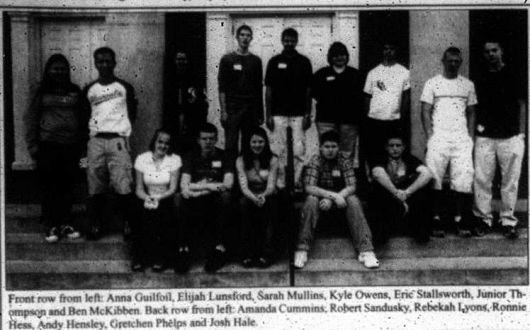




From row from left: Anna Guilfoi, Elijah Laneford, Sarah Mullins, Kyle Owens, Eric Stallworth, Junior Thompson and Ben McKibben. Back row from left: Amanda Cummins, Robert Sandusky, Rebekah Lyons, Ronnie Hess, Andy Hensley, Gretchen Phelps and Josh Hale.

The department of math and physics at Cumberland College sponsored the 2002 Annual High School Mathematics Contest on Friday, April 12. A total of 12 high schools, primarily from eastern Kentucky, were represented by 186 contestants and 20 sponsors.

This year's contest consisted of

exams in six categories: algebra I, algebra II, geometry, precalculus, calculus and cooperative group. Each school was allowed to enter up to two students in each of these five individual categories and a team of four students for the group competition.

Dr. James Taylor, president of Cumberland College, and Dr. Don Good, vice-president for academic

affairs, presented winners in each category with trophies, plaques or certificates.

Rockcastle County High School competed in the contest. Although they did not win an award, the students put forth a valiant effort.

A tradition at Cumberland College, the math contest helps prepare students in the fields of mathematics, mathematics education, physics, physics education and engineering. For more information contact Diane Jamison, contest coordinator at 539-4314.

Cumberland College is proud to announce that Amber Thacker, of Crab Orchard and Angela Boreing, of Mt. Vernon, have both received the Christian Leadership Scholarship.

The Cumberland College Christian Leadership Program exists to acknowledge the contributions of deserving students to their churches and to other Christian organizations. The \$1,000 scholarships are given to

incoming freshmen who submit two letters of verification, maintain an above average academic excellence and complete and document at least 75 hours of Christian leadership involvement each academic year.

Amber is the daughter of Kenneth and Sheila Thacker of Copper Creek. She attends Valley Baptist Church. Angela is the daughter of Bobby and Becky Boreing of Mt. Vernon and attends Bible Baptist Church.

May 6-9, 2002

Breakfast: Ham biscuit or cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

Tuesday: Fryin' n' biscuit or cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

Wednesday: Pastry or cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

Thursday: Waife sticks and syrup or cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

Friday: Egg/cheese biscuit or cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.

Lunch: Monday: Hot dog on bun or sandwich, potato rounds, carrot sticks, peaches and milk.

Tuesday: Sloppy joe on bun, fries, chili spears, fruit dessert and milk.

Wednesday: Manager's choice.

Thursday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, garden salad, green beans, Italian bread, cookie and milk.

Friday: Pizza or sandwich, corn, garden salad, cake and milk.

Taco Bell

SPECIAL OF THE WEEK

10 Pack Special

\$9.99

Redeem this coupon and receive 50¢ off any combo meal.

Located at Exit 62 - Mt. Vernon

INSPECTION PERIOD FOR THE PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT ROLL

The Rockcastle County real property tax roll will be opened for inspection from May 6 through May 20, 2002. Under the supervision of the property valuation administrator or one of the deputies, any person may inspect the tax roll.

This is the January 1, 2002, assessment on which state, county and school taxes for 2002 will be due about September 15, 2002.

The tax roll is in the office of the property valuation administrator in the county courthouse and may be inspected between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Any taxpayer desiring to appeal an assessment on real property made by the PVA must first request a conference with the PVA or a designated deputy. The conference may be held prior to or during the inspection period.

Any taxpayer still aggrieved by an assessment on real property after the conference with the PVA or designated deputy may appeal to the county board of assessment appeals.

The taxpayer can appeal his assessment by filing in person or sending a letter or other written petition stating the reasons for appeal, identifying the property and stating the taxpayer's opinion of the fair cash value of the property.

The appeal must be filed with the county clerk's office no later than one week following the conclusion of the inspection period.

