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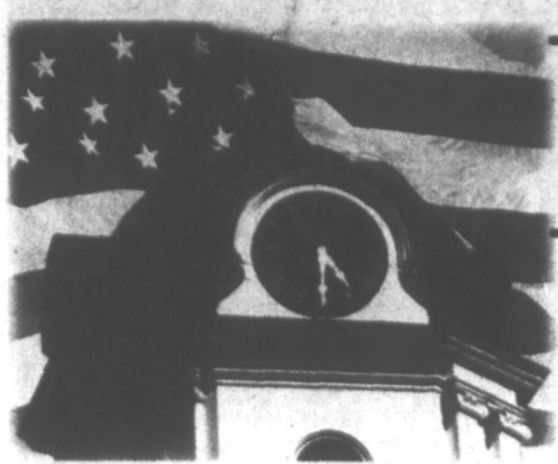
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Housing crisis looms in flood-stricken Louisiana

By **MICHAEL KUNZELMAN, MELINDA DESLATTE and KEVIN MCGILL**
 Associated Press

DENHAM SPRINGS, La. (AP) — With an estimated 40,000 homes damaged by deadly flooding, Louisiana could be looking at its biggest housing crunch since the miserable, bum-bling aftermath of Hurricane Katrina a decade ago.

People whose homes were swamped by some of the heaviest rains Louisiana has ever seen are staying in shelters, bunking with friends or relatives, or sleeping in trailers on their front lawns. Others unable or unwilling to leave their homes are living amid mud and the ever-present risk of mold in the steamy August heat.

Many victims will need an extended place to stay while they rebuild. Countless others didn't have flood insurance and may not have the means to repair their homes. They may have to find new places altogether.

"I got nowhere else to go," said Thomas Lee, 56, who ekes out a living as a drywall hanger — a skill that will come in handy. His sodden furniture is piled at the curb and the drywall in his rented house is puckering, but Thomas still plans to keep living there, sleeping on an air mattress.

Exactly how many will need temporary housing is unclear, but state officials are already urging

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Verse of the Day
 "I am about to pour out my wrath on you and spend my anger against you; I will judge you according to your conduct and repay you for all your detestable practices."
 Ezekiel 7:8

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'Hope and Glory' to bring arts to all of Calloway County



DEBBIE BATTEIGER/Ledger & Times
 Holly Bloodworth, foreground, directs actors age 10-21 in the Playhouse in the Park's Penguin Project production of "Peter Pan Jr." at a rehearsal last week. The play will run today through Saturday at 7 p.m.; Sunday at 2 p.m.; and Aug. 26-27 at 7 p.m. and Aug. 28 at 2 p.m.

By **DEBBIE BATTEIGER**
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The Murray Calloway County Endowment for Healthcare was recently awarded \$8,000 to implement a year-long program focused on the inclusion of adults with disabilities, using the arts as a backdrop.

The organization was one of seven Kentucky organizations that was awarded a total of \$40,000 through the Kentucky Arts Council's Arts Access Assistance grant.

Sarah Schmitt, community arts access director with the Kentucky Arts Council, said that the Murray Calloway County Endowment for Healthcare's grant proposal — prepared by the group's artistic director, Con-

stance Alexander — was aligned with KAC's theme this year of persons with disabilities.

"We change the theme each year, and this year, we are focused on people with disabilities," Schmitt said. "In the past, we've had grants that focused on a geographical locations such as the Appalachians, and a few years ago, it was our senior population. We want to give the attention these areas deserve."

"We try to adapt to the trends in the art world."

The project Alexander proposed to the KAC is called "Hope and Glory: The Art of Inclusion." It aims at of-

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Cleanup has begun



JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times
 City of Murray Code Enforcement Officer Tim Fortner, left, and city Building Official Keith Miller survey the demolition of an abandoned house Wednesday morning along North Cherry Street.

Mayor cites safety as driver in razing condemned houses

By **JOHN WRIGHT**
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A section of North Cherry Street looks a bit different today after the first step in a plan to remove abandoned houses that have been condemned went into effect Wednesday.

With the slamming and tearing from the bucket of an excavator, the dilapidated single-story house at 504 N. Cherry St. that

had been vacant for what is believed to be as many as 11 years came down, along with two trees that covered the house in vegetative overgrowth. In its wake was a much cleaner appearance that nearby residents seemed to appreciate.

"I'm glad to see it. It's going to be a lot safer there now and a bright light for our community," said James Hornbuckle Jr., who came to watch the operation commence under the watchful eyes of City of

Murray officials. "It's been kind of scary in there."

"For starters, we've had little stray animals that have decided to show up — along with foxes and raccoons, even snakes — and those can all be harmful. Plus, you've got little kids that can see that and decide they want to see what's inside, and that's a bad, bad spot to go exploring."

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Family donates farm to MSU Foundation



Photo provided
 Jimmy Don Robinson is shown with his late wife, Dr. Charlene Robinson.

Special to the Ledger

Longtime district judge, attorney and farmer Jimmy Don Robinson donated his 534-acre farm and two homes in Ballard County — known as Eagle Rest Plantation — to the Murray State University Foundation Inc. to benefit the Hutson School of Agriculture, students, faculty, staff and regional and state agricultural initiatives.

The farm is donated in honor and memory of Judge Robinson and his late wife, Dr. Charlene Robinson, a longtime and well-respected family physician in Ballard County.

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Bevin's Medicaid proposal will change, health secretary says

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — The secretary of Kentucky's Cabinet for Health and Family Services says officials will be making some changes to Gov. Matt Bevin's Medicaid proposal.

Vickie Yates Brown Glisson told the state Medicaid Oversight and Advisory Committee on Wednesday that officials are still reviewing the public comments submitted on the proposal. She said the comments were "thoughtful and very helpful." She did not detail what the changes might be.

Kentucky was one of 32 states

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Fiscal court OKs dump removal bid figures

By **JOHN WRIGHT**
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Along with curbing the ongoing problems of discarded areas with yards full of discarded items, one of the main issues for the Calloway County Fiscal Court Solid Waste Committee was handling a pair of major dump sites near Kentucky Lake.

The biggest step in that process was taken Tuesday as the committee recommended, then the fiscal court itself approved bids from two local firms for the cleanup operations of those areas, as the county received a portion of a state grant in February to pay for that work.

As a result, A&A Excavating of Murray and its \$13,750 bid was accepted for the removal of a large area of discarded tires in the area of Waterfield Drive in eastern Calloway County. A larger dump area — consisting of one main dumping site with three smaller ones surrounding it behind a residence on Pottertown Road (Kentucky 280) just east of the entrance to the Panorama Shores subdivision — will be handled by Swift Environmental Maintenance, also of Murray, who had a \$21,000 alternate bid on the project.

"It's been a project that's been forthcoming for a long time, and we're really glad to have now reached this point," said Solid Waste Committee Chairman Tim Todd, who was introduced to these areas in February shortly after assuming the chairman's role with the committee. Todd is also magistrate for Calloway County District 2, which is where both dumps are centered.

"From visiting those sites that day, the only word I really can come up with is 'sad,' and it was really striking to see this up close

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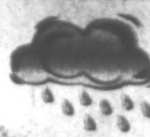

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WEATHER

	
TODAY	TOMORROW
83	83
70	71

Daily Forecast

Thursday: A chance of showers, with thunderstorms also possible after 10 a.m. Cloudy, with a high near 83. Calm wind becoming southwest 5 to 7 mph in the morning. Chance of precipitation is 30 percent.

Thursday Night: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms after 1 a.m. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 70. Southwest wind 3 to 5 mph.

Friday: A 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 83. Southwest wind 3 to 7 mph.

Friday Night: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 71. South south-

west wind around 5 mph.

Saturday: Showers and thunderstorms likely. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 83. Southwest wind 6 to 10 mph. Chance of precipitation is 70 percent.

Saturday Night: Showers and thunderstorms likely. Cloudy, with a low around 68. Southwest wind around 8 mph.

Sunday: A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 80. West northwest wind around 7 mph.

Sunday Night: A slight chance of showers before 1 a.m. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 62. North northwest wind 5 to 7 mph.

Monday: Mostly sunny, with a high near 80. North northeast wind around 6 mph.

Monday Night: Mostly clear, with a low around 60. North northeast wind 3 to 6 mph.

Tuesday: Sunny, with a high near 81. East northeast wind around 6 mph.

Mayor cites SAFETY...

From front

Safety is the top reason for Wednesday's operation and others that could soon follow, said Murray Mayor Jack Rose, who said the city council's decision to put money in the city budget for additional code enforcement about two years ago is playing the biggest part in things moving forward now after progress was hindered due to legal matters.

"We want people to know we're working on this," said Rose, clearly pleased at learning that residents like Hornbuckle and others who witnessed Wednesday's work on North Cherry were reacting positively to what they were watching. "I do appreciate that, but I also know these are people who have wanted something done over there for a long time. I'm glad we've finally been able to give it to them."

Hornbuckle said that, to his knowledge, the person who had lived in the residence died several years ago, then the remaining family members who became owners of the property moved away, meaning that the house was allowed to fall into disrepair.

Murray Code Enforcement Officer Tim Fortner said condemning a structure and calling for its eventual demise is not something he enjoys, but when the time comes for such action, the job must come first.

"You want to keep things safe, and that's what this is about," Fortner said Wednesday. "Still, as I'm watching this and



JOHN WRIGHT/Ledger & Times
This image taken Wednesday afternoon shows how the lot at 504 N. Cherry St. in Murray was cleared of an abandoned house and lots of overgrown vegetation.

others that may be coming later, you just wonder if houses could talk, what kind of interesting stories they might have to tell. That's the hard part about this because they've been around for a long time. They're pieces of history."

City Building Official Keith Miller said if a house ever needed to meet an excavator shovel, it was the one demolished Wednesday.

"I've inspected it several times, and each time, it was worse, it seemed," Miller said, noting that the house apparently had received visitors other than the four-legged kind. "There's evidence that people have been living there from time to time, and that's just not good to have. You've got kids that also might think that playing inside there is

something to try, and it's just not a place for people to be going inside of.

"That's the main reason this is having to be done today."

Rose also said he hopes that Wednesday's work could lead to expanded communication with residents.

"You'd be surprised with how many times it seems if you do one thing like this, you start having people come up to you and talk to you about other things that are going on," he said. "When they see you follow up on things that you have said you'll do, they tend to want to talk to you more, and that's something we hope can happen from this. Plus, you have to consider that if the neighborhood is being improved, the people are going to know that their prop-

erty values are also going up. That's a pretty important thing in the long run."

Perhaps Rose was referring to someone like a North Cherry resident who spoke with The Ledger & Times on the condition of anonymity. This person said that the biggest issue with the property at 504 N. Cherry was the overgrowth of trees. Two were cut Wednesday and dramatically changed the landscape of the lot.

"I'm really happy to see it happening today," the neighbor said. "I can actually see the street again. I'm tired of seeing all of this green stuff just hiding everything, and who knows what's been in there."

"There have probably been snakes bigger than me crawling around in there." ■

HOPE AND GLORY...

From front

fering hands-on activities and informational forums to aid in community acceptance and inclusion with adults with disabilities, Schmitt said.

"It's an excellent project; it was well-received by our panelists," Schmitt said. "It's good to see that there's support from the community to reach those who need (this project)."

Alexander — who previously worked on the 2014 project "Grace and Glory," focusing on the elderly using an Arts Access grant — said that "Hope and Glory" will be a yearlong effort involving several arts organizations in Calloway County.

"This grant really kicks off with 'Peter Pan Jr.' Aug. 18-28 (at the Playhouse in the Park)," she said. "We'll also have a panel discussion about including adults with disabilities in the performing arts."

Peter Pan, Jr., directed by Holly Bloodworth, stars actors age 10-21 with disabilities. Part of the Penguin Project — a program developed by Dr. Andrew Morgan, a pediatrician from Peoria, Illinois — pairs its 20 actors with 20 mentors to produce a play. Playhouse in the Park is the only community theatre in Kentucky that participates in the Penguin Project.

The play will run today through Saturday at 7 p.m.; Sunday at 2 p.m.; Aug. 26-27 at 7 p.m.; and Aug. 28 at 2 p.m.

The panel discussion is scheduled for 5 p.m. Wednesday at the Playhouse in the Park at 701 Gil Hopson Drive in Murray and will discuss inclusion in the community.

Alexander said that events surrounding "Hope and Glory" are still in the planning stage; however, she is excited about one in particular.

"We will be creating a community mosaic," she said. "It's an opportunity for all people to create pieces of art. There will be two: one that is a permanent piece and one that will be able to be moved around."

Debi Henry Danielson, executive director of the Murray Art Guild, is helping to plan the mosaic component of the program.

"It creates opportunities for adults with disabilities to help make a public art piece," she said. "It will be individually painted pieces that, put togeth-

er, will create an image. We haven't nailed down all the details yet, but it will be made with the help of the community."

Danielson said that they will set up a mobile studio so anyone in the community can paint a piece of the mosaic. One of the mosaics will be hung on the exterior of the Murray Art Guild at 500 North Fourth St., and the other mosaic will be hung at an interior location that is yet to be determined.

"I'm really excited," she said. "I really believe in the ability of art to build community. By taking art out of the studio and putting it in a public place, it has so much potential."

