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# County school board seeking explanation from Murray

By JOHN WRIGHT  
Staff Writer

After meeting in executive session for nearly three hours Thursday evening, the Calloway County Board of Education said it would not act on a proposal passed by the Murray Independent board concerning non-resident average daily attendance contracts. Instead, the Calloway board wants an explanation as to why almost 500 non-resident students from Murray were misreported to the state.

"Murray Independent Schools, by its own admission, has participated in this misconduct for at least the last six years," according to a one-page statement released by the Calloway board after the special-called meeting. "Calloway County Board of Education needs to know when the misreporting began and whether the misreporting was the result of gross negligence or intentional misconduct."

Kentucky Department of Education audits only check for the existence of non-resident contracts signed by both districts. Murray has passed its most recent attendance audits.

"The Kentucky Department of Education audits did not verify student addresses to determine the district of residence," the statement said. "Like Calloway County Schools, the Kentucky Department of

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— Rick Jones  
Calloway County Board of Education Attorney

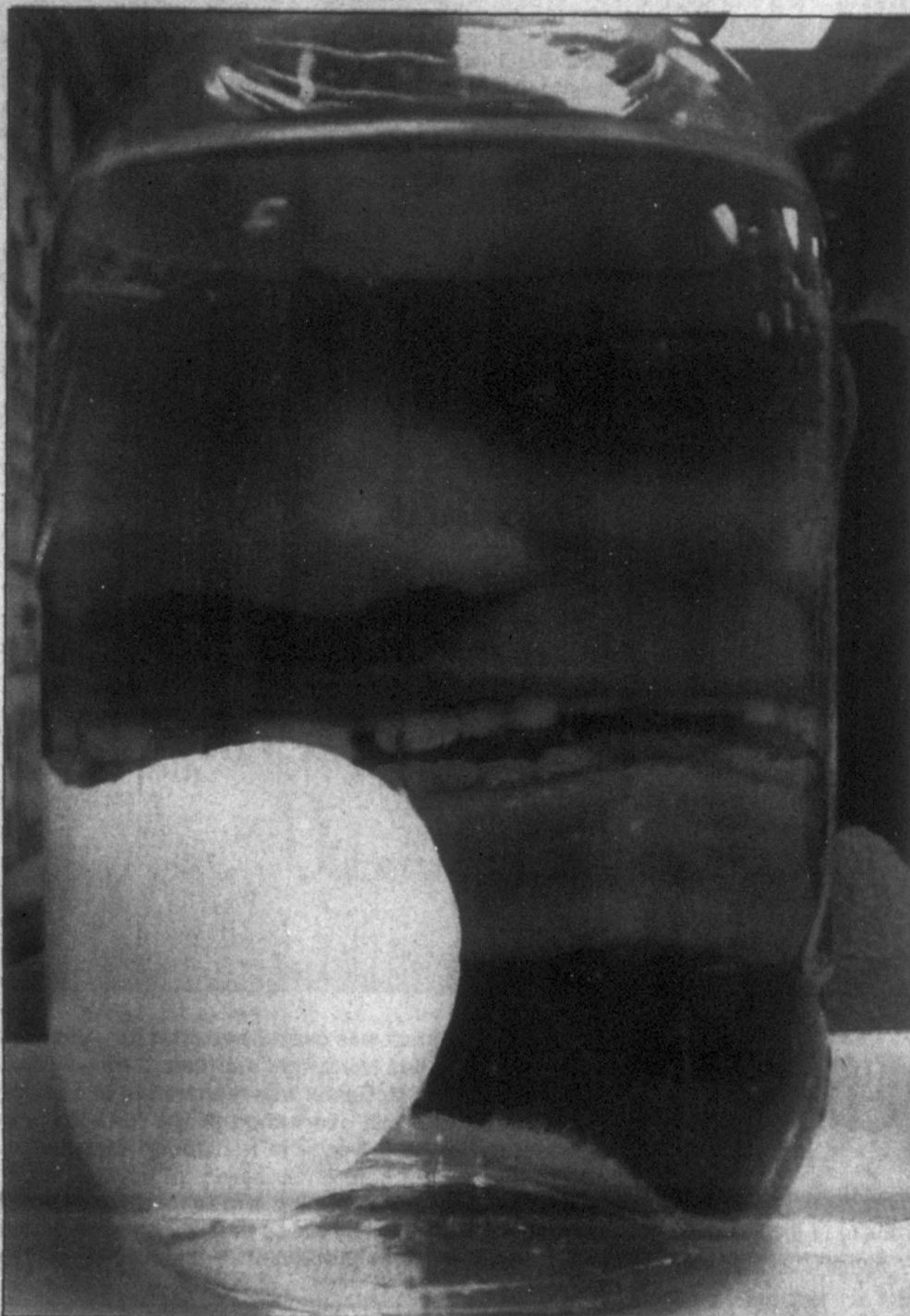
Education trusted that Murray Independent Schools were correctly reporting the residency of its students as required by Kentucky Law."

The Calloway County board said in its statement that it will not move forward with any discussions about the 2005-06 non-resident contracts until the Murray board provides an explanation. Murray is seeking an amended contract with Calloway for the 2004-05 year.

The amended 2004-05 contract includes significantly more names than the original. In October, when the issue became public in the community, 433 students were reported as living in Calloway and attending Murray schools. In December, Calloway charged that the number was higher, leading to an internal investigation by Murray board attorney Chip Adams that

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## A Jar-ing Image



JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times photo  
Murray Elementary School student JuMonte McClure takes on a different appearance as he peers at a sunken egg through a glass jar during a class Thursday morning. McClure and his fellow students were testing to see if eggs could float in both freshwater and saltwater in teacher Shannon Chiles' P2 science class.

## KSP makes arrest in Pella bomb threat case

By KRISTIN TAYLOR  
Staff Writer

A third-shift Pella Corp. employee was arrested Wednesday after he was caught allegedly in the process of trying to make what would be a fourth bomb threat to the company over a five month span.

Stephen M. Stormont Jr., 21, of Murray, was arrested at 10:19 p.m. Wednesday at the Five Star gas station at Ky. 121 and 16th Street, where he was caught trying to make another bomb threat from a pay phone, according to Kentucky State Police spokesman Trooper Barry Meadows.

Stormont was charged with second-degree terroristic threatening, a class D felony punishable by one to five years in jail, as well as possession marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

"We are pleased that a suspect is in custody, and both surprised and disappointed to learn that he is employed at our Murray operations," Pella spokeswoman Kathy Krafka Harkema said in a release. "While this is an isolated case in which an individual used very bad judgment, we are pleased that no one was injured as a result of the reported threats. As a leader in the community, Pella will continue to cooperate with authorities to help ensure that our workplace and our community remain safe."

KSP Trooper Russell Boyd has been investigating a series of bomb threats since the first one was made in August. Two others were made Nov. 14 and Nov. 30. The threats were all made near 10 p.m. and forced employees to be evacuated.

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# Bush vows to confront tyranny around world

By TERENCE HUNT

AP White House Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) — George W. Bush embarked on an ambitious second term as president Thursday, telling a world anxious about war and terrorism that the United States would not shrink from new confrontations in pursuit of "the great objective of ending tyranny."

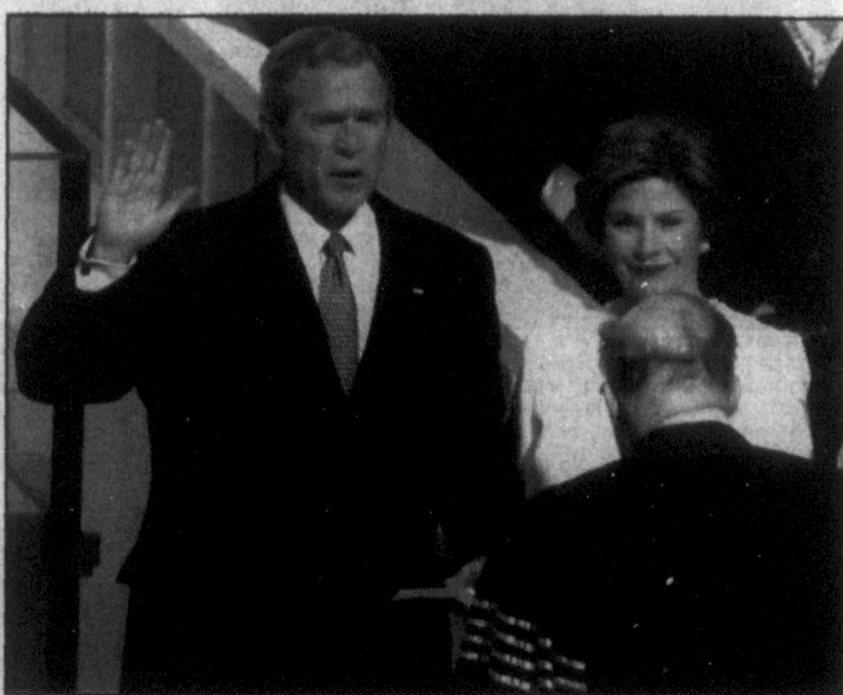
Four minutes before noon, Bush placed his left hand on a family Bible and recited 39 tradition-hallowed words that every president since George Washington has uttered.

With 150,000 American troops deployed in Iraq at a cost of \$1 billion a week and more than 1,360 killed, Bush also beseeched Americans for patience.

"Our country has accepted obligations that are difficult to fulfill and would be dishonorable to abandon," the president declared in the first wartime inauguration in more than three decades.

Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist, 80 years old and frail with thyroid cancer, administered the oath in his first public appearance in three months — a gesture Bush called "incredibly moving." Rehnquist's ill health may give Bush a second-term opportunity to nominate the Supreme Court's first new justice in nearly 11 years.

It was the first inauguration since the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, and



AP Photo  
President Bush is sworn in by Chief Justice William Rehnquist during his inauguration on Capitol Hill Thursday as first lady Laura Bush holds the bible.

the capital was enveloped in a security blanket of thousands of police and miles of metal barricades. Snipers lined rooftops, while bomb-sniffing dogs toiled down below.

Bush spoke before a shivering throng at the West Front of the Capitol, the monuments of American government — Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln — stretched before him on a snowy

landscape. Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., who had battled Bush for the presidency, watched along with other lawmakers.

The nation's 55th inauguration celebration stretched from a 40-minute morning prayer service at St. John's Church to late-night revelry at nine fancy balls. The festivities were financed by \$40 million in private donations and tens of millions in related costs.

Bush rode in an armored limousine, behind police on motorcycles in a V formation, to lead the inaugural parade 1.7 miles down Pennsylvania Avenue to the White House. The license plate read: USA 1.

Hundreds of anti-war protesters, some carrying coffin-like cardboard boxes to signify the deaths of U.S. troops in Iraq, stood along the parade route. They jeered and shook their fists as Bush rode past. "Worst president ever, impeachbush.org" one sign said. Another read: "Guilty of war crimes."

Rows of law enforcement officers stood between the protesters and the parade, and Bush's motorcade sped up as it passed the demonstration area. The president and his wife, Laura, got out of the car to walk the last two blocks to the White House.

Democrats attended the inauguration but didn't hide their unhappiness.

"Personally, I don't feel much like celebrating," said House Democratic leader Nancy Pelosi of California. "So I'm going to mark the occasion by pledging to do everything in my power to fight the extremist Republican's destructive agenda."

Entering his second term with one of the lowest approval ratings of any recent two-term president, Bush was unapologetic in his speech about the course he had set over four tumultuous years.

He challenged critics of his quest to spread democracy across the Middle East, saying that now "is an odd time for doubt." And he voiced eagerness to confront oppressive rule around the globe in the name of spreading freedom.

"All who live in tyranny and hopelessness can know: The United States will not ignore oppression or excuse your oppressors," Bush said. "When you stand for your liberty, we will stand with you."

The United States' policy is to promote democratic movements and institutions in every nation and culture "with the ultimate goal of ending tyranny in our world," he said.

"This is not primarily the task of arms, though we will defend ourselves

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## Calloway ...

### From Front

showed the actual number of students in that category to be 911, meaning nearly 500 were not reported.

"The Calloway County Board of Education needs such an explanation to take appropriate steps to ensure that this type of misreporting does not occur in the future," the statement said. "Calloway County Board of Education is also exploring its legal alternatives to address these issues should that be necessary."

"They've given no explanation so far that I'm aware of. Are

you aware of any?" Calloway board attorney Rick Jones asked after the executive session. "Until we get one from them, no, we can't go any further."

"We feel we need some more information before we made a decision on (acting on Murray's proposal)," said board chairman Jeff Gordon. Gordon also noted that the board has asked Jones to become the district's main voice in the matter, and allow Superintendent Steve Hoskins to better concentrate on his duties.

"He's got a school district to run, and this is his first year, so he needs to have a better chance to tend to those duties," Jones said. "He's doing a great job, from everything I've seen so far, so we just feel he needs to be allowed to focus on his job there, not on answering questions about some dispute or controversy."

The Murray board approved a proposal Wednesday night asking Calloway to release ADA funds to Murray in 2005-06 for students residing in the Calloway district and enrolled in Murray who are in kindergarten through 12th grade and are listed on the amended 2004-05 contract, who are siblings of those listed, and who are children of full-time Murray district employees.

Murray would release ADA funds to Calloway for any students residing in Murray but attending Calloway schools.

## Wal-Mart employee abducted

TYLER, Texas (AP) — A young woman was abducted from a parking lot while leaving work at a Wal-Mart, and her vehicle was later found at a hospital in Arizona, along with a man who had been wounded, authorities said.

Megan Leann Holden, a 19-year-old college student from

Henderson, was reported missing Thursday morning when she did not return home from her shift the night before. Surveillance video appeared to show her being shoved into her truck, which then drove away.

Tyler police spokesman Don Martin didn't have any details about the wounded man.

## Police Sheriff Logs

- Murray State University Police Department**  
 • Housing department officials found drugs and turned them over to Public Safety at 1:13 p.m. Wednesday. A report was taken.
- Calloway County Sheriff's Department**  
 • A caller from Pottertown Road reported at 12:29 a.m. Wednesday someone had been in her house and left part of her horse's tail on the dining table.
- Information is obtained from reports, logs and citations from various agencies.

## Bomb ...

### From Front

"It speaks well for Russell," Meadows said. "That pay phone was used in past threats so Russell had been patrolling the area and caught him in the process of trying to make another one. It's a hard crime to solve just because of the pay phone and the way the calls were spread out. There was no pattern."

Stormt has been employed by Pella for less than a year, Krafka Harkema said. She did not elaborate on Stormt's status with the company now that he faces criminal charges. "Our first focus is on the legal aspects. Then we'll deal with the employment aspects," she said.

"He was an employee of Pella at the time of his arrest, but it is my understanding he has only been there for a short time."

The Calloway County Sheriff's Department initially responded to the threats, but after the threat in late November, Sheriff Larry Roberts said the state police would lead the investigation because that department is more equipped with a resources such a bomb squad.

Pella will donate \$5,000 to Trooper Island, the KSP's non-profit camp for Kentucky teenagers. The company originally offered \$5,000 as a reward for the information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person responsible for the bomb

threats at the plant in Murray.

"Pella is pleased to recognize the teamwork and persistence shown by state Trooper Russell Boyd and the Kentucky State Police patrol, as well as Calloway County Sheriff's office, and police forces from Murray," Doug Dieleman, plant manager of Pella's Murray operations, said in a release.

"Thanks to their dedication, the community and our team members are safer. We're honored to support Trooper Island to provide character development opportunities for Kentucky teenagers as a tribute to the outstanding character and leadership shown by Trooper Boyd and his colleagues."

## Pharmacy call leads to meth bust

### Staff Report

Murray Ledger & Times  
 Two Missouri residents were arrested Wednesday on methamphetamine-related charges after they were reported buying large amounts of cold medication at a local pharmacy.

Ricky Lee Coffee, 53, of Oran, Mo., and Billy Moit, 47, of Bonne Terre, Mo., were each charged with manufacturing methamphetamine, first-degree possession of a controlled substance, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of a radio that sends and receives police messages and unlawful possession of meth precursor. Coffee also was charged with two counts of promoting contraband.

A CVS employee called the Murray Police Department at 2:31 p.m. Thursday after an individual bought large amounts of cold medicine. Patrolman Tim Fortner stopped the suspected vehicle on 12th Street near the Ky. 121 intersection.

Fortner observed the individuals throwing out the pills during the traffic stop and discovered meth in the vehicle, according to the MPD. The precursor charge stems from the cold medicine Coffee and Moit had in their possession because it can be used in making meth.

Fortner was assisted by MPD Detective David Howe.

When the two were booked in the Calloway County jail, more meth was found, leading to Coffee's promoting contraband charge, according to MPD.

MPD shared the arrest information with Missouri authorities, who obtained a search warrant and recovered meth-related materials and a meth lab in Coffee's residence, according to MPD spokesman Sgt. Jim Osborne.

## Morning Accident



KRISTIN TAYLOR/Ledger & Times photo

This pickup truck was overturned after it veered off the right side of the northbound lanes of U.S. 641 North this morning. Calloway County Sheriff's Department Chief Deputy Dennis McDaniel was responding to a reckless driver call when he received the report of a call overturned at U.S. 641 North and Almo Road. The calls were about the same driver, who is diabetic. McDaniel said witnesses said he crossed into the median before he veered off into the road and officers suspect his blood sugar was too low, causing him to lose control of the vehicle. The driver, who had not been identified by press time this morning, was taken to the Murray-Calloway County Hospital as precaution, but McDaniel said the driver did not appear injured.

## WEATHER

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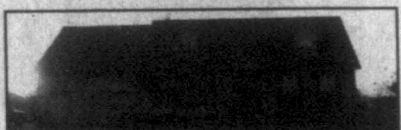
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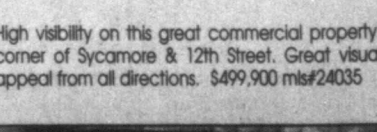
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# For some, president spoke to 'who we are as Americans'; others try to decipher what inaugural speech didn't say

By The Associated Press

The lunchtime crowd at the Boston Beanery was noisy — more interested in the specials than the Washington spectacle — and Timothy Taft strained to hear President Bush's inaugural speech.

"It was just what I expected," Taft, a 39-year-old maintenance manager, said from the restaurant in Morgantown, W.Va. "He showed strength."

The message was of hope, freedom and the need to overcome tyranny. Las Vegas tourist Mary Jane Fincher, a real estate appraiser from Fox River Grove, Ill., found it passionate and full of purpose.

"It's a speech of really who we are as Americans," said Fincher, 58.

Bush spoke for 21 minutes, about the work needed to protect America and of a world moving toward liberty. He mentioned overhauling Social Security and spoke in sweeping terms about keeping the world safe. Not once did he mention Iraq or Afghanistan.

"It seems to me that he's laying ground for Iran and North Korea," said retired Las Vegas French teacher Linda Cotten, 59.

Cotten, a Democrat, found the speech alarming.

Not Mark Owens, a 46-year-old Army veteran who watched the address inside a dim American Legion hall in Tampa, Fla. "What he said was fine," Owens said. "It was what he didn't say — how soon we are going to get out of Iraq."

But Joe Echeverria, a 62-year-old Air Force veteran and Republican, was impressed. He liked how concise Bush was and that he didn't make empty promises.

"All right, Bush!" he said to the television above the bar.

Democrat and Navy veteran Herbie Hope, 70, had hoped to hear Bush say something about veterans. Jim Swafford, 62, of Nashville, Tenn., wanted to hear more about plans for Social Security — and after starting to watch the speech, he turned off the television.

"He's trying to take my Social Security away from me, and he's lying about it," said Swafford, a semiretired owner of a hair salon. "I don't like to listen to him anymore than I have to to find out what he's trying to take away from me. I miss Bill Clinton."

Adam Hansberry, 30, munched slices of pizza as he watched the inauguration in downtown Columbus, Ohio, the state that gave Bush the White House.

"He's what we've got to deal with for the next four years," said Hansberry, who voted for Sen. John Kerry in the election.

In Rio Rancho, N.M., Bush's speech was on in the cozy recreation room of the Harmony House Residential Senior Living Home. Phyllis Cline sat smiling in her wheelchair, excited she made it back from a doctor's appointment just in time. Joan Keck, 72, wasn't having any of it.

"I'd rather sit and read this book about cats than listen to this," said Keck, gesturing to her book. "I could truly care less."



AP Photo  
Amy Edelen sits on the steps of a monument in front of one of the many signs of protest during a daylong vigil denouncing President Bush and the war in Iraq Thursday in Louisville, Ky.

