is Poppy (portrayed by Elizabeth Floyd), a local popcorn vendor with a sordid reputation, and her trusted sidekick, Kornal (portrayed by Jamie Pyle).



Crittenden County’s Special Olympics track and field team recently competed in the state finals at Eastern Kentucky University. The squad came away with six gold medals, eight silver medals, three bronze medals and five fourth-place ribbons during last Thursday and Friday’s competition. Pictured are Rocket team members (front from left) Andrew Holt, Hunter Miles, Tahla Trail, (back) Kaitlyn Head, Amber Notestine, Jessica Hunter, Sarah Valle, Destiny Suggs, Mandy McConnell, Austin Hazel and David Walker.

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BASEBALL

Youth baseball clinic

There will be a Youth Baseball Clinic from 9 a.m., to noon p.m., on June 12-13 at Marion-Crittenden County Park. Members of the high school baseball team and coaching staff will be among camp directors. It will include individual and group instruction for boys ages 7-12. Cost is \$20, with discounts for multiple family members. Only the first 30 paid entries will be accepted. Forms are available at The Crittenden Press or at the Dugout Club's Facebook Page. Call (270) 704-0435 for more information.

FOOTBALL

Rockets youth camp

Crittenden County Rocket Youth Football Camp will be held June 19-21 on the high school campus. Camp is from 9 a.m., until 11:30 a.m., each day. Cost is \$30 with discounts for multiple family members. Lunch will be provided each day at the end of camp. Registration forms are available at The Press or NAPA. Every camper gets a T-shirt.

SOFTBALL

Fredonia tourney

There will be a co-ed softball tournament in Fredonia on Saturday, June 29. Proceeds will help the community renovate the Buddy Rogers Ball Park. For more information, contact Baylee McDonald at (270) 601-0973.

Sign up for DU to win

Crittenden County's Ducks Unlimited chapter, in conjunction with Kentucky Ducks Unlimited, is offering a special drawing next month. It's called Christmas in July and will include a prize every day during the month, plus a chance to win a Kawasaki Brute Force 300 on the final day of July. Just join DU during July to have a chance to win. Contact Sandi Bell at (270) 969-0041 for more information.

BASEBALL

Brown scholarship



Crittenden County senior baseball player Briley Brown received the Pennyrile Umpire's Association-Barry Lutz/Jim Dorris Memorial Scholarship. It was presented to him during the regional tournament last week.



Lady Rocket Slugger

Senior Brandy Book is now the Lady Rockets' career RBI and home run leader. She completed her high school career with 139 RBIs and 21 career home runs. Her nine homers this spring were also a single-season school record. The numbers printed in last week's newspaper were incorrect. These are the right figures for her RBI and home run totals.

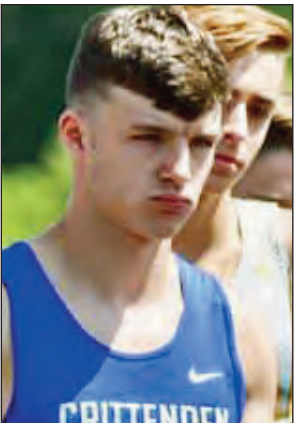
Runnin' Rockets



Crittenden County high jumper Natalie Hutchings was among the athletes who participated in individual events last weekend in Lexington.



Moss



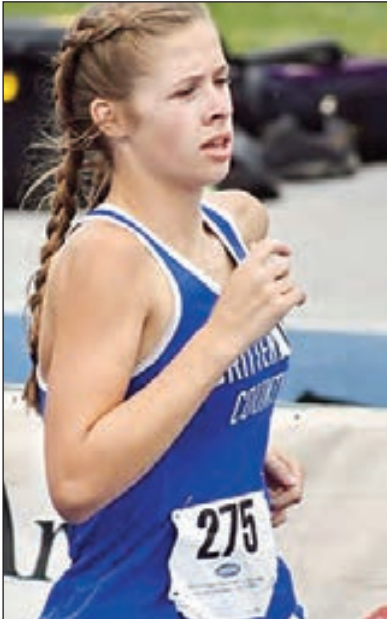
Davidson



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Lamey



Crittenden's long-distance specialist Kate Keller was the only CCHS athlete to place and earn official points at the state meet.