Alexander said that in addition to the Playhouse in the Park and the Murray Art Guild, she is working to set up programs with artist and Murray State University professor Nicole Hand, WKMS, the Calloway County Public Library, the Special Olympics, the Center for Accessible Living and WATCH Inc.

She added that "Hope and Glory" is a program that she is glad to be a part of.

"This is the 26th year since the Americans with Disabilities Act was passed," she said. In the long term, I'd like to see more people with disabilities employed, and the opportunities are there (to do so), and I'd like to see more accessibility in the community."

Keith Travis, vice president of development at Murray-Calloway County Hospital and the Endowment, said that there was a "fountain of ideas" from the Calloway County arts community that has gone into "Hope and Glory."

"We are fortunate to have that kind of skill set (in Calloway County); it's a blessing," Travis said. "(The program) will raise our level of action and our level of consciousness."

For information about the Penguin Project, visit www.penguinproject.org.

For more information about the Playhouse in the Park or for ticket information, visit www.playhousemurray.org.

For more about the Murray Art Guild, visit www.murray-artguild.org.

For more information about the Murray-Calloway County Endowment for Healthcare, visit www.MCCHendowment.org. ■

TOWN CRIER

The Building and Planning committees of the Murray-Calloway County Park Board will meet in special session at 2 p.m. Tuesday inside the Robert O. Miller Conference Center, 201 S. Fourth St. Agenda items will include: Discussion of playground resurfacing (replacing of material under playground equipment; action to approve materials to use for resurfacing of playgrounds. This meeting has been moved from its original time of 1 p.m. today.

To report a Town Crier item, please phone 270-753-1916.

Ledger & Times file photo

Calloway County Environmental Planner Clayton Hendricks is shown during February surveying the Pottertown Road dump site near Kentucky Lake in the eastern portion of the county.



DUMP removal ...

From front

and know that this was happening," he said. "I'm sure there are timelines as to when we have to get this done, but I believe (the committee) is set on this happening sooner rather than later."

The Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet announced in January that 26 counties in the commonwealth had received a portion of \$1.75 million in grants for dump cleanup. Calloway was allotted \$74,000, with \$50,000 of that going toward the cleanup of the Pottertown Road dump site that Calloway County Environmental Planner Clayton Hendricks has said may have been in existence for "decades." Calloway County Judge-Executive Larry Elkins said that could cover a period of as many as 40 to 50 years in all.

"Here's the thing, though,"

Hendricks said Wednesday. "That's the way things were done 40 or 50 years ago or even longer. People didn't know what kind of problem they were causing then. Now, it's our problem, and the thing we're trying to do is make sure our children don't have to pay for what we're doing now."

"I'm tickled to death (with the grant) because the county is not going to be out any money, along with the fact that we're going to get these areas cleaned up."

The Pottertown dump site was discovered by a landowner who had just taken possession of the property and had not known of the dump's existence. Hendricks said Tuesday that the landowner has been very helpful in assisting his office with the process.

"It wasn't her fault. She just happened upon it," Hendricks said. "She's ready for this to hap-

pen."

In addition, Hendricks reported Wednesday that a new dump site on Meadowlark Lane, also in the eastern portion of the county, is also being seen as possibly requiring grant funds to remove. He said this determination was made following a visit to the site Wednesday morning with an officer from the state office of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Hendricks also has a new teammate in his office, as former Calloway County Sheriff Bill Marcum was appointed to be the new deputy solid waste coordinator for the county. Elkins announced the appointment during Tuesday's fiscal court meeting. Marcum accompanied Hendricks and others to the Meadowlark site Wednesday. Marcum is also a member of the solid waste committee. ■

FARM, MSU Foundation...

From front

"I am very pleased to make this gift to benefit Murray State University," said Jimmy Don Robinson. "I have enjoyed working with the Murray State officials during the past year as we addressed the details and future of Eagle Rest Plantation. This is a large, historic farm, and it means a great deal to me and my family."

"In addition, this gift will benefit Ballard County, regional and state agricultural programs and students for many years to come. It will be exciting to have Murray State's physical presence in Ballard County as an educational, agricultural and economic development driver."

The gift was well received by the foundation.

"Eagle Rest Plantation is valued at \$2.6 million and is one of the largest gifts ever made to benefit the university and our agricultural programs," said Dr. Bob Jackson, president of the Murray State University Foundation. "I've known Judge Robinson for many years, and we are very grateful for his generosity and vision. In



Photo provided
Eagle Rest Plantation is shown in this image taken from atop U.S. 60 in eastern Ballard County, just west of the McCracken County line. This land has been donated by longtime Ballard District Judge and farmer Jimmy Don Robinson to the Murray State University Foundation for use by the MSU Hutson School of Agriculture.

addition, this will be a wonderful legacy for Judge and Dr. Robinson as a marker to recognize their lives of public service in Ballard County and the region."

Eagle Rest Plantation was originally settled by the Scott family around 1845. In 1998, it was recognized by National Cattleman's Beef Association as one of the oldest cattle ranches in the United States under continuous family ownership. It has been designated as a Kentucky Landmark and Kentucky Sesquicentennial Farm. Since 1978, it has been the home of Judge Jimmy Don Robinson and the late Dr. Charlene Robinson.

"The gift of this historic farm will allow us to expand our research and numerous agricultural

initiatives," said Tony Brannon, the dean of the Hutson School of Agriculture. "It will enhance our many agricultural programs and affords a tremendous opportunity for our students, faculty and staff. This is an institution-changing gift, and we are extremely appreciative to Judge Robinson as we continue to advance Murray State University's Hutson School of Agriculture as a national leader in agricultural education and research."

MSU President Dr. Bob Davies was also pleased with the gift.

"I sincerely appreciate the generosity and the foresight of Judge Robinson for his commitment to Murray State University, the Hutson School of Agriculture and the region," he said. "This gift will

MEDICAID...

From front

that expanded its Medicaid program under the federal Affordable Care Act. More than 400,000 were covered under the expanded program, which Bevin says is too large for the state to afford.

Bevin's proposal would charge small premiums to able-bodied adults, and it would require them to have a job or volunteer for a charity in order to keep their benefits. ■

Roads update

Special to The Ledger

The Calloway County Road Department has been notified by the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet that Kentucky 1346 (Liberty Road) will be closed until further notice between Irvan Cobb Road and Highland Road in Calloway County. The closure is for culvert replacement. The last accessible address from the east is 1730 Liberty Road., from the west is 1544 Liberty Rd. Drivers are asked to be aware of the closure.

Roads remaining closed in the county are: Roosevelt (Kentucky 1346) at Nelson Trail; Old Lynn Grove 2 miles north of Kentucky 94; Wright Road; Red Bud Road (could open this week) and McElrath Road (bridge). ■

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



Photo provided
Canton Junction, from left to right, Tim Duncan, Casey Rivers, Matthew Hagee and Ryan Seaton, will perform a free concert in Benton tonight.

Award-winning gospel quartet to host free concert

Special to the Ledger

Dove Award-winning Difference Media recording artist Canton Junction is set to bring its "Get Your Praise On" tour to Benton's Zion's Cause Baptist Church (1532 U.S. Highway 68 West) at 7 p.m. today. Joining them will be special guest The Martins.

Fans are also invited to a special food truck "Meet and Eat" at 5:30 p.m., where they will have the opportunity to purchase food and share a meal with the artists before the concert.

The concert is free and general admission, but donations will be accepted for Sanctuary of Hope, an outreach of Cornerstone Church in San Antonio, Texas, focusing on the building and development of an unmet mothers facility, state-of-the-art orphanage, and boarding school.

"We love having the opportunity to share songs from 'Every Hallelujah' on this tour," said Canton Junction's Matthew Hagee. "It's a special treat for us to get to connect with so many at the 'Meet and Eat' events before the shows."

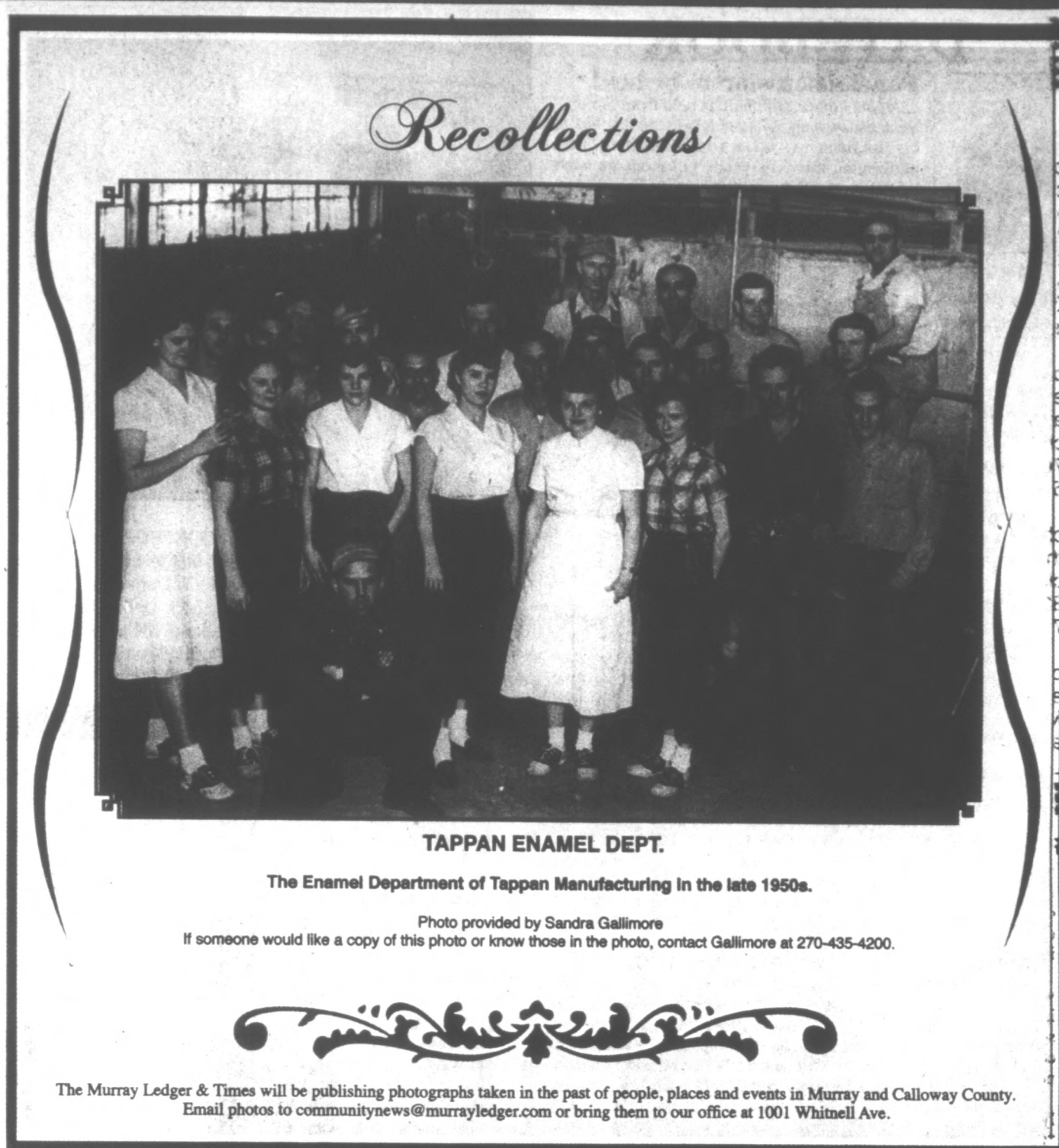
Canton Junction's latest recording, "Every Hallelujah," de-

buted at no. 1 on Nielsen SoundScan's Southern Gospel Overall Chart and in the Top 20 on Billboard's Top Current Contemporary Christian chart, following its release last year.

Produced by award-winning musician Garry Jones, "Every Hallelujah" marks the first recording to feature new members Casey Rivers (lead) and Ryan Seaton (baritone), as they join founding members Matthew Hagee and Tim Duncan on 13 powerful selections.

Led by the soaring first single, "Weep No More," the project features contributions from many of gospel music's finest songwriters, including Kenna West, Sue C. Smith, Lee Black, Ben Storie and Ronny Hinson, among others.

Since its debut in 2012, Canton Junction has quickly become one of southern gospel music's most sought-after quartets. The self-titled "Canton Junction" featured the no. 1 singles "Hold On," "The Son Shines Down On Me," "Sweeter As The Days Go By" and "Dig A Little Deeper," garnering a GMA Dove Award for Southern Gospel Album of the Year. ■



TAPPAN ENAMEL DEPT.

The Enamel Department of Tappan Manufacturing in the late 1950s.

Photo provided by Sandra Gallimore
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Murray Mass Christian Choir to present evening of praise

Special to the Ledger

Westside Baptist Church, 207 Robertson Road South in Murray, will host the Murray Mass Christian Choir as it presents the new praise and worship musical "Break Every Chain" at 6 p.m. Aug. 28.

The choir consists of more than 70 singers from a four-county area, and along with special

guest speaker Dr. Terry Ellis, a former pastor at First Baptist Church of Murray, invites the community to this presentation.

"Break Every Chain" is a new collection of 10 songs solely picked for the choir to become the catalyst to engage the congregation in worship.

Given special consideration to voice leading, Mark Bovee

has arranged songs from some of today's favorite songwriters, including Chris Tomlin, Jennie Lee Riddle and Kari Jobe.

