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## NEWS

## **ANOTHER STORE SEEKS CITY ALCOHOL LICENSE**

Two stores in Marion began legally selling beer and malt beverages for the first time since 1936, and this week, CVS announced it will be applying for licenses to sell both package liquor and malt beverages like beer. Marion Discount Tobacco has also applied for the same licenses. The licenses for liquor stores are not expected to be awarded by the state until late this year or early 2020.

The owners of Marion's country club are also applying for a license to sell at the golf course.

A story in last week's issue of The Crittenden Press stated that Five Star Food Mart and Ideal Market in Marion did not apply for a Sunday license to sell alcohol. However, both outlets have purchased licenses and been approved for Sunday sales.

# **CHAMBER AGAIN HOSTS** FARM TO TABLE DINNER

Want a taste of Crittenden County? Try the annual Farm to Table Dinner next Thursday. It's sponsored by Crittenden County Chamber of Commerce and will be held at the recently-opened Crittenden County Lions Club Agriculture Building at the fairgrounds. The event celebrates local farmers and businesses as most of the items used to prepare the meal are grown or produced locally. Dinner plans are for a Mexican-themed meal. The event starts at 6:30 p.m. and will include outdoor dining if weather permits. Tickets are \$75 a couple or \$40 each.

# ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOL **DISTRICT UP TO 1,441**

# **Dollar General eyes 2nd local store**

STAFF REPORT Dollar General Corp. is

considering a second retail outlet in town. Angela Petkovic, public re-

lations coordinator for the chain of variety stores headquartered in Goodlettsville, Tenn., confirmed Friday that Marion is being eyed for a new outlet in addition to the one located at the north edge of

town on Sturgis Road.

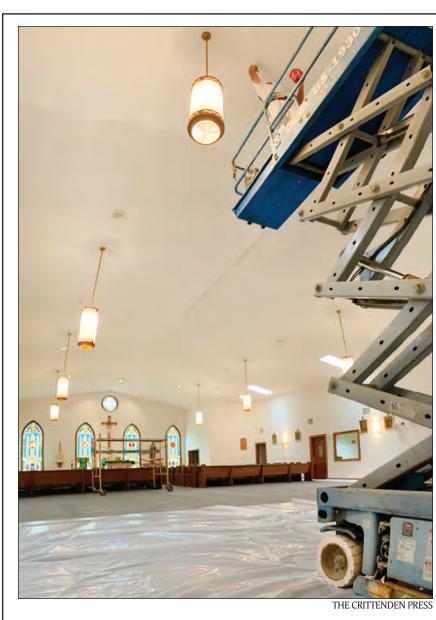
"At this time, we are currently in due diligence phase for a new Dollar General in Marion, Ky., that would be located off South Main Street," Petkovic told The Crittenden Press. "This means we are reviewing the opportunity to add a new store in the area, but we have not committed to doing so just yet."

Petkovic said that based on the corporation's current timeline, a final decision should be reached by spring of next year.

The store on Sturgis Road opened in late 2008 after moving from a location downtown. There are also two Dollar General stores with 10 miles of Crittenden County Courthouse in Salem and Fredonia and another 13 within 25 miles in Sturgis, Eddyville, Clay, Dixon, Dawson Springs, Smithland, Grand Rivers, Kuttawa, Princeton and Providence in Kentucky and Golconda and Rosiclare in Illinois. Eddyville currently has two stores.

"When choosing store loca-

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MADISONVILLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE Bonita Hatfield of Marion was recently honored by Madisvonille Community College Board of Directors Chairman Dr. Alan Thorner for her service on the board.

# **MCC board** recognizes Hatfield

#### STAFF REPORT

Former Crittenden County teacher and longtime Madisonville Community College (MCC) supporter Bonita Hatfield was recently recognized for distinguished service as a member of the MCC Board of Directors. Hatfield, who lives in Marion, is stepping down from the board after 19 years of dedicated service to the college. 'Bonita has been a great board member and advocate for the college," said Dr. Alan Thorner, board chair, in thanking Hatfield for her service. "We appreciate her service and her leadership over the years. It has made a difference in Crittenden

Led by large kindergarten and eighth-grade classes with 135plus students, enrollment in Crittenden County Schools is almost 1,441 students. Assistant Superintendent of Schools Tonya Driver announced enrollment figures for the new academic year at last Thursday's board of education meeting. Enrollment at CCES was 697, including preschool: 357 at CCMS: and 387 at CCHS. "Enrollment is on the upswing, and that's good news," Driver said.

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

- Crittenden Fiscal Court will convene at 8:30 a.m. today (Thursday) for a special meeting at the courthouse to approve a flex agreement with the state for road aid and the appointment of a Caldwell County veterinarian for participation in the county's spay/neuter program.

- Crittenden County Board of **Education** has changed its next working session to 5:30 p.m. next Thursday at Rocket Arena.

- Crittenden County Board of **Education** has changed its next meeting time to 5:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 16 at CCES. A tour of the school begins at 5 p.m.





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# **Freshening up**

Local contractor Randy Book spent much of last week patching and repainting the inside of St. William Catholic Church as part of a renovation project. Ceilings and walls in the sanctuary and entrance area are among segments of the church being treated. The church, located on South Main Street in Marion, is the only Catholic church in the county and part of the Diocese of Owensboro. Father John Okoro has served as priest at the church for the last year.

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# Maddux, Shemwell merge vet practices

STAFF REPORT

Libby Maddux has brought her veterinary practice home, and recently has announced the official merger of services with a longtime mentor at Crittenden County Animal Clinic.

Maddux, who operated Maddux Equine in Caldwell County, has joined Dr. Thomas Shemwell and is

working in the same building she frequented when Shemwell treated her pets. She developed an interest in caring for animals under Shemwell and later spent summers working at the clinic before graduating in 2007 from veterinary school

at the University of Auburn. "I'm glad Libby is here, and



Maddux

Shemwell has no in-

tentions of retiring. "I still enjoy what I do, I want to keep on as long as I can do a decent iob."

Shemwell said. "But time catches up with everybody, and it's a good feeling to know it's going to be in good hands when I can no longer do what I need to.'

Maddux has extensive experience in equine health and will continue to care for horses at the Animal Clinic in addi-

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# Families of Vietnam KIAs sought for Wall honor

#### STAFF REPORT

Local leaders are looking for the families of Vietnam War dead.

The Traveling Kentucky Vietnam Wall is coming to Marion Friday, Sept. 27 through Sunday, Sept. 29, and those organizing the attraction and its opening ceremony want to recognize families of at least five men from Crittenden County who were killed in action during the conflict which raged from 1955 to 1975 in southeast Asia.

Pfc. Bobby J. Jennings, Spc. Charles L. Doom, Pfc. Johnny W. Lindsey, Spc. Leon Beard and Maj. Billy Joe Williams are the men from this community who are known to have died as a result of hostile actions during the war. A sixth, Spc. James. K.

Hughes, grew up in Crittenden County, but entered the Army from Lawrenceville, Ill.

"Being Hughes enlisted in Illinois, he will not be listed on the Kentucky wall," Jack Mattingly, organizer of the wall's appearances, said from its display in Winchester over Labor Day weekend.

The wall contains the names of 1,105 Kentuckians who died during the war.

Marion Main Street Inc. headed up the effort to bring the memorial wall to Marion, with Crittenden County Historical Society contributing to keep the wall in Marion a third day. Susan Alexander, Main Street executive director, says that families of most of the war dead are known to those organizing the event,

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PHOTO COURTESY OF JACK MATTINGLY The Traveling Kentucky Vietnam Wall will be coming to Marion later this month. The wall contains the names of 1,105 Kentuckians killed in the war, including five from Crittenden County. The exhibit will appear at Marion Commons Sept. 27-29.

# **Courthouse chairlift issues hamper accessibility**

STAFF REPORT

A chair lift installed more than 20 years ago at Crittenden County Courthouse to help people

with mobility issues access county offices has again been hobbled.

Judge-Executive Perry Newcom in an email early Friday afternoon to law-

makers, magistrates and public employees who utilize the courthouse reported the aging chairlift was once again inoperable. Since being installed

Williams

in the courthouse in the 1990s, the machinery at the rear entrance of the building has on multiple \_\_\_\_\_\_ occasions broken

> down. "As you can tell, I am very frustrated with what we are forced to deal with regarding handicap access to our facility," Newcom said in his email.

Paducah Elevator was scheduled to begin looking at the lift Wednesday morning.

"I'm hopeful it is a sim-

ple fix, but based on this history of the lift, I am not overly optimistic," Newcom added.

In mid-2015, 5th Judicial Circuit Judge Rene Williams was forced to delay a civil trial until the equipment could be fixed.

"Yes, it is frustrating and unfortunate that the citizens of Crittenden county have to endure this," Williams replied to Newcom's email. "I am always hopeful that those that have the power to provide relief for this situation will take steps to do

is so."

Early in last year's legislative session, money was included in the state's biennial budget for upgrades to the antiquated courthouse, but the funding was pulled late in the session by the Senate. Built in 1961, no level of the courthouse is accessible without utilizing stairs. No elevator or lift of any type was included with initial construction. But the Americans with Disabilities Act passed in 1990 led to the eventual installation of the current chairlift,

which is just large enough for a wheelchair and operator to access all three levels of the building.

"I certainly hope the money we had taken away in the last budget was put to good use and filled a need that was greater than ours," Newcom said.

Because of the equipment's age, it has become increasingly difficult for the county to find parts to repair the chairlift.

"The elevator company has been called, but they warned it could be next Wednesday before they could get here to look it over," the judge-executive said, warning that it could be several days before repairs could be made. "As always, we will make every possible attempt to accommodate needs as they present themselves, and we will make every attempt to expedite repairs if needed."

Inside the courthouse, the basement houses the PVA office and is where voting takes place, the first level is where offices are located or the second-story courtroom.

# 3 charged with stealing property

Crittenden County Sheriff's Department has recovered what it says was a large amount of stolen property, and three people now face criminal charges.

On Monday, Deputy Ray Agent arrested Kenneth Woodall, 48, and his wife, Bonnie Rushing-Woodall, 60, both of Marion at their home. A third man, James M. Pigg, 38, of Marion was not arrested, but cited to court to face charges. All three are charged with felony receiving stolen property. Pigg faces an additional count of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

The deputy said a tip about the investigation into two burglaries at the same home on Ky. 91 North led to this week's charges. Recovered was a large cache of household items and a .50-caliber muzzleloader. Court records also say that Pigg was also in possession of a .22-caliber rifle.

The home on Ky. 91 where the property was allegedly missing from had been unoccupied but fully furnished for a few weeks prior to the burglaries.

# School trips get slightly costlier

Extracurricular trips are getting a little more expensive for school groups in Crittenden County.

At last Thursday's board of education meeting, the per-mile fuel charge for trips utilizing buses was increased three nickels to 70 cents. Teams and organizations pay that amount to the school district. The rate was made effective Sunday to help offset costs to run buses on academic, athletic and other enrichment trips.