Girls 1600 Meters

5th Place Kate Keller

Sophomore Time: 5:33.11

Boys 4x200 Relay

11th Place Crittenden County

Time 1:34.21

Eli Moss, sophomore; Gavin Davidson, junior; Branan Lamey, senior; Devon Nesbitt, senior

Boys 800 Meters

11th Place Gavin Davidson

Junior Time 2:04.67

Boys 4x100 Relay

11th Place Crittenden County

Time 45.59

Eli Moss, sophomore; Gavin Davidson, junior; Branan Lamey, senior; Devon Nesbitt, senior

Boys Long Jump

13th Place Branan Lamey

Senior Distance 18-05.25

Boys 4x800 Relay

15th Place Crittenden County

Time 9:01.67

Gavin Davidson, junior; Sawyer Towery, senior; Michael Kirk, junior; Preston Morgeson, 8th

Girls High Jump

16th Place Natalie Hutchings

Junior Height 4-06.00

Girls 3200 Meters

18th Place Kate Keller

Sophomore Time 13:17.44

Boys 3200 Meters

18th Place Preston Morgeson

8th Grader Time 10:46.90

Boys 400 Meters

19th Place Eli Moss

Sophomore Time 53.83

Boys 4x400 Relay

22nd Place Crittenden County

Time 3:53.17

Doug Conger, junior; Branan Lamey, senior; Devon Nesbitt, senior; Noah Perkins, sophomore

Girls 4x800 Relay

23rd Place Crittenden County

Time 11:52.35

Ryleigh Tabor, freshman; Kenlee Perryman, senior; Courtney Fulkerson, freshman; Kara Fulkerson, 8th grader

State Track & Field Meet

Keller's fifth-place finishes best for Crittenden athletes at Lexington



Kate Keller finished fifth in the 1600 meters – one-mile run – and earned her team's only points at the Kentucky Track and Field Class A Championships at Lexington late last week.

SEASON'S FINAL STATS

Crittenden County Baseball - Record 18-17

PITCHING																			
Player	IP	GP	GS	W	L	SV	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HBP	ERA	WHIP	BF	#P	TS	TB	
Ellington, Ian	35.2	10	6	3	3	2	34	26	12	17	32	6	2.35	1.43	170	608	378	230	
Adams, Trace	4.2	5	0	0	0	0	4	2	2	5	2	0	3.00	1.93	22	77	38	39	
Carlson, Maddox	25.2	6	4	2	2	0	35	21	12	8	9	4	3.27	1.68	123	380	235	145	
Brown, Briley	34.1	12	4	4	1	0	42	27	18	20	10	5	3.67	1.81	169	518	311	207	
Bailey, Logan	11.1	7	0	0	1	0	10	6	6	10	11	2	3.71	1.77	54	192	100	92	
O'Leary, Erik	29.2	13	2	4	3	1	36	35	21	19	22	5	4.96	1.85	153	516	303	213	
Riley, Peyton	30.2	10	9	2	2	0	35	35	26	34	33	8	5.94	2.25	170	617	337	280	
Carlson, Jayden	29.1	9	5	1	1	0	41	34	25	18	26	7	5.97	2.01	156	563	324	239	
McCalister, Caden	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	7.00	3.00	7	29	16	13	
Boone, Tyler	14.2	5	3	1	1	0	23	19	15	7	15	3	7.16	2.05	79	281	167	114	
Evans, Ben	9.2	4	2	1	1	0	12	12	11	5	7	3	7.97	1.76	49	153	89	64	
Totals	229.2	35	35	18	15	3	276	220	149	146	172	46	4.541	1.837	1167	3984	2327	1657	

FIELDING

Player	TC	A	PO	E	DP	FPCT
McCalister, Caden	139	22	113	4	2	.971
Boone, Tyler	51	9	40	2	3	.961
Carlson, Jayden	63	8	51	4	2	.937
Riley, Peyton	78	18	55	5	2	.936
Evans, Ben	136	23	103	10	3	.926
Winders, Braxton	40	0	37	3	2	.925
Bailey, Logan	92	38	47	7	9	.924
Mott, Gabe	34	20	11	3	0	.912
Adams, Trace	120	61	48	11	10	.908
Brown, Briley	45	2	38	5	5	.889
Carlson, Maddox	142	30	93	19	4	.866
Ellington, Ian	25	12	8	5	1	.800
O'Leary, Erik	21	5	16	0	0	1.000
Roberts, Tate	4	3	1	0	0	1.000
Beverly, Tanner	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Deboe, Daley	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Guess, Seth	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	1,017	256	683	78	17	.923

