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Mayfield Middle School Band Earns Distinguished Honors at Assessment

By **Laurna Todd**
KPI Writer

The Mayfield Middle School 7th and 8th grade band has earned top honors, receiving an Overall Distinguished Rating recently at Large Ensemble Assessment—an achievement that reflects both talent and dedication.

Students showcased their musical abilities in a performance that capped off weeks of preparation and rehearsal. Their efforts paid off with one of the highest recognitions possible, highlighting the group's commitment to excellence.

Band director Antonio Sherrill was recognized for his leadership and guidance, helping students refine their performance and grow

musically throughout the season. Additional support came from Darrin Abren, who worked closely with students on a daily basis to strengthen their skills and confidence.

The success of the program also reflects a strong sense of community. Families who attended the performance, along with 7th and 8th grade teachers who adjusted sched-

ules to allow for extra rehearsal time, played an important role in the band's accomplishment.

Special appreciation was extended to Cindy Allen McIntosh, whose

ongoing support as a volunteer—serving as equipment driver and photographer—has been invaluable to the program.

With this distinguished rating, the

Mayfield Middle School band continues to set a high standard, demonstrating what can be achieved through teamwork, support, and a shared passion for music.



Waller Ready to Lead Lady Eagles Basketball Forward



Valerie Waller

By **Graves County Schools**

“Handle Hard Better.” A simple phrase, yet a powerful life motto... one that resonates far beyond the game. It's a standard that new Lady

Eagles Head Basketball Coach, Valerie Waller, is ready to instill in the young ladies who represent her team, both on and off the court.

A Calloway County High School graduate, Waller continued her education at Murray State University where she completed a Bachelor of Science degree in Middle School Education with an emphasis in Math/Science. After completing her Masters at Western Kentucky University, she began what her heart has always led her to do... teach. However, the passion for something more has always been in the back of her mind.

“I am an educator at heart, but basketball is something that has always been an important part of my life. I want to be able to help not only develop players' basketball skills, but also help them grow as

young ladies and develop characteristics that will help them in life.”

With over 28 years of coaching experience, Waller began her career coaching middle school boys basketball at North Oldham Middle School. In addition, she has served as Head Coach for the softball team at Spencer County High School, as well as the Head Coach for the Lady Lakers basketball team at Calloway County High School where she was named All-Purchase Coach of the Year and KABC Coach of the Year in 2017. During her tenure with the Lady Lakers, the team won the 2A Regional Title in 2020. Waller also had the pleasure of being an assistant coach at Marshall Co during the 2024-25 season where she had the opportunity to be a part of a Regional Championship. And, most recently, she served as

assistant coach for the Lady Eagle Basketball program.

With an impressive résumé, Waller brings a wealth of experience and a vision for the program that prioritizes developing student-athletes who will succeed not only on the hardwood, but in life as well.

“My goal as head coach is to lead a Lady Eagle team that will display grit, perseverance, and toughness on the hardwood. I want the community of Graves County to love watching them play. Through that process, I'm also determined to foster a culture of developing a competitive, positive team-family atmosphere with high expectations, contributing to championship successes that will build player development and character on and off the court.”

The games, the last second shots, rushing the court...they are all moments that a coach remembers for a lifetime. However, Waller insists that while those memories certainly are often marked as some of the greatest times in a coach's career... they are not the best ones.

Innovation Rising in Downtown Mayfield



By **Graves County Economic Development**

Graves County is preparing to welcome a new resource dedicated to innovation, workforce development, and entrepreneurship with the development of Skill-Rise 270, a community makerspace designed to provide hands-on learning opportunities and access to specialized equipment.

The 7,775-square-foot facility will serve as a hub for creativity, education, and skill-building in downtown Mayfield. Planned workshop spaces will include textiles and embroidery, electronics and circuitry, 3D printing, woodworking, and metalworking, creating opportunities for individuals of all backgrounds to explore emerging

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AG UPDATE 2026 UK Wheat Field Day

for Ag and Natural Resources



The 2026 UK Wheat Field Day will be held on Tuesday, May 12 at the Research Farm in Princeton. The program will run from 9:00 am until Noon and finish with lunch sponsored by the Ky Small Grain Growers Association.

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UK Extension to host several Master Grazer spring education events across Kentucky

By Jennifer Elwell
University of Kentucky

LEXINGTON, Ky.— Master Grazer, an education program of the University of Kentucky Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment and the Cooperative Extension Service, is hosting several schools and workshops across Kentucky aimed at helping livestock producers improve profitability through forage and fencing management.

Kentucky Beginning Grazing School

The two-day Kentucky Beginning Grazing School will be held at the Morehead State University Derrickson Agricultural Complex (25 MSU Farm Rd.) April 21 and 22. The school will provide an opportunity for beginning or advanced grazers to develop and implement a grazing plan tailored to their farms. The school will begin at 7:30 a.m. and end at 4 p.m. EDT each day.



UK Master Grazer hosts schools and workshops across Kentucky to help livestock producers improve profitability through forage and fencing management. Photo provided by UK Master Grazer.

UK Extension forage specialist Chris Teutsch said the program is suitable for rookie or veteran grazers looking to learn more about grazing profitability.

“Attendees can expect to experience hands-on demonstrations, in-class presentations and in-field activities that foster ideas for one’s own grazing operation,” Teutsch said.

The cost for the grazing school is \$60 per participant and includes all educational materials, a grazing stick and

meals. Online registration is available, and the registration deadline is April 14.

Kentucky Spring Fencing Schools

The Kentucky Spring Fencing School will be offered in two locations and is designed for producers and agricultural professionals to learn the latest fencing methods and sound construction practices through a combination of classroom and hands-on learning.

The Spring Fencing

School in Maysville will be held at the Mason County Extension Office (800 U.S. Hwy

68) on April 28.

The Spring Fencing School in Elkton will be held at the Todd County Extension Office (240 Pond River Rd.) on April 30.

Teutsch believes more farmers should take advantage of this resource.

“The fencing schools offer insights into the newest fencing tips and tricks,” Teutsch said. “From electric fencing to high tensile fixed-knot woven-wire, the schools will teach attendees the knowledge to build high-quality, long-lasting fences for their own farms.”

The cost for the Spring Fencing School is \$35 per participant and includes a notebook, refreshments, safety glasses, hearing protection and lunch. Space is limited, and online registration is available. Register for the Maysville school. Register for the Elkton school.

All UK Master Grazer events are sponsored by the Kentucky Forage and Grassland Council and the Kentucky Agricultural Development Fund.

Questions should be directed to Katy Trimble at katy.trimble@uky.edu or (270) 625-5366.

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Kentucky Proud hosts Retail Readiness Workshop to support agriculture producers

Press Release

FRANKFORT, Ky. – Kentucky Proud®, the official marketing program of the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, hosted a one-day Retail Readiness workshop in Lexington, equipping Kentucky producers with strategies to expand their market reach.

The workshop, now in its second year, partnered with the Kentucky Center for Agriculture and Rural Development (KCARD) and the University of Kentucky's MarketReady Producer Training Program,

providing an overview of marketing trends, peer-to-peer panels, discussions, product reviews, and advice from a variety of local retailers, as well as hands-on workshops for marketing planning and story development.

“We had an astounding turnout at the one-day workshop for Kentucky agriculture producers,” Agriculture Commissioner Jonathan Shell said. “Agriculture is economic development and creating pathways to help our producers develop a plan for a larger market share benefits for both the

producers and the state.”

Attendees learned from the retail community including representatives from Meijer, Kroger, Stepping Stone Farm, and The Frazier History Museum Gift Shop to identify local products that are best matched for placement, as well as the process for new vendors and safety certifications.

“Partnering with Kentucky Proud and participating in events like today's provides us with a valuable opportunity to build direct relationships with local suppliers,” said Meijer Supplier

Relations Manager Travis Reams.

Attendees heard from other agricultural producers such as the Kentucky Cattlemen's Association and Wildcat Mountain Dairy who are successfully selling in the retail space and support their products with marketing plans.