Transportation Director Wayne Winters said it costs the school district about \$2 per mile to run a bus.

# District saves big per school nurse

The cost of providing on-site health care to Crittenden County students got a little cheaper.

At last week's board of

education meeting, the
district accepted an
amended contract with
Graves County Health Department to provide two
school nurses for all 1,441
students – Cindy Roberts
at the elementary school
and Brandy Whitney
shared by the middle and

high schools. The rate of \$70,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, was a decline of \$5,000 per nurse.

The discount is the result of the General Assembly in a special session this summer freezing the pension contribution health departments pay into the retirement system based on payroll. Lawmakers voted to keep the rate at 49 percent instead of 83 percent set by previous legislation.

# City appoints 12 to various boards

Marion City Council last Thursday confirmed a dozen mayoral appointments to its various boards, including:

- Marion Board of Adjustment: Paja Crider, Mike Crabtree and Julie

#### Tinsley.

**NEWS BRIEFS** 

- Marion Code Board staggered terms: Eddie Lee Belt and Jim Estes, threeyear terms; and Natalie Morrison, two-year term.

- Marion Planning Board staggered terms: Joe Hunt and Gary Baulos, three-year terms; and Bill Frazer and Randy Dunn, two-year terms; and Ray Agent and Paul Belt, one-year terms.

# Water OK on bus in heat advisory

A waiver in Crittenden County Board of Education policy will allow students to better fend off the heat while on the bus.

At last week's board meeting, a policy prohibiting drinks on buses was amended to allow bottled water on hot days with a superintendent recommendation. District Director of Transportation Wayne Winters advised that water will be allowed only on days when a heat advisory is issued.

"The National Weather Service ultimately makes that decision," Winters said.

# **County jobless rate steady in July 2019**

The July 2019 unemployment rate in Crittenden County remained steady at 5.3 percent from the previous July, while the jobless rate rose in all but 21 Kentucky counties, according to the Kentucky Center for Statistics. Meantime, the rate fell in Livingston County from July 2018 to last month.

The lowest jobless rate in the Commonwealth at 3.7 percent in Woodford County. For the first time since November 2014, Magoffin County did not record the state's highest unemployment rate. Last month, Harlan County registered the top percentage of unemployed workers at 13.1 percent, soaring from 8.9 percent in June 2019 due to the closure of coal mines. Magoffin County was second at an even 13 percent.

Below are the jobless rates for select counties from the state's low in February to the highest, with rates for Crittenden and surrounding counties included between.

AREA	JULY 2019		
U.S	4.0%	3.8%	
Kentucky	5.1%	4.9%	4.7%
Pennyrile Region			
COUNTIES			
Woodford (1)	3.7%	3.4%	3.5%
Webster	4.7%	4.6%	4.3%
Crittenden	5.3%	5.2%5.3	%
Lyon	5.4%	5.2%	5.0%
Union			
Caldwell			
Livingston	5.9%	5.7%	6.7%
Harlan (120)			

Kentucky's county unemployment rates and employment levels are not seasonally adjusted because of small sample sizes. Employment statistics undergo sharp fluctuations due to seasonal events such as weather changes, harvests, holidays and school openings and closings. Seasonal adjustments eliminate these influences and make it easier to observe statistical trends.

# **City, school board lower 2019 tax rates** STAFF REPORT erty owners. The tax rate, rate calculated by the may have occurred in the

Marion City Council and Crittenden County Schools on Thursday set their property tax rates for 2019. Each body lowered its levies, but expects to collect more revenue.

The city is looking for a 2 percent increase in revenue with its 23-cent per \$100 valuation on real erty owners. The tax rate, 1.3 cents less than the 2018 levy, was set at a special meeting held just before 5 p.m. Thursday.

The city council also set the personal property rate at 31.05 cents per \$100 valuation and motor vehicles at 22.9 cents.

Less than two hours later, Crittenden County

rate calculated by the state to generate approximately the same revenue as the previous year. By lowering rates a penny per \$1,000 valuation for the current year, the board expects to collect \$100,371 more in combined revenue on real and personal property at 48.6 cents per \$100 valuation.

The rate takes into ac-

may have occurred in the filing status of taxpayers' property from one billing cycle to another.

The board also set the personal property rate at 48.6 cents per \$100 valuation, which is down from 48.7 cents; and 54.1 cents for motor vehicles, unchanged from the previous year.

County tax rates from



property, anticipating \$211,885 from the tax bills that will be mailed next month to city prop-

Board of Education set its rates for this year's tax bills, accepting what is called the compensating count exonerations, which are calculated through a formula that considers changes that the Extension service and board of health are yet to be set, but must be done by Friday.

#### Wed., Sept. 11 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Community is welcome to participate. Western Kentucky Regional Bl∳od Center <sup>1902 South Virginia St.,</sup> Hopkinsville, Ky. 42240 Toll Free (888) 684-9296

# Smithland U.S. 60 bridge repairs expidited

#### STAFF REPORT

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KyTC) has issued an expedited bid request for repair work on the U.S. 60 Cumberland River Bridge at Smithland in Livingston County.

An emergency quote request was issued last week that provides contractors with a 10-day window to present proposals for repairs to a stringer damaged by overweight trucks crossing the structure, also known as the Lucy Jefferson Memorial Bridge. Bids are due Friday.

Once a group of preapproved bridge repair contractors present bids on the required work, the KyTC Division of Purchases will review submissions and award the contract to the lowest bidder. When that process is completed, KyTC District 1 engineers estimate that once steel supports required to return the bridge to normal load limits are fabricated, work could begin in about two weeks. The Transportation Cabinet will provide timely notice of work zone lane restrictions to facilitate the work once the successful bidder provides a start date and timeline for the repairs. Once the repairs are completed, the bridge is expected to return to prior load limits around the end of November.

Reduced load limits were posted for the 88year-old U.S. 60 span over the Cumberland River on July 24 after inspectors determined a stringer below the bridge deck had been damaged by overweight trucks crossing the structure. The reduced load rating represents a 3to 8-ton reduction for most truck classes. The load limit is posted at each end of the bridge structure. Individual truck drivers are responsible for obeying the load restrictions.

KyTC engineers have worked with law enforcement agencies to provide more diligent monitoring of truck traffic crossing the bridge while the reduced limits are in place.



# HATFIELD

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#### County."

Hatfield joined MCC's board after a lengthy career in education in Crittenden County. She started her teaching career in 1971 and taught science at the middle school. She was known for encouraging students to challenge themselves with rigorous courses in math and science, as she believed these best prepared them for postsecondary education.

"My agenda is to make affordable, accessible education available to people in Crittenden County and to train our workforce, especially training specific to the demands of the region's industries," Hatfield once said of her board service. "I'm not a product of the community college system, but I'm a firm believer in the concept of community colleges and demographics that allow non-traditional students to obtain college degrees."

She retired from the school system in 1997 and was initially appointed to the college's board of directors in 2000. She served a term as chair for the board, from 2006 to 2009, and was active as a capital campaign division chair.

During the 2006 "Ful-

filling the Promise Campaign," she and her late husband Jim established the Hatfield Family Endowment to support Crittenden County graduates attending MCC. She remained a strong advocate for private support, believing that local colleges, school systems, hospitals and community foundations all rely to some degree on private support in order to achieve quality programming.

# STORE

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tions, meeting customers' needs is Dollar General's top priority," Petkovic said. "The company looks for places where we can offer customers an easy and convenient shopping choice. We know convenience is a major factor in our customers' shopping decisions, as we generally serve customers within a 3- to 5-mile radius, or 10 minute drive. We also take demographic trends, competitive factors, traffic patterns and community concerns into consideration."

Altogether, Dollar General has more than 15,000 outlets in 44 states.

The spokeswoman said the store would employ approximately six to 10 workers, depending on the individual needs of the store. She said anyone interested in joining the retailer may apply for available positions at DollarGeneral.com/careers.

Dollar General, one of America's fastest-growing retailers, sells namebrand and private brand merchandise such as health and beauty products, home cleaning supplies, housewares, stationery, seasonal items and basic clothing. Stores also sell an assortment of packaged foods, as well as some refrigerated foods and frozen foods. Some outlets sell fresh produce. Financial. Investments<sup>1</sup> 401(k) Rollovers<sup>2</sup> Retirement Planning **Representatives** Local expertise We answer to you We give back to your community Discounts<sup>3</sup> for today and benefits<sup>4</sup> for when you need help most **Start Rogers** Financial Representative **Start Rogers** Financial Representative **Start Start** 

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# **County officials, Amish still seeking road solution**

STAFF REPORT

A meeting last Thursday between county officials and local Amish elders came far from providing solutions to road damage caused by horse and buggy traffic in Crittenden County, but it gave both interests an opportunity to get on the same page with their concerns.

Five leaders from the county's Amish community accepted Judge-Executive Perry Newcom's invitation to attend a meeting of the county's road committee to share

information about possible ways to address to "troughing" caused by repeated horse traffic on asphalt. About 90 minutes of cordial and frank discussion yielded no definitive answers, but most concluded the problem of the depressions created down the center of road lanes is related to the quality of today's asphalt.

The damage has become a major concern for magistrates charged with maintaining the county's 370 miles of roadways while seeking a balance so as not to interfere with the Amish community's way of life. The issue of troughing is widespread, found in states from Delaware to Iowa, with each seeking its own solution to protect the investment of public roadways for both motorists and religious communities who rely on horse and buggy for their primary mode of travel.

Local Amish fit their buggy horses with shoes outfitted with spikes what they refer to as drill tec – for traction on the county's hilly terrain, something they cannot safely do without. None of roadways. But based on the elders present at last week's meeting denied the problem of troughing created by their mode of travel. And each pledged to do what they can to find an amicable remedy.

"I wish we had a solution for you, but we don't," said Raymond R. Byler. "You can do more research with your computers.'

One possible solution brought forward is requiring a license tag for Amish buggies, charging as much as \$100 annually help pay for repairs to an estimated two buggies per the 85 or so families in the local community. the licensing would generate only \$17,000. That would likely pave about a quarter-mile of county roadways.

"I don't think most people would be opposed to it," said Byler. "Some will gripe, but most people are going to gripe about something.'

"If you go with a license, most people are going to be more opposed to putting that tag on their buggy than paying

that tax," added Herman Yoder.

The county will continue to look at studies and consider possible solutions while maintaining an open dialogue with Amish leaders. They are all in agreement they want to find an equitable solution to the problem.

"You are some of the best neighbors I've had,' said Magistrate Dave Belt, whose district is home to many Amish families. "We don't want to impede anyone trying to make a living. We don't want you to leave."

# Jury finds Tolu man guilty of possessing stolen community center infield clay mix

#### STAFF REPORT

A Tolu man was found guilty last Wednesday in district court of utilizing for his own purposes about \$150 worth of infield clay stored for use on the softball diamond at a nearby community center. His sentence cost him more than three times the value of the dirt.