2019 CCHS ROCKETS BASEBALL BATTING STATISTICS

Player	GP	PA	AB	H	1B	2B	3B	HR	RBI	R	HBP	ROE	FC	BB	SO	AVG	OBP	SLG	OPS	SB	CS
McCalister, Caden	29	106	75	32	22	8	1	1	22	23	15	5	1	16	14	.427	.594	.600	1.194	16	4
Riley, Peyton	33	133	113	42	36	4	2	0	15	29	4	5	5	14	20	.372	.455	.442	.897	30	5
Adams, Trace	35	139	118	43	39	4	0	0	22	28	3	7	4	14	7	.364	.438	.398	.836	9	2
Bailey, Logan	22	55	44	14	14	0	0	0	4	13	0	1	2	9	6	.318	.434	.318	.752	2	1
Mott, Gabe	9	31	28	8	5	3	0	0	5	3	0	1	0	0	9	.286	.276	.393	.669	1	0
Ellington, Ian	24	72	60	17	15	2	0	0	7	10	5	3	5	3	15	.283	.362	.317	.679	2	1
Carlson, Jayden	34	131	110	31	23	4	1	3	23	25	3	11	7	15	21	.282	.374	.418	.792	11	4
Carlson, Maddox	34	127	114	32	28	4	0	0	25	17	0	4	8	13	15	.281	.354	.316	.670	5	1
Evans, Ben	34	117	107	30	28	2	0	0	19	7	2	10	5	7	15	.280	.336	.299	.635	0	1
Boone, Tyler	11	38	34	8	6	2	0	0	9	8	0	4	2	4	5	.235	.316	.294	.610	2	0
Winders, Braxton	32	97	83	17	14	3	0	0	8	22	3	3	8	11	19	.205	.320	.241	.561	12	0
O'Leary, Erik	20	58	40	8	8	0	0	0	5	10	1	3	0	15	14	.200	.429	.200	.629	2	0
Brown, Briley	14	34	32	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	1	13	.062	.091	.062	.153	1	0
Beverly, Tanner	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000	0	0
Roberts, Tate	15	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	.000	.000	.000	.000	2	1
Deboe, Daley	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000	0	0
Guess, Seth	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000	.000	0	0
Totals	35	1156	973	289	244	37	4	4	167	207	37	58	49	124	177	.297	.394	.356	.750	97	20

yard sales

Yard sale at Faye Martin's residence on 19213 Ky. 141, Sullivan, Ky., Fri. and Sat. right by the auction barn, 7 a.m.-1 p.m. both days. (1t-48-p)

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project can be obtained at the courthouse in the office of the Judge Executive. Bids must be submitted to the Crittenden County Fiscal Court at 107 S. Main St., Ste. 208 Marion, KY 42064 or by email at brittany.mardis@crittendencountyky.org, noting on the envelope or on the subject line "SEALED BID" by 8 a.m. June 20, 2019, at which time bids will be opened and read aloud during the regularly scheduled meeting of the Fiscal Court. Crittenden County Fiscal Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in accordance with KRS-45A. (1t-48-c)

legal notices

NOTICE OF PASSAGE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NUMBER 19-04 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 35: PERSONNEL POLICIES TO AMEND THE EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Marion, Kentucky, at a regular meeting held on May 28, 2019, at 5:00 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 called meeting of the City Council held on May 20, 2019, at 5:00 o'clock p.m. A summary of the Ordinance is as follows: The City will provide coverage for employees and their dependents up to a maximum amount, as determined by the City and reflected in the annual budget. Any employee prior to July 31, 2019 shall have the option of 75% employer covered cost of dependents. All employees hired on or after July 31, 2019 shall have the option of 25% employer covered cost of dependents. Specific information regarding health insurance plans available to employees should be obtained from the City Treasurer. 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. PREPARED BY: /s/ Robert B. Frazer ROBERT B. FRAZER CITY ATTORNEY FRAZER & MASSEY ATTORNEYS - AT-LAW P.O. BOX 361 MARION, KY 42064 270/965-2261 May 28, 2019 (1t-48-c)

I, Melissa Guill, Clerk of Crittenden County District Court Marion, Ky. do certify that the following has filed notice of Final Settlement: Larry Tinsley of P.O. Box 502, 113 College St., Salem, Ky. 42078 of Reba Nell Kersey, deceased, whose address was 78 Church St., Marion, Ky. 42064. The foregoing settlement is to be heard at the regular session of Crittenden District Court on July 3, 2019 at 9 a.m. All persons having exceptions to said settlements are to file same at once.