“I made two contacts for new business from the exposure and networking. I want to focus on sampling where we are already located to build up sales,” said Leslea Barnes, third-generation farmer from Barnes Farm & Mill-

ing Company. “I intend to utilize existing email database options to reach customers for repeat orders and to maximize the return on the point of sale software I already have. I'd like to focus on building up and improving where we are and use that knowledge to expand to other locations.”

Each participant left the workshop with the building blocks for a personalized marketing plan and an outline for their story, ready to approach potential buyers with confidence. Participants also submitted products to be re-

viewed anonymously by mass retailers, specialty retailers, and industry design professionals who provided coaching and feedback on the overall marketability and attractiveness of their items.

The workshop served as a stepping-stone for producers preparing for a Kentucky Proud Vendor Expo taking place Sept. 18, 2026, at the Shelbyville Conference Center. The expo will provide an exclusive buyer event for emerging Kentucky Proud retail ready members.

Kim Simmons, RN, named employee of the year at Murray-Calloway County Hospital



Back Row: Scarlett Barnett, RN, Director of Emergency Services, and Reba Celsor, CEO of MCCH
Front Row: Debbie Ferguson, RN, ED Nurse Manager, and Kim Simmons, RN (2025 MCCH Employee of the Year)

MURRAY, KY – Murray-Calloway County Hospital recently named Kim Simmons, RN, as the 2025 Employee of the Year. Kim has worked at MCCH for 32 years and is a Registered Nurse in the Emergency Department. The Employee of the Month recipients are selected through a nomination process in which employees submit their recommendation through a write-up, then a com-

mittee reviews each nomination, and final selection is made by the Executive Team.

Simmons was recognized by multiple members of the Emergency Department along with the following submission: “Words I would use to describe Kim are organized, tenacious, patient, compassionate, and tireless. She has a passion for making sure staff members are well educated and have the

tools they need to give excellent patient care. She thinks outside the box and isn't afraid to ask if we can try new things. Kim has organized multiple classes for staff and organized an area-wide pediatric symposium. She is always willing to lend a hand and is a great asset to our ER team and we are definitely better educated because of her efforts,” Debbie Ferguson, ER Manager.

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LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BALLARD CIRCUIT COURT
CIVIL ACTION NO. 26-CI-00027
CITY OF KEVIL, KENTUCKY,
Plaintiff,

v.

THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE, HEIRS, DEVISEES,
LEGATEES, CREDITORS, AND ALL OTHER
PERSONS CLAIMING THROUGH OR UNDER
BRIAN KEITH TERRELL, DECEASED, et al.,
Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a civil action has been filed in the Ballard Circuit Court, Commonwealth of Kentucky, Civil Action No. 26-CI-00027, by the City of Kevil, Kentucky, as Plaintiff, against the Unknown Spouse, Heirs, Devisees, Legatees, Creditors, and All Other Persons Claiming Through or Under Brian Keith Terrell, Deceased, and others, as Defendants.

The nature of the above action is a foreclosure proceeding concerning the following described real property situated in Ballard County, Kentucky:

Property Address: West Johnson Drive, Kevil, Kentucky 42053

Legal Description: See Attached Exhibit A

Brian Keith Terrell, the record owner of the above-described property, is deceased. No probate estate has been opened in connection with his estate in Ballard County or any other county of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

All persons having or claiming any right, title, interest, lien, or claim in or to the above-described property, including any unknown creditors of Brian Keith Terrell, Deceased, are hereby notified of the pendency of this action and are warned that failure to appear and assert such interest may result in the same being forever barred and foreclosed.

Any person claiming an interest in this matter should file an appearance in the above-referenced civil action with the Ballard Circuit Court Clerk, located at 132 North 4th Street, Wickliffe, Kentucky 42087, and should retain legal counsel to protect their rights.

This notice is published pursuant to the Kentucky Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 4.07, by order of the Ballard Circuit Court, by the duly appointed Warning Order Attorney in the above-referenced action.

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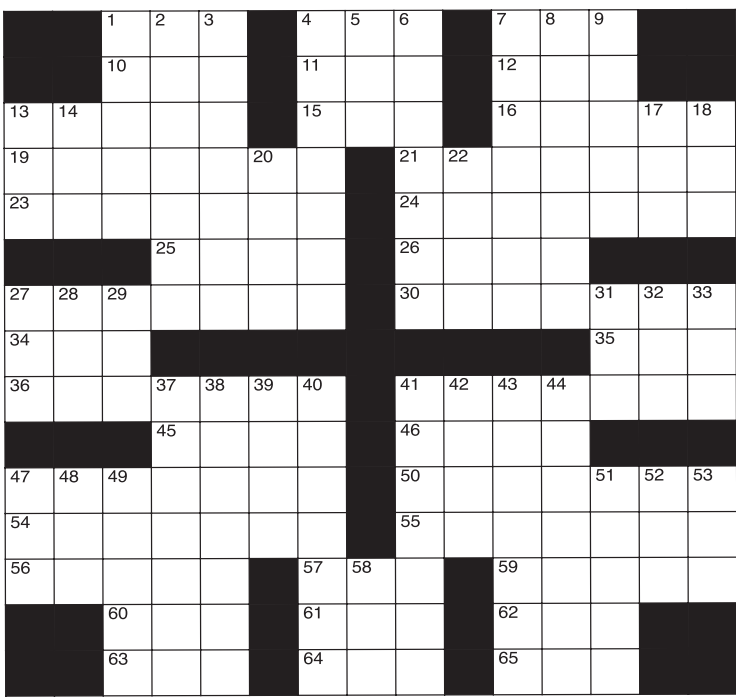
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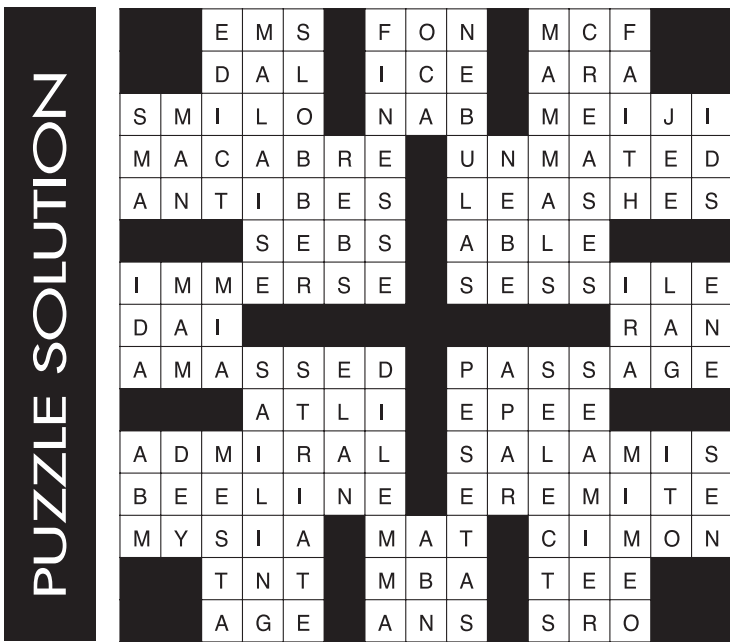
CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Health care pros
- 4. A person inhabiting Benin
- 7. One thousand cubic feet (abbr.)
- 10. Split pulses
- 11. Frozen water
- 12. Small constellation
- 13. Perennial mountain rice
- 15. Pick up
- 16. Japanese historical period
- 19. Suggesting the horror of death and decay
- 21. Unattached
- 23. Fishing port in SE France
- 24. Products for dogs
- 25. One point south of southeast
- 26. Having the skill or resources to do something
- 27. Involve oneself deeply
- 30. Immobile
- 34. ___ pai dong: Hong Kong food stall
- 35. Move quickly on foot
- 36. Gathered
- 41. A way through
- 45. Another name for Thor
- 46. Sharp dueling sword
- 47. The supreme commander of a fleet
- 50. Seasoned sausages
- 54. Path
- 55. Christian hermit
- 56. Ancient region of Asia Minor
- 57. Where wrestlers go to work
- 59. Roman statesman
- 60. Explosive
- 61. Licensed for Wall Street
- 62. Where golfers start
- 63. Grow old
- 64. Autonomic nervous system
- 65. No seats available