## Celebrations, protests prompted in Bluegrass

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — President Bush's inaugural Thursday was a cause for celebration among some Kentuckians who hailed his leadership and the direction he is leading the country.

For others, the start of Bush's second term sparked fresh protests over the war in Iraq. Protesters in downtown Louisville solemnly read the names of the dead — Iraqis and Americans — and staged a skit that spoofed Bush and his chief political adviser, Karl Rove.

"It's very frightening to me that we have four more years," said Ken Nevitt with the Louisville Peace Action Community. "For us, it's going to be four more years of protesting."

Bush won Kentucky and its eight electoral votes with 60 percent of the vote last November.

A group of Bush supporters celebrated the Republican president's inauguration with a chili lunch in Marshall County in far western Kentucky, a traditional Democratic stronghold.

"It's a great day," said Gerald Lutterman of Gilbertsville. "This country was founded ... by religious people, and I think his religious outlook on governing is important to us."

Lutterman said he hoped Bush would push for a federal constitutional amendment banning gay marriage and would increase funding for faith-

based initiatives. He also liked Bush's plan to let workers divert part of their Social Security payroll taxes into private investment accounts.

Many prominent Kentucky Republicans were in Washington, D.C., to attend Bush's inauguration, including Gov. Ernie Fletcher.

State Republican Chairman John McCarthy said Kentuckians feel comfortable with Bush.

"He's a man of his word," McCarthy said. "He's going to continue to lead based on the principles that he set forth throughout the campaign."

In Paducah, the inauguration triggered a protest by peace activists and a counter-rally in support of Bush and his decision to go to war in Iraq.

"They're having a \$50 million party while our people are dying in Iraq," Kevin Murphy, a participant at the Patriots for Peace rally, said. "That demands a response."

Mike Paul, a retired Army reservist who organized the counter-demonstration, said the peace protests send the wrong message and can demoralize troops. "What happens when the rest of the world sees you show this kind of division is you're offering aid and comfort to the enemy," Paul said. "It makes them believe we're not strong enough to stick it out. Our men and women are dying for us right now. We can't show division."

## Inauguration ...

### From Front

and our friends by force when necessary," the president said.

The spread of freedom and liberty are the oldest ideals of America, Bush said. "Now it is the urgent requirement of our nation's security, and the calling of our time."

After the inauguration, Bush joined congressional leaders and other dignitaries at a Capitol luncheon of scalloped crab and lobster and roasted quail.

"I'm looking forward to putting my

heart and soul into this job for four more years," he said, making no mention of the legislative battles ahead over taxes, expanding immigration laws, Social Security, the burgeoning budget deficit, judges and more.

"We're ready to go to work," replied Sen. Trent Lott, R-Miss., chairman of the congressional inaugural committee.

Eager to begin, the GOP-controlled Senate convened at mid-afternoon and confirmed Mike Johanns as secretary of agriculture and Margaret Spellings as

secretary of education, the first of Bush's nine new second-term Cabinet officers to win approval.

White House chief of staff Andy Card accused Democrats of "petty politics" for blocking the swift confirmation of Condoleezza Rice as secretary of state. Card swore in Spellings in a private ceremony.

With his oath, Bush began a new chapter in a presidency transformed by the 2001, terrorist attacks that killed nearly 3,000 people. What was an unre-

markable presidency to that point, preoccupied by tax cuts and education initiatives, found its purpose.

A president who had come to power in a disputed election and had battled low expectations became a symbol of confidence and resolve in the war against terrorism.

But Bush also angered many allies with what was perceived as an arrogant approach to foreign policy and an unwarranted war in Iraq, based on the erroneous belief that Saddam Hussein

was harboring weapons of mass destruction.

The president did not mention Iraq in his inaugural address, but he said the United States had helped tens of millions of people — in Afghanistan and Iraq — achieve freedom.

He said U.S. efforts have lit "a fire in the minds of men. It warms those who feel its power, it burns those who fight its progress and one day this untamed fire of freedom will reach the darkest corners of our world."

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## OUR READERS WRITE

To the Editor,  
 The fact that more than half of the students enrolled in city schools come from the county district proves it is time to consolidate. The two boards of education should do so for the best interests of the students.

We would have one board, one superintendent, one assistant superintendent, one transportation director, etc., and utilize all existing schools. Like Hopkinsville High in Christian County, Murray High would co-exist with Calloway High. Students would attend the school of their choice. It's more efficient and better to move teachers and staff than students.

One board would manage all the ADA money that both systems are now fighting over. Obviously, there would be issues to resolve, but in the long run it would be better than where we are and where we're heading.

It's time to consolidate for our young people who deserve the best education we can give them. Freedom of choice is what our great land is all about.

Sincerely,  
 C. Mark Blankenship  
 Murray, Ky.

To the Editor,  
 Congratulations to Robin Taffler on her recent letter in reference to the current storm and strife between the two local school systems. She is absolutely right that the central issue ought to be how to provide the best possible public school system for the children of Murray and Calloway County, Ky.

It seems fairly obvious to me that in a community of this size supporting two separate administrative systems, indeed, two sets of everything, is not the most effective and efficient way to use the money that we taxpayers hand over every year for public education. Ms. Taffler is correct in pointing out the many ways in which our children's education could be improved by a better use of tax money in one school system.

One thing seems pretty obvious: Having one school system would immediately and permanently put an end to all the current emotional hype about the bogus issue of "choosing" between the city and the county systems. We would finally have

one excellent system, and every child, no matter where he or she lived, would automatically be a part of it.

I am well aware that consolidating schools is always a highly-charged emotional issue, no matter when or where it happens. I am aware that, like all change, it is temporarily disruptive to some people. But if we can't handle some disruption, then we just as well give up ever changing anything in business or public life or private life or anywhere else.

Frankly, the ongoing waste of resources is not the only consequence of continuing to support two separate sets of schools. Surely I am not the only person in this town who has noticed over the years that the existence of these two separate, competing systems has long been the source of really unnecessary and unpleasant divisiveness. As far as I am concerned, it's an unfortunate characteristic of this community that we could profitably do without.

The school boards of both systems ought to get over this endless, unproductive squabbling and finger-pointing and take steps to give us the one best school system our tax money can buy. They ought to rise above the temptations of petty partisanship and be the best stewards of our tax money that they can possibly be. I really do have the hope that they will be able to do that.

R. A. Helton  
 Murray, Ky.

To the Editor,  
 My family and I lost our house due to a fire in November 2004 and many people in Calloway County were eager to help out in many ways.

We received an abundance of prayers and gifts. I would like to thank everyone who helped us in this great time of need. You guys were really wonderful. My family and I now have a home and are becoming re-established. However we would have never gotten this far if it hadn't been for those with a giving heart.

Calloway County is made of good people and I want to say "thank you" to all of you and may God bless you.

Lorie Stewart and family

Presidential second terms usually end in failure. Since 1900, only Teddy Roosevelt could boast of a second term that was as good or better than his first.



**Morris Advisory**  
 By Dick Morris  
 Syndicated Columnist

Woodrow Wilson lost Congress, and then couldn't bring America into the League of Nations. FDR, whose third term was a success, failed to pass anything in his second after he alienated Congress by trying to pack the Supreme Court and purge recalcitrant Democrats. Harry Truman's popularity plunged over Korea, as Lyndon Johnson's did over Vietnam. Ike had two recessions and a hospitalization. Richard Nixon resigned. Ronald Reagan had Iran-Contra, and Bill Clinton was impeached.

The reasons for second-term failure are pretty much the same: Presidents generally do what they are good at in their first four years, then spend their second term responding to the agendas imposed upon them by events. Plus, re-election itself tends to encourage a spirit of hubris — even as top staff typically depart in search of lucrative jobs, leaving second stringers

in charge. But President Bush has gotten off to a very good start in the weeks since Election Day. Palestine is lurching toward peace. North Korea seems likely to return to six-power talks. Iraq will hold an election, with turnout likely exceeding our own. Ukraine has opted for democracy. And the tsunami has kindled a global spirit of cooperation and unity unlike anything since 9/11.

But Bush has clearly signaled that he will not devote the next four years — as he has the past three — exclusively to fighting the War on Terror. While not planning to let up the pressure on our enemies, he plans to tackle the two most difficult tasks in American politics: Social Security and income-tax reform. Only Reagan succeeded in the latter; nobody has ever done both.

President Bush's hope of success in these daunting challenges depends on an absence of arrogance and hubris and a willingness to recognize the limits of power.

Bush won't pull off Social Security reform if he bases his plan only on privatization and claims that simply letting individuals invest a portion of their tax payments will solve the system's problems. Americans won't buy it, and Bush will be accused of borrowing his way into disaster if he diverts Social Security revenues without any offset in cuts.

But what benefit cuts would be sufficiently acceptable to a wary public? Here, I

believe, the answer is to link retirement age to life expectancy. As we begin to live regularly into our 90s, the age to which we are expected to work should be raised. The government should be willing to subsidize retirement, not an entire second life.

In moving toward a flat tax to replace the current graduated income tax, Bush has to take care to preserve the deductions on which today's system is based. Eliminating the homeowner's mortgage-interest deduction or the deductibility of state and local taxes would cause a firestorm of protest. No president can get that through Congress, no matter how disciplined his majorities.

But if the flat tax is a voluntary option, allowing people either to pay it and claim no offsets or to itemize and pay under the old tax rules, the legislation will likely go down easily. Then, our normal preference for a simple life will lead, inevitably, to a larger number of flat-tax payers each year.

That's not all. The president must also avoid alienating half the country when the next Supreme Court vacancy occurs. And show real progress in post-election Iraq. And on North Korea. And on Iran. And on Saudi Arabia. And on homeland security. Nobody said the job was easy.

Dick Morris was an adviser to Bill Clinton for 20 years.

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## WASHINGTON TODAY

By Ron Fournier

# Iraq shadows Bush's inauguration

WASHINGTON (AP) — Not a word on Iraq. President Bush's inaugural address contained 2,000 words of passion and promise for his second term, but no direct mention of the war that could sink it.

The conflict in Iraq, win or lose, could define his presidency. Bush knows this as well as anyone, which explains his strategic omission.

As he swore the oath for a second time, U.S. casualty totals in Iraq stood at more than 1,360 dead and 10,500 wounded. The war already cost \$100 billion, with a pricetag running at more than \$1 billion a week.

A majority of Americans say the conflict is not worth the cost in lives and money, polls show, though they seem willing to give the president time to stabilize Iraq.

Bush asked for the public's patience Thursday, as he did during his re-election campaign. "Our country has accepted obligations that are difficult to fulfill, and would be dishonorable to abandon," the president said.

That, along with a tribute to fallen troops, is the closest Bush got to mentioning Iraq.

He focused instead on the global war against terrorism, which Bush has deftly linked to Iraq. With allies already wary of his aggressive world view, Bush pledged to fight evil wherever it lurks: "The survival of liberty in our land increas-

ingly depends on the success of liberty in other lands."

Democrat Franklin Roosevelt used a similar logic in his 1945 inaugural, delivered months before his death during World War II. "We have learned that we cannot live alone, at peace; that our own well-being is dependent upon the well-being of other nations, far away," Roosevelt said.

Bush likes to compare the war on terrorism to World War II, both generational battles against tyranny — a word he used five times Thursday. Bush uttered "liberty" 15 times and "freedom" 27 times.

Fighting and killing terrorists has the advantage of being politically popular, and his promise to do so stirs memories of the Sept. 11 attacks — "a day of fire" and Bush's shining hour.

Indeed, the key to Bush's re-election victory was his ability to convince a majority of voters that Iraq is part of his anti-terrorism campaign. Despite what Bush has suggested, voters did not ratify his Iraq policies last November — not in their entirety. Americans did accept his explanation, for the time being, that Iraq is part of the broader battle against the nation's enemies.

Will voters continue to accept Bush's rationale? "That's the great unanswered question," said Tom Rath, a

Bush ally and senior member of the Republican National Committee. "Iraq has the capacity of draining the president politically or, if it works out, mobilizing people behind him."

"If the perception is that democracy is taking hold, he becomes virtually invulnerable," Rath said. "If not, well, let's not talk about that."

They do talk about worst-case scenarios in halls of the White House, but only in whispers.

"Unless we get Iraq straightened out, and quick, anything else we try is futile," said a senior White House aide who spoke on condition of anonymity to avoid stepping on the president's inaugural message.

Bush begins a second term in a politically perilous position. His approval rating is about 50 percent, lower than any recent second-term president with the exception of Richard Nixon. Most Americans give him high marks for fighting terrorism, but are skeptical of his policies on Social Security, taxes, the national debt, immigration and health care.

Iraq is the source of greatest concern. Six in 10 say the Iraqi elections this month will not stabilize the country, though just as many say it's a good first step.

The war has become a personal tragedy in millions of

American households. On the morning of Bush's inauguration, newspapers across the country carried reports of car bombings in Iraq. The Star-Ledger, New Jersey's largest newspaper, wrote about a local National Guard battalion deploying to Iraq for a year.

Preparing his troops for their dangerous mission, Lt. Col. Roch Switlike said. "Anyone who looks like they're going to mess with us, you give them a look that says, 'If you mess with us, you will be dead.' Who knows, they may just say 'Whoa' and wait for the next guy."

While these and other troops hope not to be "the next guy," Bush is focusing the nation on an unusually ambitious second-term agenda. He wants to revamp Social Security, the tax code and the legal system while putting conservative judges on the bench and expanding his education initiatives.

"You didn't elect me to do small things," Bush told RNC members in a private session this week. "I got four years and I'm going to use them."

How effectively he uses that time will likely depend upon, in a word, Iraq.

Ron Fournier has covered politics and the White House for The Associated Press since 1993.

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**Obituaries**

**Carlos M. Steele**

Carlos M. Steele, 82, Paducah, formerly of the Hazel and Murray area, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 2005, at 2:40 p.m. at V.A. Medical Center, Marion, Ill. His death followed an extended illness.

He was a professional electrical engineer for WPSD-TV from 1961 to 1985 until his retirement. He also had a major role in getting the radio station WMOR in Metropolis, Ill., on the air in 1950, where he worked as an engineer and announcer for 10 years before going to WPSD-TV. An Army veteran of World War II, he served in Germany. He was a member of Mason's Chapel United Methodist Church.

His wife, Norma Jean Steele, died Feb. 23, 2002. Born Oct. 8, 1922, in Hazel, he was the son of the late Finis Maston Steele and Nola Matry Douglas Steele.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Carol Jean Steele Dukes and husband, Ricky, Paducah; two sons, Gerald H. Steele and wife, Barbara, West Bend, Wis., and David M. Steele, Nashville, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Saunooke, Leitchfield, and Mrs. Maureen Gray, Riverside, Calif.; one grandchild, Michael J. Steele, West Bend, Wis.

A graveside service will be Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at the Murray City Cemetery. The Rev. Terry Garvin will officiate.

Visitation will be at J.H. Churchill Funeral Home from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to American Heart Association, 222 Kentucky Ave., Paducah, Ky., 42003 or Humane Society of Calloway County, P.O. Box 764, Murray, Ky., 42071.

**John H. McCuan**

John H. McCuan, 77, Farmington, died Thursday, Jan. 20, 2005, at 11:53 a.m. at his home.

A retired equipment operator and welder for International Union of Operating Engineers Local 181, he was a member of Burnetts Chapel United Methodist Church.

His wife, Margaret Ruth Cobb McCuan, one sister, Rebecca McCuan, and two brothers, Robert McCuan and James (Jim) McCuan, all preceded him in death. He was the son of the late Terry (Buck) McCuan and Lorena Wilford McCuan.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Judith Ann Walker and husband, Danny, and Mrs. Shirley Ruth Wilkerson and husband, Ricky, all of Murray, and Mrs. Martha June Kough and husband, Johnny, Mrs. Jennifer G. Duncan and husband, Mike, and Mrs. Johnna Kaye Smith and husband, John, all of Farmington; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Byrn Funeral Home, Mayfield. Scotty Burton will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Chris Walker, Patrick Kough, Russell Hargrove, Adam Kough, Chad Duncan and Bobby Wilkerson. Burial will follow in the Burnetts Chapel Cemetery.

Visitation will be at the funeral home from 6 to 8 p.m. today (Friday).

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Lourdes Hospice, Mayfield-Graves County Meals on Wheels or Burnetts Chapel Building Fund.

**Mrs. Pauline Edwards**

Mrs. Pauline Edwards, 89, Wadesboro Road, Dexter, died Thursday, Jan. 20, 2005, at 12:35 p.m. at Britthaven of Benton.

A retired employee of Ashby Chair Factory, Benton, she was a member of Dexter Baptist Church, Dexter Senior Citizens and Dexter Homemakers Club.

Her husband, Clinton Edwards, one sister, Lorene Gream Cahorn, and two brothers, Hayden Gream and Finis Ewing Gream, all preceded her in death. She was the daughter of the late William Wesley Gream and Alice Virginia Gream.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Edwards Mohler, Benton; one son, Howard Clifton Edwards, Murray; five grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Collier Funeral Home, Benton. The Rev. Waid Copeland will officiate. Burial will follow in the Stewart Cemetery, Almo.

Visitation will be at the funeral home after 4 p.m. today (Friday).

Expression of sympathy may be made to Alzheimer's Association.

**Mrs. Annie Mary Thurman**

Mrs. Annie Mary Thurman, 90, Paducah, died Thursday, Jan. 20, 2005, at 1:30 a.m. at Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah.

A retired seamstress for Normandy Manufacturing, she was a former employee of Claussner Hosiery Mill. She was a member of Bellview Baptist Church.

Her husband, Charles Orval Thurman, and three sisters all preceded her in death. Born in the Hamlin community of Calloway County, she was the daughter of the late Albert C. Thomas and Lillie Mae Kimbro Thomas.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Barbara Ann Troutman, and two sons, Charles Thomas Thurman and Jimmy Dale Thurman, all of Paducah; two brothers, Marvin Thomas, Elizabethtown, and Ford Thomas, Naples, Fla.; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren;

several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be Saturday at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Milner & Orr Funeral Home of Paducah. Dr. E. Lee James will officiate. Burial will follow in the Woodlawn Memorial Gardens, Paducah.

Visitation will be at the funeral home after 5 p.m. today (Friday).

**Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Ezell**

The funeral for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Ezell will be Saturday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Blalock-Coleman & York Funeral Home. The Rev. Mark Earheart and Joe Pat James will officiate. Mrs. Oneida White will be pianist and soloist.

Active pallbearers will be Patrick Robinson, Brad Robinson, Gary Ezell, Mark Flood, Chris Smith and Danny Cunningham. Honorary pallbearers will be members of Friendship Sunday School Class of Kirksey United Methodist Church with Mrs. Clarice Norsworthy as teacher, along with Bobby Walker and Joe Pat James. Burial will follow in the Murray City Cemetery.

Visitation will be at the funeral home from 4 to 8 p.m. today (Friday).

Mrs. Ezell, 81, Kirksey-Almo Road, Murray, Kirksey community, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 2005, at 10:50 a.m. at her home.

A homemaker, she was a secretary for the Farm Bureau for many years. She was a member of Kirksey United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Doris Earl Ezell, died in February 2000. Born Jan. 7, 1924, she was the daughter of the late Toy Buron Jones and Mae Ross Jones.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Phyllis Robinson and husband, Lynn, and Ms. Pamela Kay Ezell, all of Kirksey; one brother, Harold L. Jones and wife, Faye, Carrollton, Texas; four grandchildren, Lisa Aeschliman and husband, Richard, Corona, Calif., and Patrick Robinson and wife, Lori, Brad Robinson and wife, Deanna, and Autumn LeAnn Speed and husband, Billy, all of Kirksey; seven great-grandchildren.

**Terry Stivers Sr.**

The funeral for Terry Stivers Sr. was today (Friday) at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Milner & Orr Funeral Home of Paducah. Dr. Rick Dye officiated. Burial was in the Brooks Memorial Park.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the American Heart Association, P.O. Box 182039, Dept. 013, Columbus, Ohio, 43218-2039.

Mr. Stivers Sr., 54, Aurora, formerly of Paducah, died Tuesday, Jan. 18, 2005, 12:22 p.m. Marshall County Hospital, Benton.

He was the owner and operator of Stivers Overhead Doors.

Preceding him in death were two sisters, Dorothy Coomes and Wanda Burris, and one brother, Charles Stivers. He was the son of the late William Lewis Stivers and Thelma Christine Robertson Stivers.