Melissa Guill, Clerk Crittenden District Court (1t-48-c)

Notice is hereby given that on May 29, 2019 Donna Jo Rushing of 10332 U.S. 60 E., Sturgis, Ky. 42459 was appointed executrix of Lula June McKinley, deceased, whose address was 10332 U.S. 60 E., Sturgis, Ky. 42459. Robert Frazer, attorney. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly proven as required by law to the executrix before the 29th day of November, 2019 and all claims not so proven and presented by that date shall be forever barred. All persons indebted to the estate of the above-named decedent, will please call and settle said debts immediately. Crittenden District Court Melissa Guill, Clerk (1t-48-c)

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION 16-CI-00005 KENTUCKY TAX BILL SERVICING, INC PLAINTIFF VS. BRUCE DAY, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF BRUCE DAY, MIDLAND FUNDING, LLC, PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC, SOUTHERN TAX SERVICES, LLC, CITY OF MARION, KENTUCKY, AND COUNTY OF CRITTENDEN, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale rendered by the Crittenden Circuit Court on October 11, 2018, I will on Friday, June 7, 2019 beginning at the hour of 10:00 A.M. at the Courthouse door in the City of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described real property located in Crittenden County, Kentucky, to-wit: Property Address: 210 Keeling Street, Marion, Kentucky 42064

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This the 22nd day of May, 2019.

Robert B. Frazer
MASTER COMMISSIONER
CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT
(2t-48-c)

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT CIVIL ACTION 18-CI-00023 Kentucky Tax Bill Servicing, Inc. PLAINTIFF VS.

Ronnie D. McKinney

LEGAL NOTICE
Commonwealth of Kentucky
Crittenden Circuit Court
Marion, KY 42064
Case No. 19-CI-00053
MAPLEVIEW CEMETERY
EX REL WENDELL ORDWAY
Plaintiff v. UNKNOWN HEIRS
OF GEORGE WILLIAM
PATTERSON, Defendants

Notice is hereby given that an action has been filed against UNKNOWN HEIRS OF GEORGE WILLIAM PATTERSON, Defendants. The subject of this action is the following land situated in Crittenden County, Kentucky, and more specifically described as follows:

Three certain burial plots located in Mapleview Cemetery, Marion, Kentucky 42064. Said lots are located adjacent to lots currently owned by Wendell Ordway with one used lot, being the resting place of Margaret Patterson, daughter of George Patterson, lying between Wendell Ordway's lots and the remaining three lots belonging to George William Patterson.

Anyone interested in this action should contact
Cobie D. Evans
Attorney at Law,
P.O. Box 99,
Smithland, KY, 42081.
(270) 928-4620

Shirley G. Nesbitt a/k/a Shirley J. Nesbitt; Unknown Spouse of Ronnie D. McKinney; Unknown Spouse of Shirley G. Nesbitt a/k/a Shirley J. Nesbitt; Southern Tax Services, LLC Capital One Bank (USA), N.A.; Farmers Bank and Trust Company; Unknown Heirs, Devisees, and Legatees of Ronnie D. McKinney

Unknown Spouses of the Unknown Heirs, Devisees, and Legatees of Ronnie D. McKinney;

Unknown Heirs, Devisees, and Legatees of Shirley G. Nesbitt a/k/a

Shirley J. Nesbitt; Unknown Spouses of the Unknown Heirs, Devisees, and Legatees of Shirley G. Nesbitt a/k/a Shirley J. Nesbitt; CACH, LLC;

Asset Acceptance, LLC; County of Crittenden, Kentucky DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF SALE By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale rendered by the Crittenden Circuit Court on the May 9, 2019, I will on Friday, June 7, 2019 beginning at the hour of 10:00 A.M. at the Courthouse door in the City of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described real property located in Crittenden County, Kentucky, to-wit:

Property Address: 801 Guy Hodge Road, Marion, Kentucky 42064

Parcel No.: 043-00-00-019.00

Subject to all restrictions, conditions, covenants and to all legal highways and easements.

THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY CONVEYED HEREIN WAS PROVIDED TO THE DRAFTSMAN BY THE PLAINTIFF AND THE DRAFTSMAN DOES NOT CERTIFY THE ACCURACY OF THE SAME NOR ANY EXISTING EASEMENTS.

