



New Girl Scout Troop in Brodhead

Sandy Tyler has formed a new Brownie Girl Scout Troop, Troop 606. There are 16 members, grades 1-3. The troop meets twice a month to enjoy games, songs, crafts, stories, refreshments and activities to earn badges. Special thanks to the following for their support: Shoprite of Brodhead, Community Trust Bank, Kiwanis Club, Shirley Martin and Kristi Reynolds. Picture are front from left: Mackenzie Craig, Kayla Reynolds, Ariel Scheffer, Mary Bishop, Jasmine Robinson and Brittany Lear. 2nd row from left: Troop Leader Sandy Tyler, Charity Adams, Kimberly Brock, Keeley Goff, Elizabeth Lawrence and Jessica Bentley. 3rd row from left: Asst. Leader Marsha Caudill, Olivia Caudill, Christian Lanham, Hannah Burdine, Crystal Reddington, Samantha Thompson and Asst. Leader Angela Adams.

Minds in the Middle

We appreciate all of those parents who showed support by attending our Open House on Tuesday. A special thanks also to those community members who, along with Mr. Coguer, worked so hard to help make our Health Fair a success.

RCMS yearbooks are on sale now through October 25th. The cost of a yearbook is \$20.00. Order forms were mailed home on Thursday.

The last day to turn in picture money is this Friday, October 18th. We have not yet received retake proofs.

Eighth graders who are interested in the Robinson Scholar program but have not yet picked up an application need to do so this week. Applications are available in Ms. Cromer's office and need to be returned to her by October 31.

The 8th graders will be measured for graduation caps and gowns on Monday, October 21.

The Lady Rockets will compete Thursday at home against Lexington Catholic. The football teams will be playing at Wayne County.

Christy Marchant will be here next Thursday, October 24, to meet with students in the Berea Talent Search program.

GEAR-UP is recruiting parents to participate in the RCMS Grassroots leadership development program. The program is designed to help parents be more prepared to support their child's education. The program consists of eight sessions over a six-month period. For more information call 1-800-977-0696.

YSC Update

Do your children have health insurance? KCHIP (Kentucky Children's Health Insurance Program) is available to all children

birth through 18 years of age. Qualifying for KCHIP is simple: Go to DCBS (Department for Community Based Services) located at Jet 25 & Hwy 150 and take verification of income and household members social security numbers. If additional information is needed DCBS will request it. If you are approved a new

KCHIP card will come in the mail near the beginning of each month. KCHIP covers health checkups and screening, prescription medicines, immunizations, doctor visits, vision exams and eyeglasses, hearing services, dental care, hospital care and mental health. Don't let your children go without insurance. Apply today! For additional information call DCBS at 256-2481 or YSC at 256-5484.

Alsip inducted into sorority

Jennifer Lynn Alsip was inducted into the Omicron Zeta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at Somerset Community College on September 15th.

Alsip, majoring in pre-pharmacy, is the daughter of Shelia McFerron and the late Walter Alsip of Mt. Vernon.

Established in 1918 by two-year college presidents, Phi Theta Kappa is the oldest and most prestigious honor society serving two-year colleges around the world. The Society serves to recognize and encourage the academic achievement of two-year college students and provide opportunities for individual growth and development through honors, leadership and service programming. Students must rank in the top 20% of the class to be invited to membership in Phi Theta Kappa and must maintain high academic standing during their enrollment in the two-year college. Phi Theta Kappa is the largest honor society in American higher education with more than 1.5 million members and 1100 chapters located in 50 United States, United States territories, Canada, Germany and Japan. In 1929, the American Association of Community College recognized Phi Theta Kappa as the official honor society for two-year

colleges. The Society holds membership in the prestigious Association of College Honor Societies as the general scholarship honor society representing two-year colleges.

Mt. Vernon Message

Mark your calendars for our first Parent/Teacher Conferences for our fourth and fifth graders from 3:30 to 6:30 on Thursday, October 17.

Smokey Bear is going to be visiting our school on Thursday and Friday, October 17 & 18.

Tune in to WRVK on Saturday, October 19 at 8:45 for the Know Your Schools program featuring Mt. Vernon Elementary School.

Project Wisdom readers for last week are as follows: Chastity Loudmilk, student; Jessica Mahaffey, student; Abby McClure, student; Allyson Washburn, student; Chris Cornelius, physical education teacher, was our mystery reader.

Thanks to all who have participated in this project.

Our quote for this week is "Kindness begets kindness."

School Menu

October 21-25, 2002

Brakfast

Monday: Pastry or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Tuesday: French toast stick with syrup or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Wednesday: Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.
Thursday: Egg biscuit or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Friday: Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast/jelly, juice and milk.

Lunch

Monday: Pizza or sandwich, corn, garden salad, cake and milk.
Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, garden salad, corn, Italian bread, fruit and milk.

Wednesday: Ham, potatoes, broccoli and cheese, bread, dessert and milk.

Thursday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, dessert and milk.
Friday: Manager's choice.

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- Established local business in 1987
- Served on local Tourism Board
- Charter member and past president of Rockcastle Kiwanis Club
- Participant in Brushy Fork Leadership Training Program for Rockcastle County
- Member of the Rockcastle County Development Board Task Force for leadership training
- Organized and participated in many civic activities for our community during the last fifteen years
- Member of the Central Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon

I am asking for your support by voting

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on the ballot for Mayor

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Preserving The Life We Love

Kentucky is a wonderful place to live and raise kids: a place where decency, community and families still matter. I will always be grateful to my parents, teachers and friends for the values I learned growing up.

I have lived in this district for 28 years. This is wife, Jamie Mullins Worley who has lived here all her life and our two children, Preston (18) and Lauren (15). For almost 14 years I was Richmond City Manager. Jamie has worked in the school system for 33 years. She is currently a guidance counselor at Madison Central High School.

Preserving and protecting this wonderful life for our families and our children is very important for all of us here in the 34th Senate District. As your Senator, I take this responsibility very seriously.

My goal in Frankfort has always been to ensure that our district and this commonwealth will remain a special place to live, work and raise children.

That's why last session I sponsored and co-sponsored legislation that:

- Protects Kentuckians from predatory telemarketers
- Makes health insurance companies pay claims to doctors and patients within 30 days
- Promotes and protects our small Kentucky businesses
- Preserves our agricultural heritage by designating 50% of all phase one tobacco settlement money to be used for agriculture

It is my job to be your voice in Frankfort. Your opinions are very important to me and I would like to hear from you regarding the legislative matters before us. If you have questions or if I can be of assistance, please contact me at 1-502-564-8100 ext. 651 in Frankfort or at my office, 1-859-623-6524.

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For State Senator

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