"With this presentation, the Murray Mass Christian Choir continues their desire to provide both God-honoring music and to be a part of the unique opportunity to sing with other churches throughout our region," said

Mike Crook, founder and director of the Murray Mass Christian Choir and minister of music at Westside Baptist Church.

The presentation is free and the public is invited. For more information, visit www.wbc-murray.org. ■

Murray State Town and Gown Chorale to begin rehearsals

Special to the Ledger

The Murray State University Town and Gown Chorale will begin rehearsals for its fall 2016 season on Monday at 6:30 p.m. in room 314 of the Price Doyle Fine Arts Building on the MSU campus.

The choir, a blend of community, faculty and student singers, will perform in two programs this fall. The first performance will feature all African-American spirituals. The second performance will be during the Murray Community Christmas celebration. The choir will perform both a cappella and accompanied music.

There is no audition required for membership in the Town and Gown Chorale. However, a voice placement hearing will be used to assist in assigning each of the singers to the appropriate voice part. MSU provides all of the music to be performed.

"This is a true Town and Gown experience," conductor and MSU Director of Choral Activities Dr. Bradley Almquist said. "Students have the chance to sit next to a professor and a professor next to a retiree, all sharing in the singular goal of music making."

Singers come from the surrounding communities including Benton, Mayfield, Murray and Paris, Tenn.

"I am so excited to be a part of this musical opportunity bringing people together and producing something beautiful and larger than ourselves," Almquist said. "It is a truly fully human experience to put away differences and seek a shared artistic expression."

There is no registration fee for the choir. All singers are encouraged to participate.

For more information, call Almquist at 270-809-4288. ■

'Female Photographers' show to open on Saturday in Cadiz museum

Special to the Ledger

The Janice Mason Art Museum, 71 Main St., Cadiz will host "FPOE, Female Photographers of Etsy" from Saturday through Oct. 8.

An exhibition reception will be held from 2-5 p.m. on Saturday.

This show is curated by Stacy Frett of Murray. She has gathered together the works of 73

female photographers from all over the world for a first-time exhibition.

For more information, call 270-522-9056. ■

West Kentucky Community and Technical College receives a literary touring grant

Special to the Ledger

West Kentucky Community and Technical College has received a \$1,891 literary touring grant from South Arts.

The college was one of 14 recipients of more than \$20,000 in grant funding from South Arts, of which the Kentucky Arts Council is a member.

South Arts is a regional arts organization working in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts to support programming for selected nonprofit arts organizations, allowing those groups to present workshops, lectures and readings by writers from other states.

The campus is based in Paducah, one of six communities designated by the arts council as a Kentucky Creative District. That designation recognizes the role of the arts in growing and sustaining vibrant communi-

ties and enhancing the creative economy.

WKCTC will bring author Conor Grennan to its campus March 28-29, 2017. Grennan is the author of the New York Times best-selling and No. 1 international best selling memoir "Little Princes: One Man's Promise to Bring Home the Lost Children of Nepal."


He is also the founder of Next Generation Nepal, a nonprofit organization dedicated to reconnecting trafficked children with their families in Nepal. Since the organization's inception, it has helped reconnect more than 500 children with their families.

"These grants are important because they give Kentucky residents, and particularly blossoming Kentucky writers, the opportunity to meet and explore the work of authors like Mr. Grennan," said Lori Meadows,

arts council executive director. "We're proud to support South Arts in these efforts, and we congratulate West Kentucky Community and Technical College and encourage Paducah area residents to take advantage of Conor Grennan's visit as a learning opportunity."

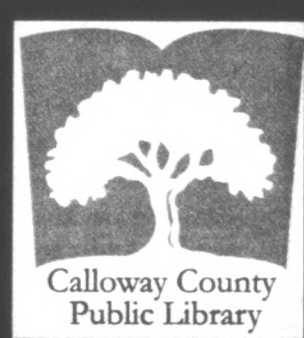
"Thriving arts and culture are crucial to our region's quality of life and competitiveness across multiple sectors," said South Arts Executive Director Susie Surkamer. "The events we help fund impact the lives of hundreds of thousands of residents, exposing audiences to diverse artists and art forms."

The grants cover the nine states in the South Arts region, including, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee. ■



Read Across America Book Selection Review

By Sandy Linn
Guest Writer



Smooth Operator

by Stuart Woods

New York Times bestselling author Stuart Woods' second summer blockbuster, "Smooth Operator," is Book one in a thrilling new series starring the fan favorite recurring character, Teddy Fay. Stone Barrington has often been on White House guests lists; after all, he and President Kate Lee are old friends. However, when he is summoned by the president for a command appearance at a state dinner peremptorily at the last minute, he knows something is very wrong.

The reason for his summons is soon revealed when Stone is smuggled into the Oval Office and finds the president with Congressman Charles Blaine, a man clearly on the brink of despair.

The congressman's daughter Karen has been kidnapped and is now being used as leverage to assure his cooperation in passing a proposed bill. The kidnapper's demands are clear as is their warning that contacting the police, FBI or any authority is a deal breaker—if he tries to do so, they will know, his daughter will be killed and they will disappear.

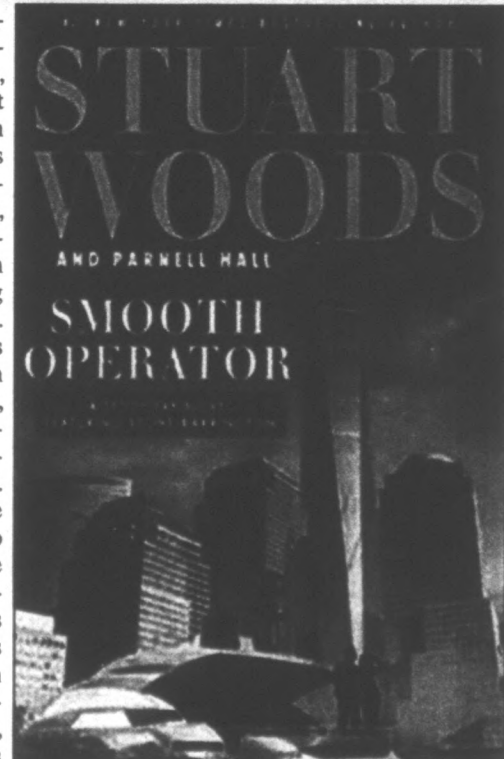
Although Stone is certainly a man of considerable skill and

talent for handling such delicate situations, he knows that the right man for the job is Teddy Fay, former CIA agent, master of disguise and a man with a strong sense of justice.

Teddy agrees to track down the kidnapers, but quickly discovers that nothing is as it seems. The deeper he furrows into the mystery, the more convoluted it becomes as each clue is revealed. Even with his masterful abilities, circumstances soon escalate to a fever pitch and, with time running out, Teddy finds himself with not only a young woman's life hanging in the balance but also the nation's security.

"Smooth Operator" is a fast-paced, suspenseful read filled with Woods' engaging and witty characters. It is highly recommended, especially for readers who enjoy the mystery and suspense novels of Harlan Coben and Lawrence Sanders.

According to the publisher, Stuart Woods is the author of more than 60 novels. He began his writing career in the advertis-



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Martha Finney Andrus,
Community editor

Panel discussion to be held

A panel discussion will be held from 5-6 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24, at Playhouse in the Park to discuss including adults with disabilities in the performing arts. The panel will focus on ways inclusion enriches the community. This discussion is sponsored by Playhouse in the Park and the Murray-Calloway County Endowment for Healthcare. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Angel Alert issued

The Calloway County Family Resource Center has issued an Angel Alert for the following: twin bed and mattress, bunk beds with mattress, kitchen table and chairs and a dresser. This request is for a local family with multiple children. Anyone with these items in good condition should contact the resource center at 270-762-7333.

Knit Wits will meet

The Knit Wits will meet at 1 p.m. every Friday in the library of the Murray-Calloway County Senior Citizens Center. Knitters and crocheters of all levels are welcome. For more information, call Dot at 270-293-5588.

Women's conference will be in Paris

The Paris-Henry County Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a women's conference at 11:30 a.m. Friday, Aug. 19, at the Paris Country Club, Paris, Tennessee. Vallie Smith Collins, a survivor of the US Airways crash into the Hudson River, will be the keynote speaker. Seating is limited and reservations are required. The cost is \$25, which includes lunch. Reservations may be made by calling 731-643-3431 or email monicasmith@paristnchamber.com.

CASA fundraiser to be held

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) for Children will host a hamburger cookout fundraiser from 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 19, in the parking lot of CASA at 1003 Poplar St. Hamburger or cheeseburger with chips and dessert is \$5 per person and delivery is available for 10 or more orders. Email orders to rodawson@murrayhospital.org by Aug. 18 at 4 p.m. For more information or questions, call Ryan at 270-227-5893.

Kids Care for Hunger to host session

Murray's Kids Care for Hunger will host a packaging session on Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Stahler Farm on Kentucky 121 South. Volunteers of all ages are needed to assist in packaging ingredients for a fortified macaroni and cheese product that helps to feed families in Calloway County. The sessions will be from 9-11 a.m. and 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Call the Murray's Kids Care office at 270-753-1492 or show up the day of the event.

Town and Gown Chorale to begin

Murray State University Town and Gown Chorale will begin rehearsals for its fall session at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 22, in Room 314 of the Price Doyle Fine Arts Building on the MSU campus. There is no audition required for membership; however, a voice placement hearing will be used to assist in assigning singers to the appropriate voice part. There is no registration fee to be a member of the choir. All singers are encouraged to participate. For questions or more information, contact Dr. Bradley Almquist at 270-809-4288.

Authors Support Group plans meeting

The Murray Authors Support Group will meet from 1:30-3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at Brookdale Murray. Karen Welch will be the speaker and a social time will be from 1-1:30 p.m. Those interested are welcome to attend.

MWC Creative Arts Dept. will meet

The Creative Arts Department of the Murray Woman's Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, at the Murray Woman's Clubhouse. The program will be "Get Acquainted and Bazaar Workshop on Pallet Art." The officers will serve as hostesses.

Farmers Market to be Saturday

Downtown Farmers Market will be Saturday from 7 a.m.-noon on the Murray court square. Seasonal fruits and vegetables will be available along with flowers and plants, baked items, a variety of meats, eggs and handcrafted items.

WATCH needs aluminum cans

The WATCH Center, 702 Main St., needs aluminum cans for an ongoing fundraising project. Cans may be dropped off any time by driving through the driveway or parking lot on the west side of the center and placing them in the cotton wagon.

Tymeless Hearts to present carnival

The Tymeless Hearts Carnival will be from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, at the Murray-Calloway County Chestnut Street Park. The carnival raises money and awareness for babies with congenital heart defects.

Bazzell Cemetery donations needed

The Bazzell Cemetery on Bazzell Cemetery Road is in need of donations to help with the upkeep of the cemetery. Mail donations to Willis Sanders, 8224 Kentucky 121 North, Murray, KY 42071 or call 270-489-2212.



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UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY: Jane Griffin, pictured, presented a review of the book, "Creating a Confederate Kentucky" by Anne F. Marshall, at the July meeting of the J.N. Williams chapter 805, United Daughters of the Confederacy. The August meeting will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24, at Pagliai's. Phyllis Simmons will present the program on "Correct Use of the Confederate Flag."

Alcoholics Anonymous announces schedule

Special to the Ledger
Murray Alcoholics Anonymous holds meetings at 615 S. 12th St., Suite J, in the Southside Shopping Center behind Regions Bank. All meetings are non-smoking.

Closed meetings are for people who think they have a problem with alcohol and want to give it up. Open meetings are for anyone who wants to attend an AA meeting.

The regular schedule is as follows: Sunday, 1 p.m. open, 8 p.m. closed, 12x12 study; Monday, noon, open; 6 p.m. closed; ladies' meeting, 8 p.m. open; Tuesday, noon, open; 8 p.m. closed; Wednesday, 11 a.m. closed; 6 p.m. closed; ladies meeting, 8 p.m. open; Thursday, noon, open and 8 p.m. Study of the Big Book, open; Friday, noon, open; 8 p.m. open, newcomers meeting; Saturday, 10 a.m. open; 8 p.m. open, speaker meeting.

For information, call Bearl, 270-226-3971; Dwayne, 270-799-1065; Cindy, 270-435-4111 or Lori, 270-799-1065. ■

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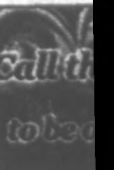
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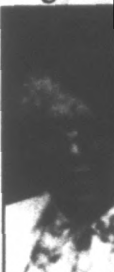


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OBITUARIES

Julia Ann 'Judy' Cunningham

Julia Ann "Judy" Cunningham, 71, of Murray, Kentucky, died Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2016, at Vanderbilt Medical Center in Nashville, Tennessee.

She was born in Calloway County, Kentucky, on Oct. 27, 1944, to Harry and Jessie Chapman Key. She was a member of Westside Baptist Church. She was the co-owner, along with her husband Danny, of Cunningham Farms and served as a director of the Calloway County Farm Bureau Board for several years.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Gary Key and Jerry Key; one grandson, Corey Chadwick; and two great-grandsons, Jaxon Corey Keene and Greyson Matthew Keene.