A Crittenden District Court jury of six took just 12 minutes of deliberation to find Robert N. Sherer, 36, guilty of receiving stolen property related to the early November 2018 theft of an estimated 3,000 pounds of a special mixture of red clay and

sand that has been used on the recently renovated softball field at the old school, now a community center.

Sherer, of Water Street in Tolu, was not accused of stealing the property in this case clay – of Tolu Community Center, but instead, using it for a walkway from his front door to his driveway.

Two witnesses took the stand against Sherer, while he was the only witness called by his public defender. No one saw Sherer take the dirt, but what was believed to be the missing portion from a pile stored at the community center was reportedly seen by Tolu residents Barkley Hughes and Barrett Sherer, a distant relative of the defendant.

The defendant Sherer was ordered to pay a fine of \$250 and court costs along with restitution in the value of \$250 to the community center.

The jury, which could have sentenced the man to a year in jail and/or up to \$500 on the misdemeanor, opted for the maximum fine only. Fifth Judicial District Judge Daniel Heady amended the sentence to split the cost and restitution upon agreement by counselors.

The defendant was already on probation after pleading guilty to an April 2018 fourth-degree assault charge and a November 2018 third-degree terroristic threatening charge against Barrett Sherer. His probated combined sentences of 15 months could still be revoked.

Had he pled guilty to the receiving stolen property charge instead of choosing to go to a rare criminal trial in district court, according to Crittenden County Attorney Rebecca Johnson, jail time would have been imminent.



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# James recognized

Second-grade teacher Daphne James (right) was named the ROCKET Way Certified Employee of the Month for August at last Thursday's meeting of Crittenden County Board of Education. The presentation was made by Assistant Superintendent of Schools Tonya Driver, also pictured. "She has gone above and beyond for years," Driver said. "She loves (her students) and gives more than 100 percent every day."

### **NOTICE OF PASSAGE AND** SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NUMBER 19-09 AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE TAX LEVY FOR THE YEAR OF 2019

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Marion, Kentucky, at it's special called meeting held on Aug. 29, 2019, at 4:45 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 a regular called meeting of the City Council held on Aug. 19, 2019, at 5 p.m. A summary of the Ordinance is as follows:

# 'Shop with cop' goal of FOP fundraisers

#### STAFF REPORT

Hoping to eventually help children with their Christmas wish lists, local enforcement law have organized two fundraisers for the coming months.

Pennyrile Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) Lodge No. 81 will be having a little Martin fun with authority

month's at this Pumpkin Festival. According to lodge President Heath Martin, the fundraiser on Saturday, Sept. 28 will allow residents to "lock up" a friend, family member or maybe even a public official. Pranksters can purchase a warrant for \$5 for someone's arrest. The accused can then bond out for \$10 or sit for 10 minutes to regain freedom. No one can be locked up more

than three times. "That was done several years ago,"

said Martin, a sergeant with Marion Police Department. A bit more tradi-

tional, the FOP is selling chances at a Savage .30-06 rifle and scope or the Cajun Sucker Punch Ready 2 Fish bowfishing kit. Tickets will be on sale through early December, and the winner will be announced at the annual Christmas parade in Marion on Dec.

Until then, Martin said the two items will be on display at Hodge Outdoor Sports in Marion. Tickets can be purchased for \$10 from any FOP member or at Crittenden County sheriff's office. Ticket's may also be purchased at the sporting goods store.

"A common interest among the whole group is to help the kids in our community, the less fortunate," Martin said. "We would like to eventually be able to do something like (shop with a cop)."

Because they have been active only a few months, Martin said raising enough money for this year's holiday season may not be a realistic goal.

"Our main goal is to try to get to that point," he said.

The FOP has already held a local corn hole tournament and hopes to organize a disc golf tournament.

The local lodge has about 30 members. The lodge will be open to current and former employees of Marion Police Department, Crittenden County Sheriff's Department and Crittenden **County Detention Center** as well as coroners, Commonwealth's attorneys, county attorneys, city attorneys, constables and even firemen. And membership is not restricted to Crittenden County.

# Some hemp farmers can acquire insurance coverage

This Ordinance levies an ad valorem tax on each One

KENTUCKY TODAY

One more clue that hemp is becoming more mainstream as a crop for Kentucky farmers is news from the U.S. Department of Agriculture that certain hemp growers may obtain insurance coverage under the Whole-Farm Revenue Protection Program in 2020.

The USDA's Risk Management Agency has announced coverage for hemp grown for fiber, flower or seeds, which will be available to producers who are in areas covered by USDA-approved hemp plans, or who are part of approved

state or university research pilot programs. "Numerous producers

are anxious for a way to protect their hemp crops from natural disasters,' said Risk Management Administrator Agency Martin Barbre. "The Whole Farm Revenue Protection policy will provide a safety net for them. We expect to be able to offer additional hemp coverage options as USDA continues implementing the 2018 Farm Bill.'

Whole Farm Revenue Protection allows coverage of all revenue for commodities produced on a farm up to a total in-

sured revenue of \$8.5 million. It is popular for specialty crops, organic commodities and nontraditional crops.

The 2018 Farm Bill amended the Controlled Substances Act to address how industrial hemp is to be defined and regulated at the federal level, and those modifications cleared the way for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation to offer policies for it. The Farm Bill defines hemp as containing 0.3 percent or less tetrahydrocannabinol on a dry weight basis.

"This is an important step toward reviving the



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# 'Bug and His Light'

Kaitlyn (left) and Addison McElroy enjoy lightning bug-themed arts and crafts Saturday at Crittenden County Public Library as their mother Kelly McElroy lends and hand and Betty Brantley looks on with her grandson Judd Beverly immersed in his own crafts. Brantley, an author of three children's books, was celebrating the release of her third title, "The Bug and His Light," with a book signing and reading for a room full of children and parents.

hemp industry in the United States," said Kentucky Ag Commissioner Quarles. "We are grateful to the Risk Management Agency and Administrator Barbre for providing this opportunity for hemp growers to protect their investment.'

Hundred Dollar of Fair Cash value of the below listed property in the City of Marion, Kentucky:

- \$0.230 per One Hundred Dollars: Real Property
- \$0.3105 per One Hundred Dollars: Personal Property
- \$0.230 per One Hundred Dollars: Public Utilities
- \$0.229 per One Hundred Dollars: Motor Vehicles
- \$0.229 per One Hundred Dollars: Motor Boats

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.

## Dr. Thomas Shemwell is pleased to welcome Dr. Elizabeth A. Maddux to Crittenden County Animal Clinic.

Criffenden County Animal Clim

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# Gaming app promotes Ky. Trust for Life

STAFF REPORT

Trust for Life, the charitable arm of the Kentucky Association of Circuit Court Clerks and Kentucky-based Marketing agency Power, have introduced an innovative new smart phone digital gaming app Life Lift. While geared toward millennials, the app is available for all Android and iPhone users at no charge. Life Lift is intended to educate and promote awareness around organ, eve and tissue donation for all ages.

'Trust for Life is embracing innovation and the rapid change towards electronic education and conversations," said Crit-Circuit tenden Clerk Melissa Guill. "With our mission to increase donor registration and help the children and adults of Kentucky on the waiting list, we're proud to make accessible education where people are spending so much of their time, on their smart phones."

An air drop/timebased game, Life Lift is similar in nature to action style games with an endless runner style, featuring air transport and drop off of organs to hospitals; races against time and navigation through obstacles like clouds, birds, water towers, etc., to deliver organs and save lives. Different aircraft types and characters are unlocked as players proceed through the game.

While this engaging and creative app may be a gaming concept, it's not just a game; it's about real life. Life Lift teaches the urgency of donation, the crucial need for organs. and the shortage of those organs.

# Sunderland

James Lindley Sunderland, 87, of West Paducah died Tuesday, Aug. 27, 2019, at Baptist Health Paducah.

He was a reengineer tired and a veteran of the U.S. Army. During his military career, he served as an MP in Wurzburg, Germany.

Sunderland is survived by his wife of 18 years, Miguelina Bermudez Sunderland of West Paducah; a son. Michael Sunderland of Salem; three daughters Sonja Sunderland of West Paducah, Wanda Sunderland of Evansville, Ind... and Shelia Lindsay of Paducah; a stepson, Francisco Vasconez of Ecuador; four stepdaughters, Maria L. Vasconez of Ecuador, Isabel Curtis of Florida. Maria E. Azocar of Chile and Miguelina Young of Paducah; three sisters, Lela Lester of Salem, Charlene Sunderland of Burna and Edna Edmiston of Paducah; a brother, Carmon Sunderland of Paducah; three grandchildren, Valeria Vasconez, Bill Lindsay and Henry Lindsay; and several nieces, nephews, great-grandchildren and step-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, James L. Sunderland II; a sister, Wilma Hombirg; two brothers, J.C. Sunderland and Glenn Sunderland: and his parents, Charles and Lottie Myrick Sunderland.

Funeral services were Saturday in the chapel of Boyd Funeral Directors and Cremation Services. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: Martha's Vineyard, c/o Boyd Funeral Directors and Cremation Services. P.O. Box 26, Salem, KY 42078.



## Willingham

Ronald Willingham, 67, of Marion died Thursday, Aug. 29, 2019, at Crittenden Community Hospital in Marion.

He is survived by his wife, Sandy Willingham of а

Marion; son, Brian (Catherine) Willingham of Marion; a daughter, Lisa (Dennis) Green of

Willingham Lake of Four Seasons, Ind.; four grandchildren, Jared Green of Colorado, Lucas Green and Wyatt Green, both of Indiana, and Ty Murphy Willingham of Marion; his mother, Emma Nell Willingham of Marion; three brothers, Kenneth (Bernie) Willingham of Oak Lawn, Ill.. Russell Willingham of Chicago and Dale (Natalie) Willingham of Marion; and a sister, Wanda "Sis" Willingham of Oak Forrest, Ill.

Willingham was preceded in death by his father, Murphy Willingham, and sister-in-law, Judi Willingham.

A graveside service was held Sunday at the Willingham Family Cemetery. Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of arrangements.

# Howerton

Linnie Howerton, 86, of Newburgh, Ind., died Thursday, Aug. 29, 2019, at Deaconess Hospital in Evansville Ind.

She was a member of Repton Baptist Church.

Howerton is survived by a son, Donald Howerton of Newburgh; a brother, Kenneth (Helen) Wilson of Marion; and two sisters, Sue (Darrel) Little of Bloomington, Ind., and Lera "Virgie" Collins of Marion.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James T. and Velva Irene Wilson, and her husband, Roy Wilson Howerton.

A graveside service was held Tuesday at Repton Cemetery, where Howerton was laid to rest.

Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of arrangements.

## Jackson

William Jackson, 92, of Marion died Friday, Aug 30, 2019, at Crittenden County Health and Rehab Center in Marion. He was preceded in death by his mother, Juanita Jackson, and two brothers, Robert Jackson and Jim Jackson. Graveside services were Tuesday at New Bethel Cemetery.

#### Glickauf

Shirley Harden Glickauf, 93, of Robinson, Ill., died Thursday, Aug. 29, 2019, at Cotillion Ridge in Robinson.