Survivors include three sons, Terry Stivers Jr., Tracy Stivers and Chad Stivers, and five grandchildren, Rex, Meghan, Morgan, Cheyenne and Courtney Stivers, all of Louisville; one sister, Mrs. Sherry Abernathy, Kevil; one brother, Ronnie Stivers, Paducah; his companion, Jennifer Newman.

**Robert A. Cunningham**

The funeral for Robert A. Cunningham was today (Friday) at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Brown Funeral Home of Mayfield. The Rev. Don Embry officiated.

His grandchildren served as pallbearers. Burial was in the Mayfield Memory Gardens.

Mr. Cunningham, 87, Mayfield, died Tuesday, Jan. 18, 2005, at 6:40 p.m. at Jackson Purchase Medical Center, Mayfield.

A retired plumber, he was a member of Woodmen of World Fraternal Organization and of High Point Baptist Church, Mayfield. His wife, Myrtle Cunningham, preceded him in death. He was the son of the late Cash Cunningham and Lillie Cash Cunningham.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Lynda Wyatt and Mrs. Judy Meredith, both of Bonita Springs, Fla.; one son, Robert Allen Cunningham, Nanticoke, Md.; six grandchildren, Lynn Webster, Jeff Meredith, Jenna Richardson, Chris Cunningham, Emily Fowlie and Andy Cunningham; five great-grandchildren.

**Mrs. Lula Duncan Weatherford**

A graveside service for Mrs. Lula Duncan Weatherford will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at Highland Park Cemetery, Mayfield. Josh Ketchum will officiate.

Visitation will be at Byrn Funeral Home, Mayfield, from 5 to 8 p.m. today (Friday).

Mrs. Weatherford, 84, Mayfield, died Wednesday, Jan. 19, 2005, at 1:05 a.m. at Jackson Purchase Medical Center, Mayfield.

A retired employee of Merit Clothing Company, she was a member of 7th & College Street Church of Christ, Mayfield.

One sister, Era Mae Riley, and two brothers, James Ralph Duncan and Howard E. Duncan, all preceded her in death. She was the daughter of the late Howard R. Duncan and Ethel Milan Duncan.

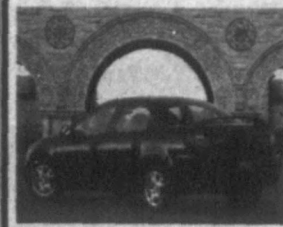
Survivors include one son, Thomas D. Weatherford, Mayfield; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Holland and Mrs. Elizabeth Holland, both of Roseville, Mich.; several nieces and nephews.

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**State employees seek back pay from budget standoff**

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — Thousands of state employees are seeking back pay from the first budget standoff going back to 2002.

State law requires that public employees receive a 5 percent pay raise each year, usually granted on the anniversary of their individual hiring dates. The requirement is sometimes suspended during lean financial times.

The 2002 General Assembly was the first to leave without enacting a budget. The 2003 session crafted a spending plan that took effect on March 23, 2003.

The spending plan included a 2.7 percent raise for 2003.

Phillip Shepherd, a Frankfort attorney representing thousands of public workers, said the eventual plan did not specifically suspend the 5 percent raise requirement, so workers should

**Supreme Court to hear budget suit**

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — The Kentucky Supreme Court on Thursday agreed to decide the ongoing disagreement between Gov. Ernie Fletcher, who is spending money without a budget, and the General Assembly, which once again left in 2004 without enacting a spending plan.

The court set a speedy schedule for all the parties in the case to file legal briefs and said there would be an oral argument on March 9. There is no timetable for a decision.

get their full pay for the roughly

nine months without a budget.

Shepherd said there might be as much as \$15 million in back pay due to workers to cover the time from July 1, 2003, the first day of the fiscal year without a budget, to March 23, 2003, when the spending plan took effect.

Sheryl Snyder, a Louisville attorney representing the executive branch, said the legislature essentially overturned the 5 percent requirement when it decreed in the partial spending plan that the pay raise for the year would be 2.7 percent.

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## EventReminders

The following is a reminder of an event planned the coming week that was recently published in the Murray Ledger & Times:

**Melissa Ann Barrett**, daughter of Jerry and Teresa Barrett of Calvert City, and **Kris Wayne Lovett**, son of Terry and Debbie Lovett of Benton, will be married today, (Friday), Jan. 21, 2005, in a private ceremony at Grand Rivers.

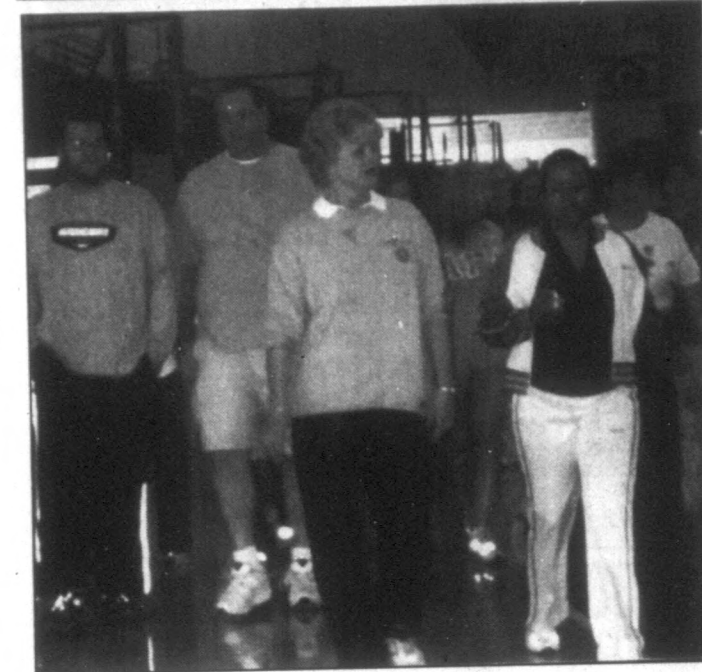


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Joyce Gordon, third from left, served as captain of Gordon's Go-Getters Team in the American Heart Walk. The team placed third with \$1,391. Other team members pictured are Shaun Gordon, left, Scott Gordon, second left, and Annazette Fields, right.

## Heart Walk raises \$30,000 for special purposes

Volunteers for the Calloway County Heart Association recently raised \$30,000 for heart disease research and local education and patient services by participating in the annual Heart Walk held at Murray State University Regional Special Events Center.

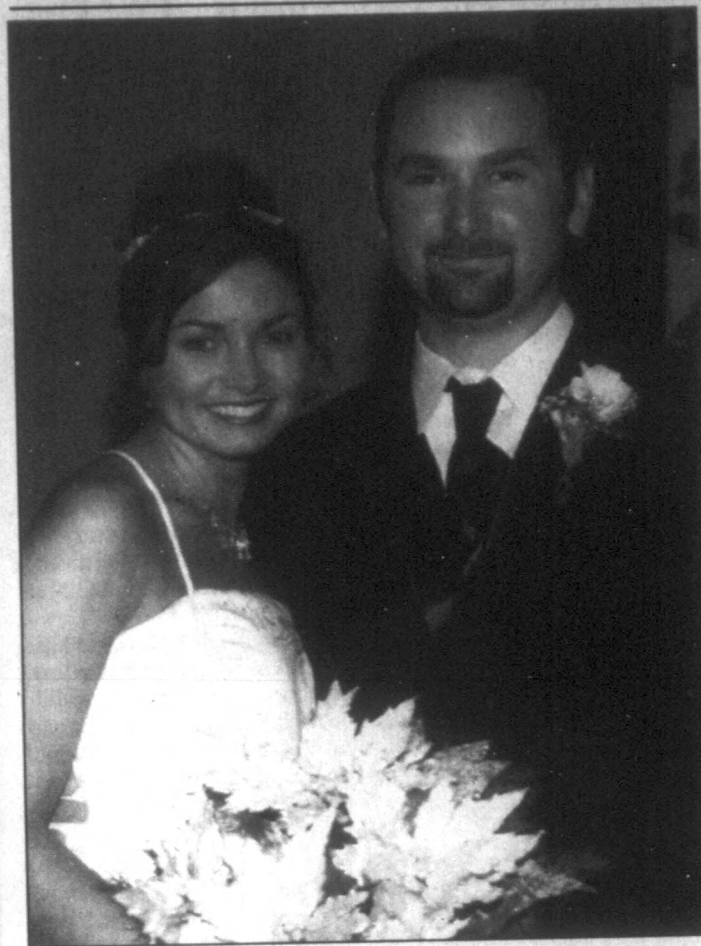
Twenty-nine teams took part in the event, which was sponsored

by Morningstar Foods, Murray-Calloway County Hospital, Briggs & Stratton and Union Planters Bank.

Morningstar Foods placed first in the team division, raising a total of \$7,286.38. Second place honors went to the MCCH Cardiac Rehab team which raised \$1,257. Gordon's Go-Getters from Murray State placed third with \$1,391.

The top individual fund-raiser award went to Amy Spain of Morningstar Foods who raised \$1,666.80. Jean Bailey, retired MSU library employee, placed second with a total of \$1,238. Dorothy Wilson of Morningstar Foods was third with \$813.16.

## Wedding



### Mr. and Mrs. John Myrick Jr.

Tabitha Suzanne Lee and John Philip Myrick Jr. were married Friday, Dec. 3, 2004, at 6:30 p.m. at Bird's Creek Baptist Church, Paris, Tenn.

The sanctuary of the church was decorated with a Christmas theme including five oil lamps lighted in memory of their grandparents and in memory of Courtney Marie Williams, friend of the couple who introduced them.

Bro. Jerry M. Lee, father of the bride, officiated at the ceremony. A prelude of Christmas music and hymns were provided by Oneida White, pianist, and Ricky Shankle, soloist, who sang "O Holy Night", "Mary, Did You Know" and "Shine On Us." The bride sang the "Parent's Prayer" as the couple's parents entered the sanctuary and also sang "I Will Be Here" to her groom during the ceremony. Chris Grissom was in charge of sound.

The bride is the daughter of Bro. and Mrs. Jerry M. Lee of Murray. Her grandparents are Bro. and Mrs. Warren Sykes of Puryear, Tenn., and Sam Lee and the late Mary Nell Lee of Hazel.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Myrick, Puryear. His grandparents are Drucilla West of Paris and the late Edwin West and the late Amma Carter and the late Ray Myrick.

Melissa Dawson, friend of the bride, was matron of honor and Jason Brewer, cousin of the groom, was best man. Ushers were Jamie Myrick and Jeremy Myrick, brothers of the groom, and Matthew Sykes and Mason Sykes, cousins of the bride.

Presiding at the guest registry were Kesha Harris and Stacy Samples. Flowers were by Amy Osbron. Photographers were Rhea Lewis and Shelia Glisson and videographer was Jessica Beaver.

Martha Riddle directed the wedding. Honor attendants, Ashley Amason, Andrea Beville, Erica Mauldin, Lori Snow, Leanne Stephenson and Angie Tucker, along with the previous mentioned women entered the sanctuary during the ceremony to the song, "For Good" in memory of Courtney Marie Williams.

A barbecue dinner with all the trimmings was served after the wedding in the Family Life Center of the church with Ray and Tina Anderson, Barbara Roberts, Pat Raines, Gloria Grissom, Caleb Grissom and Martha Riddle assisting.

The wedding cake by Vickie Geurin was in the shape of three wrapped packages with a silver bow on top and ribbon streaming down the sides, accented with silver ornaments. Servers were the honor attendants.

After a short trip to Nashville, Tenn., the couple is residing at their home in Paris, Tenn. They plan to take an extended trip next summer.

## Nikki Adams has transplant but more disease found



Nikki Adams of Murray had her kidney transplant on Jan. 12 at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., and is doing very well. But she got bad news Jan. 19 when the doctors discovered that the FSGS disease that killed her own two kidneys is back, according to Judy Irvin, special fund benefit coordinator.

Irvin said, "So far her body has not started rejecting the new kidney, but she will have to take a lot of treatments to hopefully get the FSGS in remission. She is depressed about this disease coming back and she needs everyone's prayers and support through cards of encouragement and get well cards."

Cards may be sent to Nikki at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital, 2200 Children's Way, Room 7535, Nashville, TN 37232. Donations can be made at any Union Planters/Regions Bank into the "Nikki Adams Special Fund Account."

### Adult Great Books will meet

Adult Great Books Discussion Group will meet Monday at 7 p.m. in the meeting room of Calloway County Public Library. Emily Wolfson and Beth Belote will be leaders of the discussion of the play, "Prometheus" by Aeschylus, Greek dramatist. Anyone who has read the play is invited to take part in the discussion.

### MES Board will meet Monday

Murray Electric Board will have its monthly meeting Monday at 4 p.m. at the Carroll Conference room, 205 North Fourth St., Murray.

### Creative Arts Group will meet

Creative Arts Department of Murray Woman's Club will meet Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the club house. Lillian Robertson will present a lesson on "Glass Painting." Members are asked to bring items for the Animal Shelter. Hostesses will be Lois Pharris, Paula Crouse and Linda Cooper.

### CCHS Class of 1985 planning reunion

The 1985 class of Calloway County High School will have a meeting to plan the 20-year reunion on Jan. 30 at 3 p.m. at Pagliai's, Murray. All class members are invited. For more information call Amy Bryan Watson at 1-270-415-1974.

### Murray Chapter of IAAP will meet

The Murray Chapter of International Association of Administrative Professionals (IAAP) will meet Monday at 5:15 p.m. at the Pella Corporation on Pella Way. Ann Fraher, administrative assistant at the Pella Corporation, will be the guest speaker. She will present "FISH - Fresh Ideas Start Here." A brief business meeting will follow the program. All area office administrative professionals are invited. For more information contact Jeanne Fleming, chapter president, at 753-5650.

### Shooting Sports Club planned

An organizational meeting of Calloway County 4-H Shooting Sports Club will be Saturday at 10 a.m. in the meeting room of Calloway County Extension Office, South Fourth and Elm Streets, Murray. Youth must be accompanied by an adult. All interested parents and community members are welcome. For more information call 753-1452.

### MILK Diversity Dance Saturday

The Martin Luther King Jr. Diversity Dance will be Saturday at 9:30 p.m. at the large ballroom of Murray State University Curris Center. Dance sponsors include Division of Student Affairs, AASSEP, Institute for International Studies, the Multicultural Awareness Chair, and the Marvin Mills Scholars. Admission is \$3 for students and \$5 for faculty/staff and the public. All proceeds will go to the American Red Cross to support the Tsunami relief effort. For information call 762-6836.

### Robert Burns Supper Saturday

The 15th annual Robert Burns Supper will be Saturday at the Murray Woman's Club House. Featured guests will be Dr. Randall Black, tenor, John Albert, baggie virtuoso, Shannon Blalock and Trudy McFarland. Reservations are required by calling the Tourism Commission at 759-2199 or Murray Life Magazine at 753-5225.

### Soccer Registration scheduled

Murray-Calloway County Soccer Association will have registration for the spring soccer season at The Trophy Case, 1203 Chestnut St., Murray. Dates and times will be Jan. 27 from 5 to 8 p.m. and on Saturday and Jan. 29 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Parents or guardians registering for their children should have the last four digits of your child's Social Security number available.

### MHS football banquet planned

The 2004 Murray High School football banquet will be Jan. 31 at 6 p.m. in the ballroom of Murray State University Curris Center. Tickets will be \$15 per person. To order tickets call Teresa Nixon at 759-1563 or Kathy Erwin at 759-5413 before Jan. 24. No tickets will be sold at the door.

### Soybean Promotion Day scheduled

Murray State University's school of agriculture and the Kentucky Soybean Board will host Soybean Promotion Day at the MSU Curris Center on Feb. 10. The event includes a sponsored luncheon at noon and focus seminars on biodiesel and soybean rust from 1 to 4 p.m. Persons should call 762-4329 by Feb. 8 to register. The first 200 people to RSVP will receive a free ticket to Soybean Promotion Night at the MSU Vs. Tennessee Tech basketball game Feb. 10 at the Regional Special Events Center.

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## Young artist piano competition scheduled

The Paducah Symphony Orchestra and the Murray State University department of music will co-sponsor the Young Artist Piano Concerto Competition on Saturday, Jan. 22. The competition will be held in the Performing Arts Hall of the Price Doyle Fine Arts Center, located at 15th and Olive streets on MSU's campus.

The competition includes seven high school piano students from Kentucky, Indiana and Tennessee, performing single movements of piano concertos by Beethoven, Saint-Saëns, Rachmaninoff, Scriabin and Ravel.

Performances begin at 1 p.m. The performances are open to the public at no charge.

The first-place winner will be announced following the performances and will receive a \$500 cash prize from the Paducah Symphony Orchestra and an opportunity to perform with the orchestra on April 9. The winner will also receive a music scholarship to Murray State University and a first-place award plaque. The second-place winner will receive a \$150 cash prize from WKMS FM 91.3.

For more information, contact Dr. Richard Scott of the department of music at Murray State, at (270) 762 6443 or by email at richard.scott@murraystate.edu. Scott is the competition director.

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# Murray Middle releases names on Honor Roll

Murray Middle School has released the honor roll for second nine weeks of school as follows:

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John S. Lollar, Darien B. Maness, Alyson L. Mathis, Simon D. Mikulcik, Hugh W. Paschall, Brady A. Powell, Taylor R. Richerson, Jason R. Spann and Joseph A. Ward.

**All As and Bs**  
Lucas T. Anderson, Zhanna Badasyan, Nicholas Evan Betts, Emily R. Bland, Arin M. Boyd, Allie M. Carter, Sydney T. Carver, Amber E. Clinton, Chadwick H. Cochran, Anne C. Courtney, Elizabeth C. Courtney, John M. Crofton, Kaitlyn B. Cullop,  
Allie L. Daniel, Tjen C. Dinh, Megan S. Durbin, Tristan K. Enoch, Chloe C. Farris, Joel H. Ferguson, Logan D. Foster, Allyson L. Futrell, Charles M. Graves, Tyler R. Greer, Garrett L. Holland, Karlenta Chareese Kendall-Harris, Zachary P. Kondratko, Brittany L. Lamb, Lindsay E. Lambert, Dheepa K. Loganathan, Chase A. Martin, Tyler M. Masthay, Kristin L. McNutt, Matthew G. McReynolds, Samuel T. Medlock, Adam L. Melton, Jacob I. Menage, Alexandria P. Montgomery, Sarah A. Morgan, Tiyatoone Muuka,  
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Elizabeth D. Wall, Eric J. Wann, Quantique Deasja Washington, Brett E. Watson, Shanna L. Williams, Jackson D. Willie, Joseph R. Winchester, Kassity R. Winchester, Meagan K. Winder and Malik R. Yandel.

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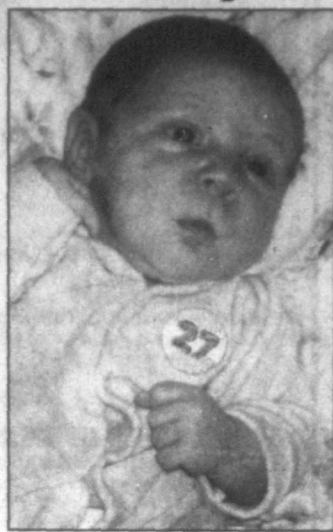
### Dyelan Jason Todd Westphal

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Westphal are the parents of a son, Dyelan Jason Todd Westphal, born on Wednesday, Nov. 24, 2004, at 4 a.m. at Murray-Calloway County Hospital.

The baby weighed 8 pounds 11 ounces and measured 22 inches. The mother is the former Jennifer McKnight.

Grandparents are Christine McKnight and Dennis McKnight, both of Murray, and Barbara and Michael Westphal of Dexter.

Great-grandparents are J.L. and Arvada McKnight of Almo, Bobby and Melinda Stone of Dexter, Emma and Tom Foster of Doniphan, Mo., and Ron and Marcia Westphal of Nashville, Tenn.



Dyelan Jason Todd Westphal

## Meeting will be Feb. 2

FRANKFORT, Ky. — Special Olympics will hold a Track and Field organizational meeting on Feb. 2 at 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room of Calloway County Public Library, 710 Main St., Murray.

The meeting is for anyone who wants to train and compete at the Area 1 Track and Field competition on April 23 at Calloway County High School. Volunteers are also needed to assist at the practices.

Mary Dee Boemker, field services director said "you will enjoy the benefits of seeing these athletes compete at their very best and remind us all what the true meaning of sports and life really is - the will to succeed. It is amazing how athletes inspire greatness in our communities and teach us that no obstacle is too big if we have the right attitude."