Mrs. Cunningham is survived by her husband, Danny Cunningham of Murray, whom she married on July 28, 1962, in Coldwater, Kentucky; three daughters, Deana Cunningham Chadwick and husband Ricky of Murray, Dana Cunningham Martin and husband Terry of Hopkinsville and Denise Cunningham King and husband Brad of Murray; five grandchildren, Keyshia Barnes and fiancé Chris Todd, Whitney Keene and husband Corey, Allen Martin and wife Shea, Alexis Martin and Abby Martin; and six great-grandchildren, Lane Holmes, Gavin Barnes, Beau Keene, Jaxon Martin, Hannah Todd and Lane Todd.

The funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Friday, Aug. 19, 2016, in the chapel of the J.H. Churchill Funeral Home with Tim Palmer, Matt Ellis and Glynn Orr officiating. Burial will follow in Murray Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be from 4-9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016, at the funeral home.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38101.

Online condolences may be left at www.thejhchurchillfuneralhome.com.

The J.H. Churchill Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Virginia Tharpe Wilkins

Virginia Tharpe Wilkins, 94, of Murray, Kentucky, died Monday, Aug. 15, 2016, at Spring Creek Healthcare of Murray.

She was born Jan. 28, 1922, in Henry County, Tennessee, to Aaron and Addie Dumas Tharpe.

She was a member of St. John's Baptist Church. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Jewell Wilkins; her brother, Willie Tharpe; and three sisters, Lorene Foster, Evie Walls and Pearly Ever Payne.

Mrs. Wilkins is survived by a daughter, Vivian Crutchfield of Jackson, Tennessee; a sister, Genett Owens of Chicago, Illinois; five grandchildren, Cherise Carson, Te'Hisha Richardson, La Toya Crutchfield, Jason Wilkins and Parish Wilkins; 13 great-grandchildren; and many other loved ones and friends.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, 2016, at the Ives Funeral Home & Crematory, Heritage Chapel. Burial will follow in Barr's Chapel Methodist Church Cemetery, Como, Tennessee. Visitation will be from 9-11 a.m. Monday, Aug. 22, 2016, at the funeral home.

Online condolences may be left at www.ivesfh.com. Ives Funeral Home & Crematory, Heritage Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

Lewis F. Sagmiller

Lewis F. Sagmiller, 77, of Hamlin, Kentucky, died at 11:25 p.m. Monday, Aug. 15, 2016, at the Spring Creek Health Care Center, Murray, Kentucky, after a short illness.

He was born Nov. 20, 1938, in Mandan, North Dakota, to Peter and Wynona Todd Sagmiller.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Pat and her husband Wally Uhlman and Elaine Morud; one brother, Bobby Sagmiller; and one stepdaughter, Penny Waggoner.

Mr. Sagmiller is survived by his wife, Sharon Finnemann Sagmiller; five children, Pete (Barb), Eddie (Lynda), Connie, Jennie and Bobby (Kim) Sagmiller; four stepchildren, Laura (Terry) Compton, Richard Tremblay, Cheryl (Teddy) Darnell and Shawn Tremblay; one sister, Donna (Larry) Werner; 18 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, 2016, at the Blalock-Coleman & York Funeral Home with Kerry Lambert officiating. Burial will follow in Coldwater Church of Christ Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016, at the funeral home.

Online condolences may be left at www.yorkfuneralhome.com. Blalock-Coleman & York Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Linda Nell Blaustein

Linda Nell Blaustein, 64, of Murray, Kentucky, died Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2016, at her home surrounded by her family.

She was born Jan. 13, 1952, in Kentucky to Melvin and Mary Louise Simpson.

She was a member of Grace Baptist Church. She earned her LPN from West Kentucky Technical School and worked as a private sitter. She was an avid gardener and loved to cross stitch.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brother, Joe Simpson, and sisters Ramona Roberts and Sharon Ives.

Linda is survived by her son, Frank Blaustein of Benbrook, Texas; daughters Leslie Sanders of Murray and Sarah Bollette of Newton, New Jersey; a brother, Paul Simpson; sisters Brenda McCoy and Betty Hargis of Dover, Tennessee; grandchildren Whitney Sanders, Morganne Sanders, Ryan Bollette, Brady Bollette, Sydney Blaustein, Cayden Bright, Nathan Blaustein; and one great-grandchild-to-be, Mavis Morris.

A graveside service will be at 3 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016, at Smith Cemetery in Big Rock, Tennessee. Visitation will be from 2-2:45 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016, at Anglin Funeral Home. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

Anglin Funeral Home, Dover, Tennessee, is in charge of arrangements.

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landlords to allow short-term leases and encouraging people to rent out any empty space they might have.

"If you have a unit that's an old mother-in-law suite and you can rent it out, let us know," said Keith Cunningham, who heads the Louisiana Housing Corporation, the state housing agency.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency, whose very name became a punchline during Katrina, said it will look into lining up rental properties for those left homeless and will consider using temporary housing units.

But FEMA Administrator Craig Fugate gave assurances that the temporary units won't be the old FEMA travel trailers — a reference to the ones brought in after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita that were found to

have toxic levels of formaldehyde.

The flooding that has struck the Baton Rouge and Lafayette areas has left at least 12 people dead. More than 30,000 have been registered, and at least 70,000 have registered for federal disaster assistance. At the height, 11,000 people were staying in shelters, though that had dropped to 6,000 by Wednesday.

For the foreseeable future, home for Carolyn Smith, her husband, two grown sons and a family friend will be a 30-foot travel trailer supplied by a relative. It has one bedroom, a sofa-sleeper, four bunks and one bathroom.

It sits in the driveway of the home she and her husband lived in for 48 years in Denham Springs. Nearby lies a pile of stinking debris pulled from the flooded, one-story wood-frame home.

German cop hops on kid's bike to pursue, nab suspect

BERLIN (AP) — Four wheels bad, two wheels good.

That's what German police must have thought when their car got stuck on a narrow path while pursuing a moped-riding suspect. Rather than give up, one of the officers jumped on a child's bike and successfully chased down and arrested the 27-year-old suspect.

Police say the suspect, who had evaded a traffic stop Tuesday in the southern German town of Bamberg, was found to be carrying drugs and driving under the influence.

Police spokeswoman Silke Gahn said Wednesday the officer, after the arrest, gratefully returned the 22-inch bike he had borrowed.

'Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over' campaign starts Friday

From The (Frankfort) State Journal

As the Labor Day weekend approaches, families and friends are making plans to celebrate the end of the summer. Sadly, this festive time has also become a dangerous time for motorists, as many impaired drivers get behind the wheel.

For this reason, state and local law enforcement agencies are joining the Kentucky Office of Highway Safety (KOHS) and officers across the nation for the "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" campaign Aug. 19-Sept. 5.

"This is important to remember — do not trust yourself when you are impaired," said KOHS Executive Director Noelle Hunter.

"As a person in long-term recovery, I know first-hand the risk of getting behind the wheel without a clear mind. I used to be 'that driver' but through faith, rehabilitation and determination, I'm now honored to be in a position where I can share my story and save lives."

In 2015, there were more than 5,500 collisions involving alcohol or drugs in Kentucky, resulting in more than 2,900 injuries and 150 fatalities. During the Labor Day holiday weekend, there were more than 66 collisions involving alcohol or drugs, resulting in 37 injuries and three fatalities.

"While we aggressively enforce impaired driving laws year-round, we must increase our visibility during this heavily-traveled holiday," said Kentucky State Police Commissioner Rick Sadlers. "If you are driving while rugged or drunk, we will be catching and you will be arrested."

Drunk driving crashes have been cut in half since Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) was founded in 1980. With the nationwide increase in drugged-driving, MADD updated its mission statement in 2015 to expand support to victims

of drugged driving crashes and to law enforcement's efforts to keep drugged drivers off the roadways.

"MADD hopes to have the same impact on drugged driving as it did on drunk driving," said MADD Victim Services Specialist Rosalind Donald. "Driving impaired is a criminal choice. The substances may be different, but the results are the same — needless deaths and injuries."

In 2015, the Louisville Metro Police Department (LMPD) investigated 900 collisions involving alcohol or drugs, resulting in 296 injuries and 14 fatalities. During the Labor Day holiday weekend, there were 12 collisions involving alcohol or drugs, resulting in three injuries and zero fatalities.

"This is a community issue that requires every citizen to be a part of keeping our roadways safe," LMPD Lt. Joe Seeley said.

"Please, plan ahead. Designate a sober driver or have a safe ride company's phone number or app readily available. Whatever you do, do not drive," Lt. Seeley said.

For those in the Louisville area, Brown-Forman partnered with the Drive Sober Get Pulled campaign to support safe rides during the campaign time frame. Use code SAFERIDEKY for \$15 off your ride with Taxi 7, Uber and CityScoot.

"We are grateful to these companies for their commitment to keep our roads safe throughout the Labor Day holiday," said Hunter.

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Linda Nell Blaustein, 64
A graveside service will be at 3 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016 at Smith Cemetery, Big Rock, Tennessee.

BZA approves signage for three businesses

By DAVID SNOW
editor@murrayledger.com

The Murray Board of Zoning Adjustments on Wednesday approved signage for three new businesses.

Fast Pace Urgent Care Clinic, which will be at the former Tom's Pizza location at 506 N. 12th St., was allowed to have a monument sign at the same site as the current Tom's Pizza sign. That sign will be 10 feet tall, down from the 19-foot height the business requested, although representative Grant Hart was open to the shorter height, as it provided more visibility at 10 feet along 12th Street than a 19-foot-tall sign would.

The board added that Tom's Pizza has 45 days to remove its sign from the shopping center parking lot. The board also said the handicapped parking space facing 12th Street would have to be moved.

The board also approved a monument sign for the Sears store at 912 S. 12th St. The sign will be 9 feet tall, with the main sign being 7-by-7-feet tall. It will have three rows of lettering underneath a "Sears HomeTown" logo.

The current Sears sign will be taken down and replaced by the approved sign. Store owner Bill Anderson said he would also provide landscaping around

the new sign. A temporary banner was approved for Mega Gym at 1051 N. 16th St. The 32-square-foot banner will be placed over the entrance to the gym.

In other action taken at the BZA meeting:

•The board voted down a motion to allow Kenneth Collins to keep his recreational camper in his driveway from March through October. Collins said he wanted to keep his camper in his driveway at 1544 Whippoorwill Drive during July and August, when it was too hot to go camping. He said he used the camper in the other months from March to November and had in put in storage during the winter.

The board decided to allow him 45 days to come into compliance with city codes regarding keeping recreational vehicles in a driveway or front yard. Collins said he was unable to put his camper in his backyard without going through his neighbor's property.

•The board tabled discussion about an administrative appeal regarding the height and location of an entrance and fence at 1702 Kandi Kay Lane. A stop-work order was issued for the construction at the site.

The next scheduled meeting of the Murray Board of Zoning Adjustments will be at 4:30 p.m. Sept. 21 at City Hall.

Man accused of stabbing sisters to death wouldn't enter courtroom

(AP) — A Kentucky man accused of stabbing his two sisters to death wouldn't enter the courtroom for his preliminary hearing.

The Kentucky New Era reports that 65-year-old Robert Jerry Rogers refused multiple times to appear in the Christian District courtroom Monday. Rogers' attorney, Clay Beineke, said his client waived his right to be present.

Rogers faces murder charges in the deaths of 69-year-old Francis Carolyn Coleman and 62-year-old Joanne Rogers, who were found stabbed at a Hopkinsville home on Aug. 7.

Authorities say the suspect was discovered inside the resi-

dence with blood on his clothes.

Hopkinsville police Detective Randall Greene testified that Robert Rogers said his sisters were trying to steal money from him.

A judge forwarded his case to the grand jury. The suspect will undergo a psychiatric evaluation.

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REVENUES

Revenue from local sources:	
Taxation	\$ 9,484,739
Investment earnings	\$ 116,759
Other revenue	\$ 1,021,726
Total revenue from local sources	\$ 10,623,224
Revenue from state sources	\$ 15,841,931
Revenue from federal sources	\$ 3,791,722
Other revenue	\$ 2,286,083
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 32,542,960

EXPENDITURES

Salaries:	
Instructional	\$ 13,285,552
Student Support	\$ 725,745
Instructional Staff Support	\$ 869,374
District Administrative Support	\$ 381,720
School Administrative Support	\$ 992,739
Business Support Services	\$ 310,847
Plant Operations and Maintenance	\$ 893,981
Student Transportation	\$ 1,035,678
Food Service Operation	\$ 202,034
Day Care Services	\$ 848,286
Community Services	\$ 204,513
Total Salaries	\$ 19,750,467
Vendor Payments	\$ 6,894,440
Transfers and on-behalf payments	\$ 5,753,678
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 32,398,585

NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS/FUND BALANCES \$ 144,375

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VENDOR PURCHASES OVER \$1000 (JULY 1, 2015- JUNE 30, 2016)

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WEST KY RURAL ELECTRIC	\$ 259,281.84
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POMEROY IT SOLUTIONS SALES COMPANY	\$ 204,167.73
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TURNER DAIRY MILK	\$ 127,216.17
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KSBIT-PROPERTY & LIABILITY FUND	\$ 46,649.00
AT&T	\$ 42,960.82
QUILL CORPORATION	\$ 40,987.84
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KENTUCKY STATE TREASURER	\$ 38,799.72
GIORGIO FOODS, INC	\$ 36,268.60
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COW GOVERNMENT INC	\$ 35,308.76
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BETIS BOYS HOME & LAWN CARE LLC	\$ 30,740.00
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REPUBLIC SERVICES 11796	\$ 24,670.10
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WEST KENTUCKY YOUTH MENTORING	\$ 1,000.00

HERITAGE BANK
August 6, 2016

Dear Amy,

Please accept this letter to certify the balances in the accounts below for the Calloway County Board of Education as of June 30, 2016.