Any taxpayer failing to appeal to the county board of assessment appeals, or failing to appear before the board, either in person or by designated representative, will not be eligible to appeal directly to the Kentucky Board of Tax Appeals.

Appeals of personal property assessments shall not be made to the county board of assessment appeals. Personal property taxpayers shall be served notice under the provisions of KRS 132.450(4) and shall have the profit and appeal rights granted under the provisions of KRS 131.110.

The following steps should be taken when a taxpayer does not agree with the assessed value of personal property as determined by the office of property valuation administrator:

- He must list under protest (for certification) what he believes to be the fair cash value of his property.
- He must file a written protest directly with the Department of Property Valuation within 30 days from the date of the notice of assessment.
- This protest must be in accordance with KRS 131.110.
- The final decision of the Revenue Cabinet may be appealed to the Kentucky Board of Tax Appeals.

Margaret Effitt
Property Valuation Administrator
Rockcastle
County

We are anxious to meet the future RCMS sixth graders. The fifth graders from Broadhead Elementary will visit us on Monday. The RCMS fifth graders will come to RCMS on Tuesday and the students from Roundstone will be here on Wednesday morning.

All RCMS 8th graders and their parents are invited to attend Step-up night next Tuesday night at the high school from 5:30-7:30.

The Book Fair will end on Thursday afternoon. Students may purchase books during their gym time. There will be a dance this Friday from 3:00-5:00. Students must have parental and team permission to go attend.

Next week is Teacher Appreciation Week. We have several things planned for our wonderful staff!

Teacher nominations for the SBDM council will be taken next week.

Time is running out on our best attendance competition. The winning homeroom gets a free trip to Kentucky Kingdom.

The baseball team will compete at Powell County Thursday afternoon, play Berea at home Friday, Russell County at home on Monday, and compete at Meade on Tuesday. The softball girls will play at home versus Meade on Thursday, North

Laurel on Tuesday, and Clay County on Wednesday.

Honor Roll
4th Seven Weeks
Entrepreneurs Team: Chris Ayers, Holly Brown, Yancey Burchett, Leslie Burdette, Katie Burdette, Cody Carpenter, April Chesnut, Laura Childers, Jay Cobb, Tim Harding, Anne Hasty, Devin Hasty, Kim Johnson, Angelica Jones, Brooke Kirby, Andrew Laswell, Sonya Lunsford, Beverly Miller, Lewis Mink, Brian Mize, Rebecca Mounce, Daniel Myers, Christy Napier, Kayla Owens, Dustin Poynter, Sarah Rowe, Christy Scott, Morgan Thacker, Melinda Thomson, Taylor Vaughn, Cody Wilson, Jake Woodall.

Voyagers Team: Rhonda Abney, Courtney Bullock, Courtney Bustle, Sara Cain, Gary Caldwell, Brandon Carpenter, Joey Chastain, Beth Cromer, Jessica Cummins, John Mark Davis, Casey Dillingham, Rebekah Gevedon, David Harris, April Johnson, Justin Johnson, Johnny Jones, Erik Jordan, Megan Lovell, Blake McKinney, Sally Mize, Jeffery Mullins, Christopher Mullins, Brandey Owens, Brittany Payne, Amy Poynter, Brittany Pruitt, Christine Randolph, Emily Renner, Candace Rymble, Katie Williams, Nikki Wynn.

Shooting Stars Team: Megan Alcorn, Danielle Alexander, Karla Ashley, Josh Blair, Mercedes Burdette, Ashley Burtell, Drew Burdette, Ashley Cash, Danny Clark, Victoria Clontz, Rebecca Cummins, Brandon DeBorde, Laura DeKauwe, Megan Griffin, Brandon Harris, Ashley Hayes, Justin Hensley, Alicia Kinney, Billy Jones, Morgan Kincaid, Matthew Martin, Stephanie Mason, Jesse McCauley, Casey McClure, Lorrie McClure, Erica McKinney, Emily Mink, Ashley Mullins, Lisa Northern, Josh Naton, Jill Owens, Becky Prewitt, Megan Rader, Emily Reddington, Jacob Renner, Steven Renner, Bethany Smith, Dustin Johnson, Clint Walker, Josh Willis.