CLUES DOWN

- 1. A legally binding command
- 2. General feeling of discomfort
- 3. Dribble
- 4. Soft touch
- 5. South American plant
- 6. Clouds of gas and dust in space
- 7. Warm-blooded vertebrates
- 8. Lines created by folding
- 9. Strong belief
- 13. Senior officer
- 14. Adult
- 17. Joint entrance examination in India
- 18. Passports and drivers' licenses are two
- 20. Those who go against an accepted authority
- 22. One point east of northeast
- 27. Journalist Tarbell
- 28. One's mother (British)
- 29. Nowhere to be found
- 31. A way to save for old age
- 32. Fall behind
- 33. Midway between northeast and east
- 37. The work of a sailor
- 38. Mark with striae
- 39. Energy, style and enthusiasm
- 40. Sticky situation
- 41. Monetary units of Spain
- 42. Three-banded armadillo
- 43. Chooses
- 44. More disreputable
- 47. Defensive nuclear weapon
- 48. "The Partridge Family" actress Susan
- 49. Livestock owners assn. in Spain
- 51. Duplicating machine (abbr.)
- 52. OJ trial judge
- 53. Politician
- 58. Airborne (abbr.)

Puzzle Solutions on B9



Crypto Fun



Solve the code to discover words related to driving. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 15 = E)

- A. 20 1 14 20 8 2 22**
Clue: Road
- B. 3 15 20 1 18 21 15**
Clue: Car or truck
- C. 19 1 14 20 16 19 15 15 1 7 14**
Clue: Enjoying the view
- D. 18 11 12 1 19 15**
Clue: Maintain set speed

Answers: A. highway B. vehicle C. sightseeing D. cruise

Word Search

ROAD TRIPPING WORD SEARCH



Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

ANSWERS IN THE B SECTION

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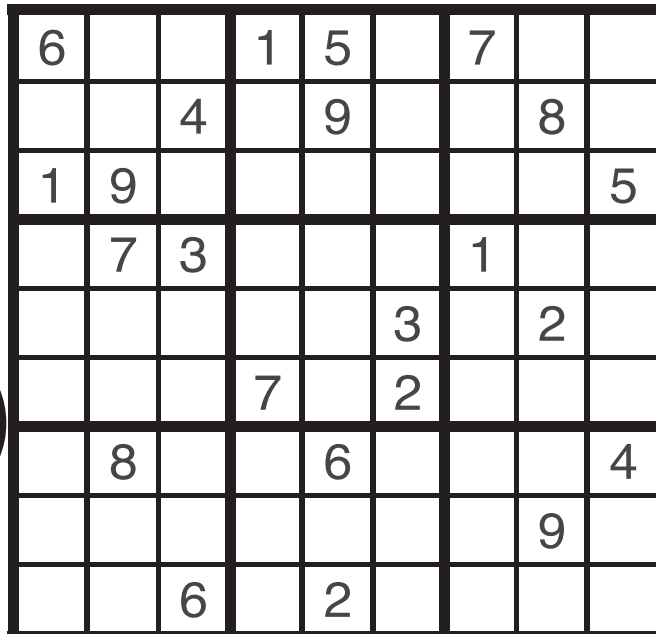
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- MOTEL
- NAVIGATION
- ODOMETER
- OVERLOOK
- PITSTOP
- PLAYLIST
- ROADSIDE
- SCENIC
- SNACKS
- SUNSET
- TOLLBOOTH
- VASTNESS
- WANDERLUST

Sudoku Puzzle

How it Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle! Good Luck!

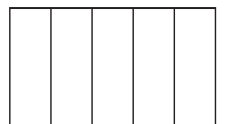
ANSWERS IN THE B SECTION



Word Scramble

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to driving.

RSEET



Answer: Steer

Guess Who?

GUESS WHO?

I am an actress born in Florida on April 2, 2002. One of my earliest roles was in the television series "The Glades," and I've had a few roles in films. These days I can be found "wolfing out" in a popular Netflix series opposite my macabre roommate.

Answer: Emma Myers

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Lady Bombers Building Momentum Behind Leadership, Youth Contributions



By Laurna Todd
KPI Writer

Ballard Memorial High School softball team head coach Scott Alexander is seeing encouraging signs early this season as a blend of veteran leadership and rising young talent begins to take shape on the field.

Alexander said one of the biggest points of pride so far has been the growth and effort shown across the roster, particularly from younger players stepping into key roles.

"I'm proud to see a couple of my underclassmen stepping up this year and contributing alongside my four seniors," Alexander said. "I am expecting a lot out of

my seniors to lead by example this year, and I have a good group to do so."

Among those underclassmen making an early impact are freshman Gracie Glisson and sophomore Kate Jones, both of whom have earned valuable playing time despite competing within a roster heavy on upperclassmen experience.

At the same time, leadership remains a cornerstone for the Lady Bombers. Alexander pointed to seniors and experienced players setting the tone, with key contributors including senior Trinity Williams, along with juniors Mady Bohde and Aubrey Alexander, all expected to play ma-

major roles throughout the season.

Looking ahead, the Lady Bombers have their sights set on continuing last year's success. As the reigning All "A" champions, Ballard Memorial is focused on defending its title while preparing for a deep postseason run.

"We are looking to defend our title and make another run like last year," Alexander said.

To help prepare, the team has taken on a challenging schedule, including a spring break trip to Florida where they faced three teams ranked in the KHSAA state rankings. Alexander believes that level of competition will pay dividends as district

and regional tournament play approaches.

"I've scheduled a competitive schedule this year," he said. "Hopefully our schedule will prepare us for our District and Regional Tournament this year."

With a balanced mix of leadership, emerging talent, and a demanding slate of opponents, Alexander is optimistic about what lies ahead.

"I look forward to seeing my team compete this year," he added.

As the season progresses, the Lady Bombers appear poised to build on their championship foundation and remain a strong contender in postseason play.

Pilots Showing Progress as District Play Nears

By Laurna Todd
KPI Writer

While the win column has yet to reflect it, the Fulton County baseball team is beginning to find its rhythm as the season moves closer to district play, according to head coach Derrick Jackson.

The Pilots remain in search of their first victory, but Jackson said last week provided encouraging signs of growth and competitiveness. Fulton County turned in a strong early performance against Carlisle County, holding the Comets to just four runs through the first two innings.

"Still winless, however the team is coming together as we get close to district play," Jackson said. "We played well versus Carlisle County last week."

A second scheduled game was postponed due to rain and will be made up in the coming week, limiting the team's opportunities to build momentum on the field.

Individually, several players have stood out as key contributors during the early part of the season. Junior Preston Smith

has led the way both on the mound and at the plate, batting near .420 while delivering solid pitching performances.

"Preston Smith is doing a great job pitching and hitting," Jackson noted.

Senior Cooper Scott has also made a significant impact, particularly with his ability to consistently reach base. Jackson highlighted Scott's impressive 91% on-base rate as a major asset for the Pilots' offense.

As Fulton County looks ahead, the schedule begins to intensify. The Pilots are set to host a doubleheader against Gleason next Thursday, followed by the start of district play the following week.

Key matchups on the horizon include games against South Fulton and Obion County Central, contests that could carry added importance as the team battles for positioning within the district.

With district play approaching, Jackson remains optimistic that the team's continued improvement will translate into results.

"We're coming together at the right time," he said.

Comets Roll Past Union City in L.H. Ladd Classic



By Laurna Todd
KPI Writer

The Carlisle County Comets delivered a strong performance on the road Thursday night, defeating the Union City Golden Tornadoes 11-1 in six innings during play at the L.H. Ladd Classic.

The Comets set the tone early and never let up, combining solid pitching with timely hitting to secure the run-rule victory at Elam Stadium.