General Fund- \$7,042,100.56
Food Service General Fund 1- \$400,700.01
CDE General Fund- \$50,470.07
CDE Charitable Gaming Account- \$50.00
East Calloway Elementary General Fund- \$1,000.00
Food Service General Fund 2- \$400,000.00
North Elementary General Fund Account- \$50,000.00
Calloway Co Middle School Activity Funds- \$40,000.00
Southwest Elementary School Activity Funds- \$50,000.00
Calloway County Preschool Activity Funds- \$7,000.00

Sincerely,
Matthew Lines
Branch Office Manager

ABSOLUTE AUCTION
Saturday, August 20th 2016 @ 10:00 AM
Location: 492 Carl Crisp Rd., Almo, KY 42020

A 3 BEDROOM 2 BATH HOME & 17.95 ACRES IN 2 TRACTS & COMBINATIONS!
From Murray, KY: Take US 641 N. Then Turn Right On Hwy. 80 E. & Follow 3.2 Miles Then Turn Left On Van Cleave Rd. Continue 1.7 Miles Then Turn Left On Carl Crisp Rd. And Proceed To Auction Site Signs Posted!!
HIGHLY TILLABLE LEVEL TO GENTLY ROLLING FARMLAND!
REAL ESTATE: Tract 1* A 1999 28'x66' Fall Creek Manufactured Home On A Brick Foundation Featuring 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Spacious Living Room, Dining Area, Large Eat-In Kitchen w/ Island & Skylight, Utility Room, Master Suite w/Walk-In Closet, Garden Tub, Skylight & Separate Shower, Laminate, Tile & Carpet Flooring & Central HVAC. Exterior Features Include A Front Porch, Deck, Patio, 12'x16' Concrete Block Building w/Electric, Storage Building, Shed & A 30'x32' Detached Garage w/Concrete Floor, Electric, Automatic Overhead Door & 10'x32' Lean To. All On 2.9680 Acres.
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All real estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or intention to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination.
State laws forbid discrimination in the sale, rental or advertising of real estate based on factors in addition to those protected under federal law.
We will knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is not in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis.
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440 Lots For Sale
For Sale Doublewide 1 acre corner lot. Cherry Corner-Pottertown Rd. \$19,000 or best offer. Accepting offers until August 31st. Winning bid will be awarded September 1st. 270-293-8823.

460 Homes For Sale
New 2-4 Bedroom homes in Riverfield Estate SBO Real Property Professionals 270-293-7872

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This spacious 3bed 2 bath brick home on State Line Road in Puryear is just minutes from Murray and has an almost 5000 sq. ft. outbuilding. Priced in the \$170's. MLS# 115684. Call Rusty today at Moody Realty 410 Tyson Ave. Paris, TN 38242. (800)642-5093.

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Looking Back

Ten years ago
A classic Weaver Aircraft Company (WACO) biplane, known in history for its fine performance, stamina and distinctive appearance, will be one of the many featured aircrafts displayed during Aviation Weekend at the Murray-Calloway County Airport.

Both Murray and Calloway County high school juniors surpassed state and national average scores on the American College Test (ACT) for 2006 which measures skills in mathematics, English, reading and science.

Calloway County Judge Executive Larry Elkins is pictured presenting Kentucky Colonel Commissions to Rev. C.E. Martin and Rev. Benjamin Curry and captains of Kentucky Lake to Carolyn Martin and Felicia Curry at special services on Aug. 11, at St. John Missionary Baptist Church.

Paula Edwards, owner and operator from Rare Earth's Landscaping, presented a program for members of the Garden Department of the Murray Woman's Club.

Twenty years ago
Murray Water Department workers Scott Morris and Kevin Lamb are pictured creating access to a water line through Poplar Street with the goal to update service to the homes on Poplar.

Medical Explorer Post 803 honored two members at a recent meeting for their outstanding service to the youth organization sponsored by the Murray Calloway County Hospital. Receiving recognition as Out of the Ordinary Explorers for 1996 were Summer Roberson and Sarah Stallons.

Murray Chapter Professional Secretaries International, the Association for Office Professionals, installed officers at a recent meeting. Pictured are Cathy Thompson, Lori Mathis, Kelly Mott, Kay Hays, Jama Galloway and Mary Ann Hargrove.

Pictured is Calloway County senior Jeff Nix as he battles a Lone Oak player for the ball during a soccer game in which Nix scored one goal.

The Pistols recently competed in a 3-on-3 basketball game at the Bluegrass State Games in Lexington, placing fourth among 16 teams. Team members include Brandon Steele, Chase Futrell and John Lee Fisher. The team is coached by Tommy Futrell.

Thirty years ago
The Murray Planning Commission has agreed on a recommendation for the type of street lights to be installed along 12th Street between Sycamore and Chestnut.

Jim D. Kelley of Route 3, Murray, became the first candidate to enter the race for two seats on the Calloway County Board of Education.

Awards for the winners of Ladies Day Tennis at the Murray County Club were presented at a banquet. Pictured are Lois Keller and Frances Hulse, consolation; Shirley Homra and Sharon Wells, winners in the overall competition and Gayle Foster, co-chairman of ladies tennis.

A special meeting of the Murray County Club membership has been called for Aug. 27, to discuss a master plan for improving the facilities and to vote on a recommendation from the board of directors concerning converting the golf greens from bermuda to bentgrass.

Forty years ago
Carter and Robertson Elementary schools will register all children for the upcoming school year on Aug. 24.

Births reported include a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Noles and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Danny Herndon.

Fifty years ago
Kathy Rowlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rowlett, won sectional medalist honors in the PGA Pepsi junior golf tournament at Paxton Park, Paducah.

Sixty years ago
Recent births reported at the Murray Hospital include a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Bourland, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Cable, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Flora, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Alexander and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Granville Bingham.

Cousin escaping mom's abuse needs to find her own space

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 21-year-old college student. Recently, my cousin (also 21) moved in with my parents and me because her mom is verbally and mentally abusive. Lately, I'm having issues with her being here.



Dear Abby by Abigail Van Buren

She constantly barges into my room, leaving me no time for myself. Most days she ends up napping in my bed instead of hers, leaving drool on my sheets.

When she comes home from school, she drops all of her things in my room. My parents cleared out a room for her, yet most of her stuff is in mine.

She gets ready in my room instead of hers and talks on the phone with her boyfriend loudly while I'm studying or reading. She's constantly complaining about school, her boyfriend, work, etc. If I get invited somewhere, she tries to tag along.

I don't know what to do. I need time for myself. I can't bring these issues up to her because she's extremely sensitive and will see it as an attack. I don't know how much longer I can take it because she is stuck here until November. Please help. -- CALIFORNIA GIRL

DEAR CALIFORNIA GIRL: You need to talk to your parents about your cousin's lack of boundaries. Everyone needs personal time, and yours should be respected. Installing a lock on your bedroom door could guarantee that your cousin stays out in your absence.

However, because you are all

adults -- even though your cousin appears to be emotionally stuck in adolescence -- some rules need to be established. If she would consider it an attack if they come from you, your parents should be the ones who deliver the message.

DEAR ABBY: I'm 13 and my problem is, when I look in the mirror, all I can see is ugliness. My mother has heard the way I talk about myself, and she doesn't like it one bit. But I can't seem to stop because all I hear is, "You're ugly or you're fat. Go on a diet!" Is there something wrong with me? Do I need help? If so, what type of help? -- WEST COAST TEEN

DEAR WEST COAST TEEN: Whether or not you are overweight is something your doctor should determine. As to your being "ugly," most young teenagers go through a period of transition. Your problem isn't your looks. It's the voice in your head. My advice to you would be to concentrate on developing the things you are good at -- sports, music, art, drama -- and let the rest take care of itself because it will.

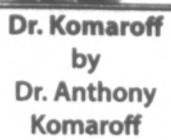
Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

What teens need to know about sex, drugs, AIDS and getting along with peers and parents is in "What Every Teen Should Know." Send your name and mailing address, plus check or money order for \$7 (U.S. funds) to: Dear Abby, Teent Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, IL 61054-0447. (Shipping and handling are included in the price.)

Follow these tips to avoid flare-ups of COPD

DEAR DOCTOR K: I have COPD. What can I do to avoid symptom flare-ups?

DEAR READER: Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, or COPD, is a long-term condition that makes breathing difficult. Breathing is a lot easier if you take your medicine and do any other therapy as directed.



Dr. Komaroff by Dr. Anthony Komaroff

Several types of medicines reduce the risk of flare-ups. Inhaled corticosteroids that reduce inflammation in the breathing tubes are one kind. Long-acting bronchodilators (BRONK-o-DIAL-a-tors) that keep the breathing tubes wide are another kind. A third kind are long-acting anticholinergics (ANTI-KOLE-in-ER-jicks), which also act to keep the breathing tubes wide.

Other types of medicines are used to treat flare-ups. These include bronchodilator and anticholinergic drugs that act rapidly and do not last as long as the drugs used to reduce the risk of flare-ups.

Besides using the medicines as prescribed, there are other important things you can do to avoid symptom flare-ups:

PREVENT RESPIRATORY INFECTIONS. Sudden worsening of COPD often is triggered by a respiratory infection. Any respiratory infection -- even a common cold -- can cause a flare-up. Do whatever you can to avoid catching whatever is going around. That includes: -- Washing your hands frequently with soap and water or alcohol-based instant hand sanitizers.

-- Staying away from people who have colds or other respiratory infections.

-- Getting a flu shot every year.

-- Getting vaccinated against pneumonia as needed. You may also benefit from an antiviral medication, such as oseltamivir (Tamiflu), for reducing your risk of getting influenza during flu season. An antiviral medication can help speed the resolution of the flu, if you get it. And this, in turn, reduces your risk of a flare-up of COPD.

There is one flu medicine that you should not use, however: zanamivir (Relenza), an inhaled powder antiviral. The powder can irritate the lungs of a person with COPD.

EXERCISE REGULARLY. Aerobic exercise, which increases heart rate and breathing rate, is the most beneficial. Examples include walking and swimming. If you want something less aerobically challenging, try yoga or tai chi. Aim for at least 20 minutes of exercise per day on most days.

PRACTICE PURSED-LIP BREATHING. This technique will help you pace yourself through physical activities. Before you start moving, inhale through your nose so deeply that your abdomen expands. Then, as you begin to move, exhale through your mouth with your lips pursed to slow down the airflow. Your exhalation should last twice as long as your inhalation. You will feel pressure in your windpipe and chest as you slowly breathe out. When you finish exhaling, rest for a moment, then inhale and start the process again.

AVOID LUNG IRRITANTS. An important way to control your symptoms and prevent flare-ups is to keep your airways from becoming irritated. Many things can affect the airways, including exhaust fumes from your stove, smoke from your fireplace, dry air, and molds and mildew. If you have allergies, try to avoid exposure to whatever causes them -- pollen, pet dander, house dust, mold and so on.

Today in History

Today is Thursday, Aug. 18, the 231st day of 2016. There are 135 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Aug. 18, 1846, during the Mexican-American War, U.S. forces led by Gen. Stephen W. Kearny occupied Santa Fe in present-day New Mexico.

On this date: In 1587, Virginia Dare became the first child of English parents to be born in present-day America, on what is now Roanoke Island in North Carolina.

In 1838, the first marine expedition sponsored by the U.S. government set sail from Hampton Roads, Virginia; the crews traveled the southern Pacific Ocean, gathering scientific information.

In 1920, the 19th Amendment to the Constitution, guaranteeing all American women's right to vote, was ratified as Tennessee became the 36th state to approve it.

In 1954, during the Eisenhower administration, Assistant Secretary of Labor James Ernest Wilkins became the first black official to attend

a meeting of the president's Cabinet as he sat in for Labor Secretary James P. Mitchell.

In 1963, James Meredith became the first black student to graduate from the University of Mississippi.

In 1969, the Woodstock Music and Art Fair in Bethel, New York, wound to a close after three nights with a mid-morning set by Jimi Hendrix.

In 1976, two U.S. Army officers were killed in Korea's demilitarized zone as a group of North Korean soldiers attacked soldiers.

Hints From Heloise

A SUEDE SHIELD

Dear Heloise: I bought a beautiful beige SUEDE BAG for fall. I love it, but I'm scared to get it wet, and what if it gets dirty? Help! -- Holly W., Wichita Falls, Texas

Holly, remember the old saying that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure? Treat your bag with a water repellent, available at the supermarket or drugstore, while it's new and clean.

I did this with my suede boots before riding my Russian Ural motorcycle. Heloise Hint: It's better to apply TWO light coats and dry completely in between coats instead of using one heavy coat.

If a small spot happens, rub with a gum eraser, available at art-supply stores.

A dry cleaner who specializes in leather can deep-clean. Look online or in the phone book for one, or ask your dry cleaner who he or she would recommend.

To maintain the nap, brush the suede regularly and lightly. -- Heloise

BRIDAL-SHOWER HINTS

Dear Heloise: My sister's friend is getting married soon. One fun bridal shower we're planning involves hints! For the party, we are each bringing her cleaning supplies and our favorite cleaning and organizing pointers and preferences!