Adventurers Team: Amy Anderkin, Lance Baldwin, Kyla Bishop, April Bullock, Curtis Burton, Lara Cash, Cody Childers, Kim Cottrell, Cheryl Cunagin, Ashley Dollins, Jessica Evans, Steven

Everette, Brittany French, Josh Garrison, Bryan Gilbert, Lakin Halcomb, Jacob Harding, Leanne Holden, Jody Howard, Chandler Hunter, Chris Hunt, Jacob Jones, Courtney Kirby, Kelli Martin, Shane McClure, Izak McQuary, Amanda Miller, Veronica Miller, Leanna Mink, Lynn Miracle, Nena Murray, J.L. Polley, Jenna Poynter, Hillary Proctor, John Renner, Anna Reynolds, Ashley Ridner, Lisa Robinson, Meredith Robinson, Brandy Scafe, Heather Spores, Ashley Stewart, Kayla Stearns, Rebecca Taylor, Amanda Vann, Michael VanWinkle, Emily Whitaker, Kyla Whitaker, Robyn Wilson, Rachel Wright.

Challengers Team: Justin Albright, Joe Alcorn, Samantha Allen, Samantha Albright, Danielle Arnold, Amanda Blankenship, Candace Blanton, Sarah Bullock, Tasha Burton, Michael Campbell, Allison Carter, Angela Coffey, Lauren Cromer, Aron Cromer, Charles Cunagin, Brandon Durham, Stacie Gabbard, Rebecca Graves, Ashley Harrison, Allison Hedrick, Dale Hensley, Dody Lester, Melinda Lindsey, Michael Lovell, Derrick McClure, Wesley McQuire, Shasha McHone, Justin Miller, Lori Miller, Karen Mink, Tabitha Nickle, Travis Powell, Andrea Reynolds, Jessica

Robinson, Tyler Shearer, Ashley Smith, Shawna Smith, Wendy Stewart, Renee Taylor, Heather Wells, Chris Winkler, Andrea Witt.

Comets Team: Derek Adams, Nicole Adams, Jody Alexander, Jessica Allen, Megan Anderkin, Jessi Asher, Kayla Barnett, Ty Bottoms, Jared Brown, Ashley Bullock, Melaine Bullock, Courtney Carter, Amber DeBorde, Ashley Goodell, Trenton Griffith, Zach Hale, Carter Hammond, Kayla Hayes, Maria Hensley, Mary Hensley, Heather Hopkins, Bridget Jones, Heather Kerns, Holly Kidwell, Brittany Kincaid, Victoria Kirby, Ashley Lunsford, Johnny Mackey, Kevin Mason, Kayla McFerron, Kyle Mullins.

Stars Team: Sarah Myers, Moirae Ramsey, Micah Reimer, Leslie Robbins, Alisha Smith, Brittany Smith, Melissa Sparks, Gabi Stallworth, Leslie Stewart, Neisha Taylor, Brad Terrell.

Students in Mrs. McQuary's research projects in our library on Friday, April 26th. Those who attended are as follows: Timothy Singleton and mother, Logan Kincaid and mother, Normagena Cromer and parents, Brian Clontz and mother, Rachel Woodall and father, Morgan Collins with her little brother, Tanner.

Project Wisdom narrators for last week included: students Tiffany Denny, Cody Ramsey, LaSandra Gibbons, Dustin Lovell and physical education teacher Judy Bullock. Thank you to all who have joined us in this project.

Our quote for this week is "Ask not what your country can do for you. Ask what you can do for your country."

Last week's art prize winner was Kendra Owens from Mrs. Kaye Cameron's class. She chose glitter crayons as her prize. Congratulations Kendra.



Brent Callahan
April Artist of the Month



Kendra Owens
Weekly Art Prize Winner

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First of all I want to thank everyone that has supported and stood by me the past four terms. It is an honor and privilege to serve and represent the people in District Two. Your concerns and needs are and have always been my main priority. I will continue to listen to and represent each of you to the best of my ability. I promise to stand by you as you've stood by me.

Your Vote and Support is Greatly Appreciated.

Filed by Jack Bradley

Free Child Passenger Safety Check

95% of child safety seats in Kentucky are incorrectly installed

Certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians from the Kentucky Child Passenger Safety Team will be on hand to check your child's safety seat for proper installation, for recall and to answer your questions.

Where: Rockcastle County Health Department, 1200 Richmond Street, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

When: Friday, May 10, 2002

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sponsor: Rockcastle County Health Department, Kentucky State Police, Kentucky State Department of Transportation, Kentucky State Police, and the Kentucky Child Passenger Safety Team.

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