On the mound, Maylon Hafford

turned in an impressive outing, pitching five innings while allowing just one run and striking out seven batters. His control and consistency helped keep Union City's offense in check throughout the game.

Offensively, Carlisle County found its rhythm at the plate, with multiple players contributing to the scoring effort. Kase Kelly led the way, going 2-for-3 with two runs scored, consistently getting on base and creating opportuni-

ties. Myles Fourshee also delivered a key performance, finishing 1-for-3 with a triple and three RBIs, providing a major boost in the middle of the lineup.

The victory highlights the Comets' balanced approach, combining strong pitching, disciplined at-bats and timely execution as they continue their season.

Carlisle County will look to carry that momentum into upcoming games as the schedule continues.

Baker Cheering At Campbellsville



(Photo by Tim Taylor)

By Tim Taylor
KPI Sports Writer

Ballard Memorial senior cheerleader Ella Baker has signed to continue her college career at Campbellsville University. She will cheer with the Tigers cheer squad in Campbellsville, Kentucky for the upcoming Fall school semester. She held the signing ceremony at Ballard Memorial High School with her Lady Bomber cheer team along with family, friends, and Ballard Memorial administration. "It means a

lot. I always wanted to cheer. I've said that since 6th grade," said Baker adding, "I am really happy that I get the opportunity to continue cheering." Her Christian faith has been influential in her decision making, and being able to attend a Christian in-state college felt like a perfect fit. "It is a Baptist college and fits what I wanted in a college. It just worked out," said Baker. She says despite not being what she envisioned, things just fell into place. "It wasn't what

I thought I was going to do, but I know it was what God had in store for me. That is why I chose Campbellsville." Not seeing her and her fellow seniors on the sideline cheering on the Bombers and Lady Bombers next school year will feel different. However, the foundation she and her teammates have provided will inspire future cheerleaders to follow her path to develop their talents and possibly allow them to continue cheering beyond high school.

What We Have Been Preparing For

By Tim Taylor
KPI Sports Writer

The focus on the start of the season for the Ballard Memorial Lady Bomber softball team is to find the right combination to help them defend their 1st Region All A Championship. They headed into Spring Break with a 6-6 record, and they face 3 teams ranked in the top 25 in state of Kentucky as of the end of March rankings in their games at Ft Walton Beach, Florida. That includes matchups with 21st ranked Greenup County, 15th ranked Madison Central, and concluding the week against the defending KHSAA state champion and currently 6th ranked Louisville Assumption. Heading into Spring Break, they finished up their lights out game with Graves County. The game on March 26th that was postponed in the 6th inning due to lighting issues with the Lady Eagles

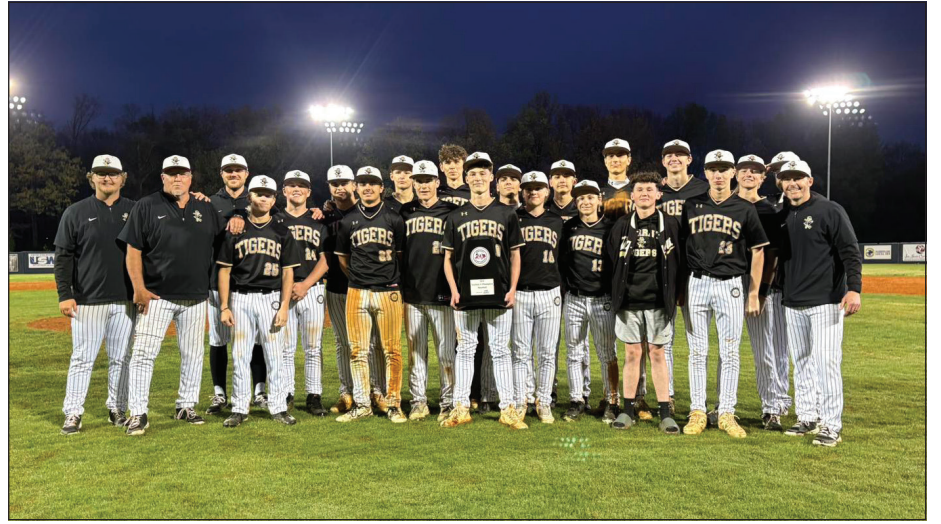


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leading 4-1. The Lady Bombers pulled to within 4-3 when the game resumed, but a 3 run home half of the 6th by Graves allowed the Lady Eagles to win the 3rd District game 7-3. Ballard Memorial then pounded out 16 hits and scored 15 runs in their shutout over Murray. They had 5 extra base hits with 6 different players recording multiple hits in the game and 5 players scored

multiple times. All the preparation now comes down to the Lady Bombers semifinal game hosting Mayfield on Monday, April 13th at 5:30. The Lady Bombers defeated the Lady Cards 18-1 earlier in the year. The winner will play in Tuesday, April 14th 1st Region championship at Ballard Memorial playing the winner of Hickman County and Carlisle County.

Tigers capture 2A, Section 1 title



Murray won the 2A, Section 1 baseball title at Brooks Stadium in Paducah on Saturday, April 4. (Photo courtesy of Murray High School)

Staff Report

PADUCAH — Murray defeated Paducah Tilghman 2-1 in the 2A, Section 1 Baseball Tournament at Brooks Stadium on Saturday, April 4. Avery Starks started on the mound for Murray and earned the win. Starks pitched six innings and recorded six strikeouts. The Murray starting pitcher held Paducah Tilghman to one run on five hits.

Following Starks, Asa Munsey pitched the final inning in relief for Murray and claimed the save. Brendan Mira pitched a complete game for Paducah Tilghman and suffered the loss on the mound. Mira recorded seven strikeouts. Murray scored four runs on nine hits. Starks (two hits, two RBIs), Eli Whitaker (two hits), Jacob Crady (two hits), William Ryan (one hit, two RBIs), Nick Bell (one hit) and Colin Winters

(one hit) supplied the offense for Murray in the title game. Helping his pitching cause at the plate, Starks doubled. Offensively for Paducah Tilghman, Gage Hinton (two hits), Stone Crowe (one hit, one RBI), Wyatt Gower (one hit) and Brandon Dutton (one hit) each contributed. Murray is scheduled to visit Paducah Tilghman for another game on Tuesday, April 14.

Bombers Tracking In The Right Direction

By Tim Taylor
KPI Sports Writer

Heading into the 2026 track and field season, Ballard Memorial Coach Zack Lisanby was anxiously excited to get started. The team has lived up to their expectations so far as the team is about halfway through the season. As they continue to prepare for the regional and state tournaments in May, they are excelling in the regular season meets. In the Quad II Meet at McCracken County, the Lady Bombers finished 2nd and the Bombers were 4th. In the Calloway County Lakers Invitational heading into Spring Break, the Lady Bombers were 6th and Bomber's 12th best. Top finishers at McCracken in throwing events were Blakeley Shepherd who was 1st in the Discus and 3rd in the Shot Put, Zoe McGlenon was 2nd in the Shot Put, with Fallon Lucas registered



(Photo by Tim Taylor)

2nd best in the Discus. In track events, Karley Veit was 2nd in the 100M Dash and Makinley Evans was 2nd in the 1600M run. At Calloway Veit was 2nd in the 100M Hurdles to lead the way for the Lady Bombers. They recorded 15 top ten finishes to finish in 6th place overall. In boys' action, freshman Brantley McDanel has been shining in the jumping events. He

was 2nd in the Triple Jump at McCracken and with Gordon Mathews finishing 4th and Jax Whipple was 5th. Jackson Sutton was 4th in the Shot Put. At Calloway, McDanel was 5th best in the Long Jump to lead the way as the Bombers recorded 7 Top 10 finishes. The Bombers will host their own All-Comers Meet on Tuesday, April 14th.

Mustangs register win over Alton (Ill.)