Not elegant -- it'll just be a casual, relaxed evening, sharing our fave household helpers and how-tos! -- Nancy B., Hammond, Ind.

Nancy, I think it's brilliant and a fun way to help supply a new bride with needed and essential -- but not really "elegant," as you say -- items. There are many

types of showers, and I've put hints and suggestions for these, as well as other hints, in my Bridal Gown Hints and More pamphlet. If you would like to order one, please visit www.Heloise.com, or send \$3 and a long, self-addressed, stamped (68 cents) envelope to: Heloise-Bridal, P.O. Box 795001, San Antonio, TX 78279-5001. There are hints about what to do and not do when buying and storing a bridal gown -- very important information! -- Hugs, Heloise

CHALK IT UP

Dear Heloise: My new favorite "cleaner" is chalk. I've lived in my house for 14 years. It was painted white on the inside.

White chalk fills in old nail holes and covers scratches and even large nicks on the wall and trim, including doors and baseboards.

The chalk also worked on my shower's marks, on the grease-splattered wall above my stove and on my light-gray carpet. My house looks like new! Try colored chalk for painted surfaces. -- A Retiree from The Villages, Fla.

SECURE SLIDING DOORS.

Dear Heloise: When I first moved into my apartment, I made sure it was secure. My apartment has two sliding glass doors (one in the bedroom and one in the living area), and I'm on the first floor.

I checked the doors when I moved in. One wasn't locked. My hint is to check all doors and windows to be sure they are locked.

For extra security and peace of mind, I always keep the safety bar in the "locked" position. -- Julie D., Bloomington, Ind.

Send a money-saving or timesaving hint to Heloise, P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio, TX 78279-5000, or you can fax it to 1-210-HELOISE or email it to Heloise(at)Heloise.com. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

Horoscope

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Friday, Aug. 19, 2016:

This year you could get angry, but you won't stay like that for long. Your vision and ability to transform what isn't working emerge as strong traits, especially in your daily life. Regular doctor checkups need to be a high priority. If you are single, be as open as possible in order to allow someone in. Someone special is likely to enter your life later in your birthday year. If you are attached, you and your significant other share many of life's ups and downs, which brings you closer together. Your communication style often clarifies issues and prevents arguments. PISCES loves to be around 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)

★★★★ You might have gotten up on the wrong side of the bed. Whether you had an angry dream or a hostile moment early on, your mood could change dramatically. Others will make an adjustment once they are aware of what is happening.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)

★★★★ Zero in on a meeting and the potential involvement of a long-term commitment. Though you have a serious agenda, others might not. You could be disappointed by an obvious lack of interest. At the last minute, you'll gain people's attention. Seize the moment.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)

★★★★ You'll take the lead in a community commitment or a professional project. Others find you to be inspiring, and often take a leap of faith to follow you. Your sense of humor emerges toward the end of the day. Give people time to express their convictions.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)

★★★★ Your creativity sometimes stems from adversity. You often feel pressured, but this tension results in many ideas. Your willingness to search for unusual solutions opens your mind as well as others'. Tap into your resourcefulness.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)

★★★★ One-on-one relating is your forte, and today is no different. Instead of rushing through

your day, take your time and indulge each person you encounter. This exercise might take an extra hour, but the goodwill you foster is worth much more.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)

★★★★ Defer to others, and understand your limits. Your playfulness and how you carry yourself is likely to intrigue a friend or loved one. This person might wonder if there is something up your sleeve. Relish and embrace the attention.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

★★★★ Get to the bottom of a problem without letting others know your role. Follow through on manifesting a long-term goal. Whether it's being healthier or learning a new language, know that you can do it. Decide the time is now, and stop making excuses.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)

★★★★ You could be in a situation that forces your hand and makes it clear that certain habits you have developed can be distracting. Be willing to employ more self-discipline. Laughter marks your mood in any case. You welcome the weekend with a smile.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)

★★★★ You are more grounded than you have been in a while. Just the same, you might not be up for wildness or a weekend celebration. You could opt for a quiet few days at home. Touch base with a loved one and explain where you are coming from.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)

★★★★ Conversations might be a bit overwhelming, as people seem to assume that you know everything about the subject at hand. You will want to call a halt to this type of conversation and encourage others to chime in. Maintain a sense of humor.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)

★★★★ You could be more possessive than usual. A friendship seems to be dissolving right in front of you, despite your efforts to keep it together. Take some time to help someone in your life feel more secure, and you will be glad you did.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)

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SPORTS

2016 PREP VOLLEYBALL PREVIEW: CALLOWAY COUNTY LADY LAKERS

Promise around the corner

Price and the Lady Lakers searching for their future in 2016

By **BRYCE RUDD**
Sport Reporter

With McCracken County dominating volleyball for three straight years since their conception in 2013 (no losses to a Region 1 program), it has seemed like a fight for consolation for teams like the Calloway County Lady Lakers.

A few changes here and a couple of tweaks there and a 9-15 season could have been .500 or better in 2015, especially with the senior talent distributed.

But fourth year head skipper Mary Price isn't concerned with last season; not one bit. Price is adamant on the 2016 season, one that holds a lot of promise in Lady Laker land right around the corner.

Despite losing five devoted seniors, the Lady Lakers have five more this year to hopefully mirror those performances.

Gone are Lily Lowe, Alex Arnett, Shelby Bellah, Paige Stallings and primary setter Calle Hill, but a mixture of under the radar youth and experience of players that have been familiar with one another since middle school are keeping hopes high on College Farm Road.

"We're getting to be an older team. I'm expecting more experience and better choices in their playing. I just think we were a little bit up and down last season. Our confidence was down and this year I think we'll build it back up," Price said.

"We are going to miss those seniors, but I know that we've got girls coming up that are putting the time and effort in to make the team great and fill those shoes."

Of all the shoes, senior Kendra Connell may have the biggest size to fill. Connell returns as the Lady Laker setter and was voted team captain (along with senior Lauren Wagner) by her teammates.

"We have high expectations," Lady Laker senior Jacie Spann added.



JEFF ARENZ / Ledger & Times

In this August 20, 2015 file photo, former Lady Laker setter Calle Hill raises for the set up. Calloway County will be looking for a much improved team after working hard in the offseason. Mary Price is entering her fourth year at the helm as head coach.

SCOUTING REPORT: CALLOWAY COUNTY LADY LAKERS

HEAD COACH: Mary Price
EXPERIENCE: Fourth year as head coach.
OVERALL RECORD: 26-48-1
ASSISTANT COACH: Sara Adams
2015 RECORD: 9-15-0
2015 FINISH: Lost 0-3 to Marshall County in a Region 1 District 4 Tournament semifinal.
PRIMARY FORMATION: 6-1
GRADUATED PLAYERS: Alex Arnett, Shelby Bellah, Calle Hill, Lily Lowe, Paige Stallings
RETURNING PLAYERS: Seniors - Kendra Connell, Chaney Hill, Jacie Spann, Lauren Wagner, Lindsey Wagner, Juniors - Lexie Lamb.
STRENGTHS: While vacancies of Arnett, Bellah, Hill, Lowe and Stallings will be noticed, the Lady Lakers depended on them for instant offense and frontcourt height with setting potential on arguably every possession, while others depended on the five seniors day in and day out. No longer the case, Calloway County may benefit from team efforts as several other players are willing to step up. Jacie Spann, Lauren Wagner, Lindsey Wagner, Chaney Hill and Kendra Connell could be those contributors. With several incoming yet to be named on the varsity roster, there's plenty of room for growth and development and several key contributors have played club volleyball or attended summer camps to make themselves better. The Lady Lakers will rely on a senior laden squad (five as they did in 2015) for the great potential of a winning record.
WEAKNESSES: The Lady Lakers graduated five seniors, but despite having a talented five on deck to replace them, the lack of identity in the sophomore and freshman class will put all the pressure on the upperclassmen. Maybe, that's a good thing. Lexie Lamb is one of the most improved players in the 4th District and she's ready to prove it.

2016 SCHEDULE

Home games in ALL CAPS
Aug. 18: Hickman County, 6 p.m.; Aug. 23: MARSHALL COUNTY 5 p.m.; Aug. 25: vs. FULTON CITY, 6 p.m.; Sept. 1: Murray High (Crosstown Classic) 7 p.m.; Sept. 8: PADUCAH TILGHMAN, 5:30 p.m.; Sept. 15: Ballard Memorial 5:30 p.m.; Sept. 22: MURRAY HIGH (Crosstown Classic part 2) senior night at 7 p.m.; Sept. 27: Graves County, 7 p.m.; Sept. 29: Marshall County at 5:30 p.m.; Oct. 13: Paducah Tilghman 6 p.m.

2015 RESULTS

Home games in ALL CAPS
Aug. 20: HICKMAN COUNTY (W) 3-0; Aug. 21: Apollo (L) 0-2; Aug. 21: Muhlenberg County at Apollo (W) 2-0; Aug. 22: Ohio County at Apollo (L) 0-2; Aug. 22: Marshall County at Apollo (L) 0-2; Aug. 22: Hancock County at Apollo (W) 2-0; Aug. 25: MARSHALL COUNTY (L) 1-3; Aug. 27: Fulton City (W) 3-0; Sept. 3: Murray High (L) 2-3; Sept. 8: Christian Fellowship (L) 0-3; Sept. 10: Paducah Tilghman (L) 1-2; Sept. 17: BALLARD MEMORIAL (L) 0-3; Sept. 24: MURRAY HIGH (W) 3-1; Sept. 25: Graves County at McCracken County (W) 2-1; Sept. 26: Southwestern at McCracken County (L) 0-2; Sept. 26: Christian County at McCracken County (W) 2-1; Sept. 26: Poplar Bluff, MO at McCracken County (L) 0-2; Sept. 26: South Warren at McCracken County (L) 0-2; Sept. 26: Henderson County at McCracken County (L) 1-3; Oct. 13: CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP (senior night) (L) 2-3; Oct. 15: Paducah Tilghman (W) 2-1; Oct. 18: Marshall County at Christian Fellowship Region 1 District 4 semifinal (L) 1-3. (1-7 record in District 4 play)

OLYMPICS 2016 USA routs Argentina 105-78, semis next

The Associated Press

RIO DE JANEIRO — The nail-biters ended for the U.S. Olympic men's basketball team. So did a golden era of international basketball.

Emphatically stopping a stretch of three straight close games, the Americans advanced to the semifinals by sprinting past Manu Ginobili and Argentina, 105-78 on Wednesday night.

In front of a chanting, flag-waving crowd of Argentines who came to throw a raucous farewell party for their Golden Generation, the Americans delivered their most complete performance in Rio.

"What a remarkable run by Argentina and so we knew we had to match that energy tonight. I thought we did," U.S. coach Mike Krzyzewski said.

Turning a slow start into an early ending with a 27-2 run in the first half, the Americans put away one old rival and set up a meeting with another. They will play Spain on Friday in a rematch of the last two gold-medal games.

Kevin Durant scored 27 points for the Americans, who had played three straight close games for the first time under Krzyzewski, setting off a round of questions at home and in Rio de Janeiro about what was wrong with them.

The answer might be nothing. At least there wasn't against Argentina.

"We wanted to come out and our whole thing was dominating," forward Carmelo Anthony said.

The Americans eliminated Argentina for the third straight Olympics, this time ending not only a tournament run for the Argentines but also a couple careers.

Ginobili, 39, and longtime 36-year-old teammate Andres Nocioni retired from international competition after the game, 12 years after winning gold in Athens.

"We had a chance to grow up together and do some good things, win some games together. It was fun. It's a lot of years," said Luis Scola, who is also 36 but plans to keep playing. "We formed part of something unique we did for our country and it's going to be there. Sometimes we're not going to win, like today, sometimes we won but we fought together for many years."

Ginobili scored 14 points in his final game in Argentina's blue and white, tearing up after receiving applause from his fans and warm wishes from his opponents.

"They congratulated me and I'm very proud of their words," Ginobili said. "They were very kind, very respectful and when legends of the game showed their respect, it has an extra value."

The Americans have won 23 straight in the Olympics since Argentina beat them in the 2004 semifinals, and this was how they usually do it: too much firepower, too much defense, and way too much talent.

It took a little while to get going, as Argentina opened a 10-point lead. The Argentines made nine of their first 10 shots inside the arc and led 19-9 when Nocioni drilled a 3-pointer. But the Americans finished the first period with a 16-2 run, getting the final six points from DeMarcus Cousins, to take a 25-21 edge to the second.

Three-point plays by Cousins and Jimmy Butler around Durant's 3-pointer in an 11-0 start to the second made it 36-21 before Facundo Campazzo stopped the onslaught with a three-point play.

Cousins, the normal starting center playing as a reserve, finished with 15 points.

Spain beat France 92-67 earlier Wednesday, its fourth straight victory after two losses to open the Olympics. The

AREA SOCCER ROUNDUP

Racers set to open season on Friday

Staff Reports

The Murray State soccer squad opens the 17th season in program history when they begin with a road trip to Louisiana Tech and Alabama.

Head Coach Jeremy Groves heads into his third season with the Racers as the team tries to duplicate the tremendous success they enjoyed in 2015. MSU set a program record with 16 victories and became the first Ohio Valley Conference undefeated champion at 10-0.