Special Olympics is the world's largest program of sports training and competition or children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Participation is open to all individuals eight years of age or older. Training and competition in local, area, state and national programs are offered year-round in 17 sports.

For more information call Boemker in the Special Olympics office at 1-800-633-7403.

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<p><b>ADVENTISTS</b> SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST Worship Sat. 9:00 a.m. Sabbath School Sat. 10:15 a.m.</p> <p><b>ANGELICAN</b> ST. MARK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH 1214 Mayfield Highway, Benton, KY 42025 270-527-8002</p> <p>Service 10:00 a.m. Feast Day Services contact the Rector 252-3389</p> <p><b>ASSEMBLIES OF GOD</b> HOPE HARBOR CHURCH Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>BAPTIST</b> BLOOD RIVER Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>CHESSY CORNER</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Church Training 5 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>COLDWATER BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Services 11:00 a.m. Evening Services 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>DEXTER BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Wednesday Service 6:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday Night 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>ELM GROVE BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 8:45 &amp; 11 a.m. &amp; 6:00 p.m. Discipleship Training 5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>EMMANUEL MISSIONARY</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FAITH BAPTIST</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FIRST BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 8:30 &amp; 10:55 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>FLINT BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.</p> <p><b>GREATER HOPE MISSIONARY</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m.</p> <p><b>GRACE BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>EASTWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>HARDIN BAPTIST</b> Worship 8, 9:15 &amp; 10:30 a.m. Sun. Schools 8, 9:15 &amp; 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Worship 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>HAZEL BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Church Training 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>HILLTOP BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>KIRKSEY BAPTIST</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>LEDBETTER MISSIONARY BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Preaching 11 a.m. &amp; 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>LIGHTHOUSE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>LOCUST GROVE</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>LONE OAK PRIMITIVE</b> 1st Sunday 2:00 p.m. 3rd Sunday 2:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MEMORIAL BAPTIST</b> Morning Worship 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MOUNT HOREB FREEWILL BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>NEW MT. CARMEL MISSIONARY</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>NORTHSIDE</b> Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>NEW PROVIDENCE</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>OAK GROVE</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>OWENS CHAPEL</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Preaching 11:00 a.m. Prayer Service 5:30 p.m. Church 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>POPLAR SPRING</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 8:45 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>SALEM BAPTIST</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>SCOTT'S GROVE</b> Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Prayer &amp; Fasting for Spiritual Awakening Sat. 6 p.m.-10 p.m.</p> <p><b>SINKING SPRING</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>SOUTH MARSHALL</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>SPRING CREEK</b> Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Services 10 a.m. Discipleship Training 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>ST. JOHN</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m.</p> <p><b>SUGAR CREEK</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>WEST FORK</b> Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p>
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*Being a Peacemaker*



Part of the "Sermon on the Mount" which our Lord taught His disciples was, "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God." In the Bible, there is a great deal written about peace. Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; My peace I give you" (John 14:27). He told us to "Be at peace with each other" (Mark 9:50). It seems that peace and love go together; you can't have one without the other. Being a peacemaker is not always easy. We realize this world is not paradise; therefore, we will always have to contend with conflicts and strife. Still, a peacemaker treats others with respect and consideration and honors God's word of treating others as they would want to be treated. Peace and love, along with joy and happiness, are virtually impossible without God. But, with our Lord Jesus all things are possible, and through Him we should strive to live at peace with everyone.

*Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification.*

N.I.V. Romans 14:19

<p><b>SHILOH FULL GOSPEL ASSEMBLY</b> Thursday Night 7:00 p.m. Sunday Morning 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>UNITY OF FAITH FELLOWSHIP</b> Sunday 3 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD</b> Bible School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11:30 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m. Friday Worship 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>HARMONY MENNONITE CHURCH</b> 1 1/2 miles west of Lynn Grove Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN CENTER</b> Sundays 10:30 a.m. Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>AMERICA'S CHURCH OF GOD</b> 1408 Sycamore St. Sundays 10:00 a.m. &amp; 5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MURRAY RESTORATION BRANCH OF JESUS CHRIST</b> Morning Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES</b> JEHOVAH'S WITNESS Public Talk 9:30 a.m. Watchtower Study 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>LUTHERAN</b> IMMANUEL LUTHERAN Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>METHODIST</b> BETHEL UNITED Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. 2nd &amp; 4th Sun. Night 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>BROOK'S CHAPEL UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. 1st &amp; 3rd Sun. Night 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>COLDWATER</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>COLE'S CAMPGROUND</b> Worship Service 8:50 a.m. Sunday School 9:50 a.m.</p> <p><b>DEXTER-HARDIN UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST</b> Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 9:50 a.m.</p> <p><b>GOOD SHEPHERD UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>GOSHEN METHODIST</b> Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>HAZEL UNITED METHODIST</b> Worship 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>INDEPENDENCE UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>KIRKSEY UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>LYNN GROVE</b> Worship Service 9:30 a.m. Church School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p><b>MARTIN'S CHAPEL UNITED</b> Worship Service 9:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>MASON'S CHAPEL UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>MT. CARMEL</b> Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>MT. HEBRON</b> Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p><b>PALESTINE UNITED</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>RUSSELL CHAPEL UNITED</b> Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>SOUTH PLEASANT GROVE</b> Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.</p> <p><b>TEMPLE HILL UNITED</b> Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Preaching 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>WAYMEN CHAPEL AME CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>NAZARENE</b> MURRAY CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Worship 6:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>PENTECOSTAL</b> APOSTOLIC PENTECOSTAL Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 5 p.m.</p> <p><b>BETHEL FELLOWSHIP CHURCH OF GOD</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Church 11:00 a.m. &amp; 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>BETHEL APOSTOLIC PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday Night 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>CALVARY TEMPLE</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>DEXTER PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>PROMISE OF HOPE CHURCH</b> Sunday PM 2:00 p.m. Wednesday PM 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>FAITH TABERNACLE</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>HIGHER PRAISE WORSHIP CENTER</b> Praise and Worship 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday Family Training 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>JENNY RIDGE PENTECOSTAL</b> Saturday Evening 6:00 p.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p> <p><b>NEW CONCORD</b> Sunday Worship &amp; Service 10 a.m. Worship Sun. 6 p.m. &amp; Wed. 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>TRINITY CHRISTIAN CENTER</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship 7 p.m.</p> <p><b>UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH-NEW CONCORD</b> Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00-7:30 p.m.</p> <p><b>LAKE-LAND APOSTOLIC CHURCH</b> Worship 10 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.</p>
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## Church Bulletins

Various churches have released information concerning their worship services for the coming weekend as follows:

**Greater Hope Baptist:** The Rev. Robert H. Johnson and Barrs Chapel of Como, Tenn., will be special guests at 3 p.m. worship service. The Rev. W.E. Cheaney is pastor.

**University Church of Christ:** Richard Youngblood, minister, will speak about "I Don't Feel Worthy" with scripture from *John 8:1-11* at the 10 a.m. worship service. Charley Bazzell, minister, will speak about "Ambassadors for Christ" with scripture from *II Corinthians 5:18-21* at the 6 p.m. worship service. Assisting Sunday morning will be Lloyd Hasty, Randy Dunn and Walter Mehr. Danny Claiborne is worship leader and Jeremy Swindle is youth and family minister. Bible classes will begin at 9 a.m.

**Goshen United Methodist:** The Rev. Mark Earheart, pastor, will speak about "Percentages" with scripture from *Matthew 4:18-23* at the 10 a.m. worship service. Steve Sexton will be the pastor's assistant and Beverly Barnes will direct children's church. Marlene Beach and Bobby Etheridge will serve as greeters. Tina Sexton will direct the choir with Pat Brunn, Renee Doyle and Carla Halkias as accompanists. Sunday School with Michael Brunn as superintendent will be at 9 a.m. The Sunday night Bible Study and youth groups of Kirksey and Goshen churches will meet at Kirksey at 6 p.m.

**Westside Baptist:** The Rev. Glynn M. Orr, pastor, will speak about "The Sacredness of Life: More Than a Sermon About Abortion" with scripture from *Acts 17:22-34* at the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Bro. Martin Severns will speak about "Life on the Rock" with scripture from *Matthew 16:13-18* at the 6 p.m. worship service. Tommy Scott is minister of music. The choir will sing "Holy Is the Lord (Medley)" with Jill Herndon as soloist. Pam Scott will present special music at the morning hour and Carolyn Winchester will present special music at the evening hour. Danny Cunningham and James Foster, deacons of the week, will assist. Shelly Harris is minister of children and Eric Miracle is minister of students. Sunday School will be at 9:30 a.m.

**Immanuel Lutheran:** The Rev. Dr. Chad Foster, pastor, will speak about "The Great Gospel Light" with scripture from *Matthew 4:12-23* at the 10:30 a.m. Third Sunday after the Epiphany worship service. Sunday School and Adult Bible Class will be at 9 a.m. and social hour at 9:45 a.m.

**Memorial Baptist:** Dr. James Simmons, pastor, will speak at the 8:30 and 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship services. His morning sermon will be "Hook, Line and Sinker" with scripture from *Mark 1:16*. Paul Adams is music director with Kathy Thweatt and Misty Williams as accompanists. The sanctuary choir will sing "In Times Like These" and Diane Basiak will give the children's message at the second morning service.

Assisting will be Mike Daniel and Mark Cohoon, director of Sunday School at 9:40 a.m.

**First United Methodist:** The Rev. Richard P. Smith, senior pastor, will speak about "Dealing with Difficult People" with scripture from *Colossians 3:11-17* at the 11 a.m. worship service. Dr. Pamela Wurgler is minister of music with Joan Bowker as organist and Tracy Leslie as pianist. The chancel choir will sing "Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing." The Rev. Emily Burch, assistant pastor, will assist along with acolytes, Katrina Olson and Allison Crawford. Church School will be at 9:50 a.m. and Nicaraguan Mission Trip meeting at 2 p.m.

**Glendale Road Church of Christ:** John Dale, pulpit minister, will speak about "I Have Set Before You Life and Death..." with scripture from *Deuteronomy 30:19-20* at the 9 a.m. worship service and about "Love Life and See Good Days..." with scripture from *I Peter 3:10-12* at the 6 p.m. worship service. Jerald Sykes will lead the singing. Assisting will be Jerry Ainley, Sandy Aleshire, Ted Howard, Andrew Falwell, Jeremy Bell, Ryan Kelly and Grundy Falwell. Other ministers are Garry Evans, Involvement, Alan Martin, outreach, and Nick Hutchens, Youth. A short worship service will be at 5 a.m., and Bible Study at 10:15 a.m.

**First Christian:** Dr. Charles L. Rolen, senior minister, will speak about "Winning Battles, But Losing the War?" with scripture from *I Corinthians 1:10-18* at the 10:15 a.m. worship service. Mark Dycus is minister of music with Julie Warner, Donnie Hendrix and Judith Hill as musicians. The chancel choir will sing "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" with Andrew and DeeAnna Natividad, handbells and Donnie Hendrix, percussion. Laura Lee Winchester, director of children's ministries, will give the children's sermon. Assisting will be Don Miller, worship leader; Don McCord and June VanderMolen, elders; Judy Eldredge, Melanie Dawson, Donnie Hendrix, Eric Roberts, Judith Hill, Paula Marvin and Jim Boone, deacons.

**Emmanuel Baptist:** Dr. Paul E. McWherter, pastor, will speak about "Jesus in Gethsemane" (The "Desertion" of the Disciples) with scripture from *Matthew 26:36-46* at the 11 a.m. worship service. Bro. Bobby Gates, veteran missionary to Mexico, will be delivering a report of the "Missions and Churches Under His Care there" at the 6 p.m. worship service. Sunday School will be at 10 a.m.

**South Pleasant Grove United Methodist:** The Rev. Joey Reed, pastor, will speak about "Why Doesn't God Speak to Us Anymore?", third of a five part series on "Answering Your Questions" at the 10:45 a.m. worship service. His scripture will be from *Matthew 23:34-39*. Assisting will be Harmon Wilson and Sabrina Jackson, acolytes; Darrell Clark, Butch Elliott, Robert Clark and Hazle Lee Boyd, ushers; Butch and

Belinda Elliott, greeters; Karen Coles, nursery. Sunday School will be at 9:45 a.m.

**Good Shepherd United Methodist:** The Rev. Mike Roberts, pastor, will speak about "How To Begin Again: Married With or Without Children" with scripture from *Colossians 3:18-21* at the 11 a.m. worship service. Diana Tatlock is song leader and Jessica Su is pianist. The choir will sing "The Family of God." Sunday School will be at 10 a.m.

**Martin's Chapel United Methodist:** The Rev. Mike Roberts, pastor, will speak about "How To Begin Again: Married With or Without Children" with scripture from *Colossians 3:18-21* at the 9 a.m. worship service. Ralph Robertson is song leader and Ricky Cunningham is pianist. The choir will sing "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart." Sunday School will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday Bible Study on Romans 16 will be at 9:30 a.m.

**Coldwater Church of Christ:** Richard Guill, minister, will speak about "Step One to Spiritual Downfall" with scripture from *Jeremiah 6:10; 17-19* at the 10:15 a.m. worship service and about "The 70 Weeks of Daniel 9" with scripture from *Daniel 9:24-27* at the 6 p.m. service. Kevin Smith will lead the singing.

**First Baptist:** Dr. Wendell Ray, pastor, will speak about "The Word of God: Sword of the Spirit" with scripture from *Ephesians 6:17* at the 8:30 and 10:55 a.m. worship services. Joetta Kelly, minister preschool and children, will give the children's sermon and Lance Allison will give the public relations report at both morning services. Mike Crook is associate pastor of music and worship with Margaret Wilkins and Lisa Ray as accompanists, assisted by the Worship Team. The sanctuary choir will sing "Holy Is He" at the second morning service. Assisting will be Allen Fowler and Joe Hedges, deacons of the week, and Dr. Bobbie Weatherly and Dr. Ken Winters. The Rev. Terry Garvin, associate pastor of education, teaching and administration, will continue the winter Bible study on "Mark" at the 6 p.m. worship service. Sunday School will be at 9:45 a.m. Boyd Smith is associate pastor of students, and leads University worship at 8 p.m. at The Net building.

**North Pleasant Grove Cumberland Presbyterian:** The Rev. Charles Westfall, pastor, will speak about "Unity Is Christ" with scripture from *I Corinthians 1:10-18* at the 11 a.m. worship service. David Bogard is choir director with Margaret Nell Boyd as pianist. The choir will sing "Thy Loving Kindness" Sunday School will be at 10 a.m.

**West Fork Baptist:** The Rev. Wayne Carter, pastor, will speak about "God is Looking for a

Few Good Men" and also give the children's sermon at the 11 a.m. worship service for Baptist Men's Day. He will speak about "Do They Still Make Disciples Like They Used To?" at the 6 p.m. worship service. Alvin Usrey will be music director with Cyndy Satterwhite and Janet Arnold as musicians. Nathan Williams, youth minister, will assist. Sunday School with Phillip Bazzell as director will be at 10 a.m.

**Poplar Spring Baptist:** Dennis Norvell, pastor, will speak about "Mentoring Men" with scripture from *Titus 2:1-8* at the 8:45 and 11 a.m. worship services as a part of Baptist Men's Day. The 6 p.m. service will be conducted by the Men of Purpose. Mark Hardison will lead the worship services with Hazel Brandon, Susan Reynolds, Missy Waldrop and Carol Kelly as accompanists. Sunday School for all ages will be at 10 a.m.

**First Presbyterian:** The Rev. Ann Marie Montgomery, co-pastor, will speak about "Summoning and Responding" with scripture from *Matthew 4:12-23* at the 10:45 a.m. worship service. Margaret Boone is choir director with Lee Kem as pianist. The choir will sing "God Is My Strong Salvation." Terry Holmes will be liturgist. Assisting will be Bob Goble, Carla Johnson and Karen Burnett. Adult Sunday School will be at 9:15 a.m., Raah, Youth and Children's Sunday School at 9:30 a.m., Korean worship at 4 p.m. and Youth Group at 6 p.m.

**Grace Baptist:** The Rev. Sammy Cunningham, pastor, will speak at the 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship services. Henry Nance is minister of music with Oneida White, Dean Stephenson and Kathy Garrison as accompanists. John Mark Roberts will give the children's sermon. Kelsey Nance will sing a solo at the morning hour. Jason Carroll is minister of youth. Assisting will be James Rose, deacon of the week, and Brice Ratterree, Roger Humphrey, Junior Garrison and Josh Owen, ushers. Sunday School will be at 9:30 a.m. and Prayer meetings at 5:30 p.m.

**Elm Grove Baptist:** Dr. Todd Buck, pastor, will speak about "Preaching Silently" with scripture from *Matthew 28:18-20* and *I Corinthians 11:25-26* at the 8:45 a.m. traditional and 11 a.m. contemporary morning worship services; and about "Dreams and Realities" with scripture from *Proverbs 3:9-10* at the 6 p.m. worship service. Craig Keene is music director with Emma Dean Clayton and Glenda Rowlett as accompanists, assisted by the Praise Worship Team. Ray and Kay Hays will sing at both morning services. Sunday School for all ages will be at 10 a.m. and Discipleship Training for all ages at 5 p.m.

## In our CHURCHES First Christian youth participating in 30-hour famine

With the term "obesity epidemic" now commonplace when referring to American youth, it's all the more saddening to realize that children around the world have the opposite problem, hunger, and millions never get a chance to overcome it. This Feb. 25-26, half a million American teens and preteens are doing something about it.

The youth of First Christian Church will participate on a local level in the World Vision 30 Hour Famine, forsaking food for 30 hours to get a taste of what children and families worldwide face on a daily basis.

They will accept this challenging personal sacrifice as the culmination of their fundraising efforts to feed and care for children in poverty-afflicted countries like Ethiopia, Peru and Zimbabwe and to help care for poor children in nations worldwide, including the United States.

Energized with compassion rather than food during their fast, 30 Hour Famine participants gather as groups and consume only water and fruit juices as they focus on activities that remind them of the purpose of their fasting and fundraising.

The group from First Christian Church will volunteer their time to local organizations helping the needy as well as community and church clean-up projects.

"The 30 Hour Famine changes the lives of not only the children being helped, but the youth themselves who really stretch themselves and sacrifice to put others before themselves," said Debbie Diederich, national director of the World Vision 30 Hour Famine. "This year, our fundraising goal is \$8.3 million, but the overall impact of the funds raised and hearts changed through the 30 Hour Famine is incomprehensible."

Last year, half a million teens and preteens across the U.S. raised \$7.7 million through pledges from sponsors and group fundraisers.

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If your youth group or community organization would like to participate in First Christian Church's effort to help the impoverished children of the world, contact Laura Lee Winchester at 753-3824.

## Men and Boys' Wildlife dinner to be at West Fork

West Fork Baptist Church, Highway 121 North at Stella, will have a men and boys' wildlife dinner Saturday at 6 p.m. in the Family Life Center of the church.

A variety of wildlife meats will be served along with pork barbecue, vegetables, salads and desserts.

The event will also include a turkey calling demonstration and instruction by Scott Belt from the Hodges Sporting Goods in Marion; and a devotion by Greg McReynolds of Murray.

The dinner is part of a weekend observance at Baptist Men's Day. The pastor, Bro. Wayne Carter, invites the public to attend. For more information call 753-1519.

## Bethel Pentecostal Church plans service

Bethel Pentecostal Church will have a special service on Saturday at 5 p.m.

The church is located at 407 Bethel Rd., Murray. The pastor, the Rev. Dale Newman, and the church family invite the public.

## Cumberland Aires will sing on Jan. 30

DUKEDOM, Tenn. — A fifth Sunday singing will be Jan. 30 at New Salem Missionary Baptist Church in the Austin Springs community of Dukedom. Featured will be the Cumberland Aires at the singing starting at 1:30 p.m.

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## Rolling Stone refuses to run ad for Bible

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (AP) — Rolling Stone magazine declined to run an advertisement for a new translation of the Bible aimed at young people, the nation's largest Bible publisher said Wednesday.

Zondervan, a division of HarperCollins Publishers, bought space in the magazine months ago as part of an ad campaign for Today's New International Version, said Doug Lockhart, Zondervan's executive vice president of marketing.

"Last week, we were surprised and certainly disappointed that Rolling Stone had changed their mind and rejected our ad," he said.

A telephone message seeking comment was left Wednesday at the New York headquarters of Wenner Media LLC, publisher of Rolling Stone.

Lockhart said Zondervan, based in Grand Rapids, paid Wenner Media last July to run the ad in February, when the Bible is due on bookshelves.