She was born May 9, 1926, in Chicago, where she grew up. She was a graduate of Senn High School in Chicago. Her first marriage took her to Kentucky and southern Illinois, but she eventually moved back to Chicago, where she sold real estate. She continued to do so in Robinson after moving there in 2004. She retired in 2007.

Glickauf is survived by two daughters, Judy (Edward) Massof of Shelby Township, Mich., and Dolly (Roy) Leon Robinson of Robinson; five grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren: and three great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in

death by her parents, Edward Rieke and Evelyn Barbaras Rieke; her first husband, William Harold Harden; her second husband, Rudy Glickauf; a brother, Jack Rieke; and adaughter, Mary Evelyn Harden.

There was no public service, and her cremated remains will be interred in the White Chapel Cemetery in Salem.

Goodwine Funeral Home in Robinson was in charge of arrangements.

# King

Iretha Cordelia King, 85, died Thursday, Aug. 29, 2019, at Crittenden County Health and Rehabilitation Center in Marion.

She was a devout University of Kentucky basketball fan, loved gardening and her dog Lucky.

King is survived by two cousins, Kay Grimes and Nancy Croft, both of Marion.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Atchison F. and Naoma Hughes King, and an infant brother

Graveside services were Tuesday at Freedom Cemetery.

Myers Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of arrangements.





## DOOM Army: 1966-67

Born: March 1, 1946 Died: May 3, 1967 in non-hostile vehicle crash in South Vietnam



Born: March 27, 1947 Died: March 9, 1969 by hostile small arms in Tay Ninh, South Vietnam

# VIETNAM

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but others are not. They are hoping to track down those family members and invite them to a reception following the opening ceremonies on Sept. 27.

The wall will actually be arriving in Marion on Thursday, Sept. 26. Law enforcement, first responders and other civil and military groups will be escorting the wall from the county line to Marion Commons in front of city hall where it will be tem-

# PFC BOBBY

Born: July 24, 1943 **Died**: Feb. 7, 1967 from hostile ground fire in Tay Ninh, South Vietnam



PFC JOHNNY W LINDSEY Army: 1967-68

Born: July 12, 1945 Died: Jan. 19, 1968 from hostile ground fire in Kontum, South Vietnam



#### MAJ BILLY JOE WILLIAMS Army: 1962-70

Born: Nov. 23, 1929 Died: May 6, 1970 by hostile artillery in Quang Tri, South Vietnam

porally erected for viewing.

Marion Tourism Commission, Henry & Henry Monuments and Crittenden County Detention Center have also partnered to help sponsor the wall's appearance in Marion

City hall parking lot will be closed from 2 p.m. Sept. 26 through Sept. 29.

The Pumpkin Festival, the Crittenden County Chamber of Commerce's annual celebration of fall, will be held the same weekend.



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# Shewcraft honored

Vanessa Shewcraft (right) was named the ROCKET Way Classified Employee of the Month for August at last Thursday's meeting of Crittenden County Board of Education. The presentation was made by Assistant Superintenden of Schools Tonya Driver, also pictured. "I cannot say enough good things about her," said Director of Pupil Personnel Diana Lusby, who leaned on the central office secretary for help in her first year of taking on that role. "I would have never made it without her last year."

Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion was in charge of arrangements.





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Cardiology Rashelle Perryman, APRN Monday, Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 4, 11, 18, 25

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Friday, Sept. 6, 13, 20, 27

1-4 p.m.

Rheumatology

Dr. Cara Hammonds

Tuesday, Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24

8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

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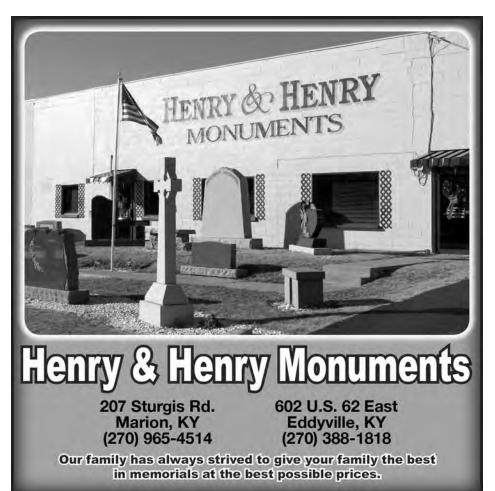
Dr. James Hawkins, Otolaryngologist Thursday, Sept. 12, 26 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

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# Medical Office Building



**General Surgery** Dr. Demetrius Patton Justin Lewis, PA Monday, Sept. Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

> Hematology/Oncology Dr. Wederson Claudino Tuesday, Sept. 3, 10, 17, 24 10 a.m.-2 p.m.



**Crittenden Community Hospital** 

#### If you need Burkhart Clinic records, they are available at Crittenden Community Hospital Medical Records department

# In celebration of Labor, let's not forget it goes with wisdom

Have you put a tool in the hands of a teenager lately . . . any tool; hammer, screwdriver, knife, drill, shovel? I could stretch that to most people under the age of 25. Ok, it could be anyone. It will soon become obvious whether they know how to use it or not, just by the way they hold it. This is equally true with driving a boat, a tractor, a motorcycle, or any other vehicle. And we can extend this to how people interact with their environment when it needs to be manipulated for better use – as in building something, remodeling a room, moving something, or repairing something broken.

This knowledge of tools and manipulating one's environment is learned through watching and practice. One of the greatest gifts to give another person is a skill in using tools to make something that is useful or brings joy. This is gaining wisdom and passing wisdom on to others. Wisdom is not only personified by an ancient person sitting quietly and doling out pithy proverbs, it is also personified by

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have a mark or two left on them. Wisdom is personified by a grandmother watching as a young one sews a pillow.

We see and hear wisdom in dance and in music. The arts are great repositories of cultural wisdom, some of which is gained through painful experience and challenging retelling. In literature we read the wisdom of times past. Some of it is ageless and some of it is clearly meant only for its time.

The opening of Proverbs, the most wellknown book of wisdom in the Bible, includes all parts of life in wisdom, "That men may know

wisdom and instruction, understand words of insight, receive instruction in wise dealing, righteousness, justice and equity; that prudence may be given to the simple, knowledge and discretion to the youth - the wise man also may hear and increase in learning, and the man of understanding acquire skill, to understand a proverb and a figure, the words of the wise and their riddles." (Prov. 1:2-5).

When king Solomon was building the temple in Jerusalem, he asked for help from other places. The king of Tyre described the metal smith that he sent to Solomon in a letter, "Now I have sent a skilled man, endued with understanding . . ." (I Chronicles 2:13). The wise woman described at the end of Proverbs is said to be successful in business and in teaching kindness.

Monday was Labor Day. It is a day set aside each year to honor and remember the labor

# World Communion Day on Ohio River

World Communion Sunday is a celebration observed by several denomina-

This year, it will take place on Oct. 6. The day promotes Christian unity and ecumenical

cooperation. It focuses on an observance of the eucharist.

Crittenden County

raised the standards of living for millions of Americans and for the time being made it possible for children and grandchildren to have more opportunity than previous generations. There has been a much-needed movement back toward the trades;

movement in the United

States. It is a history full

of heroes and villains. It

is a history of tenacity

and stubbornness, of

peaceful marches and

horrific violence and

abuse. It is a story of

seeking equality and fair

wages and overreaching

greed and laziness. As

with any story in our his-

tory it is complex. What

cannot be denied is that

the labor movement

vocations that require people skilled (wise) in working with their hands. The call for more education in trades or "manual training" is not new. In 1880, C.M. Woodward founded the St. Louis Manual Training School as part of Washington University in St. Louis. He published a

book in 1890 in which he argued for manual training for those who were not inclined to traditional education.

He lists 14 arguments in favor of such. One of my favorites is, "Manual training stimulates love for truth, simplicity and intellectual honesty. The comparative worthlessness of inaccuracy, of a want of agreement between the thought and the deed that was to realize the thought is made as manifest as sunlight. If a fitting is not true; if a device is not just what it seems to be, it is a failure and a sham, and the boy learns to rate them as such. . . . The boy who learns to despise 'work out of truth' who will not 'tell a lie in wood' will by necessary and uncon-

scious process . . . de-

spise a greater degree a lie in words."

His summary of this argument is much needed today, "The unchanging laws of physics and mechanics admit no bribe and connive at no deception. The pupil is stimulated to love and respect honesty, not by resisting but by seeing that dishonesty is a sign of weakness and incompetency."

I find it still to be true generally that good craftsmen, those who do good, solid work exhibit these qualities. Labor and wisdom go together.

Dr. Sean Niestrath is a minister in Madisonville, KY. You may contact him at sean.niestrath@outlook.com. His opinions are his own.

White Chapel Church & Cemetery will have its annual meeting September 22 • 2 p.m. Cemetery & Church are solely operated by donations only. Running low on funds, donations are needed. All donations will be appreciated. Everyone welcome, please attand. 440



# **Faith-Based Events & Outreach**

#### Outdoor revival open at everyone

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The Fredonia Valley Heritage Society, together with Kentucky Chautauqua, will present "Jefferson Davis: On Dark and Bloody Ground," at the Fredonia American Legion Building on Dorroh Street at 7 p.m., Sept. 5. The public is invited to attend. A fish fry at 6 p.m., will be hosted by Fredonia Valley Heritage Society.

# Calendar

An organizational meeting for Crittenden County Public Library's Writers Group will be held at 6:30 p.m., Thursday (today). A new format for the writers group and meeting dates will be presented.

- Crittenden County Farm Bureau annual meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday at the Crittenden County Ed-Tech Center. Please stop by the Marion office to make reservations or call (270) 965-4624 by Friday.

- A Downton Abbey Party will be held at 4 p.m Sept. 12. in the Crittenden County Library meeting room.

- Crittenden County Genealogy Society meets at 10 a.m., Sept.14 in the library meeting room.

# Extension

 Dee Heimgartner will present "Fall Lawn Care" at 5:30 p.m., Monday, at the Extension Annex. Don't miss this class to learn more about lawn care in the fall season. Call the Extension office to register at (270) 965-5236.

– After Hours Homemakers will meet at 5 p.m., Tuesday at the Extension Office

- Challengers Homemakers will meet at noon Sept. 11 at the Extension Annex.

# 4-H events

- Rifle Team meets at 6 p.m., each Thursday at the Extension Park. This is for children 9-18.

- Trap Team for chil-

# Davis portrayal Article recalls fright of Civil War

More happened in Crittenden County during the Civil War than can now be recalled or documented. Much has been simply forgotten. A Crittenden Press ar-

ticle in 1893 noted "There were not any battles fought on the soil of Crittenden County, but the county was

over run by the troops of both armies. who often plundered the citizens of anything necessary for their comfort. Horses were stolen. houses ram sacked for all the food, and Brenda whatever the Underdown soldiers wanted to take." County Historian

Some history Forgotten of this turbulent times in our Passages county has been preserved

through stories handed down through the generations, such is the following story, told by Harriet Cassandra Belt to her great-granddaughter, Mary Evangelina Hosick.