The Racers are 6-9-1 all-time in season openers after winning at Mississippi State a year ago. MSU is 2-4-1 in road season openers.

Murray State heads into the 2016 season as the top pick in the OVC Preseason Poll.

MSU dropped an exhibition game at Evansville (Aug. 11) 2-1. Freshman Madalyn Germann scored the lone goal for the Racers.

Louisiana Tech Game
The Racers travel to Ruston, La., for a Friday match against Louisiana Tech (12-8-1, 5-4-1 CUSA in 2015).

The 7 p.m. match will be played at Lady Techster Soccer Complex.

The Racers have faced the Lady Techsters twice. MSU lost at home 3-1 in 2010 and scored a 1-0 win on the road in 2015.

The game at Louisiana Tech in 2012 was rained out.

The Racers are 4-13-1 all-time against teams from Conference USA.

LATech was picked 11th among 14 teams in the CUSA Preseason Poll.

Alabama Game
On Sunday, the Racers will be in Tuscaloosa to face the Alabama Crimson Tide in a 6 p.m. start at Alabama Soccer Complex.

The SEC Network will have streaming video online.

The Racers will be meeting Alabama (5-12-2, 2-9 SEC) for the first time and the game marks the first of three games this season against Southeastern Conference opponents.

MSU also plays at SEC schools Vanderbilt (Sept. 1) and at Kentucky (Sept. 11).

The Racers defeated Mississippi State in 2015 by a score of 2-1 in the season opener.

MSU is 1-5-0 all-time against SEC squads.

The Crimson Tide defeated Troy (Aug. 14) 2-1 at home in an exhibition game after posting a 2-2 tie (Aug. 11) against Auburn.

In the SEC Preseason Poll, Alabama was picked 13th in the league of 14 teams.

Murray High Lady Tigers rained out on opening night

The defending Region 1 girls soccer champions will have to wait just a little longer to begin their pursuit of a title defense.

Due to heavy rain and field conditions, the opening game against Henry County was canceled for a second straight night. The game will be made up at a later date as Murray travels to East Jessamine. ■

MLB: ST. LOUIS CARDINALS 8, HOUSTON ASTROS 2



AP Photo

St. Louis Cardinals Brandon Moss (37) is greeted by Stephen Piscotty (55) and Matt Carpenter after hitting a three-run home run against the Houston Astros in the seventh inning of a baseball game Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2016 in Houston.

Cardinals blast Astros 8-2

The Associated Press

HOUSTON — Cardinals right-hander Carlos Martinez ended a tough stretch in emphatic fashion Wednesday.

Martinez took a no-hitter into the sixth, Jeremy Hazelbaker and Brandon Moss hit home runs and St. Louis beat the Houston Astros 8-2.

Martinez (11-7) pitched seven innings of three-hit ball, allowing a run while striking out seven. He retired 15 of the first 16 batters before giving up a leadoff double to Teoscar Hernandez in the sixth.

Martinez had allowed 14 runs over his previous three

starts. "He's been impressive," Cardinals manager Mike Matheny said. "I enjoy watching guys improve. When you see him pitch like that and maintain like that, that's improvement."

Martinez leads St. Louis pitchers with 11 starts of seven or more innings.

"Every day I go out on the hill focused on my work and ready to go through nine innings hopefully," Martinez said. "Some days there's bad days, some days there's good days like today. I stayed focused and I felt really good. I feel like it's just part of the

game and I went out and did the best I could."

The Cardinals have won four straight and have a slim lead for the second NL wildcard spot over the Pirates and Marlins.

St. Louis is averaging 7.5 runs per game during this winning streak and began its offensive frenzy Wednesday in the third inning against starter Doug Fister.

Eight Cardinals batted in the three-run third, highlighted by Stephen Piscotty's two-run single and Yadier Molina's RBI double.

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AREA SCHEDULE

Thursday's Games

BOYS AND GIRLS GOLF
4 p.m.
Murray High at Graves County, Mayfield Country Club.

BOYS SOCCER
7 p.m.
Marshall County at Murray High, Christian County at Calloway County

PREP VOLLEYBALL
7 p.m.
Graves County at Murray High, Hickman County at Calloway County

SPORTS ON TV

Thursday's Games

AUTO RACING
9:30 a.m.
FS1 — NASCAR Camping World Truck Series, UNOH 200, practice, at Bristol, Tenn.
10:30 a.m.
FS1 — NASCAR Camping World Truck Series, UNOH 200, final practice, at Bristol, Tenn.
4:45 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR Camping World Truck Series, UNOH 200, qualifying, at Bristol, Tenn.
8:30 p.m.
FS1 — NASCAR Camping World Truck Series, UNOH 200, at Bristol, Tenn.
3 p.m.
FS1 — USA, U.S. Amateur Championship, Round of 64 matches, at Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
3:30 p.m.
MLB — Pittsburgh at San Francisco OR Washington at Colorado (3 p.m.)
7 p.m.
ESPN — Boston at Baltimore

RIO SUMMER OLYMPICS
8:30 a.m.
GOLF — Women's First round (LIVE)
8 a.m.
NBCSN — Canoe/Kayak (LIVE); Track & Field (LIVE); Men's Soccer: Semifinal (LIVE); Cycling: BMX Qualifying; Men's Soccer: Semifinal; Gymnastics: Girls; Men's Basketball: Quarterfinal (LIVE); Women's Wrestling: Men's Boxing; Women's Boxing; Women's Beach Volleyball: Bronze Medal (LIVE); Men's Basketball: Quarterfinal (LIVE); Men's Table Tennis: Team Gold Medal Final; Taekwondo: Gold Medal Finals
9 a.m.
USA — Men's Badminton: Singles Quarterfinals; Men's Basketball: Quarterfinal (LIVE); Women's Water Polo: Semifinal (LIVE); Men's Badminton: Singles Quarterfinal (LIVE); Men's Basketball: Quarterfinal (LIVE); Men's Table Tennis: Team Bronze Medal; Taekwondo
10 a.m.
NBC — Track & Field (LIVE); Equestrian: Team Jumping Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Gymnastics: Girls; Men's Volleyball: Quarterfinal (LIVE); Canoe/Kayak; Women's Water Polo: Semifinal (LIVE)
10:30 a.m.
TELEMUNDO — News Recap; Men's Soccer: Semifinal; Track & Field; Boxing; Men's Soccer:

SOCCER
12:35 a.m. (Thursday)
Women's Beach Volleyball: Medal Round
SOCCER
2:30 p.m.
FS2 — UEFA Champions League, Playoff Leg 1, Porto vs. AS Roma
FSN — UEFA Champions League, Playoff Leg 1, Villarreal CF vs. AS Monaco
4:55 p.m.
FS1 — Supercopa de España, Leg 2, Barcelona vs. Sevilla, at Barcelona, Spain
SOFTBALL
9 p.m.
ESPN2 — Little League Softball World Series, championship, at Portland, Ore.
Friday's Games
AUTO RACING
10 a.m.
USA — NASCAR Sprint Cup Series, Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race, final practice, at Bristol, Tenn.
4:30 p.m.
USA — NASCAR Sprint Cup Series, Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race, qualifying, at Bristol, Tenn.
8:30 p.m.
USA — NASCAR Xfinity Series, Food City 300, at Bristol, Tenn.
BASEBALL
9 p.m.
ESPN — Little League World Series, opening round, Japan vs. Canada, at Williamsport, Pa.
3 p.m.
ESPN — Little League World Series, opening round, West vs. Midwest, at Williamsport, Pa.
9 p.m.
ESPN — Little League World Series, opening round, Asia-Pacific vs. Caribbean, at Williamsport, Pa.
7 p.m.
ESPN — Little League World Series, opening round, Southwest vs. Great Lakes, at Williamsport, Pa.
BOXING
9 p.m.
SHO — Jarrell Miller vs. Fred Kassl, heavyweight; Nikolay Potapov vs. Antonio Nieves, bantamweight; Bakytzhan Etybayev vs. Karim Mayfield, welterweight, at Rochester, N.Y.
GOLF
2 p.m.

FS1 — USA, U.S. Amateur Championship, quarterfinal matches, at Bloomfield Hills, Mich.
4 p.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour, Wyndham Championship, second round, at Greensboro, N.C.
3 a.m. (Saturday)
GOLF — European PGA Tour, D+D Real Czech Masters, second round, at Prague (week-end loop)
HORSE RACING
FS2 — Saratoga Live, at Saratoga Springs, N.Y.
MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
6 p.m.
MLB — Boston at Detroit OR Toronto at Cleveland
9 p.m.
FS1 — N.Y. Yankees at L.A. Angels
NFL FOOTBALL
7 a.m.
NFL — Preseason, Miami at Dallas
8:30 a.m.
GOLF — Women's Third round (LIVE)
7 a.m.
NBCSN — Men's Track & Field: 50k Walk Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Men's Wrestling (LIVE); Taekwondo; Rhythmic Gymnastics; Men's Basketball: Semifinal (LIVE); Men's Handball: Semifinal (LIVE); Men's Handball: Semifinal (LIVE); Women's Modern Pentathlon; Boxing: Semifinal; Taekwondo: Gold Medal Finals
8 a.m.
USA — Men's Badminton; Women's Water Polo; Bronze Medal (LIVE); Women's Field Hockey: Bronze Medal (LIVE); Men's Badminton: Singles Semifinals
9 a.m.
NBC — Equestrian: Individual Jumping Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Canoe/Kayak; Synchronized Swimming: Team Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Men's Volleyball: Semifinal (LIVE); Cycling: BMX Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Women's Water Polo: Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Equestrian: Individual Jumping Gold Medal Final; Rhythmic Gymnastics
9:30 a.m.
TELEMUNDO — News Recap; Synchronized Swimming; Track & Field; Beach Volleyball; Boxing; Women's Soccer: Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Women's Soccer Medal Ceremony
10 a.m.
MSNBC — Women's Badminton: Singles Gold Medal Final; Women's Soccer: Bronze Medal (LIVE); Women's Modern Pentathlon; Men's Handball: Semifinal (LIVE); Women's Field Hockey: Gold Medal Final (LIVE)
3 p.m.
NBC UNIVERSO — Women's Soccer: Gold Medal Final (LIVE); Men's Basketball: Semifinal (LIVE)
4 a.m.
CBC — Men's Wrestling: Freestyle Gold Medal Finals (LIVE); Men's Basketball: Semifinal (LIVE)
NBC — Track & Field: Gold Medal Finals (LIVE); Women's Pole Vault; Men's Hammer; Women's 5000m; Women's 4x100m Relay; Men's 4x100m Relay; Men's Diving: Platform Qualifying.
10:35 p.m.
NBC — Canoe/Kayak: Sprint Semifinals
TENNIS
12 a.m.
ESPN2 — U.S. Open Series: ATP World Tour-WTA Tour; Western & Southern Open, men's & women's quarterfinals, at Mason, Ohio
6 p.m.
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Tampa Bay	87	.513	—
Baltimore	86	.510	1
Minnesota	85	.507	2
Chicago	84	.504	3
Seattle	83	.501	4
Los Angeles	82	.498	5
San Francisco	81	.495	6
Yankees	80	.492	7
Detroit	79	.489	8
Cleveland	78	.486	9
Washington	77	.483	10
Philadelphia	76	.480	11
Arizona	75	.477	12
San Diego	74	.474	13
Colorado	73	.471	14
St. Louis	72	.468	15
Houston	71	.465	16
Texas	70	.462	17
Los Angeles	69	.459	18

Central Division

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Chicago	87	.513	—
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N.Y. Mets (Niese 8-6) at Arizona (Godley 3-2), 9:40 p.m.

Wednesday's Results

Tampa Bay 5, San Diego 1
Texas 5, Oakland 4, 10 innings
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late
Boston 5, Baltimore 3
Toronto 12, N.Y. Yankees 6
Cleveland 3, Chicago White Sox 1
Kansas City 6, Detroit 1
Cleveland 4, Atlanta 2
Tampa Bay 15, San Diego 1
Texas 5, Oakland 4, 10 innings
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

Thursday's Results

Tampa Bay 2, San Diego 0
St. Louis 8, Houston 2
Boston 8, Baltimore 1, 6 innings
Minnesota 10, Atlanta 3
Chicago White Sox 10, Cleveland 7
Kansas City 4, Detroit 1
Texas 6, Oakland 2
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

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Washington 69, 47, .595 —
Miami 61, 56, .521 8 1/2
New York 59, 58, .513 10 1/2
Philadelphia 44, 74, .373 26

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San Diego	50	.67	.427 16
Arizona	48	.69	.410 18

Today's Results

Chicago Cubs 4, Milwaukee 0, 1st game
L.A. Dodgers 15, Philadelphia 5
Cincinnati 6, Miami 3
Minnesota 4, Atlanta 2
Tampa Bay 15, San Diego 1
Chicago Cubs 4, Milwaukee 1, 2nd game
St. Louis 8, Houston 5
Washington at Colorado, late
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San Diego	50	.67	.427 16
Arizona	48	.69	.410 18

Today's Results

Chicago Cubs 4, Milwaukee 0, 1st game
L.A. Dodgers 15, Philadelphia 5
Cincinnati 6, Miami 3
Minnesota 4, Atlanta 2
Tampa Bay 15, San Diego 1
Chicago Cubs 4, Milwaukee 1, 2nd game
St. Louis 8, Houston 5
Washington at Colorado, late
N.Y. Mets at Arizona, late
Pittsburgh at San Francisco, late

Wednesday's Results

Miami 6, Cincinnati 3
Tampa Bay 8, San Diego 2
Washington at Colorado, late
N.Y. Mets at Arizona, late

Today's Games

San Diego (Friedrich 4-8) at Tampa Bay (Archer 8-16), 1:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Niese 9-6) at San Francisco (Cain 4-7), 3:45 p.m.
St. Louis (Martinez 10-7) at Houston (Fister 11-7), 2:10 p.m.
Washington (Strasburg 15-3) at Colorado (Gray 8-6), 3:10 p.m.
Minnesota (Gibson 4-7) at Atlanta (Foltysevic 8-5), 7:10 p.m.
Milwaukee (Nelson 6-12) at Chicago Cubs (Lester 12-4), 8:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Niese 8-6) at Arizona (Godley 3-2), 9:40 p.m.