On Tuesday, *USA Today* quoted Kent Brownridge, general manager of Wenner Media, as saying his staff first saw the ad copy last week, and "we are not in the business of publishing advertising for religious messages."

Media outlets that agreed to carry the ad include Modern Bride, The Onion, MTV.com and AOL, Lockhart said.

## Car bomb explodes outside mosque



AP Photo

Iraqi police and the U.S. soldiers secure the area following a car bomb explosion in front of a Shiite mosque in Baghdad today. A car bomb exploded outside a Shiite mosque in Baghdad where worshippers were celebrating a major Muslim holiday, killing at least 13 people and wounding 40, police and hospital officials said, the country's latest violence in the lead-up to this month's elections. The elections poster on the ground features al-Dawa party.

By The Associated Press  
BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — A car bomb exploded outside a Shiite mosque in Baghdad Friday where worshippers were celebrating a major Muslim holiday, killing at least 14 people and wounding 40, police and hospital officials said, the country's latest violence in the lead-up to this month's elections.

The car blew up outside the al-Taf mosque in the capital's southwest, where Shiites were celebrating one of Islam's most important holidays, Eid al-Adha, or Feast of Sacrifice. The feast coincides with the yearly pilgrimage to Mecca in Saudi Arabia.

Attacks on Shiites have increased in the run-up to Iraq's Jan. 30 parliamentary and provincial elections. Friday's blast was the second outside a Shiite mosque in the capital this week and it came a day after a chief terror leader in Iraq berated Shiites in an Internet audio recording that appeared aimed at sowing division in the country.

Iraq's Shiites — a community that was oppressed for decades — strongly supports the vote, believing it will propel them to a position of influence equal to their standing as the country's majority group. They make up about 60 percent of the Iraq's 26 million people.

But militants among the Sunni Arab minority — which lost privilege when their patron Saddam Hussein was toppled — have vowed to stop the vote.

Some Sunni clerics and politicians have called for a boycott of the vote, saying violence in Sunni areas will keep people from the polls and skew the outcome of the balloting against them.

An official at Baghdad's al-Yarmouk Hospital said the blast at the mosque killed at least 14 people and wounded 40 others.

In a new Internet audio recording purportedly from Iraq's most feared terror leader, Jordanian-born Abu Musab al-Zarqawi, the speaker denounced Iraqi Shiites for fighting alongside U.S. troops.

Al-Zarqawi, the leader of Iraq's al-Qaida affiliate, ridiculed Iraq's most prominent Shiite cleric, Grand Ayatollah Ali al-Sistani, and berated Shiites for fighting alongside American troops against their Sunni countrymen in Fallujah in November.

"They broke into the safe houses of God," the speaker said of Shiites. "They defiled them and they hung the photos of their Satan, al-Sistani, on the walls and they spitefully wrote: 'Today, your land; tomorrow it will be your honor.'"

The authenticity of the tape could not be verified.

Friday's car bomb exploded as worshippers were leaving the building, a witness said. The blast left several cars in flames and showered the area with charred debris.

At al-Yarmouk Hospital, dozens of weeping men and women frantically searched for news about loved ones feared caught up in the bombing.

A distraught man sat beside his dead 14-year-old son, covered with a sheet, and cried out, "I had breakfast with him this morning. I told him, 'Let's go to your grandfather,' but he insisted on going for prayers first."

A woman dressed in a black cloak, or abaya, fainted as she identified the body of her son in the hospital's morgue. She was carried away by relatives.

In the 90-minute message posted on the Web Thursday, al-Zarqawi called on his followers to show patience and prepare for a long struggle against the Americans, promising that "ferocious wars ... take their time" but that victory was assured.

Al-Zarqawi's al-Qaida in Iraq group was responsible for kidnapping and beheading several foreigners, including Americans, before the fall of their Fallujah base. The United States has offered a \$25 million reward for al-Zarqawi's capture or death — the same amount as for Osama bin Laden.

A U.S. soldier was killed Friday during a pre-dawn raid north of Baghdad, the military said.

The soldier from Army's 1st Infantry Division, whose name was withheld pending notification of his family, was killed in an operation to kill or capture members of an insurgent bomb-making cell in the town of Ad Duluyah, the military said in a statement.

One Iraqi was killed in the raid and another soldier was wounded.

Near the central city of Samarra, saboteurs set an oil pipeline on fire, police said. The pipeline, some 10 miles south of the city, links the northern Beiji refinery to Baghdad's Dora refinery.

The pipeline was attacked in the past by insurgents who've taken aim at the oil industry to deprive the government of badly needed reconstruction money.

In a separate statement, al-Zarqawi's group claimed responsibility for a Thursday explosion that injured five British soldiers and an undetermined number of Iraqis at a supply base in southern Iraq outside the port city of Basra. A Web statement said the attack was a retaliation for alleged British abuse of Iraqi prisoners.

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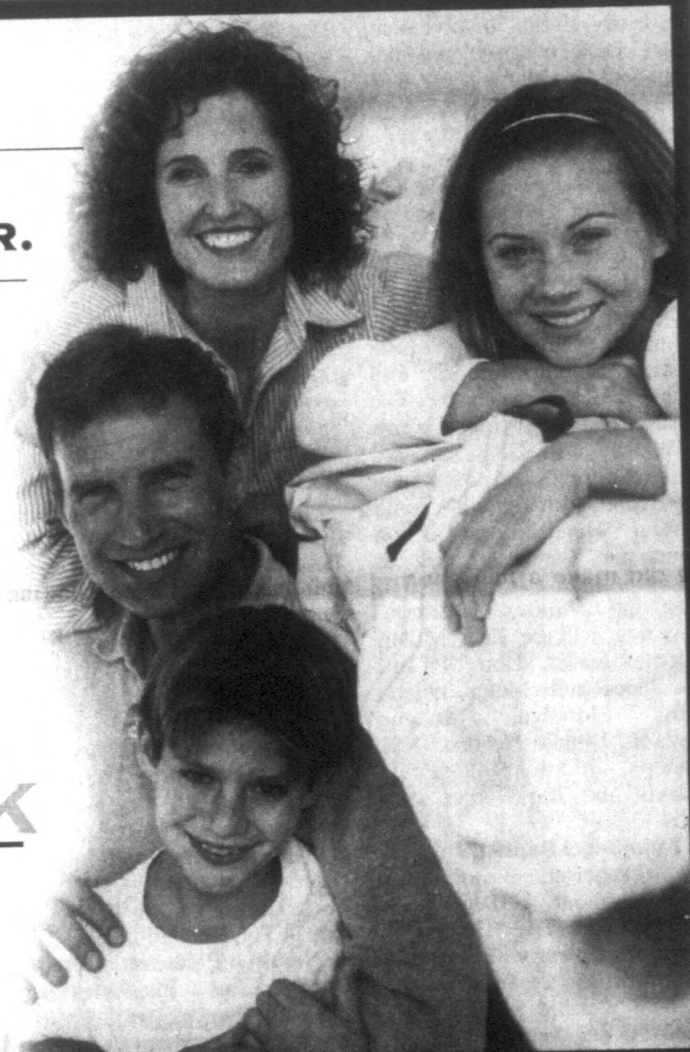


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# Court: Some DUI offenders may be charged with wanton endangerment

By JOE BIESK

Associated Press Writer  
FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — The Kentucky Supreme Court opened the door Thursday for prosecutors to file separate wanton endangerment charges against DUI offenders who carry passengers or pose other added risks to the public.

However, the court ruled — in a 4-3 unsigned opinion — that such additional charges should not be automatic for someone simply accused of driving drunk. There must be other factors involved, the court ruled.

"It is true that the immediate public is placed at risk whenever an intoxicated driver enters the roadways and the crime of DUI is always to be denounced, however, the offense of DUI is separate and distinct from the offense of wanton endangerment," the court wrote. "The sole fact of intoxication is not enough to sustain a conviction of wanton endangerment."

At issue was a case involving Larry Ramsey, who was arrested in January 2001 in Pulaski County for drunk driving. Ramsey's 10-year-old son was in the vehicle when police stopped him.

Ramsey, who had previous DUI convictions, faced multiple charges including wanton endangerment and DUI. He was subsequently found guilty and sentenced to 20 years in prison.

At the time of his arrest, Ramsey had an open can of beer in his car, along with a partial 12-pack. Just before stopping him, Pulaski County Sheriff's police saw Ramsey race from a stop sign, turn his headlights off and pull to the side of the road,

according to the ruling. Ramsey appealed on a variety of fronts, including that the single act of driving while drunk does not warrant a separate conviction for wanton endangerment. Such a conviction, he argued, must be for more egregious behavior such as if he had also been speeding or driving on the wrong side of the road.

However, the court found that driving drunk with his young passenger also created a "substantial and unjustifiable risk to that child." That alone was significant enough to be considered wanton conduct, the court wrote. In its decision, the court said it was considering the "totality of circumstances" including that Ramsey sped away from the stop sign, was a multiple DUI offender and cut his headlights before leaving the

road. "More importantly, he was driving, while in a drunken condition, with his minor child as a passenger," the court wrote. "Unlike an adult who has the capability of deciding for himself whether to sit next to a drunken driver, a 10-year-old boy is powerless and has no control of himself when his drunken father wants to take him for a risky ride."

Still, Ramsey's actions alone did not pose a "substantial" risk to the public that should lead to wanton endangerment charges, Justice Martin E. Johnstone wrote in a dissenting opinion.

The ruling could lead to people charged with DUIs to face added wanton endangerment charges for "even the slightest driving infraction," Johnstone wrote.

"The holding today, I believe, distorts the intent of the legislature in their definitions of DUI and wanton endangerment,"

Johnstone wrote. "I believe establishing penalties for criminal offenses is a legislative function."

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## Whitfield Visit



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Congressman Ed Whitfield, R-Ky., visits with City of Murray Mayor Tom Rushing, right, following last Thursday's meeting of the Murray Rotary Club at Paglial's restaurant. Whitfield did make a few short comments to the gathering.

## Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** This column is second of a two-part series on consumer protection for those who buy defective vehicles:

The Federal Warranty Act, known as the Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act, is a federal law that protects any product that costs more than \$25 and comes with an express warranty or should have an express warranty.

In regard to "lemon cars," the law states that the warrantor must permit the buyer to either a refund or replacement of the vehicles. The act is used much like Kentucky's lemon laws, which were discussed in last month's column. Under the Federal Warranty Act, the consumer must show that repeated attempts to fix the same problem have failed.

Whether a dissatisfied vehicle owner decides to pursue justice through Kentucky's Lemon Law or the Federal Warranty Act, I suggest the following actions.

Maintain a complete vehicle record. Documents your various attempts at fixing a particular defect is extremely important in lemon law cases. Repair invoices should provide detailed statements of the problem as you described it. Make sure your repair orders are written up correctly and reflect the specific defect.

Be assertive. If you are having problems getting the problem properly fixed, as to speak with the manager or someone with more authority who can address your problem.

Explain to the dealer the nature of the problem. Explain to the dealership that you did not cause the defect.

Follow the vehicle's written warranty instructions about the proper steps to take to guarantee legal recourse.

If you do not find satisfaction through the dealer, you may opt to take legal action. Before speaking to an attorney, organize your information. Bring the following with you to your first meeting with your attorney:

- The purchase order or finance/lease agreement.
- Any repair or service orders.
- All correspondence you have had with the dealer or manufacturer, even if it is just written summary of a conversation.

Those in the market for a vehicle may have little control when it comes to avoiding a lemon. However, state and federal laws do give the purchaser some control in remedying the situation. That recourse, however, will take considerable patience and persistence.



**Letter of the Law**  
By David Harrington  
Calloway County Attorney

## Members sought for LBL Advisory Board

GOLDEN POND, Ky. — Notice is hereby given that a public outreach is being conducted to locate individuals interested in being nominated as members of the Land Between The Lakes Advisory Board.

As prescribed in the LBL Protection Act of 1998, the LBL Advisory Board is comprised of seventeen members, who may advise the Forest Service and the Secretary on two issues: (1) environmental education; and (2) promoting public participation in the planning process. It should be noted that LBL recently completed its long range plan so environmental education will be the primary focus in the next few years.

The total composition of the board is as follows:

- 4 persons appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture, including:
  - 2 residents of the State of Kentucky
  - 2 residents of the State of Tennessee
- 2 persons appointed by the Governor of Tennessee;
- 2 persons appointed by the Governor of Kentucky;
- 2 persons appointed by the Commissioner (or designee) of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources;
- 1 person appointed by the Commissioner (or designee) of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency;
- 2 persons appointed by the Judge Executive of Lyon County, Ky.;
- 2 persons appointed by the Judge Executive of Trigg County, Ky.; and
- 2 persons appointed by the County Executive of Stewart County, Tenn.

The LBL Advisory Board will function solely as an advisory body, in compliance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. Individuals interested in being appointed to this Advisory Board will be asked to submit background information and a resume outlining their qualifications for providing advice to the Secretary on the two issues out-

lined above.

Interested individuals should contact Sharon Byers by phone at 270-924-2002, or by mail at Land Between The Lakes, 100 Van Morgan Drive, Golden Pond, KY 42211, as soon as possible to obtain forms required for submission of their application to be considered as a member on this Board. Completed forms and resume must be returned to Land Between The Lakes no later than March 15, 2005.

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Tennessee Lottery president Rebecca Paul, left, celebrates the lottery's first year of tickets sales with \$246 million dollars going to education during a news conference at the Tennessee Lottery headquarters in Nashville, Tenn., Thursday, Jan. 20, 2005. Gross ticket sales in the first year topped \$863 million of which \$461.1 million in prizes won by players.

## Tennessee Lottery rakes in more than \$860M in 1st year

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — The Tennessee Lottery celebrated its one-year anniversary Thursday with revenues of more than \$863 million, more than enough to award college scholarships to every qualified student.

Roughly \$461 million was paid to lottery winners and more than \$246 million went to fund the scholarships and other education initiatives.

As the lottery heads into its second year, debate is gearing up over how to spend some of that education money because the amount needed for college scholarships was actually less than expected.

"This first year is something all Tennesseans can be excited about. Not only have we raised over \$246 million in new dollars for education, but every student who qualified has received a scholarship or grant," said lottery president Rebecca Paul.

Officials from the Tennessee Student Assistance Corp. said that more than 36,000 students received assistance out of the \$174 million in lottery funds paid out. However, the program was tens of thousands below its original distribution goal and had nearly \$100 million in unused funding.

This year the lottery is expecting to make even more money by launching a fourth computerized game by late

spring and a "Quick Pick" option for the Cash 3 online game. Commercials for games will run in upcoming months with the legendary slow-groove singer Isaac Hayes of Memphis.

"Our goal is to give students full tuition without a debt," said state Sen. Steve Cohen, D-Memphis, who was the main proponent for the lottery's start-up. "I don't think it will be easy, because I think there will be effort to take some of the money and use it for other personal agendas."

State Rep. Chris Newton, R-Benton, said there will be revisions made to the scholarship program this legislative session that would increase scholarship award amounts.

"I know that Sen. Cohen and I both count on (other legislators) to listen and have an open mind, and let's do the right thing to pull for these scholarships for the young people in this state," said Newton, co-sponsor of the lottery legislation.

The Rev. Skip Armistead, former chairman of the Religious Leaders for a Gambling-Free Tennessee, said the lottery will prove to be bad for the state in the long run and that it's too early to determine if there's a surplus of dollars to increase scholarships.

"The lottery is so deceiving because people have a hard time seeing that we don't have

excess," he said. "Three years from now we're going to have three times the students getting scholarships. So while we have excess money now doesn't mean we will have that excess later."

Although some still argue whether the lottery has been beneficial for the state, Angela Hammock, one of the lottery's largest awards recipients, said it definitely has improved her way of life.

The McMinn County convenience store clerk won the "Win for Life" game back in December, which awards her \$1,000 a week for the rest of her life. If she dies before collecting \$1 million, the remainder will be paid to her estate.

"I know that there's people who have different views on gambling, but look at what the money has done for me and what I can do with the money," she said. "It has given me comfort when I didn't have comfort before."

Hammond had only been working at the store for four months when she won. Since then, she has continued to work and is saving money for her 6-year old daughter.

"If you play responsibly, it's great," she said. "It's still isn't something that's believable, but it does happen for everyday people that have to punch a clock."

## State opens hotline to report potholes

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — See a pothole? Patch it.

The Transportation Cabinet has opened its toll-free hotline to report those gaping chasms of asphalt that can rattle the undercarriage and the nerves.

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800-728-2448. (1-800-Patch-It)

In the past, the hotline was open only during "pothole season" from Feb. 1 to May 1, but cabinet officials will keep it operating year-round to take reports about those offending holes on state-maintained roads.

A recording asks the caller for a name and location of the pothole, including the county, route number and approximate mile marker or landmark. A release from the cabinet said the holes will be filled as soon as possible.

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**Bud Adams, owner of the Tennessee Titans of the NFL and the Nashville Kats of the Arena Football League, is shown on Aug. 3, 2004 in Nashville, Tenn. Nearly four years after being sold to a Georgia businessman and disappearing, the Kats are back as the 17th franchise for the league's 19th season with solid ownership and country singer Tim McGraw adding the celebrity appeal.**

## Kats claw way back to Nashville

### NFL owner revives Arena franchise after nearly four-year wait

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Call it a love of football or just a shrewd business decision.

Either way, the Nashville Kats are back in the Arena Football League thanks to one man — K.S. "Bud" Adams Jr.

The Tennessee Titans owner has resurrected a team that disappeared in 2001 after being sold to a Georgia businessman.

The new management team was so impressive to six-time all-Arena lineman James Baron, who played for the first version of the Kats, that he asked to be traded from Chicago back to Nashville.

"The ownership group is a lot stronger than the last time," Baron said. "No disrespect to the last, of course. With Bud Adams, they know how to do football. They know how to get the people prepared and all the right things."

He ought to, after 45 years running an NFL franchise.

"I better have learned something out of it," Adams said. "I think I know what all the answers are, but sometimes things don't fall in line."

Adams hasn't made a misstep yet. He became the sixth NFL owner to field an Arena team, and he gave the Kats a high profile by enlisting country star Tim McGraw as a minority owner. McGraw boosted the team by giving his only Nashville concert this year for Kats' season ticket buyers.

Adams decided to add a second football team to the town that has been home to his Titans since 1998 for one reason: Tennessee is home to rabid football fans who have sold out 63 straight games for the Titans.

"It's like having football year round, indoor and outdoor," Adams said.

But the businessman who helped found the Houston Oilers in the original American Football League would not be rushed — no

matter how much he loves the game.

Adams bought an AFL expansion franchise in August 2001 and retained the rights to the Kats' nickname, logo and colors. He even hired Pat Spurduto, the coach who took the Kats to two straight ArenaBowls, and put him on the Titans' payroll.

Then he ran into the same problem that ruined the Kats in 2001 — getting a good lease at the only suitable arena in town, the Gaylord Entertainment Center.

A bad deal kept the former Kats owners from making money despite averaging more than 12,000 fans per game and reaching the playoffs in each of their five seasons.

The NHL Predators controlled the arena and most of its revenues, so Adams had to bide his time. He talked about building a new arena, or renovating an old building to house his team, or even using his Titans' indoor practice field.

In the meantime, Spurduto worked with the Titans and learned as much as he could from general manager Floyd Reese and coach Jeff Fisher. He tabbed players cut by the Titans and other NFL teams, ready to start coaching at a moment's notice.

MURRAY 51 - REIDLAND 46

## Zirbel leaves his mark

### Senior center scores 18, faces off with fan after setting pick

By SCOTT NANNEY  
Sports Editor

Corey Zirbel powered in a game-high 18 points and Murray High staved off a late Reidland rally to claim a 51-46 triumph Thursday night in the Tigers' final tune-up before Saturday's All "A" Classic opener.

The 6-foot-7, 305-pound senior, along with the shot-blocking prowess of 6-9 junior Joey Jackson and the scoring of 6-3 senior forward Tim Masthay, proved too much in the end for a small Greyhound squad.

Masthay also reached double figures, tossing in 14 points. But the Tigers still had to hold off a stubborn Reidland ball club, which rallied in the final quarter behind the shooting of Rod Purdiman and Michael Williams, who shared team scoring honors with 14 apiece.

Murray (5-10) led 24-16 at the halftime break and 41-34 entering the fourth period. But Purdiman gave the Greyhounds (2-13) a fighting chance, scoring the first two buckets of the final stanza on a driving layup from the right baseline and a 3-pointer from the right corner to slice the Tiger lead to only 41-39.