Harriet Cassandra Belt, was born Dec. 28, 1843 to Jonathan and Mary (Wilson) Belt. When she was two weeks old, they left their home about 10 miles northwest of Cave In Rock, Ill., and moved to a farm just this side of Marion, near Freedom Church and Cemetery. And thus began a life that spanned over one half of the 19th Century and more than onethird of the 20th century, from Dec. 28, 1843 to July 28, 1935.

Harriet lived through the Civil War, Spanish American War and World War I. She often said she hoped she would not have to live through another war. Her wish was granted, she died July 28, 1935, four years before the beginning of World War II.

"Ma," as she was called by her children and grandchildren, lived during the expansion West of our country, through the area of Custer's Last Stand, the California and Alaska gold rushes. She witnessed the very beginnings of the telephone and telegraph, and the radio and movies, the railroads and

the heyday of the riverboats, the auto and airplane. Things that came to be commonplace before the end of her lifetime, had not even been invented by the year of her birth. Her son, Dr. William G. Gregory, owned the first auto in Cave In Rock.

Ma was married on March 14, 1860 to Marion John Gregory, who lived on a neighboring farm in the Freedom community. He, her father, her brothers that were old enough, uncles and other family members served in the Union Armv during the Civil War. Her father, Jonathan Belt, was captain of Company C, Fif-

teenth KY Volunteer Calvary, her husband, John Gregory, was 1st Lt. Co. A. 48th, KY Inf., and her uncle Logan Belt was 2nd Lt. of the company, all Union men.

Some of her most vivid memories were of the Civil War period. She would tell of the times their home (her parents' home), as she lived there after her husband went away to war, was raided by the Confederates and sometimes by the bushwackers. She was under arrest on four different occasions. They would force her, a girl of about 20 at that time to go before them and carry a candle, it was always night when they came. They would search the house from attic to cellar, slashing open feather beds, and messing things up generally. They would even go to the barn and search looking in stalls and breaking open bales of hav.

However, they never found anything, as their silverware and anything else of value, was hidden in an underground hidea-way dug in the Freedom Cemetery, located only a few yards from the house. The hide-a-way was large enough so that the men could hide there also, as they did on several occasions. When they would be home for a few days rest and the raiders would come,

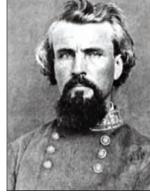
somehow, they always seemed to know when the men were home.

On one of these occasions, the men were upstairs sleeping and the women downstairs keeping watch, when they heard the Confederates coming. They ran upstairs and woke the men. The father told the boys "go out the back way to the hideout," which they did, while the father knelt at an upstairs window with his musket. When the lieutenant in charge of the detail rode through the yard gate, Jonathan, shot him off his horse, killing him. Jonathan escaped during the ensuing confusion and made it to the hideout in the cemetery.

The soldiers searched everything, even the haystacks in the fields, but they did not find the men. So when daylight came, they ordered the women to load the body of the shot lieutenant on their farm wagon and drive it into Marion to their headquarters.

Shortly after this incident Jonathan got word of a scheme to kidnap his younger son, Claiborne "Cub." They knew that would bring him out where they would have a chance to kill him. But hearing of this plan, Jonathan crossed the river to Illinois, where he bought a farm and soon after moved the family across the river when he felt they would be safe.

After reading Harriett's story of the visit to their home in the Freedom community, I found some additional information about this event. information was The found in an article by James E. Jacobsen while researching the "Civil War In Crittenden County." He states that one Union refugee from the county was Jonathan Belt. Confederate Col. Nathan Bedford Forrest raided through the river counties in November and December 1861 and carried with him a "hit list" of Union guerrilla commanders who were to be arrested or otherwise eliminated. Belt's name was on that list and he was visited in the night by armed men. Belt shot one of the men and fled out the back way. Interesting to find out that it



Nathan Bedford Forrest

was Col. Forrest at the Belt's house that night.)

Harriett Cassendra Wilson Belt, passed away Dec. 28, 1935 and is buried in the Gregory family plot in the Old Methodist Cemetery in the center of Cave In Rock, only a couple of blocks from her home. And so passed, not only a remarkable life, but an era.

The late Miss Helen Moore shared this story of her great-grandparents, Stephen and Rebecca Farmer.

Rebecca Farmer stood in the doorway of her home holding her baby girl, Jane, in her arms. She was watching a group of riders coming down the road. When they reached her house she recognized J. Doss and his confederate guerrillas. They were looking husband. for her Stephen Farmer, who was off fighting for the Union Army.

When Rebecca Allison married Stephen Farmer in Smith County, Tenn. in 1839, she was given five slaves as a wedding present, a mother Nancy, and her four children, Sam, John, Arch and Mandy. When Stephen and Rebecca moved to Kentucky in 1852 to a farm about five miles west of Marion they brought the slaves with them.

The raiders searched the house and outbuildings and made the older girls cook dinner for them. As one of the men came by Rebecca, who was still holding her baby, somehow his gun got caught on Jane's dress and almost pulled

her out of her mother's arms. Rebecca turned and called on the Southern officer in charge.

The officer called the man down and said, "We are just here after Stephen Farmer and not to harm women and children." He then patted Jane's face and said,' You are a sweet little baby, but if we had your d-father we would hang him on a tree in the yard and fill him full of lead.' Rebecca replied to him, "But God is in his heaven and you can not find Stephen. He is not here."

The raiders took off on the last horse they had left. Raiders or guerillas came back to the farm several times. Once the negro John hid under the smokehouse floor so long that his ears and toes were frost bitten. They had to take up the floor to get him out. John walked with a limp thereafter.

Stephen and Rebecca Farmer are buried in the Farmer family cemetery on their home place, which is today knows as the Columbia Mine property.

Another sad death caused from the turbulent times of the Civil War was the death of Emily H. Nunn, the wife of John Nunn. They lived on their farm located off of the Baker Church Road, or now Ky. 365. During the summer of 1864, Federal troops were plundering the area and stopped at the Nunn residence. Mrs. Nunn was forced to cook for the troop. She had to cook corn in a large kettle for the troops until she was exhausted and sickened and died as a result of the strain. She was buried in the Nunn family cemetery nearby their home Sept. 7, 1864. but in 1945 the body was moved to Mapleview.

(Brenda Underdown is chair of Crittenden County Historical Society and a member of Crittenden County Genealogical Societu. Much more local history can be found at OurForgottenPassages.bl ogspot.com).

dren 9-18 meets at 6 p.m., each Tuesday at the Extension Park.

- Early American Heritage Club meets from 4-6 p.m., Thursday. This is for students in grades 8-12.

# **Senior Center**

The Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center is open weekdays 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Lunch is served at 11:30 a.m. each day, and is \$3 for those 60 and older and \$5 for those under 60. Reservations are encouraged two days in advance but are taken up to a week in advance.

Menu and activities for the following seven days include:

Thursday - Menu is breaded pollock, pinto beans, cole slaw, cornbread and vanilla pudding.

Friday - Menu is chicken parmesan, baked potato with margarine and sour cream, broccoli casserole and pineapple delight. Bingo will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Monday – Menu is baked Italian chicken, mashed potatoes with white gravy, peas and carrots, banana pudding and whole grain biscuit. Ladies exercise by Full Body Fitness Studio is at 9:45 a.m.

Tuesday - Menu is chimichanga with toppings and sauce, corn salad, refried beans and fruit cocktail.

Sept. 11 - Menu is sloppy Joe on bun, hashbrown casserole, baked pork 'n beans, baked apples with raisins. Bindo begins at 10:30 a.m.

All menu items are subject to change based on availability.

# New year begins with fashion show

The Woman's Club of Marion's will be kicking off its 2019-2020 club year with a Membership Recruitment event at 5:30 p.m., Sept. 12 at its club building at 126 E. Carlisle Street in Marion. Anyone interested in knowing more about the club is invited to attend.

The program will be a

fall fashion show presented by Hodge's Sports and Apparel. In addition to the trends for fall, the audience will learn tips on how to update their own wardrobe by accessorizing.

Refreshments will be provided by the finance committee from 5:30-6 p.m. Serving on this committee are Rebecca Johnson, Ginger Boone, Nancy Lapp, Judy Winn, Nancy Hunt, Kathy Bechler, Carolyn Belt, Brandie Ledford and Roberta Shewmaker.

Reservations to attend can be made by Sept. 9 by calling/texting (270) 871-4058 or (270) 704-1200.

# Crittenden All '80s reunion Oct. 26

Crittenden The County graduating class of 1986 will host a "Class of 1980s" reunion Oct. 26 at Kenlake State Resort Park in Hardin. All Crittenden County graduates, administrators and teachers are invited to attend.

Tab Hunt, who has organized the most recent Class of 1986 reunions said, "it makes sense to have a multiyear reunion, considering friendships are not bound by graduating years.'

Organizers and classmates have primarily planned the event through its Facebook group page, "CCHS All-80's Reunion." Anyone interested in attending should join the group to stay apprised of events and plans.

The cost for attending the reunion is \$25 per person, which includes a buffet style dinner prepared by Kenlake's onsite caterer. A cash bar will also be available.

To register, please send a check made payable to CCHS Class of 86; Attn: Chris Cook; Farmers Bank; 201 S. Main Street; Marion, KY 42064. Registrations are needed by no later than

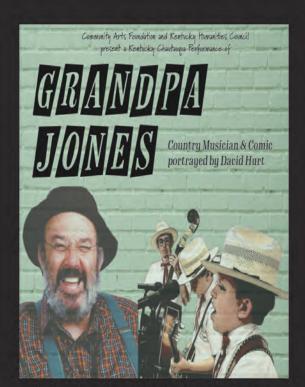
September 3rd.

Music will be provided by JtuneZ DJ Entertainment Service, courtesy of Jay Dalton, Class of 1988. People are still needed for outreach to other class members, decorations, memory displays and set up/tear down.

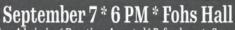
If you are willing to volunteer, please contact Tab Hunt at (618) 558-8375 or Secondl-Half1967@yahoo.com.

Those attending who wish to stay overnight may phone the resort at (270) 474-2211.





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# Sports The Crittenden Press

# All A State Tournament Gilchrist, Greenwell to tee it up Saturday

SATURDAY Golf All A State Tournaments X-Country at Calloway County Jr Pro Football at Caldwell Gold MONDAY

**Upcoming games** 

MS football at Union County

Football at Ballard Memorial

PREP SPORTS

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Volleyball at Webster County JV football hosts Union County Soccer at Caldwell County TUESDAY

MS football at South Hopkins Golf at Deer Lakes vs Livingston Soccer at Lyon County Volleyball hosts Hopkins Central

## FOOTBALL **Rankings**, opponents

Crittenden County moved up three places in this week's Associated Press Class A football poll. They were ranked 8th in preseason and 8th after the first week of the regular season. Three teams ranked in their respective class Top 10s remain on the CCHS schedule. Those are Class 2A's No. 3 Caldwell and No. 10 Todd Central and Class 3A's No. 9 Trigg County.

