



Tam's Front Porch Ponderings
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It's fixin' to get ugly!

lines are long and only three checkouts are open that a phenomenon happens to me (and my sister) that we refer to as "The Lewis Edward Syndrome". We can't help it! Just as Lewis Edward, we're mild mannered, ordinary people until that moment when we're pushed over the edge and then you know, "it's fixin' to get ugly!"

Corky can somehow sense the transformation coming and high-tails it away from me to the far corner of the store, sometimes even the truck! Just like the Incredible Hulk, I begin to change colors. I feel the flush of heat start at my chest, then the flames creep up my neck and color my face red hot until my ears catch fire. It's at that time that 'Lewis Edward' just

falls out of my mouth. My most recent transformation was last weekend, in the razor blade aisle of Wal-Mart.

The evening had been uneventful, I'd wandered around the store picking up dog food; an eye liner; toothpaste; one by one marking things off my list. Heading for the checkout, Corky reminded me that we needed razor blades, so I doubled back. I saw the ones we needed, I just couldn't touch them. Believe it or not, razor blades are now locked behind large, glass doors! Corky headed off to find a sales associate with a key and I waited by the razor blades. After a few minutes, I noticed a door bell high on an aisle support, so I pushed it. It rang loud and clear and I waited. No one

appeared with a key so...I pushed it again. A young, able-bodied sales associate darted down an aisle, avoiding any eye contact. A voice came over the loud speaker, "Customer needs assistance at the razor blades". "Okay", I thought, "someone will be here soon".

Yeah right. Four more sales associates wandered by, staring at the crazy lady guarding the doors of Fort Knox which held the razor blades made of gold. As they walked away I felt the flush of heat start at my chest. It had been fifteen minutes since I first pushed the door bell and guess what? I firmly planted my finger on the door bell and didn't let up. Ding Dong, Ding Dong, Ding Dong, over and over the bell chimed as I put the other hand on my hip and said rather loudly, "it's fixin' to get ugly!"

Corky spotted my red neck and face as he returned from his sales associate scavenger hunt and darted down the deodorant aisle. He knew what was coming! Twenty minutes into the annoying door bell, a sales associate on a Jazzy, yes I said JAZZY, rolled up with a lanyard of keys big enough to open every gate at Disney World! She fumbled with them, trying to find one that would open Fort Knox. My patience was wearing thin. I have absolutely nothing against people with disabilities but why, oh why would you make the lady that works the front door as a greeter, on a Jazzy, be responsible for the razor blade case?

"Have you been waiting long?" Jazzy lady asked. And that's when Daddy just FELL right out of my mouth. Grabbing not one, but TWO packages of the Golden Razors, I pointed at my silver hair and replied, "Yes, yes I have! As a matter of fact, when I walked in here, this head was...BLONDE!" (Sure glad I got two packages, probably won't be allowed back in there for awhile) ☺

Estill School News

Through Thursday, May 29th @ 3:30 p.m.

South Irvine P-K Council Members

It is time for South Irvine P-K Center SBDM Parent Nominations and Election. Parents/foster parents/legal guardians of a student that will be in kindergarten for the 2014-2015 school year are eligible to be nominated. You may nominate yourself or someone else. Nominations will begin Thursday, May 22nd and end Thursday, May 29th at 3:30 p.m. The election will be held on June 2nd, 3rd and 4th during Kindergarten registration.

ESTILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

246 Main Street, Irvine, KY - Call 723-3030
 If school is cancelled due to icy roads, the book-mobile will run two weeks after the scheduled date.

Week of May 26-30, 2014

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
Old Fox Road Furnace Jct. Miller's Creek Cow Creek	Winston Trotting Ridge Sandhill	Wisemantown Station Camp Red Lick Crooked Creek	Spout Springs Hudson Mill New Fox Road Hargett-Parvin Road

"Mommie & Me" and Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. and Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Estill County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting

Thursday, June 5th @ 6pm
 1355 Richmond Road, Irvine

ESTILL COUNTY SCHOOLS MENUS

Milk is included with every meal; plus assorted juices included with breakfast

MONDAY May 26	TUESDAY May 27	WEDNESDAY May 28	THURSDAY May 29	FRIDAY May 30
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SOUTH IRVINE BREAKFASTS

No School Memorial Day	Cereal & Toast Assorted Juice	Biscuit & Gravy Assorted Juice	Muffins, Yogurt Assorted Juice	Mini Cinnis Assorted Juice
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SOUTH IRVINE LUNCHES

No School Memorial Day	Open Face Turkey w/Gravy on Bread Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Fresh Pears	Taco w/Shell Let./Tom./Cheese Salsa Corn Pineapple	Chili w/crackers Grilled Cheese Broccoli & Grape Tomatoes Mandarin Oranges	Hot Dog on Bun Cheetos, Baked Beans Carrot Sticks Gold Fish Cookie
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ESTILL SPRINGS & WEST IRVINE BREAKFASTS