MHS pushed the lead back to 10 (49-39) on baskets by Zirbel, Masthay and Jackson. But the scrappy Greyhounds fought back again, getting a Williams trey and taking advantage of two Tiger turnovers to whittle their deficit to 49-46 with just 31 seconds to go.

However, the Reidland rally ran out of steam when Clay Duncan missed a jumper in the lane with just under 15 ticks left. Masthay was fouled on the rebound and knocked down two free throw attempts with 10



**Tim Masthay maneuvers around for an open look between two Reidland defenders Thursday night at Murray High School. Masthay finished with 14 points in the win.**

seconds remaining to seal the victory.

The Tigers also had to weather an ugly verbal confrontation between Zirbel and a Reidland fan before claiming the victory.

With just under two minutes remaining, Zirbel set a hard pick for a teammate on one Murray offensive possession. Greyhound guard Shawd Purdiman took the brunt of Zirbel's action, hitting the floor,

hard after running into the Tiger center while chasing an MHS ball-handler.

Reacting to the play, a Reidland fan stormed out of the

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## Tigers have eye on All 'A' title

By MICHAEL DANN  
Sports Writer

Dan Hudson is like many other coaches. He knows that while the regular season is important, it's the chance to shine in the state tournament that makes everything worth all the hard work, conditioning, countless hours at the free throw line and all the Xs and Os drawn on the dry-erase board.

For the Tigers, their first chance this season at representing the First Region comes in the form of the Touchtone Energy All "A" Classic — the state tournament for small schools.

Despite a 5-10 record thus far, Hudson and his Murray High Tigers' chance for fun in the sun begins this weekend.

The seventh-seeded Tigers will face off against Ballard Memorial, the No. 10 seed, Saturday at 4:30 p.m. in the first round of the All "A" Classic at Graves County's

Eagle Nest.

On Thursday night, Murray High got its first home win in five tries this year with a 51-46 victory over Reidland, but they have struggled as of late, losing six of their last seven games.

All that can change come Saturday, according to Hudson.

"It's amazing. You get a couple of wins or you win the whole thing, what that would do to this team," he said. "Basically, seasons are the All 'A' Tournament, districts and regionals — everything else is just a pre-lim into that."

"If we have some success there, you will see a group of kids that will take it to a new level and continue to improve their game every night we take the floor," Hudson said.

Murray High's first shot will be against Ballard Memorial (3-11), a team that poses two threats offensively. Justin Rodgers has

a 37.8 percent average from 3-point range so far, and Kevin Barrow shoots around 50 percent from the floor. Barrow is also good for about six rebounds a game.

"With Ballard, you look at their record and I think it's deceptive," Hudson said. "They played Heath to a 10- or 12-point game the other night. They are playing with a lot of enthusiasm right now."

Hudson said that for his team to have success against the Bombers, he'll have to take advantage of a matchup problem in the post.

"We'll have to take advantage of taking the ball inside. I don't know, in terms of their interior defense, how good they are. But it'll be a big game for us."

Murray will look at floor leader Tim Masthay for its offensive production. The 6-foot-4 forward is averaging 18.2 points per game this season. Teammate Cory

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**Rechelle Turner looks to lead her Lady Tigers to a repeat performance at the Touchtone Energy All 'A' Classic which begins Saturday. Murray High, the tournament's No. 2 seed will play Tuesday.**

## Turner, Lady Tigers ready to play survivor

By MICHAEL DANN  
Sports Writer

Early into the season, Rechelle Turner had great expectations, expecting nothing but the best.

Sixteen games later, the Murray High girls' basketball coach — whose Lady Tigers open play in the All "A" Classic Tuesday — might just settle for survivor of the fittest.

It's been a topsy-turvy first half for Turner, whose No. 2-seeded Lady Tigers will take on the winner of seventh-seeded Reidland or 10th-seeded Fulton County Tuesday at 6:15 p.m. at Graves County High School.

Turner has seen her fair share of ups and downs this year, but she said the great thing about the

All "A" Classic is that records and statistics can be thrown right out the window.

"Going into next week, it's a brand-new ballgame," Turner said. "You have to go in and win three games to go to Richmond. We've been in this situation many times before, being a senior-dominated team."

"This will be the third time our seniors have gone into the All 'A'. They know what to expect and know what they have to do to win."

Last year, the Lady Tigers were the Cinderella of the "Big Dance" after knocking off St. Mary in the title game, 54-50.

They did so without leading scorer Lisa Thurman, who tore

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## Lehman's sizzling 62 leads Buick Invitational

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Not long after he was appointed Ryder Cup captain, Tom Lehman said he would like to play for the U.S. team next year in Ireland. Considering he hasn't won in five years, some people thought it was a joke.

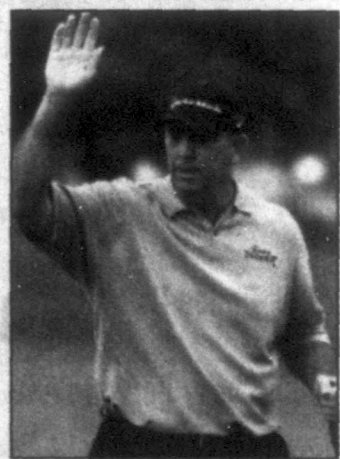
Apparently not.

"It's a goal. It's a dream," Lehman said after tying his career-low round Thursday, a 10-under 62 on the North course at Torrey Pines that gave him a one-shot lead over Dean Wilson in the Buick Invitational.

"I'd like to be able to play well to be on the team," he said. "It would be a unique situation."

Lehman said he would still remain captain, working with assistants Loren Roberts and Corey Pavin. There hasn't been a playing captain in the Ryder Cup since Arnold Palmer in 1963 at East Lake.

Now, the 2006 matches are 20 months away. And Lehman has said he wouldn't take a spot on the team if he slipped in the back door by relying on a bunch of top-10 finishes without winning. Plus, the bulk of the Ryder Cup points will be earned next year,



**Tom Lehman waves to the gallery after making his sixth consecutive birdie on the 18th hole of the North Course at Torrey Pines to finish at 10-under-par and the first round lead at the Buick Invitational, Thursday in San Diego.**

and Lehman conceded "it would be an upset" if he made the team.

"But if my game keeps progressing, you never know," he said.

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## CCMS claims district title with seven-point win

### Staff Report

Murray Ledger & Times

Calloway County Middle School clinched the regular-season district title by beating Mayfield Thursday night 47-40 in eighth grade boys' action.

Calloway finished the season 21-2 and 11-1 in district play.

Kwame Duffy and Jamie Gream both finished in double figures for Calloway. Duffy tossed in a team-high 13 points, while Gream drooped down 11. Tyrrell Willis finished with nine and Chris Dobbins tacked on eight. Derek Solomon, Jeremy Miller and Casey Brockman all finished with two points.

## Tigers ...

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bleachers and confronted Zirbel near midcourt. Words were exchanged between several players and fans, but no physical contact occurred and no technical fouls were assessed to either team.

The Tigers finished the night shooting 18-of-53 from the floor, including 2-of-7 from the 3-point line. Murray was 13-of-21 from the foul line and out-rebounded the Greyhounds 47-34.

Duncan also reached double figures for Reidland with 11 points. The visitors hit 16-of-59 shots from the field, including a

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Murray	7 17 17 10-51	Reidland (2-13)	R. Purdman 14, Williams 14, C. Duncan 11, Ward 3, Beasley 2, Grimm 1, Watson 1, FG: 16-59, 3-point FG: 4-10 (R. Purdman 2, Williams 2), FT: 10-22, Rebounds: 34
Murray (5-10)	Zirbel 18, Tim Masthay 14, Rollins 10, Jackson 4, Trice 3, Ted Masthay 2, FG: 18-53, 3-point FG: 2-7 (Rollins, Trice, FT: 13-21, Rebounds: 47		

## Hudson ...

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Zirbel connects on a little better than half his shots from the floor with a 58.2 average, based on a 32-for-55 performance.

Hugh Rollins, a junior, is the Tigers' top rebounder, cleaning the glass for 7.2 a game.

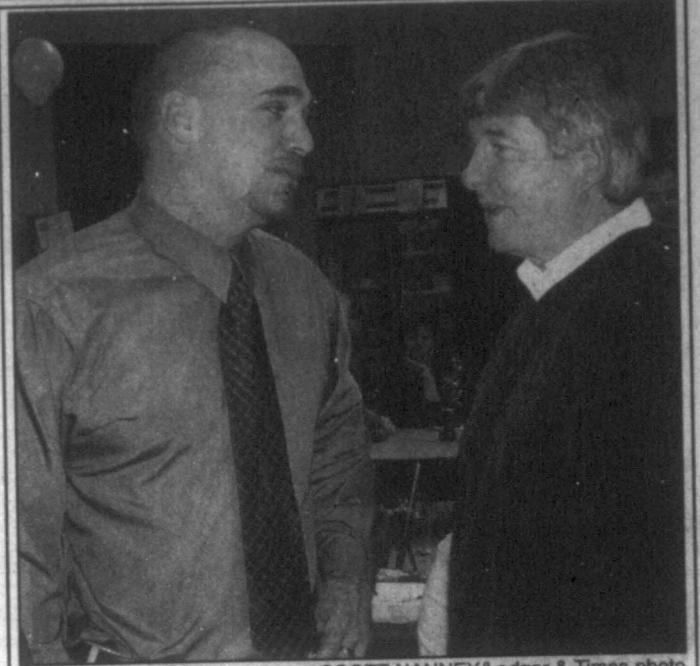
Hudson said if he had the opportunity to show a tape from this season that mirrored what he has been preaching and hoping to get out of his team all season, it would be from the two Fulton County games.

Both of those games ended in Murray losses. But from an execution standpoint, that's what Hudson has been wanting and waiting for all season. The Tiger

coach also liked how his team responded in a 73-62 overtime loss Tuesday night to Hickman.

"We want to play hard and play together. We want to have chemistry out there. I felt we had all those against Hickman the other night when we went into overtime," Hudson said. "I was really interested to see what this team's morale was coming off the Calloway game, and I felt like they responded well. We just came up a little short.

"The guys were upbeat, and they're really upbeat right now. We want to keep them at a level mentally and physically where they can go out there and perform."



SCOTT NANNEY/Ledger & Times photo  
 Newly-named Laker football coach Josh McKeel (left) shares a conversation with Mike Thieke during Thursday's reception at the school honoring the new Calloway County coach.

## Turner ...

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her ACL in the semifinals. It's situations like that when Turner feels her squad knows how to overcome adversity and gel together when the time is right.

"I think they can go back and look at last year's final when Lisa got hurt and we had to play without her; how Breanna (Vulp) stepped up, how Katie (Garland) stepped up and how Christina (Dunn) stepped up.

"I think they can go back and pull from that and realize that no matter what the obstacle in front of us is, as long as we all pull together and do our part, I don't think there is anyone in the Class A that can beat us on that night."

Barring any upsets, the Lady Tigers (9-7) will have to get past third-seeded St. Mary in the semifinals. The Lady Vikings claimed a 57-54 win in overtime earlier in the month at Murray High School, where Angela Roof had a game high 21 points.

Roof leads the area in scoring with 20.2 points per game and is complemented by the area's eighth best shooter, Danielle Averill, who tosses in 14.4 points per game.

Heath is the tournament's No. 1 see and has western Kentucky's fourth best shooter in Kayla Vance. The senior guard is averaging 16 points per game for the Lady Pirates. Murray High's most recent loss

came to Heath on Jan. 17, when the Lady Tigers fell 44-32.

Garland leads Murray High's offensive explosion, which leads all Class A teams at 14.5 points per game. Meanwhile, the Lady Tigers lead all Class A teams with 834 points this season.

No matter the seeding or the competition that lies ahead, Turner said her squad has to realize the importance of the All "A" and what it takes to come away unscathed.

"I don't think at this point in the game its about the seedings — it's about playing good basketball," she said.

"You have to play good basketball. It doesn't matter which opponent comes before you, you have to accept the challenge and do whatever it takes. In a tournament situation, it's a case of survive and advance."

For that to happen, Turner has set up an itinerary that will be vital for success when the Lady Tigers open play Tuesday night.

"People are going to have to start stepping up and being consistent," the head coach said. "We need scoring every single night from certain players; and we're going to have to start getting that on a regular basis. We are going to have to continue to rebound the basketball, continue to work hard on the defensive end and on free throws."

## CCMS girls earn double-header sweep of Mayfield

### Staff Report

Murray Ledger & Times

MAYFIELD, Ky. — Calloway County Middle School's seventh and eighth grade girls' basketball teams earned a doubleheader sweep of homesteading Mayfield on Thursday night.

The seventh grade Lady

Lakers improved to 11-2 on the season with a 37-14 triumph over the Lady Cardinals, while Calloway won the eighth grade game 39-22 to run its record to 13-2.

In the seventh grade contest, Allison Jones paced CCMS with seven points. Averee Fields and Kristin Boggess followed with six apiece, while Whitney Gardner and Haley McCuiston tossed in three each. Ellen Robinson, Emily Chrisman, Morgan Smotherman, Darcy Stephenson, Kara Smith and Kelsey Newberry each had two.

Karra Jones led the eighth grade squad to victory with a game-high 21 points. Fields followed with 10 and Brittany Fox tossed in four. Kala Seavers and Shawna Wicker had two points apiece.

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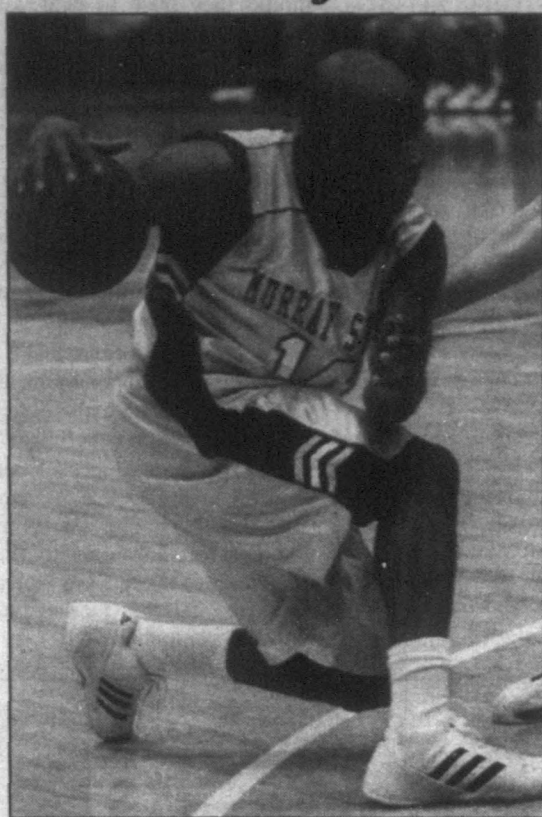


# Racer Basketball

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SCOTT NANNEY/Ledger & Times photo  
Guard Darnell Hopkins started the season as a reserve off the Racer bench, but has since worked his way into the Murray State starting lineup. The 6-foot-2 junior is averaging 12.3 points per game.

Saturday's showdown between pre-season No. 1 Murray State and pre-season No. 2 Tennessee State will little doubt be the marquee matchup of this weekend's Ohio Valley Conference action.

Due in part to some tough non-conference scheduling, neither team has an impressive overall record. The Racers enter Saturday's play with an 8-6 mark, while the Tigers have posted only an 8-10 effort. However, both squads are battling hard to keep pace with OVC co-leaders Samford and Tennessee Tech, which are both undefeated in league play with 4-0 records.

"Obviously, this is a game a lot of the fans have been looking forward to because you have two good teams who were picked to finish first and second in the league," said MSU head coach Mick Cronin. "I look forward to getting this rivalry heated up again."

"When you look at it, there have been a lot of great player and coaches have come through both schools, and they had a good rivalry going in the 1990s. Hopefully, we can bring a spark back to it."

There should be some offensive fireworks playing out on the scoreboard as two explosive offensive teams are slated to battle one another.

The Tigers come into Murray averaging 78.1 points per game, led by the scoring prowess of sophomore guard Bruce Price, who averages a team-best 15.4 ppg.

Price is one of three TSU players who are averaging in double figures. Cincinnati transfer Rod Flowers (14.3 ppg.) and junior-college transfer guard Wayne Arnold (10.1) is the other. Two Tigers — Kareem Grant and Roshawn Bowens average over nine points apiece, while Eric King chips in 8.8.

The Racers have been a little less potent offensively, averaging 72.1 points per outing. However, Murray did put up a season-high 96 points in Tuesday's victory at Tennessee-Martin. "Saturday's game" could be a shootout," Cronin claimed. "Tennessee State has guys who have a lot of talent on the offensive end of the floor. They're scary because they can score at all five positions. ... They'll definitely be tough to defend."

The Series: Murray State leads the all-time series between the two schools, holding a 33-11 advantage in 44 meetings. The Racers lead in games played at Murray by a 19-4 count. MSU has won the last 11 games between the two teams.

## Around the OVC

**E. Illinois 63, Austin Peay 51**  
CHARLESTON, Ill. (AP) — Emanuel Dildy scored 21 points and Josh Gomes added 20 to lead Eastern Illinois over Austin Peay 63-51 in Ohio Valley action Thursday night.

Austin Peay had a more balanced offensive attack with four players in double-digits. Anthony Davis and Zac Schlader each scored 12, while William Durden and Maurice Hampton both added 10.

**Eastern Kentucky 72, Jacksonville State 60**  
RICHMOND, Ky. (AP) — Michael Haney scored 17 points on 8-of-11 shooting and grabbed 12 rebounds to lead Eastern Kentucky over Jacksonville State.

Matt Witt and Jason McLeish added 15 points each for the Colonels.

Anthony Wilson scored 15 and Tim Lewis added 13 for Jacksonville State (4-13, 0-5), which lost for the 11th straight game.

**Tennessee Tech 82, SE Missouri 81, OT**  
CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo. (AP) — Willie Jenkins had 34 points, including a 3-pointer with 17 seconds left, to lead Tennessee Tech to an overtime win over SEMO.

Jenkins also had 10 rebounds for the Golden Eagles. Derek Strebling had 23 points for Tennessee Tech. Tennessee St. 92, UT-Martin 76

**MARTIN, Tenn. (AP)** — Eric King led a balanced scoring attack with 16 points to lead Tennessee State over Tennessee-Martin.

### OVC Standings

	OVC	All Games
Samford	5-0	10-6
Tennessee Tech	5-0	10-6
Murray State	4-1	9-6
Tennessee State	4-1	9-10
Eastern Kentucky	3-2	11-5
Austin Peay	3-2	5-12
Morhead State	1-4	7-9
Southeast Missouri	1-4	6-10
Eastern Illinois	1-4	6-10
Tennessee-Martin	1-4	4-13
Jacksonville State	0-5	4-13

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Darnell Hopkins	G	23.8	12.3	.453	1.1	2.9
Charles Johnson	F	19.6	6.5	.548	0.6	2.9
Shawn Witherspoon	F	22.9	10.9	.615	1.7	5.2

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Rod Flowers	C	29.8	14.3	.492	1.6	8.4
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# Taxpayers, IRS befuddled by laws

By MARY DALRYMPLE  
AP Tax Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — There are education tax breaks that require an 83-page manual to decipher. A dozen options for retirement savings accounts. A mysterious "second layer" of taxation — the alternative minimum tax — that could mean the difference between a refund or a tax bill.

As Americans start thinking about filing their 2004 returns, the IRS ombudsman Tuesday highlighted some problems likely to confound some taxpayers.

The biggest of all, the national taxpayer advocate said, is the web of complicated, sometimes contradictory, often impenetrable tax laws.

Taxpayers struggle to understand the rules. They make mistakes and lose themselves in the IRS bureaucracy. The IRS labors to explain the laws, communicate with taxpayers and resolve conflicts.

"Taxes shouldn't be the realm of accountants and highly paid professionals," said Taxpayer Advocate Nina Olson.

"For the vast majority of taxpayers, they literally should be something that they can complete themselves."

Taxpayers instead struggle to make basic financial decisions, such as which incentives to use for education and retirement.

The deductions, credits and savings accounts designed to help families with education costs come with different eligibility requirements. Six apply income limitations — at six different levels. Fees, books, supplies and other expenses may or may not be covered.

Among a dozen retirement savings plans, the allowances and penalties for early withdrawal can vary widely. Each has different rules governing how contributions can be deposited, borrowed or withdrawn.

These education and retirement rules can be streamlined to help people understand and use the tax incentives, Olson said. President Bush asked a commission to study and recommend changes to tax laws this summer.