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1. Pikeville	2-0
2. Campbellsville	2-0
3. Paintsville	2-0
4. Williamsburg	2-0
5. Crittenden County	2-0
6. Ky. Country Day	2-0
7. Newport Cent. Catholic	1-1
8. Ludlow	1-1
9. Lynn Camp	2-0
10. Raceland	1-1
Others receiving votes:	
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Pineville, Hazard, Louisville Holy Cross, Eminence, Berea, Bethlehem, Frankfort, Russellville.

## VOLLEYBALL Lip Sync fundraiser

**Crittenden County High** School's volleyball girls will be hosting a Lip Sync Battle to raise money for the sports program. The event will be held starting at 6 p.m., on Saturday, Sept. 21 at Fohs Hall. Performers will need to be there by 5:15 p.m. Admission is \$5 adults, \$2 students and 10-under are free. To per-







Crittenden County senior Lauren Gilchrist is a three-time regional champion. She'd like to win a state championship this weekend. She's pictured above left going over scorecards with Lyon County's Cathryn Brown after the All A Classic Regional Tournament in August at Deer Lakes. At left is CCHS junior golfer Sam Grenwell, who has also qualified for the All A State event.

## **Boys All A Golf Championship**

Gibson Bay Golf Course, Richmond, Ky. 7,100 yards, par 72 Course Rating 71.0

## **Girls All A Golf Championship**

University Club of Arlington, Richmond, Ky. 5,037 yards, par 72 Course Rating 68.4

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# **Cardinals' Barnes**

# will play for 4th time at state final

Livingston Central Senior Darit Barnes of Salem will also represent his school at the All A Classic State Tournament at Gibson Bay Golf Course in Richmond.

Barnes finished third in the Second Region small-school tournament a couple of week ago at Deer Lakes to earn a fourth bid in the state finals.

Last year, Barnes was the First Region champion and played in the state tournament, where he finished tied for 13th. He shot a 38 in the rainshortened event.

# A five-time qualifier, CCHS senior was 8th last year at state

STAFF REPORT

For Rocket senior Lauren Gilchrist the All A Classic State Golf Tournament has become old hat, but for junior Sam Greenwell it will be a first-time experience.

The two Crittenden County athletes will be among more than 200 high schoolers vying for a smallschool golf championship on Saturday when they tee off in their respective events, both in Richmond but at different courses.

Gilchrist is no doubt a contender for a state championship where she finished 8th last year with a 78. Par golf can win the tournament and she's proven already this season that a scratch round is doable. She shot 1-over par to win a tournament earlier this season at Paducah's Paxton

Park

Gilchrist goes into state action this weekend as the reigning Second Region champion. She has won the regional crown three times, including the last two. She also captured it as a freshman.

Greenwell just missed a chance to play in the state tournament last year, shooting just short of a qualifying round by two shots.





form, the cost is \$20 for an individual or team. There will be a silent auction as part of the fundraisers and concessions will be available. For more information, contact coach Bayley Mc-Donald (270) 601-0973.

## SOFTBALL LCHS Co-ed Fundraiser

Livingston Central High School's softball team will be hosting a Co-ed Softball Tournament on Sept. 14 as a fundraising event at Smithland Park. For more information, contact Janet McGregor on Facebook.

## **OUTDOORS Hunting Seasons**

Bullfrog	May 17 - Oct. 31
Squirrel	Aug. 17 - Nov. 8
Dove	Sept. 1 - Oct. 26
Bow Deer	Sept. 7 - Jan. 20
Bow Turkey	Sept. 7 - Jan. 20
Canada Goose	Sept. 16-30
Crossbow Deer	Sept. 21 - Jan. 20
Wood Duck/Teal	Sept. 21-25
Teal Only	Sept. 26-29
Raccoon	Oct. 1 - Feb. 29
Crossbow Turkey	y Oct. 1-20
Youth Deer	Oct. 12 - Oct. 13
Muzzleloader Dee	er Oct. 19 - Oct. 20
Shotgun Turkey	Oct. 26 - Nov. 1
Gun Deer	Nov. 9 - Nov. 24
Crossbow Turkey	·
Raccoon (trappir	ng) Nov. 11 - Feb. 29
Squirrel	Nov. 11 - Feb. 29
Quail	Nov. 11 - Feb. 10
Rabbit	Nov. 11 - Feb. 10
Red/Gray Fox	Nov. 11 - Feb. 29
Beaver	Nov. 11 - Feb. 29
Dove	Nov. 28 - Dec. 8
Canada Goose	Nov. 28 - Feb. 15
Duck	Nov. 28 - Dec. 1
Shotgun Turkey	Dec. 7-13
Duck	Dec. 7 - Jan. 31
Dove	Dec. 21 - Jan. 12
Muzzleloader Dee	er Dec. 14 - Dec. 22
Youth Waterfowl	Feb. 1-2

Braxton Winders (above) injured his knee against Webster. His status in uncertain for this week's game at Ballard Memorial. At left is Xander Tabor, who rushed for a career-high 190 yards to lead a dominating ground attack by Crittenden County.

# Rockets 48, Webster 21 Ground game pounds Webster into submission; **Rockets travel next to Ballard seeking 3-0 start**

STAFF REPORT

out with a premier performance in his second game as the Rockets' featured running back as Crittenden County beat Webster County Friday 48-21 on the road.

The Rockets travel to Ballard Memorial this week to take on the winless Bombers.

At Webster, Tabor rushed for 190 yards and scored three touchdowns, one a 28-yard pass from senior quarterback Hunter Jones.

Jones didn't throw too much because the Rocket running game was in charge of the offensive pulse the whole way, but when he did, his completions were for key plays. Two of his five completions went for touchdowns, including a 97yarder to junior Tyler Boone early in the fourth period that finished the Rocket scoring.

Crittenden coach Sean Thompson gave a shout out to his offensive line that commanded the contest from the outset, but he was quick to share the love.

"Xander Tabor had a humongous night for us. He's the X-factor. When he puts his foot in the ground and gets down hill, he's hard to stop,' the coach said. "He's a bigtime back for us and I think he will continue to do that for us this year. But it all goes to how

AFF REPORT Junior Xander Tabor broke



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hard they're working up front. The big guys up front are opening those lanes for him to hit and when he gets into secondary he's hard to bring down

"But we did it by committee," the coach continued. "There were a lot of guys that got involved in the running game.'

Indeed. Crittenden rushed for 328 yards while Jones threw for an additional 169.

"We started a little slow. (Webster) knows us inside and out and we know them inside and out. They did some things early that were complicated, but we figured it out staying with the run game."

Crittenden's secondary grew up a bit in this one. The Rockets picked off four passes thrown by Webster quarterback Mason Wilson, who's considered a good passer.

Preston Turley, Caden Mc-Calister, Tyler Boone and Tabor each had interceptions. Boone had an incredible defensive game, recording 13 solo tackles.

Rocket offensive tackle

Dylan Yates got in on the scoring action, posting a rare lineman's touchdown when he recovered the ball in the end zone after running back Preston Morgeson lost the handle on it just in front of the goal line on a 10-yard rushing play.

The Rockets, now 2-0, will travel to Ballard Memorial next week for their third straight road game to begin the season. They come home the following week to host Caldwell County.

#### SCORE BY QUARTERS

Crittenden County 14 14 13 7 Webster County 14007

#### SCORING PLAYS

C-Xander Tabor 20 run (Noah Perkins kick) 9:45, 1st

W-Hayden Nunn 9 pass from Mason Wilson (Joel McCormick kick) 8:15, 1st W-Wilson 1 run (McCormick kick) 2:35, 1st

C-Tabor 28 pass from Hunter Jones (Perkins kick) 1:20, 1st

C-Caden McCalister 21 pass from Jones (Tyler Boone run) 3:58, 2nd C-Tabor 20 run (kick failed) :23, 2nd C-Jones 1 run (kick failed) 8:44, 3rd C-Dylan Yates fumble recovery end zone (Perkins kick) 7:51, 3rd C-Boone 97 pass from Jones (Perkins

kick) 10:32. 4th W-Daniel Yates 17 pass from Wilson

(McCormick kick) 6:47, 4th

#### **TEAM TOTALS**

First Downs: Crittenden 16, Webster 14 Penalties: Crittenden 10-103, Webster 16-118

Rushing: Crittenden 43-328, Webster 27-106

Passing: Crittenden 5-11-1, 169 yds., Webster 18-34-4, 201

Total Yards: Crittenden 497, Webster 307 Fumbles/Lost: Crittenden 2-1. Webster 0

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS Rushing

Crittenden - Tabor 18-190, Kaleb Nesbitt 1-5. Caden McCalister 4-44. Morgeson 6-13, Keifer Marshall 5-37, Braxton Winders 1-(-3), Jones 8-42. Webster · Nunn 3-8, Shawn Guinn 4-32, Ayden Winn 6-19, Grant Nance 3-(-1), Tanner Robertson 7-26, Wilson 4-22.

#### Passing

Crittenden - Jones 5-11-1, 169 yds. Webster - Wilson 17-33-4, 185 yds., Winn 1-1-0, 16.

#### Receiving

Crittenden - McCalister 2-23. Boone 2-118, Tabor 1-28. Webster - Guinn 1-11, Nance 1-4, Yates 7-107, Winn 6-38. Defense

Phillips solo, assist; Boone 13 solos, 3 assists, 3 TFLs, interception; Easley 6 solos, 3 assists, TFL; McCalister 9 solos, assist, interception; McGowan 2 solos, assist, sack; N.Perkins 2 solos;

Tabor 3 solos, assist: Winders solo, assist; Turley 2 assists, interception; Bailey also; Baker assist; Carlson 2 solos, assist; Derrington solo; Stone assist; Yates solo, 2 assists, fumble recovery; Morgeson 3 assists, interception; Wood assist.

#### Players of the Game

Offense Xander Tabor, Defense Tyler Boone, Linemen Ian Ellington and Lathan Easley, Special Teams Preston Turlev.

#### Records

Crittenden 2-0, Webster 1-1



**1St** Among All Female Runners in Class A **18th** Among Junior Runners in all classes **52nd** All Females in KY



# Keller's pace appears right on track for reaching goals

#### STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County junior Kate Keller is on the right pace to reach her goal of winning a state championship in cross country.

The CCHS athlete on Saturday won a meet at Cadiz, running a personal best time of 20:50.47, which makes her the top-ranked Class A cross country runner in Kentucky.

Keller's time is more than a half of a minute faster than any other female performance in Class A events across the state this season. Keller has said that winning a state championship this fall is among her personal ambitions. She was sick during last year's regional and state meets and did not perform up to her own expectations, finishing 53rd in Class A at the state meet with a time of 22:08.

Coming into this season, her sights have been set on breaking the 20-minute plateau and being the best small-school runner in Kentucky. After last week's time at the Fenton Dawson Invitational in Cadiz, she appears on track.