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FT Registration Clerk - Must have good computer, clerical, telephone, personal relation and customer service skills. Individual must be goal oriented, able to work in fast paced environment, and complete multiple tasks with minimum supervision. Excellent communication and patient rapport are a must. Previous medical office, registration, medical billing, or collections experience is preferred. Must be flexible to work different shifts and/or weekends as necessary.

Part Time Community KPAP Site Coordinator - LHHS is a partner site for Kentucky Prescription Assistance Program (KPAP) which was created to assist Kentuckians in locating free or reduced-cost prescription drugs. This program helps the public access prescription drug programs offered by drug manufacturers, discount drug programs and discount pharmacy programs and collaborates with medical personnel and community agencies, like churches, hospitals, and social services to provide information about KPAP, identify resources and determine how the community can best assist individual's access assistance programs. The LHHS KPAP Site Coordinator will be responsible for all areas of administering this program and assisting with communication to the community. KPAP helps qualifying individuals identify sources using enhanced computer assisted technology to access and coordinate existing assistance programs offered by pharmaceutical companies to reduce paperwork and offer more direct access to these programs. Individual must have excellent personal relation skills and good computer skills. Must be able to work with KPAP Community Consultants as needed for assistance, training, and development. This position will be an employee of LHHS and entitled to PT benefits.

FT Cook/Aide 11a-7:30p Shift - Prior experience in food preparation and service preferred. Must be able to do multiple tasks in a fast paced environment.

FT CRT or RRT 6p-6a shift (36hrs) - Current KY licensure required. BLS Required, ACLS preferred. Includes shift differential for evening and night hours. Must be dependable and a Team Player.

PT Physical Therapy Assistant (24hrs) - Graduate of PTA program with current licensure required.

PT Medical Laboratory Technician Every Weekend Option Days 5am - 5:30 pm (includes 12 bonus hours for completed weekend shifts). Graduate of MLT program required. ASCP registry preferred.

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PT Housekeeper (24 hrs) - Previous experience preferred but not necessary.

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SUBMITTED PHOTO

Writing contest winners

Results from the General Federation of Woman's Clubs in Kentucky youth writing contests were presented to local participants last week at the Woman's Club of Marion. Pictured above (from left) Club President Nancy Hunt presents certificates and cash awards to Zoe Foster, Paris Foster, Caleb Combs, Jhett Wright and Paul Combs. "I am so proud these five students, who won the local competition sponsored by the Woman's Club of Marion, and all went on to place in the state competition," said Hunt. The competition was open to students in public schools and home schools in grades K-12. Wright won first place in the K-2 grade category for his short story called "Golden." Paris Foster's short story "My First Deer Hunt" won first place in the category for 3-5 graders. Zoe Foster won second place in the K- 2 grade category for her poem, "The Beach." Caleb Combs won second place in the 3-5 grade category for his poem called "Dreams." Paul Combs received second place in the 9-12 grade short story category for his entry "From the Diary of James Smith."

COMMUNITY CALENDAR/CHURCH NOTES

- The descendants of William Sullivan Duvall Sr. will meet Saturday in the Marion Baptist Church Family Life Center on East Depot Street in Marion. They will gather at 5:30 p.m. and share a potluck meal at 6 p.m. All relatives and friends are invited and welcome.

- Salem Baptist Church will be having vacation Bible school 5:30-8:30 p.m. Sunday through next Thursday with family night on Friday, June 14. You may register online at Salem Baptist.church/VBS or call (270) 988-3538 for more information.

- Pleasant Hill Regular Baptist Church off Ky. 120 on Pleasant Hill Road has adjusted its Sunday morning hours. Until Nov. 3, Sunday school

will start at 9 a.m. following by worship service at 10 a.m.

- Marion's second annual Murder Mystery, "Carnival of Carnage," will take place from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, June 15. Hosted by Community Arts Foundation, the whodunit reveal begins at 6 a.m. at Fohs Hall with dessert. Tickets

are \$10. To register, contact Kim Vince at (270) 704-1446. See ad on Page 3 for more.

- Crittenden County Lions Club Fair will begin Saturday, July 27 and run through Saturday, Aug. 3. The nightly schedule and additional details will be published as information becomes available.

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LIVINGSTON COUNTY, KY - 95.5 ACRES - \$188,612 - Property has a diverse mix of habitat types, good trail system, numerous entry points along road frontage, hunter friendly topography, a creek and planted pines.