The alternative minimum tax,

on the other hand, should just be abolished, she said. Taxpayers increasingly get trapped in this tax, originally aimed at the richest tax dodgers, because they have children, live in states with high income taxes or exercise certain stock options.

"I'm a taxpayer advocate for even the rich people. Why should they have to deal with complexity?" Olson said.

She also urged the IRS to let people file their tax returns electronically without paying a preparer to submit them. "That bugs the life out of me. I shouldn't have to do it," she said.

The IRS said its computers aren't equipped to receive and process electronically filed returns sent by individuals.

These complications make it hard for the IRS to communicate with taxpayers and explain their obligations, Olson concluded.

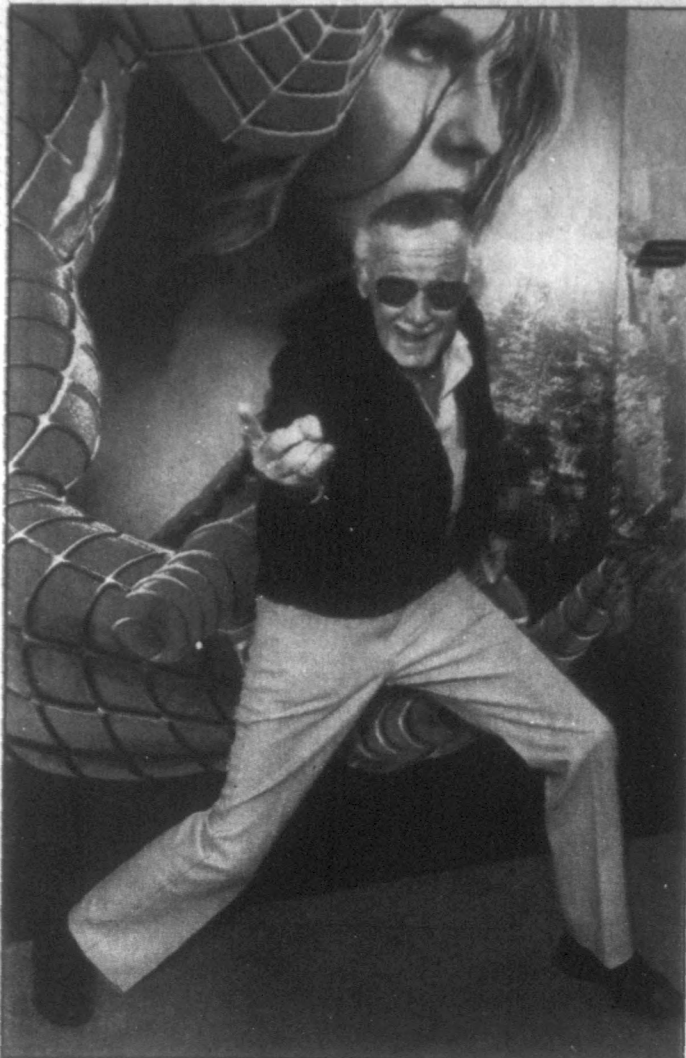
The IRS increasingly encourages taxpayers to use its Web sites and telephone menus or volunteer organizations to find information. Taxpayers spend less time talking face-to-face with IRS personnel.

When taxpayers and the IRS do try to communicate, the message is easily confused, Olson reported. The nation's tax collectors mail more than 100 million notices each year that taxpayers often can't understand. The IRS has a harder time helping taxpayers apply the laws to their individual circumstances as laws become more complex.

To show the difficulties taxpayers face while dealing with the IRS, the Taxpayer Advocate Service reviewed the agency's audits of the earned income tax credit, a benefit for low-income taxpayers aimed at lifting workers out of poverty.

The office found that 43 percent of the taxpayers who asked the IRS to reconsider its decision during an audit to deny the claimed credit got some or all of the credit reinstated. On average, those taxpayers got 94 percent of the amount originally claimed.

The study concluded that those taxpayers didn't improperly claim the credit. "Rather, the audits merely showed that the taxpayer flunked the IRS audit process," Olson said.



AP Photo

Spiderman creator and "Spider-Man 2" executive producer Stan Lee poses for photographers at the premiere of "Spider-Man 2" in Los Angeles last year. A judge in Manhattan federal court has ruled that Lee is entitled to 10 percent of the profits from movie and television productions involving Marvel Enterprises Inc. characters, as well as movie-related toys manufactured and sold by the company itself.

## Excelsior! Spider-Man creator Stan Lee wins judgement vs. Marvel

NEW YORK (AP) — Stan Lee, the legendary cartoon hero creator who gave Spider-Man his powerful "spidey-sense," is feeling a tingling of his own — in his wallet.

A Manhattan federal judge has ruled that Lee is entitled to a potential multimillion-dollar payday from Marvel Enterprises off profits generated by the company's TV and movie productions — particularly the box-office smash "Spider-Man," which earned more than \$800 million worldwide, and its hugely successful sequel.

"It could be tens of millions of dollars," Howard Graff, attorney for Lee, said Wednesday. "That's no exaggeration."

The Monday ruling from U.S. District Court Judge Robert W. Sweet found that Lee was entitled to a 10 percent share of the profits generated since November 1998 by Marvel productions involving the company's characters, including those created by the prolific cartoonist.

Sweet's decision didn't mention a dollar figure, although Graff was anticipating a windfall since the ruling also included DVD sales and certain merchandise. "The court essentially ruled in our favor virtually across the board," Graff said. "This is a sweeping victory for Mr. Lee."

John Turitzin, general counsel for Marvel, promised an appeal. Turitzin noted that Sweet ruled that Lee was not entitled to money from certain movie-based merchandise, and that the judge withheld judgment on money from joint-venture merchandise sales linked to the Spider-Man and Hulk movies.

"We intend to appeal those matters on which we did not prevail, and to continue to contest vigorously the claims on which the court did not rule," Turitzin said in a statement. The remaining issues could go before a jury if the two sides can't reach a settlement.

The lawsuit marks an acrimonious final chapter in the long

and productive relationship between Marvel and Lee, who spent the last six decades working for the company. During a storied career, Lee created indelible Marvel fixtures such as the X-Men, the Incredible Hulk, Daredevil and The Fantastic Four.

"Mr. Lee did not begin this lawsuit without a lot of thought and reservation," Graff said. "He was not pleased to do it. He was saddened by the fact that things came to the point where he had to actually start a lawsuit against Marvel."

The 82-year-old Lee filed suit in November 2002, claiming an agreement he had signed four years earlier entitled him to 10 percent of Marvel's haul from its television and movie productions, as well as merchandising deals.

He already earns a \$1 million a year salary from Marvel as part of the agreement, but felt that he was getting stiffed on additional income due him under the deal.

The money involved was substantial, particularly involving the Spider-Man movie. Marvel eventually collected more than \$50 million in profits from "Spider-Man" earnings.


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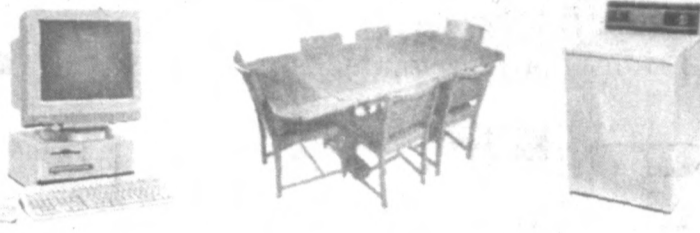
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**Horoscopes**

by Jacqueline Bigar

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Saturday, Jan. 22, 2005:**  
 Often you need to slow down, as you get revved up so easily. Your mind works overtime frequently, causing you to be exhausted or to brainstorm till the wee hours. Keep a notebook handy for ideas. You won't forget them, and you can relax more. Travel, research and detachment all play roles in your life next year. Expand your horizons, and your daily life will benefit. Your job performance will be acknowledged later in the year, if not immediately. If you are attached, plan a long-distance trip and/or take a workshop together. Accept each other. CANCELER could suffocate you.

**The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have:** 5-Dynamic; 4-Positive; 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)**  
 \*\*\* Emphasize security. Your sixth sense helps you build a stronger and more secure bond with your family, roommate or a loved one. Others continue to be sources of endless information. Listen to a boss or parent.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)**  
 \*\*\* You ask, and others respond. You could be in demand, as you have unusual insight right now and know which way to point in order to succeed. Work might be demanding but also rewarding, especially if you are willing to accept "different."

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)**  
 \*\*\* You say "yes," and another person might question your decisions, especially regarding finances. Keep your professional status in mind when resolving questions. Your sense of humor emerges with a child or loved one.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)**  
 \*\*\*\*\* Go on cruise control. Accept the unexpected and work with it. A family member cannot thank you enough for your efforts. Laughter provides a welcome release from tension. Be the happy Moon Child.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)**  
 \*\*\* Close up shop - figuratively, if not literally. Indulge and take a day off. A partner could surprise you with an intimate or unexpected gesture. Stay posi-

tive. Calls come in left and right. Don't let yourself do anything you don't want to do.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)**  
 \*\*\*\*\* Friends mean well. Actually, you flourish in nearly every social setting you tumble into. Whether with groups, friends, loved ones or your sweetie -- the good news is that others finally bend like putty in your direction. Now that's more like it.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)**  
 \*\*\* Whether you are up for it or not, you're in the limelight. Take your bows and understand that someone might care a lot more than you do. A family member squawks; he or she could chat you to death. You better listen (ultimately, for your sake!).

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)**  
 \*\*\*\*\* Visualize and create much more of what you want out of life. Share your desires with a loved one or a resourceful pal. You might be surprised at how easy it could be to make a hope a reality. Let ideas tumble right out.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)**  
 \*\*\* You don't have to make an overture. Curb a tendency to spend too much in order to entertain yourself or keep up with the Joneses. A partner has a solid, grounded approach. Do go along with his or her suggestions.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)**  
 \*\*\*\*\* Don't be contrary, my dear Goat. Don't say "no" just for the sake of expressing your ideas. Right now, let others have the whirlwind of living and decision-making. Take a break. Put your feet up. It is the weekend.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)**  
 \*\*\* Your mind could be working overtime. If you notice a tendency to worry or not relax, go for some physical activity. Chill out. A massage, drive or walk could work well if you don't know what to do. Detach from a situation rather than get uptight.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)**  
 \*\*\*\*\* Your imagination could energize an old relationship and put a smile on the face of everyone. On the other hand, if you are single and fancy free, magic could develop between you and someone special.

# Zocor may have side effects

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My doctor recently prescribed a drug called Zocor because my cholesterol level was nearly 300.



**Dr. Gott**

I question its safety, as my doctor and druggist have different views. Can my liver be affected by this drug?

**DEAR READER:** Zocor (simvastatin) is a cholesterol-lowering drug that inhibits the body's ability to manufacture cholesterol. It is effective and, for most patients, safe.

However, in a low percentage of patients, Zocor can cause severe liver and muscle inflammation. Accordingly, the manufacturer advises that periodic blood tests be obtained on patients taking the drug.

If signs of muscle or liver disorders appear, Zocor must be immediately discontinued and another drug used in its place. Fortunately, most people can take the medicine without complications. Your doctor can order the necessary tests to monitor your condition.

To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Understanding Cholesterol." Other readers who would like a copy should send a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and \$2 to Newsletter, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure to mention the title.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My first baby weighed 11 pounds and was 22 inches long. He was so large his left collarbone was broken during the delivery, even though I had three episiotomies! Usually subsequent babies are larger than the prior. Is there anything I can do to make sure my next

one isn't larger? I only gained 35 pounds, so excessive weight was not a consideration.

**DEAR READER:** The factors that cause a baby to be large at birth are not fully understood. Genes certainly play a role, but other considerations, such as nutrition and length of pregnancy, are also important.

I know of no method by which you could ensure a more modest size for your next baby. This is an issue that you should explore with your obstetrician.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** My 40-year-old nephew was recently diagnosed with a melanoma that he had removed. This was followed by chemotherapy that made him sick and incompetent. Now he is lying unconscious in the ICU, not from the cancer but from the therapy. Is this typical of cancer therapy?

**DEAR READER:** Fortunately not. Your nephew is apparently suffering from an acute reaction to chemotherapy. In a phrase, his treatment, not the cancer, is killing him.

I do not know why these reactions occur — but they do, on occasion. I recommend that you and the family sit down with your nephew's oncologist and agree on a strategy. Perhaps a comfort-only approach would be appropriate.

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If readers would like to contact Dr. Gott, they may write him through your newspaper or send their mail directly to Dr. Gott c/o United Media, 200 Madison Ave., 4th fl., New York, NY 10016. However, if readers want to request a newsletter, they should write to the Ohio address.

# Much married man's charm blinds women to his faults

**DEAR ABBY:** My brother-in-law, "Fred," is on his fifth marriage. We know it won't be his last. My husband and I wish we could tell his new fiancée what we know about him, but of course, we can't. And they never ask.



**Dear Abby**

By Abigail Van Buren

The questions we wish these nice women would ask:

(1) Ask how many times he has been married. Multiple previous marriages are a big red flag. Don't think you are different from the others. You're not.

(2) If you wonder how he affords the expensive wines, the five-star restaurants and the trips to Europe on the salary that someone in his line of work earns — the answer is he can't afford it.

(3) If he wants to buy a house with you and asks you to buy it in your name alone, then add his name after you obtain a loan, run for the nearest exit. His credit is bad.

(4) "Went to" a college and "graduated from" a college are two different things. What a shame that someone would even lie about that.

(5) If he hasn't been able to hold a job because he was "smarter than" every boss he ever had, don't count on having his income in your budget.

(6) Are you much younger than he is? Does he try to control your every move? (He likes the young ones because he can no longer fool the older, wiser ladies.)

(7) Have you ever wondered why nothing is his fault? The divorces? The bankruptcies? Think again!

(8) Does he tell you that his accountant advises him to

make expensive purchases (that he can't afford) on the basis that they're tax-deductible? Don't believe everything you hear.

We know that Fred is attractive and charming. But please take off the blinders before you walk down the aisle. My husband and I are just glad Fred's creditors have finally stopped calling us because we share the same last name. -- SORRY IN THE NORTHEAST

**DEAR SORRY:** Stop apologizing. You have done nothing to be "sorry" for. I'm sure my readers will be grateful for the reminder that before making a lifelong commitment, it's imperative to know well with whom one is having the pleasure.

**DEAR ABBY:** My boyfriend, "Ralph," wears a toupee. We have been dating for more than three years, and I have never seen him without it. In fact, he has yet to mention that his "hair" is actually a piece. I often wonder if he thinks I'm an idiot for not realizing it isn't real.

Sometimes, when Ralph is in a hurry, it looks like he slapped it on a little crooked. It is those times I wish I could bring myself to say something to him about it. I don't want my boyfriend to be embarrassed by his appearance, but at the same time, I don't want to embarrass him by saying anything, either. I am at a loss. Please advise. -- KEEPING QUIET IN NEW JERSEY

**DEAR QUIET:** A hairpiece can be a very touchy subject, so it's not surprising that your boyfriend hasn't brought it up. Consider this: If your slip was showing or your pantyhose had a run, wouldn't you want someone to tell you?

# Looking Back

**10 years ago**  
Published is a picture of Allison McDaniel, junior at Calhoun County High School, checking a water sample with her Russian guest, Ulya Zimina. They are members of Waterwatch Program with Stephanie Wyatt as teacher. The testing took place in a creek that runs near Squire Holland Road. The photo was by Staff Photographer Bernard Kane.

**Births reported include** a boy to Lori and Ricky Melton and twin boys to Carolyn and Randy Winchester, Jan. 17; a girl to Carolyn and James Harper, Jan. 18.

**20 years ago**  
The effects of the 10-inch snowfall on Jan. 19 and the ensuing car-choking cold were still being felt this morning as brief power outages hit various sections of the city and county. Both the city and county school systems were closed. Murray State University classes were canceled for the first time since 1978. The snowfall of 10.4 inches on Jan. 19 pushed the month's total to around 18 inches, heaviest since 1978's 21 inches, according to John Ed Scott, local weather observer. A low of 15 degrees below zero hit on Jan. 19, a low of 14 below zero on Jan. 20 and a low of 5 above zero on Jan. 20.

**30 years ago**  
The average price paid on the Murray Tobacco Market topped the \$100 per hundred weight for the first time in history on Jan. 20 as the three Murray floors sold a total of 513,824 pounds for an average price of \$104.10 per hundred weight. Navyman Larry K. Downey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buel Downey, graduated from recruit

training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

**Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bogges** were married 71 years Jan. 15. Their son, Guy I. Bogges and his wife were married 50 years Jan. 11.

**40 years ago**  
Chief Boatswain's Mate Gorman D. Brown, U.S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Brown, is serving aboard the destroyer, USS Hammer, operating out of San Diego, Calif.

Wilson Gantt, registrar at Murray State College, said 163 students have applied for degrees in January. These were 18 for master's degrees and 145 for bachelor's degrees.

Recent births reported at Murray Hospital include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chapman, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Major Prescott and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Henson.

**50 years ago**  
The Four Winds Quartet of Murray State College has passed an audition test to participate in the March of Dimes Telethon over WLAC-TV, Nashville, Tenn. They will perform at 11:15 p.m. Jan. 29. Members are Bill Parker of Murray, Howard Copeland and Carl Sarten of Clinton, and Gerald Nelson of Paducah. Charles Markham is accompanist.

Recent births reported at Murray Hospital include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Bailey, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. William T. Johnson and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Powell.

# Today in History

**By The Associated Press**  
Today is Friday, Jan. 21, the 21st day of 2005. There are 344 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 21, 1915, the first Kiwanis Club was founded, in Detroit.

On this date:  
In 1861, Jefferson Davis, of Mississippi, and four other Southerners resigned from the U.S. Senate.

In 1924, Russian revolutionary Vladimir Ilyich Lenin died at age 54.

In 1977, President Carter pardoned almost all Vietnam War draft evaders.

Ten years ago: President Clinton, addressing the Democratic National Committee, implored members to "bear down and go forward" despite the results of the 1994 elections.

One year ago: President Bush visited community colleges in Ohio and Arizona, where he highlighted the economy and several new job-training initiatives he'd proposed a day earlier in his State of the Union speech.

The recording industry sued 532 computer users it said were illegally distributing songs over the Internet.

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# Contract Bridge

## Bidding Quiz

**You are South**, both sides vulnerable. The bidding has been:  
North East South West  
1♣ 1♦ Pass Pass  
Dble Pass ?

**What would you bid now** with each of the following four hands?  
1. ♠9764 ♥87542 ♦86♣73  
2. ♠752 ♥Q86543 ♦96♣K9  
3. ♠KJ982 ♥762♦J743♣10  
4. ♠8♥K964♦Q9875♣J106

**1. Two hearts.** Normally when you pick up a hand like this, the best you can do is prepare to meet your Maker, but here you have a reasonable chance to come out alive.

Partner's double of one spade is for takeout, not penalties. He is asking you politely to bid, and you must respond. Your response does not promise values, because you are simply following orders. Hands where your partner would want to double one spade for penalties are much too rare for the double in this sequence to be treated as a penalty double. If partner wanted to defend against one spade, he would pass.

He would also pass with a minimum opening bid, having spoken his piece when he said one club. Consequently, he must have better than a minimum opening bid. With a one-

suited hand he would rebid his clubs, while with a two-suited hand he would bid his other suit. It follows, therefore, that he must have support for all three suits aside from spades, making two hearts a tolerable resting place.

**2. Three hearts.** This is a much more promising hand, so it should be bid differently. Three hearts tells partner that, despite your previous pass, there is a chance for game. Partner might have a hand such as: ♠A♥KJ92♦A53♣AJ872, and will happily carry on to four.

**3. Pass.** Partner has asked you to bid, but it is your prerogative to convert his intended takeout double into a penalty double when your hand merits it. In this instance it is hard to imagine a better contract for your side than one spade doubled played by East, so you pass.

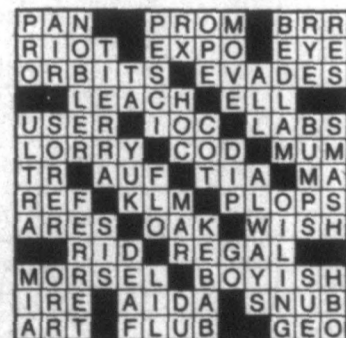
**4. Two spades.** You don't have much in the way of high cards, but your hand is likely to produce a game on the bidding. These glad tidings can best be conveyed by cuebidding the opponents' suit, thus asking partner either to bid a new suit or rebid his clubs. Partner won't play you for a big hand since you passed one spade on the previous round and thus showed limited values.