In other Crittenden County results from last weekend's race, Kara Fulkerson placed 13th with a time of 24:14, Courtney Fulkerson placed 23rd with a time of 26:25, and Allie Newman placed 32nd with a time of 27:31. There were over 70 girls in the varsity division.

In the varsity boys' division senior Michael Kirk placed 19th with a time of 20:13, Doug Conger was 37th with a time of

#### SATURDAY'S RESULTS Fenton Dawson Invitational Trigg County Sports Complex, Cadiz, Ky. GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL

Place, Athlete, Grade, School, Time 1 Kate Keller 11 Crittenden County 20:50.47 13 Kara Fulkerson 9 Crittenden County 24:14.82 23 Courtney Fulkerson 10 Crittenden County 26:25.88 30 Danielle Starczewski 8 Livingston Central 27:02.81 19 Sheyenna Stytz 12 Livingston Central 27:10.77 20 Alexandra Newman 11 Crittenden County 27:31.30 34 Kaydence McCormick 11 Livingston Central 30:13.74 29 46 Olivia Swann 9 Livingston Central 30:26.09 30

#### **BOYS HIGH SCHOOL**

19 Michael Kirk 12 Crittenden County 20:13.12 18 37 Doug Conger 12 Crittenden County 21:11.88 34 38 Jamie Burt 12 Crittenden County 21:19.04 35 85 Zack Weathers 12 Crittenden County 28:11.64 70 90 Parker Kayse 9 Crittenden County 29:45.22 75 18 Robert Schmitt 11 Livingston Central 20:06.97 17 33 Jarrett Harris 12 Livingston Central 20:56.02 31

21:11, Jamie Burt placed 38th with a time of 21:19, Zack Weathers was 85th with a time of 28:11 and Parker Kayce placed 90th with a time of 29:45.

There were about 100 boys in that division.

In the middle school girls division, Lady Rocket Mary Martinez placed 16th with a time of 14:58, Karsyn Potter placed 56th with a time of 18:44 and Taylor McKinney was 83rd with a time of 24:40. There were over 90 girls in the middle school division.

Asa McCord led Crittenden in the middle school boys' division, finishing 35th with a time of 13:51. Gabe Keller placed 59th with a time of 15:06. There were over 110 boys in the middle school division.



Rocket defenders (from left) Gattin Travis, Chase Conyer and Bennett McDaniel chase down a ballcarrier during a recent middle school game.

# Lady Rockets stumble on road at E-town

#### STAFF REPORT

After starting the season 3-1 in matches against area competition, the Lady Rockets volleyball team ran into some stiff opponents at the Elizabethtown Hilliard Lyons Fall Classic Tournament last weekend.

The girls fell in straight sets in five matches at E-town, losing to Russellville, Rowan County, Elizabethtown, Ohio County and Ballard Memorial. Most of the matches were closely contested by the Lady Rockets.

Crittenden played on Wednesday night in the All A Classic Second Region Tournament at Fort Campbell. Results of that tournament were not available at press time this week.

# CCMS offense stymied most of way by Union

Crittenden County lost its third straight middle school football game last week at Union County. The Braves prevailed 19-6.

The Rockets' only touchdown came on a 61-yard, fourth-quarter pass from quarterback Micah Newcom to running back Levi Piper.

CCMS is back in action Thursday at home against Webster County.

Here are statistics for the Rockets: **Passing**: Newcom 4-8-1, 90 yds.; Piper 0-1-0. **Receiving**: Piper 3-89, Tyler Belt 1-1. **Rushing**: Newcom 6-14, Gattin Travis 7-12, Belt 2-2, Piper 2-0. **Tackles**: Travis 9, King 8, Blazina 6, Tramel 6, Sharp 6, McLean 4, Newcom 4, Piper 3, Belt 2, Conyer 2, Hatfield 2.



Crittenden County's Ellie Smith returns a shot during a recent volleyball match.

# Catch live football pregame show online

STAFF REPORT

The Crittenden Press Online is continuing its Rocket football pregame show this season. Hosted by former

Rockets Tanner Tabor and Mike Crabtree, the digital broadcast is live on Facebook starting 20 minutes prior to kickoff.

The Sideline Show is sponsored by YTG Insurance of Marion. The Press also produces a YouTube coach's show each Thursday.

# Is Coach Cal or Vince Marrow the better recruiter?

Recently a long-time University of Kentucky fan who has season tickets to both men's basketball and football games posed a question that I was not sure how to answer. She wondered who I thought was the better recruiter — John Calipari or Vince Marrow.

The more I hought about the question, the harder it became for me to answer. Calipari obvi-ously has had UKSports Go higher Vaught's Views the ranked recruiting classes — but shouldn't he considering the magnitude and tradition of Kentucky basketball. Yet what Marrow has helped the football program do during his time as recruiting coordinator is unprecedented. He's bringing in big-time talent consistently that few ever thought UK football could and has helped make UK football a national brand.

proaches. Although Billy Gillispie made a mess during his two years in Lexington, Calipari inherited a blue blood program with great tradition. He capitalized on that and brought in arguably the most important recruiting class in Kentucky history in John Wall, DeMarcus Cousins, and Eric Bledsoe, giving the planet (for any college sport) but he's also in the perfect situation to make that happen. Billy Clyde Gillespie proved that it's not quite an 'auto-pilot' situation, but it probably feels like one compared to the gang over at the football complex. When Coach Cal sets out to recruit a class, he's got instant access to almost is not only getting nationally known talent to consider Kentucky, but is now getting them to commit. I can't remember in my lifetime when UK was competing with the likes of Michigan, Ohio State, Miami, Florida State, Penn State, etc. and winning.

"It was only 2-3 years ago when the Angry Birds of Louisville were owning the city of Louisville (in recruiting). Now that Vince has taken over the recruiting responsibilities of Kentucky's largest city, the Cats are now owning the city's best football talent.

"I think Marrow is a perfect fit for the Wildcats and his influence has definitely been an asset to the program. It's perhaps the best hire Mark Stoops made at UK."

Larry Glover, host of "Larry Glover Live," a daily radio talk show: "I would say Calipari given his success at UK and his job of building national title contenders at school outside the power conferences. That said, the fact that this question can be asked does say a lot about what Vince has done with UK football. Ultimately, UK football will have to win consistently and make some national noise for any chance of supplanting Cal as the better recruiter." Justin Rowland, Rivals.com recruiting analyst and Cats Illustrated publisher: "I've racked my brain on how to answer this and the best I can say is they do very different things because football recruiting at Kentucky and basketball recruiting at Kentucky are entirely different. "They have both accomplished something historic. No college basketball coach in the sports history has pulled in one incredible class after another every single year the way John Calipari has and no assistant coach at Kentuckv at least in the football modern era has consistently cleaned up the way Vince Marrow has. Morrow probably has more hands-on personal and day-to-day involvement with the many players he recruits each year because that's the way football recruiting goes. Calipari serves as the closer for the top basketball prospects in the

his NFL debut Sunday night when the Pittsburgh Steelers open the season at New England and the former UK running back's mother, April Snell, is as excited as her son.

"We just feel blessed. So super proud of him and all he's done," she said. "I still really don't know much about the NFL. I am still a college mom. He is living his dream just like somebody else' son who might have always wanted be an attorney, teacher or anything else. For Benny, it was to play in the NFL. "We are still really Steeler newbies learning the songs, all about the Terrible Towels and what to do. They take their Steelers very, very seriously in Pittsburgh. It is Steelers all day and all night for the fans. They love their team and we are happy to be part of that because just like we were at UK, we are all-in now with the Steelers." April Snell did have some regrets about not being back at Kentucky. Benny Snell had three straight 1,000-yard rushing seasons to become UK's all-time leading rushers before giving up his senior season to turn pro after UK went 10-3 last year. "I cannot tell you how much I miss Kentucky,' she said. "When Benny put out he was going to be in the draft, I cried. I did not want him to leave. I wanted to stay. Kentucky is home to me. I love everything about it.' She hopes to be at the Florida game next week with her husband - remember before last season she boldly predicted UK would end that horrendous losing streak to the Gators "I stay in touch with some football moms and friends at UK I mad along the way," she said. "I just wish everybody well. I think again a lot of people have Kentucky underrated. They are just going to fly under the radar and do great again."

Marrow also has to help recruit up to 25 players annually while Calipari and his staff usually target four to six players.

My instinct tells me that Marrow might actually be the better recruiter because of the odds he's overcome but then how do you not respect the first-round draft picks Calipari has had or players he's put into the NBA. He also has a national championship.

I decided to reach out to several media members who cover both UK basketball football and basketball for their thoughts knowing there is not a right or wrong answer. Not everyone asked wanted to respond but those who did were free to use any perspective they wanted to make their choice.

Tyler Thompson, Kentucky Sports Radio editor-in-chief: "It may seem hard to compare the two, but both John Calipari and Vince Marrow have succeeded in recruiting by taking unique ap-

new life to a program that desperately needed it.

"From there, Kentucky's record of putting players in the pros became Calipari's calling card and keeps the Cats at the top of every elite recruit's list. The oneand-done rule used to be viewed as a stigma of the sport, but Calipari's success at Kentucky forced the rest of college basketball to adapt, including almighty the Mike Krzyzewski at Duke.

'On the flip side, Vince Marrow took a program with little history and reputation and made it a viable option for a niche of players from the state of Ohio that maybe weren't good enough to get offers from Ohio State or Michigan, but wanted to play against great competition. The Ohio pipeline has transformed Kentucky football, breeding enough success that Marrow is now able to capture the attention of elite players and even compete with those Big Ten programs for prospects.

"In that sense, you could argue that what Marrow's done is more impressive, but hauling the best or second best recruiting class every year speaks for itself. Kentucky fans should feel incredibly lucky to have both in Lexington."

Jeff Drummond, Cats Illustrated managing editor: "This is an intriguing question. After debating it a bit in my own mind, I would submit that it should be judged somewhat like an Olympic sport with degree-of-difficulty factored into the comparison.

"There's no disputing that John Calipari is one of the best recruiters on every 5-star prospect at the top of the rankings.

"Vince Marrow doesn't have that luxury, but he has helped shatter all the prior notions that UK cannot compete against the traditional 'big boys' of college football and expanded the Cats' recruiting sphere from the old, familiar five-hour radius to all corners of the country.

try. "If pressed for a definitive answer, I would go with coach Cal and those 30-some NBA Draft picks he has produced. Marrow has excelled in finding underrated guys who turned out to be 4- and 5-star players, but to be on Cal's level he needs a few more elite-level guys like current 5-star commit Justin Rogers. I wouldn't put it past him."

Michael Bennett, host of "Just The Cats", a daily sports radio show: "It's not even close. Vince Marrow is the king of recruiting for UK. Don't get me wrong Cal is one of the countries top recruiters and I'm glad he is at UK. I would not trade him for the world, but comparing UK basketball to UK football in recruiting is comparing my speed and agility to the likes of Lynn Bowden. We all know how that would turn out.

"UK has a rich history when it comes to basketball. When Cal arrived the Wildcats had seven national championships, add Rupp Arena in the mix, most successful coaches will continue with the winning tradition.