Staff Report

PADUCAH — Perennial title contender McCracken County defeated Alton (Ill.) 7-1 on Friday, April 3. Joshua Penrod started on the mound for McCracken County and earned the win. Penrod pitched six innings and recorded

nine strikeouts. Following Penrod, Nolan Goode pitched the final inning in relief for the Mustangs. McCracken County scored seven runs on nine hits. Penrod (one RBI), Brady Thompson (two hits, one RBI), Lane Grace (two hits, one RBI), Kendrick Dunning (two hits),

Caden Kern (one hit, one RBI), Gage Reeves (one hit, one RBI) and William Fox (one hit) delivered offensively for the Mustangs. Dunning tripled while Reeves doubled. McCracken County and Alton aren't scheduled to meet again in the 2026 high school baseball season.

Falcons upend Cardinals

Staff Report

MAYFIELD — Hickman County pulled away to defeat Mayfield 19-1 in six innings on Friday, April 3. Kobe Yamauchi started on the mound for Hickman County and earned the win. Yamauchi pitched four innings. Following Yamauchi, Nyiahez Irons and Grayson Clark each pitched one inning in relief for the Falcons. Yamauchi and Irons recorded three strikeouts apiece while Clark

fanned one Mayfield batter. Mayfield starting pitcher Kolby Allen suffered the loss on the mound. Along with Allen, Mayfield sent Blake Mathis, Briar Overstreet and Malik Taylor out to pitch during the matchup. Hickman County scored 19 runs on 11 hits. A balanced offensive attack for Hickman County featured Drew Cunningham (three hits, four RBIs), Jax Hunter (two hits, one RBI), Brec Byassee (one hit, two RBIs),

Kobe Yamauchi (one hit, two RBIs), Vonnice Irons (one hit, one RBI), Nyiahez Irons (two hits), Korbin Kimbell (one hit, one RBI), Witt Carter (one RBI) and Wes Workman (one RBI). Providing a pair of extra-base hits, Hunter doubled twice. Overstreet paced Mayfield at the plate, delivering three hits. Hickman County is scheduled to host Mayfield for a game during the second half of the 2026 high school baseball season on Tuesday, May 5.

Vipperman earns NFHS Section 2 Spirit of Sport Award

Staff Report

LEXINGTON — Steven Viperman, a football player at Belfry High School who survived a major car accident last May, has been selected as the 2026 Section 2 recipient of the National High School Spirit of Sport Award by the NFHS. The National High School Spirit of Sport Award was created by

the NFHS to recognize individuals who exemplify the ideals of the spirit of sport that represent the core mission of education-based athletics. Viperman's significant injuries left the Belfry offensive lineman without use of his right hand, severe knee and elbow lacerations and a head injury. After multiple surgeries to repair

his hand and hours of painful physical therapy, Viperman was able to rejoin the Belfry football team this fall. The NFHS is divided into eight geographical sections of state high school associations. Section 2 includes Kentucky, Delaware, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and Washington, D.C.

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LADY BOMBERS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/13-15	All A Tournament	TBA	H
4/17	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
4/20	McCracken County	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Graves County	6 PM	H
4/24	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A
4/25-26	All A Tournament	TBA	A
4/27	at Calloway County	6 PM	A
4/30	at Marshall County	6 PM	A
5/1	at Hickman County	6 PM	A
5/2	East Prairie (MO)	10 AM	H
5/2	Paducah Tilghman	2 PM	H
5/4	at McCracken County	5:30 PM	A
5/7	at Caldwell County	6 PM	A
5/8	Calloway County	6 PM	H
5/9	at Massac County (IL)	TBA	A
5/12	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
5/14	Massac County (IL)	5:30 PM	H
5/15	at Crittenden County	6 PM	A



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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	at South Fulton	5:30 PM	A
4/13	St. Mary	5:30 PM	H
4/17	St. Mary	5:30 PM	H
4/18	at Dawson Springs	12 PM	A
4/18	at Dawson Springs	2:00 PM	A
4/20	at Caldwell County	6 PM	A
4/21	St. Mary	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Murray	6:00 PM	H
4/25	at Livingston Central	12:00 PM	A
4/27	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
4/28	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
4/30	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A
5/1	at Fulton County	5:30 PM	A
5/4	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A
5/4	at Graves County	5:30 PM	A
5/5	Graves County	5:30 PM	H
5/7	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
5/8	Hickman County	5:30 PM	H
5/9	Calloway County	12:00 PM	H
5/9	Lyon County	2:00 PM	H
5/9	Calloway County	2:15 PM	H
5/11	Fulton County	5:30 PM	H
5/12	at Murray	6:00 PM	A



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4/17	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H
4/18	at Webster County	1 PM	A
4/21	Fulton City	7 PM	H
4/23	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A
4/24	at Murray	6 PM	A
4/27	at Lake County	5 PM	A
4/28	South Fulton	5 PM	H
4/30	at Hickman County	5:30 PM	A
5/1	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A
5/4	Fulton County	5:30 PM	H
5/5	at Fulton County	5:30 PM	A
5/11	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A
5/12	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H

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4/13	Hickman County	7:30 PM	H
4/18	Greenfield (TN)	10 AM	A
4/18	Obion County Central (TN)	12:30 PM	A
4/20	Community Christian	5:30 PM	H
4/21	Graves County	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Paducah Tilghman	5:30 PM	H
4/24	South Fulton (TN)	5:30 PM	A
4/27	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/28	Hickman County	5:30 PM	H
4/30	Hickman County	5:30 PM	A
5/1	Mayfield	5:30 PM	A
5/4	Fulton County	5:30 PM	H
5/5	Fulton County	5:30 PM	A
5/7	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H
5/8	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H
5/9	Murray	12:00 PM	A
5/11	Calloway County	5:30 PM	A
5/12	St. Mary	5:30 PM	H



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LYONS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/14	Livingston Central	5:30 PM	H
4/16	Livingston Central	5:45 PM	H
4/17	Caldwell County	5:30 PM	H
4/21	Christian County	6 PM	H
4/23	St. Mary	5:30 PM	A
4/24	Henderson County	7 PM	H
4/25	Graves County	10:30 AM	A
4/25	Mt Vernon (IL)	1 PM	H
4/27	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H
4/28	Christian County	6 PM	A
4/30	Madisonville-North Hopkins	6 PM	H
5/1	Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A
5/2	Apollo	12 PM	A
5/4	Union County	5:30 PM	A
5/5	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	H
5/7	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	H
5/8	Todd County Central	6 PM	A
5/9	Graves County	10 AM	H
5/9	Ballard Memorial	2 PM	H
5/12	McLean County	5:30 PM	A
5/14	Paducah Tilghman	5:30 PM	H

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4/11	Webster County	10 AM	H
4/11	Trinity (Whitesville)	2 PM	H
4/14	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	H
4/16	Livingston Central	6 PM	H
4/20	Marshall County	6 PM	H
4/21	Trigg County	6 PM	H
4/23	Christian County	6 PM	A
4/24	Graves County	6 PM	A
4/25	Union County	11 AM	A
4/27	Trigg County	6 PM	A
4/28	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	A
4/30	Muhlenberg County	5:30 PM	A
5/4	Livingston Central	6 PM	H
5/5	Calloway County	6 PM	H
5/7	Marshall County	5:30 PM	A
5/11	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A
5/12	Caldwell County	5:30 PM	H



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LADY COLONELS

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4/10	Taylor County	5 PM	H
4/10	Butler County	8:30 PM	A
4/11	East Jessamine	1:30 PM	H
4/11	Bowling Green	5 PM	A
4/13	Muhlenberg County	6 PM	A
4/16	Todd County Central	6 PM	H
4/17	McCracken County	6 PM	A
4/18	Graves County	9 AM	A
4/18	Daviess County	11 AM	A
4/21	Madisonville-North Hopkins	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Lyon County	6 PM	H
4/24	Union County	6:30 PM	A
4/25	Franklin-Simpson	11 AM	H
4/27	Paducah Tilghman	6:30 PM	H
4/28	Caldwell County	6 PM	H
4/30	Webster County	6:15 PM	H
5/4	Trigg County	6 PM	A
5/7	Crittenden County	6 PM	H
5/11	Muhlenberg County	6 PM	H
5/12	Calloway County	6 PM	H
5/14	Paducah Tilghman	6:30 PM	A
5/15	Marshall County	6 PM	H



