

**Wanderings
from the
Woods
& Water
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Bears In Estill County

There is a group of Bears been seen roaming around Estill Springs. These Bears are tough as nails and won't back down from nothing. This group of Bears are my Bears. They are the Estill County Youth Football League Flag Football Team.

I had the honor of coaching these awesome kids this past season. From time to time I get off subject; this is one of these times. I have to brag on my Bears!

My team consisted of eight boys and one girl. My kids played their hearts out this season. They went undefeated in regular season and won the Flag Football Super Bowl. The Bears record this season was 7-0.

My Bears could teach us adults a thing or two. This team was awesome to coach because of the way they played the game. I saw some real leaders being made. The Bears weren't selfish and they cheered on their team mates when someone did a good job. I am so proud of my Bears and what they accomplished this season.

Deer Reminders

Enough bragging about my AWESOME BEARS! Deer gun season comes in November 8th, are you ready? Some things to remember before you hit the woods with a rifle.

• Do you have all proper licenses and permits for deer hunting?

• Is your gun sighted in?

- Wear your hunter orange at all times
- If you hunt from a tree stand do you have a safety harness?
- Before you climb in stand check your weapon to be sure it is unloaded.
- When you pull rifle up to stand keep barrel down and string off trigger.
- Are you aware of the surroundings in your hunting area? (Once you send a bullet down range it can't be taken back)
- Don't get buck fever and just shoot. Know your target and what's behind your target.

Everyone going out to deer hunting be careful this season. Be respectful to the land you are hunting. May your aim be true and be safe. Please send me pictures of the harvest. GOOD LUCK with upcoming deer season.

Until next week, get out and enjoy God's creation!



**Birding
BITS** BY
Cindy Brook

Night Owls
Nocturnal birds serve their purpose. They add to the ambiance of the night. What would an orchestra of crickets be without the steady call of a whip-poor-will? I will climb out of sleep to listen to a barred owl. Day or night, birds are great!

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**Estill
Youth
Football
Bears
Flag Team**

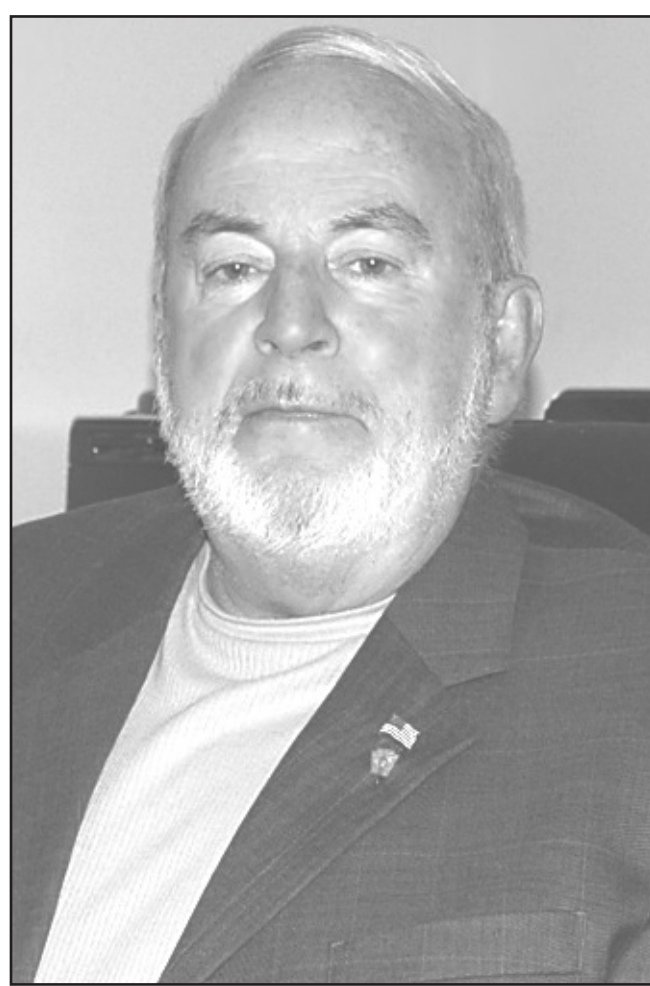
Left to right, front:
Logan Friend,
Jake Bicknell,
Frankie Muncie,
Joseph Wilkerson.
Back:

Casey Chaney,
Chance Rawlins,
Noah Wilkerson,
Rider Rawlins,
Shyanna McTeer.

Coaches:
Jay Bicknell and
Shawn Chaney.



**ELECT
Independent
JAMES E.
"JIM"
WALTERS
MAYOR
CITY OF IRVINE**



With the election fast approaching, I feel compelled to address some issues concerning the merger of Ravenna and Irvine. FACT: This merger request did NOT originate out of the city hall of Irvine, but rather directly out of the city hall of Ravenna. I feel that some people are misrepresenting and distorting the facts for either personal or political gain of keeping the "Good ol' Boys" network of politics in place by insinuating that Irvine is trying to manipulate or steal the city of Ravenna. PLEASE do not let this continue. I plead with you to vote with your MIND, not with the HEART, on all issues and candidates. To follow the age old tradition of voting for a party candidate will surely doom us. WAKE UP-THINK HARD-THINK LONG and please vote for candidates and issues that will benefit the whole community.

On the personal level concerning the race for mayor of Irvine, I want to assure you of my stated goals of bringing BUSINESS, LIFE and PEOPLE back to the downtown streets, thereby increasing our revenue flow, permitting us to grow and prosper and provide more and better quality services by working closely with our police force and chief Brad Smith and not threatening to fire officers the first day on the job.

During this campaign, I have met some very talented and skilled people who have tried to get involved in their city but have met resistance by the "Good ol' Boys" network of thinking. Many of these people are still willing and ready to get involved, so let's get out of their way by encouraging and assisting them to succeed in their endeavors. Within the first six months of my term in office I promise to convene a meeting with all interested parties such as EDA, Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Kiwanis Club, business leaders, CLERGY, and anyone who is interested in helping our community. This meeting will be used to solicit ideas, thoughts, and recommendations which will then be used to develop a plan and consensus on how to accomplish our goals.

Remember how our school system has improved and flourished since the city and county systems have merged. I think we can expect similar results with the merger of the two cities.

So, to the citizens of Ravenna and Irvine, please join with me and let's make this a better community in which to live in and raise our children.

To the residents of Ravenna, I want to assure you that we are not trying to destroy nor steal your city in any way. Please remember that the request for help came from Ravenna city hall, and Irvine city hall responded by offering help. TOGETHER, we not only can but WILL do BETTER!

Please remember to vote. It is not only an honor and privilege but a civic duty. Also please look at the name of the candidate not just the party he represents as I am sure that I will be listed last on the ballot so as to make sure the party candidate gets first billing.

**Thank You,
Sincerely From The Heart,
Independent Candidate,
James E. "Jim" Walters**

Paid for by Jim Walters, candidate for Mayor of City of Irvine

Cruizers Newz

The Twin City Cruizers will be having their next monthly meeting on **Monday, November 3rd** at 7:00 p.m. in Irvine City Hall. Anyone interested in joining Twin City Cruizers needs to come to the meetings.

At the November 3rd meeting, officers will be nominated for 2015. Any members interested in holding an office needs to be present. New officers will be elected on Monday, December 1st at 7:00 p.m. in Irvine City Hall.

Twin City Cruizers would like to thank everyone that came and supported us as our Cruise-Ins this year. We look forward to 2015. Our Toys for Tots Cruise-In was very successful this year. For more information, contact Kenneth Tipton at 723-7554 or Darrell Hall at 723-3612.

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