Wednesday's Results

Tampa Bay 5, San Diego 1
Texas 5, Oakland 4, 10 innings
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late
Boston 5, Baltimore 3
Toronto 12, N.Y. Yankees 6
Cleveland 3, Chicago White Sox 1
Kansas City 6, Detroit 1
Cleveland 4, Atlanta 2
Tampa Bay 15, San Diego 1
Texas 5, Oakland 4, 10 innings
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

Thursday's Results

Tampa Bay 2, San Diego 0
St. Louis 8, Houston 2
Boston 8, Baltimore 1, 6 innings
Minnesota 10, Atlanta 3
Chicago White Sox 10, Cleveland 7
Kansas City 4, Detroit 1
Texas 6, Oakland 2
Seattle at L.A. Angels, late

Friday's Results

Boston (Buchholz 4-9) at Detroit (Boyd 4-2), 1:10 p.m.
Houston (Munoz 1-0) at Baltimore (Gausman 3-10), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Rodon 3-8) at Cleveland (Salazar 11-4), 7:10 p.m.
Minnesota (Duffey 8-5) at Kansas City (Gee 4-6), 8:15 p.m.
Seattle (Wakama 14-7) at L.A. Angels (Shoemaker 6-13), 10:05 p.m.

Today's Games

Washington 69, 47, .595 —
Miami 61, 56, .521 8 1/2
New York 59, 58, .513 10 1/2
Philadelphia 44, 74, .373 26

Central Division

W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	73	.43	.529 —
St. Louis	62	.56	.525 12
Pittsburgh	59	.56	.513 13 1/2
Milwaukee	52	.64	.448 21
Cincinnati	48	.68	.414 25

West Division

W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	66	.51	.564 —
Los Angeles	65	.52	.556 1
Colorado	56	.62	.475 10 1/2
San Diego	50	.67	.427 16
Arizona	48	.69	.410 18

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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Miami	1	0	0	1.000	27	10
N.Y. Jets	1	0	0	1.000	17	13
New England	1	0	0	1.000	34	22
Buffalo	0	1	0	.000	18	18

North

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Baltimore	1	0	0	1.000	22	18
Cleveland	1	0	0	1.000	11	17
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	17	30
Cincinnati	0	1	0	.000	16	17

South

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Tennessee	1	0	0	1.000	27	10
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	24	13
Indianapolis	1	0	0	1.000	18	17
Jacksonville	0	1	0	.000	13	17

West

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Denver	1	0	0	1.000	22	0
Oakland	1	0	0	1.000	31	10
Kansas City	1	0	0	1.000	18	17
San Diego	0	1	0	.000	10	27

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1.000	17	9
N.Y. Giants	1	0	0	1.000	10	27
Washington	1	0	0	1.000	17	23
Dallas	0	1	0	.000	24	28

North

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Minnesota	1	0	0	1.000	17	18
Detroit	1	0	0	1.000	30	17
Green Bay	1	0	0	1.000	17	11
Chicago	0	1	0	.000	0	22

South

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Atlanta	1	0	0	1.000	23	17
Tampa Bay	0	1	0	.000	9	17
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	22	34
Carolina	0	1	0	.000	19	22

West

W	L	T	Pct	PP	PA	
Los Angeles	1	0	0	1.000	26	24
Seattle	1	0	0	1.000	17	16
San Francisco	0	1	0	.000	13	24
Arizona	0	1	0	.000	10	31

WEEK 1

Thursday's Results

Atlanta 23, Washington 17
Philadelphia 17, Tampa Bay 9
Baltimore 22, Carolina 19
N.Y. Jets 17, Jacksonville 13
New England 34, New Orleans 22
Denver 22, Chicago 0
Minnesota 17, Cincinnati 16
Miami 27, N.Y. Giants 10
Green Bay 17, Cleveland 11
Oakland 31, Arizona 10

Saturday's Results

Houston 24, San Francisco 13
Today's Games
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Cincinnati at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Cleveland, 7 p.m.
Chicago at New England, 7 p.m.
Oakland at Green Bay, 7 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 7 p.m.

Calloway...

From Page 10

"We're full of seniors and our starting lineup has been consistent. We've been playing together since middle school age so this should be a pretty good year for us.

Kendra and Lindsey have been playing the longest out of all of us so we decided to elect them. They're both really vocal and their excellent leaders."

Speaking of Spann, she'll be one of the leaders if Calloway County is to see success in the short-term calendar.

One of the most solid middle-hitters in the 4th District

NASCAR THIS WEEK

SPEED FREAKS

A couple questions we had to ask — ourselves

Which non-winner, outside the top 16, can win and upset the Chase picture?

GODSPEAK: Anybody would be crazy to pick Dale Earnhardt Jr., so I will go with Kyle Larson.

KEN'S CALL: Call me crazy, but I see Junior coming back in a couple of weeks and getting it done.

When does Kurt Busch's lead-lap streak end?

GODSPEAK: Pick the least likely place for the streak to end and that would be Michigan on Aug. 28.

KEN'S CALL: I'll take a chance and say he skates through Bristol, but let's say he doesn't survive Darlington in a couple of weeks.

Worried about Jimmie Johnson?

GODSPEAK: Considering Hendrick Motorsports' overall performance, I don't think J.J. is playing possum.

KEN'S CALL: One top-10 since end of May? That's more than a speed bump. Yep, worried. Or at least wondering.

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SPRINT CUP POINTS

1. Brad Keselowski	727
2. Kevin Harvick	718
3. Kurt Busch	689
4. Kyle Busch	670
5. Carl Edwards	653
6. Joey Logano	652
7. Denny Hamlin	620
8. Martin Truex Jr.	612
9. Matt Kenseth	600
10. Jimmie Johnson	578
11. Ryan Newman	562
12. Chase Elliott	561
13. Austin Dillon	559
14. Jamie McMurray	550
15. Kyle Larson	520
16. Trevor Bayne	512
17. Kasey Kahne	509
18. Ryan Blaney	502
19. AJ Allmendinger	486
20. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	475
21. Dale Earnhardt Jr.	461
22. Paul Menard	422
23. Greg Biffle	416
24. Danica Patrick	413
25. Clint Bowyer	397
26. Tony Stewart	389
27. Aric Almirola	379
28. Casey Mears	359
29. Landon Cassill	334
30. David Ragan	295

3 THINGS WE LEARNED FROM THE OFF WEEK



Denny Hamlin's post-race burnout at Watkins Glen was so intense, it popped both rear tires, causing sheet-metal damage to his No. 11 Toyota and concern from NASCAR officials. GETTY IMAGES/SEAN GARDNER

1. Burnout scrutiny

When Denny Hamlin won at Watkins Glen, his burnout in the No. 11 Toyota was so intense, it popped both rear tires and caused sheet-metal damage to the car. Did Hamlin do it to hide something from NASCAR? One NASCAR official said, "It's a trend we don't like to see."

2. Gordon wins!

Jeff Gordon, who is subbing for ailing Dale Earnhardt Jr. in the No. 88 Chevy, won a race last week. OK, so it was a go-kart race for charity in Iowa, but he beat Tony Stewart, Kasey Kahne and Kyle Larson for the trophy. The old man still has the winning touch.

3. Only one

NASCAR rookie Ryan Blaney was the only Sprint Cup Series regular to compete in the Xfinity Series race at Mid-Ohio this past weekend. He finished third in a Team Penske Ford. The tell? Other Cup drivers just wanted the time off before 14 consecutive weeks of racing.

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3 THINGS TO WATCH

1. Eyes on Busch

Kurt Busch set a Sprint Cup record for completing all laps in the first 21 races of the season and extended it to 22 by rolling through all 90 laps at Watkins Glen. The all-time record is held by Carl Edwards, who completed all laps in 28 straight races over the 2015-16 seasons. Busch is up to 25 in that category. For the record, 5,901 laps have been run to date this Cup season.

2. Chase this

There are four regular-season races left on the schedule before the Chase and virtually four open playoff berths. Chris Buescher has a win and is only three points out of the top 30 in points, so he most likely will get into the battle. If those four openings go to drivers with points,



Kurt Busch has finished every lap in NASCAR Cup Series competition this season, but it is a record few people really care about. GETTY IMAGES/SARAH CRABILL

it would be Ryan Newman, Chase Elliott, Austin Dillon and Jamie McMurray. They are tightly clustered in points. Everybody else must win a race.

3. 22 and counting

A total of 22 Cup Series teams have unveiled throw-back paint schemes for the Sept. 4 Southern 500 at Darlington Raceway, and several

more teams are expected to participate in the celebration of NASCAR history. The most intriguing design to date is the No. 13 Chevy of Casey Mears, who will run a stock car carrying the black and gold colors made famous by master mechanic Smokey Yunick.

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GODWIN'S PICKS FOR BRISTOL

WINNER: Kyle Busch
REST OF TOP 5: Joey Logano, Matt Kenseth, Jimmie Johnson, Brad Keselowski
FIRST ONE OUT: Michael McDowell

DARK HORSE: Kasey Kahne
DON'T BE SURPRISED IF: Busch gets the hot hand going into the Chase playoffs beginning with Bristol.



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QUESTIONS & ATTITUDE

Compelling questions... and maybe a few actual answers

How about the rooster tails?

On many weekends, even on a stand-alone weekend without Cup racing, the Xfinity Series can escape notice. But this past Saturday's event at Mid-Ohio got some extra attention, and for an unusual reason: rain. When NASCAR's Cup or Xfinity cars line up for a road-course race, the pit stalls include sets of rain tires, just in case. But almost always, the tires are unnecessary. Not this time.

Like it?

It was definitely different and therefore kinda fun to watch Justin Marks navigate the rain-soaked course and get his first win. And I suppose it's good that fans who travel to watch a race don't get rained out. But who enjoys sitting in the rain and watching a sporting event of any kind? Oh, wait, the TV audience far outnumbers the ticket buyers, and for TV purposes a rainy race is much better than no race.

Never on an oval?

Nearly all of the smart people say no, heavy stock cars on a wet oval, even with rain tires, wouldn't be worth the price of a dime-store umbrella, much less the price of a ticket. Though maybe once, just once, it'd be fun to watch a few laps just to confirm that philosophy.

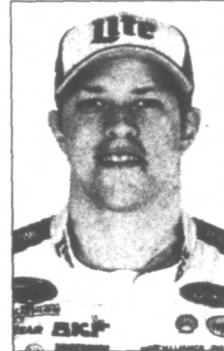
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FEUD OF THE WEEK



Truex



Keselowski

MARTIN TRUEX JR. VS. BRAD KESELOWSKI: Here's one confrontation underreported at Watkins Glen: Keselowski spun Truex on the last lap. Truex repeatedly bumped "Kez" on the cool-down lap.
GODWIN KELLY'S TAKE: Truex has such a cool demeanor, it is hard to say whether he will retaliate in the coming weeks. "I guess he kind of races with that mentality," Truex said with a shrug.

WHAT'S ON TAP?

SPRINT CUP: Bass Pro Shops/NRA Night Race
SITE: Bristol Motor Speedway (.533-mile oval)
TV SCHEDULE: Friday, practice (USA Network, 12:30 p.m.), qualifying (USA Network, 5:45 p.m.). Saturday, race (NBC Sports Network, coverage begins at 7:30 p.m., green flag at 8:15 p.m.)
XFINITY: Food City 300
SITE: Bristol Motor Speedway
TV SCHEDULE: Friday, race (USA Network, 7:30 p.m.)
CAMPING WORLD TRUCKS: UNOH 200
SITE: Bristol Motor Speedway
TV SCHEDULE: Wednesday, qualifying (Fox Sports 1, 4:45 a.m.), race (Fox Sports 1, 8:30 p.m.)

KEN WILLIS' TOP 10 NASCAR DRIVER RANKINGS

KYLE BUSCH Has five Bristol wins, none since 2011	BRAD KESELOWSKI Should make next two weeks interesting	DENNY HAMLIN Virginia hometown named for Earl of Chesterfield	KURT BUSCH Can lead-lap streak survive Bristol?	KEVIN HARVICK Surprisingly, only won once at Bristol	CARL EDWARDS No other "Carl" ever won a Cup race	JOEY LOGANO Mr. Hunch likes him this week	MARTIN TRUEX JR. His last season as a Denver solo act	MATT KENSETH Also from Cambridge, Wisc.; Outboarder Ole Evinrude	JIMMIE JOHNSON It's been a cold summer for the 48
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

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