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LADY TIGERS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/14	@ Fort Campbell	6 PM	A
4/16	@ Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	A
4/18	@ Caverna	12 PM	A
4/18	@ Caverna	2 PM	A
4/20	@ Todd County Central	6 PM	A
4/23	University Heights	6 PM	H
4/24	@ Russellville	5:30 PM	A
4/25	Caverna	1:30 PM	H
4/25	Caverna	3 PM	H
5/4	Warren Central	6 PM	H
5/4	@ Webster County	6 PM	A
5/6	Fort Campbell	5:30 PM	H
5/8	@ Warren Central	6 PM	A
5/11	McLean County	6 PM	H
5/12	@ Trinity	6 PM	A

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CARDINALS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/16	South Fulton	5:30 PM	H
4/17	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H
4/20	at Marshall County	5:30 PM	A
4/23	Graves County	5:30 PM	H
4/24	at Graves County	5:30 PM	A
4/27	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	H
4/28	at Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/30	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H
5/1	Carlisle County	5:30 PM	H
5/4	at St. Mary	5:30 PM	A
5/5	at Hickman County	5:30 PM	A
5/8	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A
5/11	at Murray	5:30 PM	A
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4/13	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/16	at Christian Fellowship	5:30 PM	A
4/17	at Ballard Memorial	6 PM	A
4/20	Christian Fellowship	5:30 PM	H
4/21	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Carlisle County	5:30 PM	H
4/24	Hopkins County Central	5:30 PM	H
4/25	Murray	11 AM	A
4/25	Webster County	3 PM	A
4/28	Graves County	5:30 PM	A
4/29	Murray	5:30 PM	H
4/30	Calloway County	5:30 PM	A
5/5	Hickman County	6 PM	A
5/7	Fulton County	5:30 PM	A



MCCRACKEN COUNTY MUSTANGS				
Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/10	Choctawhatchee (Fort Walton Beach FL)	6 PM	A	
4/13	Murray	5:30 PM	A	
4/14	Community Christian	5 PM	H	
4/16	Graves County	5:30 PM	A	
4/17	Triad (IL)	12:01 PM	H	
4/17	Triad (IL)	4:30 PM	H	
4/18	Triad (IL)	12:01 PM	H	
4/18	Apollo	11 AM	H	
4/18	Edwardsville (IL)	3 PM	H	
4/21	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H	
4/24	TBA	6 PM	A	
4/24	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A	
4/28	University Heights	6 PM	A	
4/30	Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
5/1	Graves County	5 PM	H	
5/2	Henry Clay	10:30 AM	H	
5/2	St. Xavier	2:30 PM	H	
5/5	St. Mary	6 PM	A	
5/7	St. Mary	6 PM	H	
5/8	South Oldham	7 PM	A	
5/9	DuPont Manual (Louisville)	11:45 PM	A	
5/9	Trinity (Louisville)	2 PM	A	
5/11	Community Christian	5:30 PM	A	
5/12	Christian County	6 PM	A	
5/14	Marshall County	7 PM	H	
5/15	University Heights	6 PM	H	

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4/16	Marion (IL)	5 PM	H	
4/17	Christian County	6 PM	H	
4/18	Mercy	11 AM	H	
4/20	Livingston Central	1 PM	H	
4/20	at Ballard Memorial	6 PM	A	
4/21	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H	
4/23	at Marshall County	5:30 PM	A	
4/27	Graves County	6 PM	H	
4/28	Livingston Central	6 PM	H	
4/30	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A	
5/1	at MNHHS	6 PM	A	
5/2	Carterville (IL)	3 PM	H	
5/4	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H	
5/7	at Graves County	12 PM	A	
5/9	Meade County	10:30 AM	A	
5/9	Highlands	12:15 PM	A	
5/9	Harrison County	5:30 PM	A	
5/11	Marshall County	6 PM	H	
5/12	Hickman County	6PM	H	
5/12	Hickman County	7:45 PM	H	
5/14	Trigg County	6 PM	H	
5/15	Henderson County	TBA	H	

CALDWELL COUNTY TIGERS				
Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/10	at Henderson County	5:30 PM	A	
4/13	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H	
4/16	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
4/17	at Lyon County	5:30 PM	A	
4/18	Crittenden County	12 PM	H	
4/20	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	H	
4/23	MNHHS	5:30 PM	A	
4/24	at MNHHS	5:30 PM	H	
4/27	Union County	5:30 PM	A	
4/28	Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	H	
4/30	at Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	A	
5/1	Lyon County	5:30 PM	H	
5/2	McLean County	12 PM	H	
5/7	Graves County	6 PM	H	
5/8	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H	
5/11	Paducah Tilghman	5:30 PM	H	
5/12	at Apollo	6 PM	A	
5/14	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A	
5/15	Livingston Central	5:30 PM	H	
5/16	TBA	12:00 PM	H	

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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/10	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
4/13	at Hopkins County Central	5:30 PM	A	
4/14	at Murray	6 PM	A	
4/16	MNHHS	5:30 PM	H	
4/17	Webster County	6 PM	H	
4/20	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H	
4/21	Livingston Central	6 PM	H	
4/23	Crittenden County	5:30 PM	H	
4/27	Hopkins County Central	5:30 PM	H	
4/28	at Christian County	6 PM	A	
4/30	Trigg County	5:30 PM	H	
5/4	Union County	6 PM	H	
5/5	at Graves County	6 PM	A	
5/7	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	H	
5/8	Murray	6 PM	H	
5/9	Hickman County	1:30 PM	A	
5/9	Crittenden County	3 PM	A	
5/11	Livingston Central	6 PM	A	
5/12	Lyon County	5:30 PM	A	
5/14	Webster County	6 PM	A	
5/15	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H	

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MURRAY LADY TIGERS				
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4/13	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H	
4/14	Caldwell County	6 PM	H	
4/16	at Marshall County	5:30 PM	A	
4/18	at Russellville	12 PM	A	
4/18	Kenwood (Clarksville, TN)	2 PM	A	
4/21	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
4/23	Hopkins County Central	6 PM	H	
4/24	Carlisle County	6 PM	H	
4/25	Mayfield	11 AM	A	
4/25	Webster County	1 PM	A	
4/28	Community Christian	5:30 PM	A	
4/29	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A	
5/1	at Graves County	5:30 PM	A	
5/4	Christian Fellowship	5:30 AM	H	
5/7	Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	A	
5/8	Caldwell County	6 PM	A	
5/11	at Hopkins County Central	6 PM	A	
5/12	at Fulton City	6 PM	A	
5/12	Fulton City	7:30 PM	A	
5/14	Community Christian	5:30 PM	H	
5/16	Crittenden County	2 PM	H	

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MURRAY TIGERS				
Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/10	Arnold (Panama City Beach) (FL)	12:30 PM	A	
4/13	McCracken County	5:30 PM	H	
4/14	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A	
4/17	Whitley County	5:30 PM	A	
4/17	Union City (TN)	7:30 PM	A	
4/21	Trigg County	5:30 PM	A	
4/23	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	A	
4/24	Hickman County	5:30 PM	H	
4/25	Obion County Central (TN)	12:00 PM	A	
4/28	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H	
4/30	Marshall County	5:30 PM	A	
5/2	Trigg County	12:00 PM	A	
5/5	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H	
5/7	Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
5/9	Carlisle County	12:00 PM	H	
5/11	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H	
5/12	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	H	
5/14	St. Mary	5:30 PM	A	