No School Memorial Day	Gravy & Biscuit Assorted Juice	Mini Pancakes Assorted Juice	Toast & Cereal Assorted Juice	Muffins Assorted Juice
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ESTILL SPRINGS LUNCHES

No School Memorial Day	Cheese Pizza Corn Green Beans Pears	Spaghetti Breadstick Glazed Carrots Broccoli w/Dip Mandarin Oranges	Hot Dog on Bun Potato Smiles Dill Spears Pork & Beans Applesauce	Taco w/Soft Shell Let.Tom./Cheese Salsa Rice Apple
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WEST IRVINE LUNCHES

No School Memorial Day	Cheese Pizza Corn Romaine Salad Pears	Chicken Nuggets Roll Mashed Potatoes Glazed Carrots Peach Cup	Hot Dog on Bun Potato Smiles Dill Spears Pork & Bean, Applesauce	Taco w/Soft Shell or Deli Turkey Wrap Let.Tom./Cheese Salsa, Rice Apple
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ESTILL COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL BREAKFAST

No School Memorial Day	Cinnamon Toast Breakfast Bar Cereal, Pop Tart	Funnel Cake Cereal, Pop Tart Fruit, Juice	Toast, Cereal, Pop Tart, Fruit Assorted Juice	Cinnamon Toast Breakfast Bar Cereal, Pop Tart
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ESTILL COUNTY MIDDLE SCHOOL LUNCH

No School Memorial Day	Hot Dog or Pork Chop on Bun Baked Beans Baby Bakers Pineapple or Oranges	Chicken Nuggets Texas Toast Mashed Potatoes Steamed Broccoli Mandarin Oranges or Peach cup	Chicken Pattie or Deli Turkey on Bun, French Fries Red Pepper Slices, Applesauce or Pineapple	Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Breadstick or Fish on Bun Green Beans Glazed Carrots Apple
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ESTILL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL BREAKFAST

No School Memorial Day	Sausage Biscuit Cereal, Pop Tart Yogurt, Fruit	Chicken Biscuit Cereal, Pop Tart, Yogurt, Fruit	Egg & Cheese Biscuit, Cereal Pop Tart, Yogurt	Breakfast Pizza Cereal Pop Tarts
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ESTILL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL LUNCH

No School Memorial Day	Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Breadstick or Fish on bun Glazed Carrots Corn, Pears Applesauce	Chicken Tenders Roll or Mr. Rib on Bun, Peaches Steamed Broccoli Sweet Potatoes Mandarin Oranges	Hot Dog on Bun or BBQ on Bun Baby Bakers Baked Beans Gold Fish Cookie Pears, Applesauce	Chicken Pot Pie w/Biscuit or Chuck Wagon on Bun, Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Apples, Peaches
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ESTILL COUNTY SCHOOLS South Irvine P-K Center REGISTRATION / SCREENING for Kindergarten 2014-2015 ABC School Year

Estill County Schools will have Kindergarten Registration and Screening for the 2014-2015 school year at South Irvine P-K Center -- 1000 South Irvine Road. In order to be eligible for Kindergarten, the child must be 5 years old by October 1, 2014. State law requires children to attend school if they will turn 6 on or before October 1.

- Registration/Screening Dates**
- Monday, June 2, 2014 8:30 am to 2:00 pm
 - Tuesday, June 3, 2014. . . . 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm
 - Wednesday, June 4, 2014 8:30 am to 2:00 pm
- No appointment necessary!**

It is important to bring your child to registration as he/she will be screened at that time. The developmental screening will involve your child in several learning activities. Through these activities we will examine his/her developmental status in areas such as general knowledge, hand-eye coordination, as well as school knowledge (e.g., shapes, colors, letters). Your child will not be expected to complete all the tasks. We are more interested in how he/she responds to the tasks. A speech language pathologist will screen for speech and language if needed. While your child is completing the screening process, we will ask you to complete paperwork. The screening session will last approximately 30 minutes. **Due to the fact that appointments are not being scheduled, there may be a waiting period.**

- You will need to bring the following documents:**
- Official (with the State seal) Birth Certificate from the State in which child was born (cannot accept hospital copy)
 - Copy of the Child's Social Security Card
 - Up-to-date Kentucky Immunization Record (The immunization certificate must have all immunizations listed with their dates. The state will not allow the school to accept a partial immunization certificate.)
 - Current Physical
 - Eye Exam
 - Dental Exam
 - Court documents pertaining to your child (if applicable)
- These documents must be on file with the school BEFORE your child may attend school in August 2014. If you have questions, feel free to call the school at 723-4700.**