Tomorrow: Thirteen — the magic number.

# Crosswords

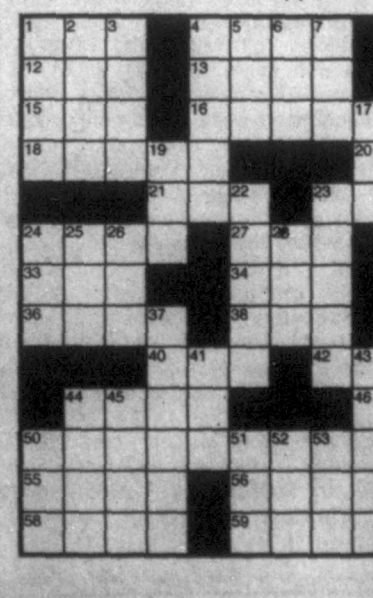
- ACROSS**
- 1 Health club
  - 4 Taxi rider
  - 8 Rum-soaked cake
  - 12 Farm flapper
  - 13 Client mtg.
  - 14 Melville captain
  - 15 La. neighbor
  - 16 Terms
  - 18 Milk purchase
  - 20 Units of resistance
  - 21 Suffix for hero
  - 23 Dazzle
  - 24 Travel quickly
  - 27 Out caller
  - 29 Defeat badly
  - 33 Hill builder
  - 34 Grabbed a chair
  - 35 Refinery shipment
  - 36 Flower containers
  - 38 Slick
  - 39 Game show sound
  - 40 Col. Sanders' place

## Answer to Previous Puzzle



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- DOWN**
- 1 Hoopster — O'Neal
  - 2 Pizzaro's conquest
  - 3 "Diana" singer
  - 4 Lays off food
  - 5 Primal
  - 6 Tach reading
  - 7 Summer, in Cannes
  - 8 Hit the shower
  - 9 Polite cough
  - 10 Soap purchases
  - 11 Washboard
  - 17 Mother bear
  - 19 Tire support
  - 22 Orchestra's thing
  - 23 Suitably
  - 24 Use a ray gun
  - 25 Lannon's wife
  - 26 Homer-hitter
  - Mel —
  - 28 Bad, for monsieur
  - 30 Louis XIV, e.g.
  - 31 Coffee dispenser
  - 32 Plead
  - 37 Rough drawing
  - 39 Spiral molecule
  - 41 Marlins' st.
  - 43 Cockpit button
  - 44 Luau number
  - 45 Former spouses
  - 47 Stanford rival
  - 48 Robins' beaks
  - 49 Piece of assigned work
  - 50 Bread spread
  - 51 Cat's foot
  - 52 Zoologist's eggs
  - 53 Treat fractures



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# New show 'Numb3rs' shoots for right formula

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Numb3rs" adds the logic of mathematics to the action of a crime drama, then factors family into the formula for good measure.

Premiering 10 p.m. EST Sunday, the new CBS series stars David Krumholtz as math genius Charlie Eppes and Rob Morrow as his older brother, Don, the FBI agent who recruits his help in solving crimes. Judd Hirsch plays their retired father.

"I love action. I've wanted to do action since I was a kid," says Morrow, probably best known as Joel Fleischman, the New York doctor forced to practice in Alaska in the '90s dramedy "Northern Exposure."

Morrow is swaddled in a flak jacket as he waits for "Action!" to be called on a scene filming in downtown Los Angeles.

Moments later, he's pulled a gun and, backed up by a SWAT team, is yelling "Do not move, FBI!" as he nabs the criminal.

As Don Eppes, Morrow needs to look comfortable handling a weapon, but he doesn't need to worry about comprehending complicated equations.

He says he's more interested now in science or math than when he was a kid, but that doesn't amount to much. "I probably know more than my character, but my character doesn't have to know a lot," he says, laughing.

On the other hand, Krumholtz as Charlie Eppes has to be quick on the draw with a piece of chalk, able to convincingly zap out intricate mathematical formulas on blackboards.

"I am not at all adept at advanced mathematics," Krumholtz says. But he's learning to be comfortable with the processes and lingo, gaining "a sense of mathematical logic that I didn't quite know I had."

He's adamant about never going into a scene "spouting mathematical concepts that I don't understand on the most basic level ... because one of the major things I understood about this was the scrutiny that would be placed on the actor playing the mathematician."

Krumholtz's understanding — not just of facts and theories, but also the emotional mind-set — is aided by series consultant Gary Lorden, head of the math department at the California Institute of Technology.

Lorden fixes terminology and comes up with the formulas that Charlie writes on blackboards, pieces of paper, or computers, which provide the signposts the FBI utilize to discover a serial killer's lair or the potential whereabouts of a bank robber.

Much as CBS' "CSI" shows have gone inside the science of forensics by filming exploding bullets and organ decay, the mathematical solutions of "Numb3rs" are also expanded into special effects that are visually overlaid and interjected into the plots.

Lorden describes his job as "sort of like the unseen hand holding the chalk."

At 63, his hand is too old to fill in for 26-year-old Krumholtz in close-up shots. So when that's necessary, Caltech doctoral student David Grynkiewicz provides the hand.

Most of the time, though, Krumholtz tries to do the writing himself.

"The hardest part is writing the formulas as you are speaking dialogue that you have memorized," he says.

"David is so into it," says Lorden. "He's an intense, passionate actor and I just really like and enjoy interacting with him as he's trying to get what you might call a gut level, intu-



Actors Rob Morrow, right, and Alan Davidson film a scene for CBS's new television series "Numb3rs." The series premieres Sunday.

itive sense of how mathematicians kind of relate to challenges, people and situations.

"I commented when I first saw how he was acting that he was in danger of making math sexy!"

Krumholtz sees Charlie as someone "very much in touch

with his own sense of longing to understand the universe," a quality that makes him empathetic even to those who can't add. "He's a classic reluctant hero in that he's yet to learn how very far reaching and how truly powerful his very specific talent can be."

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Menus for the various lunchrooms of the Murray City and Calloway County Schools have been released by Marie Stalls and Patsy Woodall, food service directors respectively, for the week of Jan 24-28.

The menus are as follows:

**MURRAY CITY**  
**Elementary - Breakfast** (milk, toast, cereal and juice available daily) **Monday** - scrambled eggs; **Tuesday** - Power bar; **Wednesday** - waffle sticks; **Thursday** - biscuit and gravy; **Friday** - cinnamon pastries. **Lunch** - (fresh and canned fruits, vegetables and milk available daily) **Monday** - cheeseburgers, vegetable beef soup; **Tuesday** - chef salad with crackers, spaghetti and meatballs with garlic bread; **Wednesday** - oven fried chicken with roll, peanut butter and jelly sandwich; **Thursday** - chili crispito, ham and cheese sandwich; **Friday** - stuff crust pepperoni pizza, fish sandwich.

**Middle - Breakfast** (toast, cereal, milk and juice available daily) **Monday** - Danish; **Tuesday** - steak and biscuit; **Wednesday** - hot cereal; **Thursday** - donut; **Friday** - scrambled eggs. **Lunch** (fresh and canned fruits, vegetables and milk available daily) **Monday** - chicken nuggets, peanut butter sandwich; **Tuesday** - hamburger, chili with cheese, corn dog; **Wednesday** - beef on noodles, ribette sandwich, tuna plate; **Thursday** - Mexican pizza, Sloppy Joe sandwich, chef salad with crackers; **Friday** - pasta bar with meat sauce, meatballs with cheese sauce.

**High - Breakfast** (toast, cereal, milk and juice available daily) **Monday** - waffle six; **Tuesday** - biscuit and gravy; **Wednesday** - coffee cake; **Thursday** - sausage and biscuit; **Friday** - breakfast bagel. **Lunch** (pizza, cheeseburgers, hamburgers, fresh and canned fruits, vegetables and milk available daily) **Monday** - chicken nuggets, grilled cheese sandwich; **Tuesday** - pasta bar, French bread pizza, chef salad with crackers; **Wednesday** - oven fried chicken, tuna salad plate; **Thursday** - hot ham and cheese sub, burritos with cheese; **Friday** - "50's Day" - cheeseburgers, hamburgers, hot dogs.

**CALLOWAY COUNTY**  
**Preschool - breakfast** - (milk served daily) **Monday** - French toast stix with syrup, sliced peaches; **Tuesday** - biscuit with sausage gravy, fruit juice; **Wednesday** - breakfast pizza, fruit juice; **Thursday** - scrambled eggs, hashbrowns, toast, fruit juice. **Lunch - Monday** - chicken and noodles, cole slaw, grapes, roll; **Tuesday** - chili with cheese sticks, baked apples, raw veggies with dip; **Wednesday** - Oriental chicken with rice, stir fried vegetables, pineapple; **Thursday** - taco salad with cheese, corn, fried okra, wheat bread.

**Elementary - Breakfast** (cereal, toast, fresh fruit, fruit juice and milk available daily) **Monday** - steak biscuit; **Tuesday** - oatmeal with Poptarts; **Wednesday** - scrambled eggs, hashbrowns and toast; **Thursday** - sausage gravy and biscuit; **Friday** - chicken biscuit. **Lunch** (chef salad, vegetables, fruit and milk available daily) **Monday** - Oriental chicken with rice and egg roll, corn dog, peanut butter and jelly sandwich; **Tuesday** - taco salad with Mexican corn bread, grilled cheese sandwich; **Wednesday** - chicken nuggets with wheat roll, hot roast beef and Swiss sandwich, peanut butter and jelly sandwich; **Thursday** - lasagna with Texas toast, breaded chicken sandwich, grilled cheese sandwich; **Friday** - pepperoni wedge pizza, Chuckwagon sandwich, peanut butter and jelly sandwich.

**Middle - Breakfast** (yogurt, fruit juice, fresh fruit and milk available daily) **Monday** - chicken on biscuit; **Tuesday** - ham, egg and cheese on biscuit; **Wednesday** - French toast sticks with syrup; **Thursday** - cinnamon roll with nuts; **Friday** - sausage and pancake on stick with syrup. **Lunch** - (chef salads, vegetables, fruit and milk available daily) **Monday** - chicken noodle soup with roll, pimento cheese sandwich, pizza; **Tuesday** - chili cheese burrito, hamburger, turkey and cheese sandwich; **Wednesday** - meat loaf with roll, breaded chicken sandwich, pizza; **Thursday** - chicken nuggets with roll, roast beef and Swiss sandwich, ham and cheese sandwich; **Friday** - ravioli with Texas toast, bar-b-que ribette on hoagie, pizza.

**High - Breakfast** (Pop Tarts, Danish, muffins, donuts, fruit juice and milk available daily) **Monday** - breakfast bagel; **Tuesday** - sausage biscuit; **Wednesday** - pancakes and bacon with syrup; **Thursday** - biscuit with sausage gravy; **Friday** - waffle sticks with syrup. **Lunch** - (vegetables, fruit, cold sandwiches, peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, hamburgers, cheeseburgers, fries, chef salads, pizza, fruit drinks, tea and milk available daily) **Monday** - taco salad with Mexican corn bread, grilled chicken sandwich; **Tuesday** - chicken patty with gravy and roll, Chuckwagon sandwich; **Wednesday** - pizza sticks with cream of potato soup; **Thursday** - chicken quesadilla, Sloppy Joe sandwich; **Friday** - spaghetti with Texas toast, chicken salad sandwich.

## TV Listings Saturday, January 22, 2005

SATURDAY MORNING																	
A - CHARTER, B - MURRAY ELECTRIC, C - MEDIACOM, D - GALAXY																	
	A	B	C	D	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
WKRN-ABC	2	2			News	News	Good Morning	News	News	News	Proud	So	Phil	Lizzie	WTCH	Rangers	
WSIL-ABC	3	3			Paid	Paid	Good Morning	Lilo	Fillmore	Proud	So	Phil	Lizzie	WTCH	Rangers		
WSMV-NBC	4	4			Today (In Stereo)			Shark	Tuten-	Trading	Endur-	Strange	Darcy	News			
WTVF-CBS	5	5			News						Lazy-	Spider	Back-	Dora	Little Bill	Blues-	
WPSD-NBC	6	6			Today (In Stereo)						Shark	Tuten-	Trading	Dora	Endur-	Strange	Darcy
WBSJ-ABC	7	7			Animal	Kids	Good Morning	Lilo	Fillmore	Proud	So	Phil	Lizzie	WTCH	Rangers		
WNPT-PBS	8	8			GED	GED	Lions	Arthur	Couch	Thomas	Sewing	Sewing	Garden	Tracks	Chris-	Wine	
KBSI-Fox	9	9			Paid	Paid	Cramp	Winx	Sonic X	One	Turtles	F-Zero	Winx	Shaman	NFL	Paid	
WQTV-UPN	10	11			Paid	Paid	Forum	Enter-	Perspect	Missing	Outdoor	Murray	Adven-	Missouri	Fine	Main	
KFVS-CBS	12	12			U.S. Farm Report	Breakfast Show	Little Bill	Blues-	Lazy-	Spider	Back-	Dora	Paid	Paid			
WGN	16	38			Enter-	People	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid			
INSP	17	83			Various	Various	Various	Various	Mis-	Health and Fitness							
WKMU-PBS	21	21			Arthur	Zoboo	Jakers	Clifford	Dragon	Calliou	Ciao	Family K	Sewing	Needle	America	Sewing	
WOKA-WB	22	16			Paid	Paid	Poké-	Mucha	Titans	Xiaolin	Pokémon: Destiny Deoxys (Premiere)				Boss?	Boss?	
ESPN	24	29			SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	College GameDay	College GameDay	College Basketball				
ESPN2	25	30			Bas-	Bass	Out-	Fishin'	Schoole-	Bass	Fishing		Bas-	Time-	Tennis		
MTV	26	49			Come In	Come In	Come In	Come In	Room	Room	Room	Room	ET	RealWri-	RealWri-	Sweet	
TNT	28	27			Movie: *1/2 "Play It to the Bone" (1999, Comedy)				Movie: **** "Rocky" (1976) Sylvester Stallone					Movie: "Rocky II"			
TLC	29	41			Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Home	Home	In a Fix		Clean Sweep		Trading Spaces		
LIFE	30	52			Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Head	Head	Golden	Golden	
USA	32	51			Comfort	Paid	Paid	6	Coach	Monk			Rose Red (In Stereo)				
AMC	34	58			Movie: "The Fighting Kentuckian" (1949)				Movie: **** "The Sons of Kate Elder" (1965) Jim								
A&E	35	35			27 Biography: Reeve				Movie: "The Brooke Ellison Story" (2004)	Old	Inside	Ask This	Ask This	All Year	Mak-		
FAM	36	53			26 Digimon	Shinzo	Bey-	Rangers	Robot	WTCH	Digimon	Dragon	Spider	X-Men	Full Hse.	Full Hse.	
NICK	37	22			4 Rocket	Rugrats	Neutron	Neutron	Sponge	Sponge	Oddpar-	Oddpar-	Phan-	Grown	Robot	Chalk-	
HGTV	43	36			18 This Old House	Rescue	House	Rescue	Fix It Up	Week-	House	Ground	Outer	Land-	Yard	Curb	Outer
SPIKE	44	33			20 Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Real TV	Real TV	Amazing Video		Ride	Ride	Car	Hirep-	
WTBS	52	26			21 Saved-	Saved-	Movie: ** "Maid to Order" (1987)				Movie: ** "Message in a Bottle" (1999, Romance)		Angel				
TOON	65	32			50 Ozzy	Static	Static	Atomic	Coden-	Coden-	Foster	Grim	Grim	Ami	Titans	Totally	
COURT	66	61			Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	NYPD Blue		
BET	67	39			(5:00) BET Morning Inspiration				Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	
CMTV	70	34			(5:00) CMT Music												
HBO	69	71			51 Movie Laramie				Movie: ** "50 First Dates" (2004)		Super Bowl I		Inside the NFL		** "Footie Tang" (1998)		
MAX	75	72			54 Movie: Interspace				Dr. Seuss' "The Cat in the Hat"				Movie: **** "The Deer Hunter" (1978) Robert De Niro, R		Biker		
SHOW	76	73			52 Little Bigfoot 2: Journey Home				Movie: "Fatal Instinct" (1993)		SHO Me		Movie: "A Foreign Affair" (1998)		Movie: "Rocky V"		
DISN	78	31			57 Koala	Wiggles	Higgly	JoJo	Wiggles	Stanley	Rolie	Mouse	Lilo	Lilo	Barbar-	Dragon	
FLIX	76								Movie: "The Desperate Ones"		Movie: *** "The Vikings" (1958) NR		Movie: "The Dead" (1987)		Movie: "Sayonara"		
HBO2	62								Movie: "Gremlins 2: The New Batch" (1991)		Terror in Moscow		Movie: ** "Catch That Kid" (1996)		Movie: *** "Risky Business" (1983)		

## SATURDAY AFTERNOON

SATURDAY AFTERNOON														
A - CHARTER, B - MURRAY ELECTRIC, C - MEDIACOM, D - GALAXY														
	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30
WKRN-ABC	College Basketball				PGA Golf: Buick Invitational - Third Round (Live)						News	ABC	Friends	Fortune
WSIL-ABC	College Basketball				PGA Golf: Buick Invitational - Third Round (Live)						News	ABC	Cheers	Seinfeld
WSMV-NBC	Peter-	Paid			Race Across America (In Stereo)						Bull Riding: PBR Tour	News	NBC	News
WTVF-CBS	Paid	College Basketball: LSU at Kentucky			College Basketball: Regional Coverage						College Basketball: Regional Coverage	Edtion	News	News
WPSD-NBC	Paid	Kids			Race Across America (In Stereo)						Bull Riding: PBR Tour	Jeop-	NBC	News
WBSJ-ABC	College Basketball				PGA Golf: Buick Invitational - Third Round (Live)						Paid	ABC	News	Fortune
WNPT-PBS	Kitchen	Cooking	Wdwrig-	Router	Wood-	Quilting	Wonder-	Painting	Work-	House	Ask	Home-	Wild	Wild
KBSI-Fox	Movie: "Ernest Goes to Camp" (1987)										Movie: ** "That Dam Cat" (1997)			Ull Poker Chal.
WQTV-UPN	Health	Outdrs-	College Basketball											Movie: *** "Gator" (1976, Adventure)
KFVS-CBS	Paid	College Basketball: LSU at Kentucky			College Basketball: Regional Coverage						Mis-	News	News	Ray-
WGN	Soul Train				Movie: ** "Red Sonja" (1985)						Mutant X		Andromeda (N)	Home
INSP	Inspirational Programming	Feed	Variety								Inspirational	Feed	Inspir-	Follow-
WKMU-PBS	Glass	Painting	Painting	Religion	Work-	Work-	GED	GED	Schools	Book-	Lawrence Weik	Findl		Red
WOKA-WB	Paid	College Basketball: Nebraska at Missouri (Live)			Griffith	College Basketball: Mich. St. at Minn.					Andromeda (N)			Drew
ESPN	Basketball				College Basketball: Temple at Xavier						College Basketball			College Basketball
ESPN2	(11:00) Tennis				College Basketball: Memphis at UAB						College Basketball			NFL
MTV	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Newly-	Ashlee	Ashlee	Ashlee	Ashlee
TNT	(11:00) Movie: "Rocky II"				Movie: *** "Rocky III" (1982, Drama)						Movie: ** "Rocky IV" (1985, Drama)			*** "Tomorrow Never Dies"
TLC	While You Out	What Not to Wear	Younger	Younger	In a Fix						Taking Care	While You Out	What Not to Wear	
LIFE	Movie: "Going for Broke" (2003)				Movie: "Sex, Lies & Obsession" (2001)						Movie: "Dazed" (2004) Mario Thomas			Movie: "Inferno"
USA	(9:30) Rose Red (In Stereo)										Movie: *** "It" (1990, Horror) John Ritter, Richard Thomas			
AMC	Movie Last Hard				Movie: *** "The Omen" (1976) R						Halloween 4: Michael Myers			Movie: ** "Halloween 5" (1989) R
A&E	Inside Polygamy				Minute by Minute						Investigative	Investigative	The Big House	City Confidential
FAM	7th Heaven				Gilmore Girls						Smallville "Cool"			Movie: "An Unsuspected Family" (1996)
NICK	Arnold	CatDog	Ginger	Drake	Unfab	School	Nick-	Nick-	Nick-	Nick-	Nick-	Nick-	Drake	Sponge
HGTV	Design-	Design	Mission	Design	Decorat-	Design-	Sensl-	Country	Rock Gardens	Travis' Facelift	Week-	Design		
SPIKE	X													