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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/2	McLean County	6 PM	H	
4/4	Stewart County (TN)	12 PM	H	
4/10	at Stewart County (TN)	5:30 PM	A	
4/13	Hopkins County Central	5:45 PM	H	
4/14	Crittenden County	5:45 PM	H	
4/16	at Crittenden County	5:30 PM	A	
4/17	at Union County	6 PM	A	
4/20	at Webster County	5:45 PM	A	
4/21	at Murray	5:30 PM	A	
4/23	Fort Campbell	5:30 PM	H	
4/24	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A	
4/27	at Madisonville-N Hopkins	6 PM	A	
5/1	Henderson County	6 PM	H	
5/2	Murray	12 PM	H	
5/5	Livingston Central	12 PM	H	
5/7	at Livingston Central	5:45 PM	A	
5/9	at Hancock County	5:30 PM	A	
5/11	at Todd Central	6 PM	A	
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TRIGG COUNTY LADY WILDCATS				
Date	Opponent	Time	H/A	
4/6	at Christian County	6 PM	A	
4/10	at Crittenden County	5:45 PM	A	
4/14	Livingston Central	6 PM	H	
4/16	at Stewart County (TN)	6 PM	A	
4/16	at Stewart County (TN)	8 PM	A	
4/18	at Russellville	4 PM	A	
4/21	at Lyon County	6 PM	A	
4/23	Henderson County	6 PM	H	
4/27	Lyon County	6 PM	H	
4/30	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A	
5/4	Christian County	6 PM	H	
5/5	at Webster County	6 PM	A	
5/7	at Livingston Central	6 PM	A	
5/12	at Madisonville-N Hopkins	6 PM	A	
5/14	at McCracken County	6 PM	A	
5/15	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A	
5/16	Massac County (IL)	2 PM	H	

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CHRISTIAN COUNTY COLONELS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/14	Logan County	6 PM	H
4/17	at University Heights	6 PM	A
4/18	Farragut (Knoxville, TN)	10 AM	A
4/18	Bowling Green	12:30 PM	A
4/20	University Heights	6 PM	H
4/21	at Lyon County	6 PM	A
4/24	Clarksville (TN)	6 PM	H
4/25	Daviess County	10 AM	A
4/25	Hart County	12 PM	H
4/28	Lyon County	6 PM	H
5/1	Hazard	8 PM	A
5/2	Scott County	10 AM	A
5/2	Grant County	10 AM	A
5/5	Henderson County	6 PM	H
5/7	at Fort Campbell	7:30 PM	A
5/8	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	H
5/9	at Paducah Tilghman	11 AM	A
5/12	McCracken County	6 PM	H
5/14	Trigg County	6 PM	H
5/15	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A




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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/11	Russellville	12 PM	A
4/13	Webster County	6 PM	H
4/16	Kenwood (TN)	5:30 PM	H
4/17	Hopkins County Central	5:30 PM	A
4/20	Heritage Christian Academy	5:30 PM	A
4/23	Trigg County	5:30 PM	A
4/24	Caverna	6 PM	H
4/25	Livingston Central	2 PM	A
5/2	Fort Knox	12 PM	A
5/4	Madisonville-North Hopkins	5:30 PM	A
5/5	Dawson Springs	6 PM	H
5/7	Christian County	5:30 PM	H
5/8	Heritage	6 PM	H
5/11	Crittenden County	6 PM	A
5/12	Russellville	5:30 PM	H
5/14	Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	A



ST MARY VIKINGS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/13	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/13	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/17	at Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
4/21	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H
4/23	Lyon County	5:30 PM	H
4/24	Vienna	5:30 PM	H
4/28	Paducah Tilghman	5 PM	H
4/30	at Paducah Tilghman	6:30 PM	A
5/1	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H
5/4	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
5/5	McCracken County	6 PM	H
5/7	at McCracken County	6 PM	A
5/8	Community Christian	5:30 PM	A
5/11	Marshall County	5:30 PM	A
5/12	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
5/14	Murray	5:30 PM	H



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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	Hopkins County Central	5:45	H
4/13	Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	H
4/14	at Lyon County	5:30 PM	A
4/16	Lyon County	5:45 PM	H
4/18	at Calloway Central	12 PM	A
4/21	Heritage	5:30 PM	A
4/24	at Dawson Springs	5:30 PM	A
4/25	Ballard Memorial	12 PM	H
4/25	Fort Campbell	2 PM	H
4/28	Crittenden County	5:45 PM	H
4/30	at Crittenden County	5:30 PM	A
5/1	at Madisonville-North Hopkins	5:30 PM	A
5/2	Community Christian	12:00 PM	A
5/2	Dawson Springs	2 PM	H
5/4	Hickman County	6 PM	H
5/4	Hickman County	6 PM	H
5/5	at Trigg County	5:45 PM	A
5/7	Trigg County	5:45 PM	H
5/9	at Hickman County	10 AM	A
5/9	Dawson Springs	12 PM	A
5/11	at Webster County	6 PM	A
5/12	at Union County	5:45 PM	A
5/15	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A

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LIVINGSTON CENTRAL LADY CARDINALS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/14	at Trigg County	6PM	A
4/16	Lyon County	6 PM	H
4/17	Mercy	8 PM	H
4/18	McCracken County	1 PM	H
4/20	Crittenden County	6 PM	H
4/21	at Caldwell County	6 PM	A
4/28	at McCracken County	6 PM	A
4/30	at Crittenden County	5:30 PM	A
5/4	at Lyon County	6 PM	A
5/5	at Henderson County	6 PM	A
5/7	Trigg County	6 PM	H
5/11	Caldwell County	6 PM	H
5/12	Marshall County	6 PM	H
5/14	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	H




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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	at Callierville	6:30 PM	A
4/11	at Henry County	2 PM	A
4/11	at South Gibson	4 PM	A
4/14	Hickman County	5:30 PM	H
4/16	McCracken County	5:30 PM	H
4/18	Triad (IL)	10 AM	H
4/18	Paducah Tilghman	12:30 PM	H
4/21	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
4/23	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A
4/24	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
4/24	Mayfield	7:30 PM	H
4/25	Lyon County	10:30 AM	H
4/25	Mt. Vernon (IL)	3 PM	H
4/28	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A
5/1	at McCracken County	5 PM	A
5/4	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H
5/5	at Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
5/7	at Caldwell County	6 PM	A
5/9	at Lyon County	10 AM	A
5/9	Johnston City (IL)	12 PM	H
5/9	Ballard Memorial	12 PM	A
5/9	at Massac County (IL)	3 PM	A
5/12	Marshall County	5:30 PM	H
5/15	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H

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HICKMAN COUNTY FALCONS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	Owensboro Catholic	10 AM	H
4/13	Carlisle County	7 PM	A
4/13	Carlisle County	7:30 PM	A
4/14	at Graves County	5:30 PM	A
4/20	Fulton County	5:30 PM	H
4/21	at Fulton County	5:30 PM	A
4/24	at Murray	5:30 PM	A
4/28	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
4/30	Carlisle County	5:30 PM	H
5/4	at Livingston Central	6 PM	A
5/5	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
5/8	at Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	A
5/9	Livingston Central	10 AM	H
5/9	Dawson Springs	2 PM	H
5/12	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A



CRITTENDEN COUNTY ROCKETS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/11	Ohio County	12 PM/2:30	H
4/14	at Trigg County	5:45 PM	A
4/16	Trigg County	5:30 PM	H
4/17	Todd County Central	6 PM	H
4/18	at Caldwell County	12 PM	A
4/20	at Henderson County	5:30 PM	A
4/21	Webster County	5:30 PM	H
4/24	Hopkins Central	5:45 PM	A
4/25	Hart County	2 PM	A
4/25	Daviess County	4 PM	A
4/27	at Mayfield	5:30 PM	A
4/28	at Livingston Central	5:45 PM	A
4/30	Livingston Central	5:30 PM	H
5/1	Union County	5:30 PM	H
5/4	Heritage	5:30 PM	A
5/5	at Lyon County	5:30 PM	A
5/7	Lyon County	5:30 PM	H
5/8	Hopkins County Central	5:45 PM	H
5/9	at Marshall County	2 PM	A
5/11	Fort Campbell	6 PM	H
5/14	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A

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CRITTENDEN COUNTY LADY ROCKETS