CALDWELL COUNTY, KY - 127 ACRES - \$307,900 - Property has a diverse mix of habitat types, a good trail system and no road frontage. Loaded with deer sign! Property also has a good population of wild turkeys.

CALDWELL COUNTY, KY - 88.845 ACRES - This deer, turkey and waterfowl hunting tract is perfect for itself. CRP income generates over \$12,000 annually. Several box blinds stay with the property.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 233 ACRES - \$649,000 - Superb hunting tract with a nice lodge, CRP income, diverse blend of habitat types, gently rolling topography and a proven history of big bucks! 00

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 100 ACRES - \$222,500 - This farm is set up for livestock but is also a great hunting property. The property has several ponds, a rock bottom creek and several awesome building sites.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 40 ACRES - \$90,000 - This is an established livestock farm with great views from the hilltops. The area is known for big bucks. There is a small pond on the property and a gated entry.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 60 ACRES - \$135,000 - This livestock farm has the potential for being an excellent hunting tract. Plenty of food plot locations, pond and rock bottom creek are located on the property.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 457 ACRES - \$1,199,900 - Well-kept hunting property with a cozy home, nice yard and spacious shop. Three ponds, elevated blinds, feeders and tree stands are all located on the farm.

CALDWELL COUNTY, KY - 134 ACRES - \$321,500 - Superb hunting tract known for big bucks and big beards. Rolling topography with an ideal layout for hunting deer and wild turkey. Gated entry with internal road.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY, KY - 277 ACRES - \$629,000 - This hunting tract generates an excellent income through tillable acreage and a hunting lease. The property is full of natural whitetail and wild turkeys.

CRITTENDEN COUNTY, KY - 227 ACRES - \$1,726,000 - This large acreage hunting tract has a diverse mix of habitat types and topography and income from the tillable. Site of historic Crittenden Springs.

CALDWELL COUNTY, KY - 192.9 ACRES - \$535,000 - Beautiful log home sitting on a turn key managed hunting tract with proven big buck history, couple ponds, food plots, along with an apple and grape orchard.

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NOTICE OF PASSAGE
AND
SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NUMBER 19-03 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 18-05 – THE CITY OF MARION, KENTUCKY ANNUAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2018 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2019

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Marion, Kentucky, at a special called meeting held on May 28, 2019, at 5:00 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 called meeting of the City Council held on May 20, 2019, at 5:00 o'clock p.m. A summary of the Ordinance is as follows:

	General Fund	Water Fund	Sewer Fund	Municipal Aid ✓	LGEA Fund ✓	Rest./Motel✓	✓Total
<i>Revenues</i>							
Property Tax	329,300 311,700					243,200	
Payroll/Net Profits	520,100 485,100						
Intergovernmental Payments	191,500 193,000			61,000 60,000	5,000		
Interest & Miscellaneous	141,870 149,870	14,400 11,400	2	25,670 300	20	25	
Insurance Tax	✓192,000 182,000						
Water Sales		614,900					
Sewer Sales			460,200				
Service Chrgs.		12,000					
Penalties		15,000					
Environmental fee			340,000 210,00				
Loan Proceeds			5,000,000				
Franchise Fees	110,125						
TOTAL REVENUE	\$1,484,895 \$1,431,795	\$656,300 \$653,300	5,700,202 5,670,202	\$86,670 \$60,200	\$5,020	\$243,225	\$8,176,312 \$8,063,742
<i>Expenditures</i>							
Administration	458,021 444,021	45,850	139,776				
Appropriations	15,948						
Police Dept.	500,030 478,030						
E911 Dept.	278,122 266,122						
Fire Dept.	48,348						
Street Dept.	37,120						
Lights	78,000 73,000						
Planning/Zoning	69,055						
Building Fund							
Water Plant		354,526 344,526					
Sewer Plant			5,272,947				
System Maint./Debt		251,679	176,500 173,359				
Public Transp.				59,700	8,000		
Tourism						\$243,225	
TOTAL EXP.	\$1,484,644 \$1,431,644	652,055 642,055	5,589,223 5,585,982	\$59,700	\$8,000	\$243,225	\$8,036,847 \$7,970,606
Projected Net Increase (Decrease):	\$251 \$151	4,245 11,245	110,979 84,220	\$26,970 \$500	(2,980)	0	139,465 93,126

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.

PREPARED BY:
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