"When it comes to UK football the Wildcats have no tradition at all. That alone makes it more difficult for Vince Marrow & company. The 'Big Dog' "Prove me wrong because I'm right."

Alan Cutler, former WLEX-TV sports anchor: "Cal. He did a better job recruiting at UMass and Memphis than many realized. And, his first class at UK, coming in so late, is one of the greatest recruiting jobs ever. Not just at UK, but ever. Plus, how many billions will Cal's recruits make?

"That being said what Vince has done for UK and (coach Mark) Stoops is past remarkable. I can't think of another UK assistant football coach whose done more. Great people skills and he keeps it real. In today's crazy world of coaching salaries, he's underpaid by a lot!"

Keith Taylor, Kentucky Today sports editor: "I think John Calipari is the better recruiter simply because he has produced more NBA prospects and Kentucky is such an easier sell for him because of the tradition in UK basketball.

"Vince Marrow is starting to get the recruits to keep the program consistent and that's a big plus where the Wildcats have been lacking. It helps in the foundation of the program and keeps each recruiting class relevant. Calipari has a smaller pool to choose from and his recruits have been on target with the exception of a few during his first 10 years at Kentucky.

country. "In relative terms Calipari players have certainly been ranked higher but he is also promoting a brand in Kentucky basketball that is infinitely easier to sell than Kentucky football."

Benny Snell will make

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#### yard sales

HUGE 5-FAMILY garage sale, rain or shine, Thurs., Fri. and Sat., 8 a.m.-5 p.m., 2 miles north on 91 North, Marion. Furniture, children and adult clothes, something for everyone. (1t-10-p)

LELAND AVE. yard sales, Fri. and Sat., 8 a.m.-5 p.m., 103, 109, 215, 301 Leland Ave. (1t-10-p)

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SEPT. 6, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., 331 Lilly Dale Rd. between Crayne and Fredonia. Donniece Taylor's residence. Nice antique couch, clock, wing back chair, fall and summer clothes, men's hunting clothes, women's clothing and coats all sizes. antique youth high chair, lots of misc. Items. Held rain or shine. (1t-10-p)

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## legal notice

Notice is hereby given that on August 28, 2019 Darlene Lanham of 2390 Weston Rd., Marion, Ky. 42064 was appointed administratrix of Rick Lanham, deceased, whose



address was 2390 Weston Road, Marion, Ky. 42064. Rebecca Johnson, attornev.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly proven as required by law to the administratrix before the 28th day of February, 2020 and all claims not so proven and presented by that date shall be forever barred.

All persons indebted to the estate of the abovenamed decedent. will please call and settle said debts immediately. Crittenden District Court

Melissa Guill. Clerk (1t-10-c)

Kentucky CVS Pharmacy, L.L.C. d/b/a CVS/pharmacy #6383, One CVS Dr., Woonsocket, RI 02895, hereby declares its intention to apply for a Quota Retail Package License and NQ Retail Malt Beverage Package License no later than September 20, 2019. The licensed premises will be located at 307 Sturgis Road, Marion, KY 42064. Its sole member is CVS Pharmacy, Inc., One CVS Dr., Woonsocket, RI 02895, whose officers are: Thomas S. Moffatt, Pres., 29 Homestead Cir., Kingston, RI 02881; Carol A. DeNale, Sr. VP/ Treas., 75 Poplar St., Watertown, MA 02472; Melanie K. Luker, Sec., 9 Coldbrook Dr., Cranston, RI 02920; Jeffrey E. Clark, Ass't Treas., 2 Joy Ln., Hingham, MA 02043;



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**MPD** August activity

Domestic disturbances in Marion were on the rise last month as temperatures climbed to their hottest of the year. According to Marion Police Department data provided by Chief Ray O'Neal, 15 domestics were reported in August, the highest total of any month this year. Below, statistics from last month are compared with August 2018. Year-to-date totals are also represenated.

CATEGORY	AUGUST 2018		
Miles driven/patrolled	2,883	3,144	21,520
Criminal investigations		12	82
Domestics			
Felony Arrests	6	5	
Misdemeanor arrests			
Non-criminal arrests		3	44
DUI arrests	0	1	5
Criminal summons served			
Traffic citations		30	
Traffic warnings			
Other citations			
Parking tickets			
Traffic accidents			
Security checks/alarms			
Calls for service		235	1,505

# LHHS opening new Salem clinic

STAFF REPORT

Livingston Hospital and Healthcare Services is expanding its reach in the community it calls home

In late September or early Octo-Livingston ber. CARE Clinic will Main open on Street in Salem in the former home of Burkhart Rural Health Clinic. Alicia

Clark and Sharon Hodges, both advanced practice registered nurses, or APRNs, will lead the office.

Snodgrass

'We've always wanted to have our own clinic here in the community we have our hospital in," said Leah Tramble, LHHS director of marketing. "It was an opportunity that kind of popped up out of

nowhere. We knew that was a big gap in our community.

Tramble said the focus will be on family medicine, with a goal to minimize the time patients wait to access health care. The office will be open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day. Clark will be at the clinic Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, while Hodge will work Monday, Tues-

day and Wednesday. 'We eventually hope to have mental health care."

Tramble said. The Burkhart Clinic closed in July. The vacancy in Salem health care led LHHS to step in, adding to its current list of health care offerings. Already, LHHS has a walk-in clinic at the Salem hospital that operoutside typical ates weekday business hours, Grand Lakes Clinic in Grand Rivers and Eddyville Family Medical Clinic.

Tramble said the clinic will serve to strengthen LHHS.

"We look forward to providing care locally to the people in our communities," said LHHS CEO Elizabeth Snodgrass. "The addition of the Livingston CARE Clinic under the Livingston Hospital umbrella will be the gateway for future opportunities and specialties locally."

LHHS is currently in the process of obtaining the necessary licenses and approvals and getting the office at 117 E.

Main St. ready. Tramble said the hospital will announce the grand opening on its Facebook page and through the local media. An open house and dedication is being planned prior to the first day of treating patients.

Snodgrass said Crittenden Community Hospital in Marion, which operated the Burkhart Clinic, allowed for a smooth transition to LHHS providing its own clinic at the same location.

"Particularly (CEO) Don Buchanan and (Health Information Manager) Toyia Redd," she said. "Ultimately, providing the best health care locally to meet the communities needs is every health care related organization's goal."

## **NEWS BRIEFS**

# **Using Henderson** buses to cost \$1

At only \$1 per bus, Henderson County Schools has agreed to lease buses for use in transporting Crittenden County children if further mechanical issues hamper the local school dis-



Wayne Winters, transportation director the school systold

ucation members at last Thursday's meeting that he has little margin for any additional buses to go Crittenden down in County. That's because a number of the district's own 34 buses are undergoing repairs for brake wear, something that Winters points to on Bluebird propane buses only.

He said it could be up to three months before the entire local fleet is methodically repaired and tested for safety before going back on the road with students.

"We hope to not take advantage of it, but if one goes down, we could get one within 24 hours." Winters said of retrieving a bus from Henderson County.

From now through 30, 2020,une nearby school district will grant the use of a bus by Crittenden County Schools for \$1 per bus. "They are being very good neighbors for helping us out at this price," said Tonya Driver, who lead the meeting as assistant superintendent of schools in Superintendent Vince Clark's absence last week

cal issues plague the local fleet. Otherwise, any extracurricular trips may be delayed until a bus becomes available at the end of a day's regular route.

# Inmates receive refreshing reward

A number of inmates from the local jail received an unexpected gift last week when the Crittenden County Reduced Custody Center provided grilled burgers and a dip in a nearby pool to reward them for keeping public

properties mowed and well kept during the summer. Jailer Robbie Kirk explained

those

that



working outdoors are lowlevel inmates referred to as "community level" in the eyes of the Kentucky Department of Corrections.

"They are within six months of being someone's neighbor," Kirk said. "Our approach is that we want them to be prepared to join a church, not break into one.'

In fact, many of the inmates are active in Life in Christ Church.

Over the summer, work release inmate crews have found two weapons in public places and in both cases those were turned over to jail deputies and then to local law enforcement, Kirk said.

warded with grilled hamburgers and an opportunity to swim at Marion Golf and Pool.

## Ag Tag donations second all-time

Voluntary donations by farmers who purchase farm vehicle license plates, also known as Ag Tags, finished the 2019 fiscal year with the second-highest amount in history.

According to Commissioner of Agriculture Ryan Quarles, the Ag Tag Program netted \$613,246.37 in the fiscal year that ended June 30. That is slightly more than the total for fiscal 2018.

The voluntary donations are divided equally among Kentucky 4-H, Kentucky FFA, and the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, meaning each will receive just over \$200,000. Kentucky drivers who buy or renew farm vehicle license plates, may make a voluntary donation of up to \$10 to the Ag Tag Fund. Half of the 4-H and FFA funds go back to the county where the tag is purchased, where both organizations use the funds to support local programming, awards and scholarships.

County totals for 2019 are not vet available.

## **KSP** announces winner of 'Vette



Crittenden County native Libby Maddux, who operated Maddux Equine in Caldwell County, has joined Dr. Thomas Shemwell in providing veterinary services to large and small animals at Crittenden County Animal Clinic.

## MADDUX Continued from Page 1

tion to small pets. She also offers ambulatory services for horses in the region.

"It's good to be back," Maddux said. "Dr.

Shemwell is a wealth of information and has a lot of real practical experience and has taught me a lot, so it's refreshing to do things I haven't done in a long time."

Maddux has experience in chiropractic care and laser therapy for animals, which improves function, blood nerve flow and offers pain relief.

Maddux and her husband Jarrod Singleton have a 2-year-old daughter and soon will be relocating to Marion from Princeton.

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Winters said the additional buses may be needed if more mechani-

Kirk said it has been a tremendous growing season and keeping the grass trimmed at public parks, recreation areas, civic centers and public buildings has been difficult.

He said last Tuesday, under guard and inside a locked fence, several inmates from the Reduced Custody Center were re-

A new Corvette raffled by Kentucky State Police is headed to far eastern Kentucky.

Susan Stanley, a re-Cannonsburg tired woman who worked 31 years for the state police as radio room supervisor at the Ashland post, was the winner of the agency's annual car raffle to benefit Trooper Island. She won a 2019 Chevrolet Corvette Stingray.

This marked the first year KSP sold all 25,000 of its \$10 tickets for the vehicle raffle. The Crittenden Press regularly partners with KSP as a ticket outlet.

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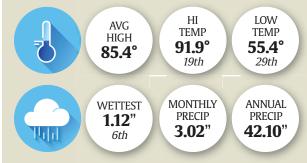
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# **Temps in August** cooler than July

August was slightly cooler than July in Crittenden County, according to the Kentucky Mesonet weather and climate monitoring station in the Repton community. The average high last month was 85.4 degrees, less than half a degree cooler than the previous month. But Aug. 19 registered as the hottest day of the year at 91.9 degrees. Only 3.02 inches of precipitation fell in August, making it the driest month of the year thus far.

## August 2019 weather almanac



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