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4/10	Trigg County	5:45 PM	H
4/13	Webster County	6 PM	H
4/14	at Lyon County	5:30 PM	A
4/17	Union County	5:30 PM	H
4/20	at Livingston Central	6 PM	H
4/23	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A
4/24	McLean County	6 PM	A
4/25	at Owensboro	11 AM	A
4/25	Bowling Green	1 PM	A
4/28	Lyon County	5:30 PM	H
4/30	Livingston Central	5:30 PM	H
5/4	Hopkins County Central	6 / 8 PM	H
5/7	at Christian County	6 PM	A
5/8	at Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A
5/9	Hickman County	12 PM	H
5/9	Caldwell County	3 PM	H
5/11	at Webster County	6 PM	A
5/14	at Madisonville-North Hopkins	5:30 PM	A
5/15	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	H
5/16	at Murray	2 PM	A

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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	Henry County	4:30 PM	H
4/10	South Gibson	7 PM	H
4/13	University Heights	6 PM	H
4/14	Murray	6 PM	H
4/18	at Graves County	12:30 PM	A
4/21	at McCracken County	6 PM	A
4/23	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
4/28	at St. Mary	5 PM	A
4/30	St. Mary	6:30 PM	H
5/1	at University Heights	6 PM	A
5/2	at Greenwood	12 PM	A
5/8	at Christian County	6 PM	A
5/9	at Christian County	11 AM	A
5/11	at Caldwell County	5:30 PM	A
5/14	Lyon County	6 PM	H
5/15	Christian County	6 PM	H



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Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/10	at Fort Walton Beach	5 PM	A
4/13	at Murray	6 PM	A
4/17	at Carlisle County	6 PM	A
4/20	at Caldwell County	6 PM	A
4/21	at McCracken County	6 PM	A
4/24	Ballard Memorial	6 PM	H
4/27	at Christian County	6:30 PM	A
4/28	Marshall County	6 PM	H
4/30	McCracken County	6 PM	H
5/1	Carlisle County	6 PM	H
5/2	at Ballard Memorial	12 PM	A
5/2	at Ballard Memorial	2 PM	A
5/4	Hickman County	6 PM	H
5/8	Crittenden County	6 PM	H
5/11	Lyon County	6 PM	H
5/14	Christian County	6:30 PM	H
5/15	Trigg County	6:00 PM	H



MARSHALL COUNTY LADY MARSHALS

Date	Opponent	Time	H/A
4/14	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H
4/16	Murray	5:30 PM	H
4/18	Mercy	9 AM	H
4/18	Daviess County	4 PM	H
4/20	at Lyon County	6 PM	A
4/21	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
4/23	McCracken County	5:30 PM	H
4/27	at Hickman County	5:30 PM	A
4/28	Paducah Tilghman	6 PM	A
4/30	Ballard Memorial	5:30 PM	H
5/4	Graves County	5:30 PM	H
5/5	Madisonville-North Hopkins	6 PM	H
5/7	Lyon County	5:30 PM	H
5/11	at McCracken County	6 PM	A
5/12	at Livingston Central	6 PM	A
5/15	at Christian County	6 PM	A



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4/14	at University Heights	5:30 PM	A
4/16	Henderson County	6:30 PM	H
4/17	Triad (IL)	6:30 PM	A
4/20	Mayfield	5:30 PM	H
4/21	at Calloway County	5:30 PM	A
4/23	Calloway County	5:30 PM	H
4/27	at Lyon County	5:30 PM	A
4/28	at Murray	5:30 PM	A
4/30	Murray	5:30 PM	H
5/1	at Logan County	6 PM	A
5/2	at Carterville	12 PM	A
5/4	at University Heights	6 PM	A
5/5	at Muhlenberg County	6 PM	A
5/7	Madisonville-North Hopkins	6 PM	H
5/8	at Carlisle County	5:30 PM	A
5/9	Union County	12 PM	H
5/9	Crittenden County	2 PM	H
5/11	at St. Mary	5:30 PM	A
5/12	at Graves County	5:30 PM	A
5/14	at McCracken County	7:00 PM	A



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technologies, develop practical skills, and collaborate with others across the community.

SkillRise 270's vision is being a place that allows and encourages networking, education, creation and innovation through skill development. Its mission is to provide hands-on access to equipment, opportunity, resources, education and training as well as to facilitate opportunities to network, connect, and develop across the community.

As organizers describe the initiative, "We are building a community maker-space that will attract and retain talent, invigorate downtown businesses, and empower individuals and enterprises to thrive right here in Graves County and

the surrounding region."

This transformative project is made possible through strong local partnerships and leadership, including the City of Mayfield, led by Mayor Kathy O'Nan and City Council; the Mayfield Kentucky Industrial Authority, led by Executive Director Jason Lemle and its board members; and SkillRise 270 Executive Director Nicole Kaletch, alongside its dedicated advisory board. Together, these partners are working collaboratively to bring this vision to life and invest in the future of Graves County.

The project carries special significance because of its location in downtown Mayfield — in the heart of the area most heavily impacted by the December

10, 2021 tornado. In that sense, SkillRise 270 represents more than a new facility. It stands as a powerful symbol of the community's resilience, determination, and commitment to rebuilding stronger than before.

Community members are invited to attend the SkillRise 270 Groundbreaking Ceremony:

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10:00 AM

As this project moves forward, SkillRise 270 will mark another important step in strengthening Graves County's workforce pipeline, supporting entrepreneurship, and advancing the continued revitalization of downtown Mayfield.

Books, Bargains & Community: Spring Gathering at Library Sale

By Laurna Todd
KPI Writer

Forget spring cleaning—this year, it's all about a spring gathering for book lovers.

The Friends of the Library are inviting the community to browse, shop and connect during their annual Spring Book Sale at the Graves County Public Library, offering something for readers of all ages at affordable prices.

The two-day event will take place Friday, April 17, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Saturday, April 18, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Shoppers can expect tables filled with a wide selection of gently used books, movies,

puzzles and more.

Pricing remains budget-friendly, with hardbacks available for \$2, paperbacks for just 50 cents, and DVDs and audiobook CDs priced at \$1 each. Boxed sets will be available for \$5, while puzzles and young children's books are just 50 cents. Special deals include library hardback discards for \$1 and bags of Harlequin romance novels for \$1.

Organizers encourage early attendance for the best selection, as popular items tend to go quickly.

Those wishing to donate books ahead of the sale still have time. Donations will be accepted through Saturday, April 11.

However, donations will not be accepted during the sale itself. Individuals with more than two boxes of books are asked to call ahead to arrange a drop-off time.

The event also leads into National Library Week, observed April 20–25, highlighting the important role libraries play in communities. Proceeds from the sale support library programs, resources and services throughout the year.

Community members are encouraged to stop by, find a new favorite read and take part in this spring gathering that celebrates literacy, learning and local connection.



Mayfield Fire Department personnel honored Lt. Joey Clark (center) on March 31 as he completed his final shift, marking 20 years of dedicated service as a firefighter and EMT to the citizens of Mayfield and Graves County. Clark is pictured alongside fellow department members as he is presented with a commemorative fire axe in recognition of his career. Photo by Mayfield Fire Department & Mayfield-Graves EMS

Health Department Offers Wide Range of Services to Community

By Laurna Todd
KPI Writer

The Graves County Health Department continues to serve as a vital resource for residents, offering a broad range of services designed to meet clinical, community, and environmental health needs.

Located at 416 Central Avenue in Mayfield, the department provides more than 20 programs aimed at improving the health and well-being of individuals and families across Graves

County. Among the services available are the WIC Program, well-child visits, physicals and exams, STI and HIV testing, pregnancy testing, and school health programming.

The department also offers a syringe exchange program, along with restaurant and public facility inspections to help maintain community safety.

Many residents may not be aware of the full scope of services offered locally. From preventative

care and screenings to environmental health services, the department plays an important role in supporting overall community health.

Residents are encouraged to call 270-247-3553 or visit gravescountyhealth-department.com to learn more about available programs and services.

The Graves County Health Department remains committed to providing accessible care and resources to meet the needs of the community.

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