

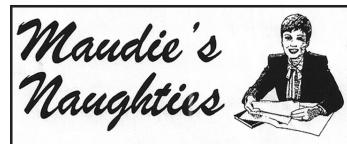
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What Time Do You Open?

A bar owner locks up his place at 2:00 a.m. and goes home to sleep. He has been in bed only a few minutes when the phone rings. "What time do you open up in the morning?" he hears an obviously inebriated man inquire.

The owner is so furious, he slams down the receiver and goes back to bed. A few minutes later there is another call and he hears the same voice, asking the same question.

"Listen, the owner shouts, "There's no sense in asking me what time I open because I wouldn't let a person in your condition in . . .

"I don't want to get in," the caller interjects. "I want to get out." **Taxi Driver**

A taxi cab is parked in front of a bar when Trixi, Bambi and a friend come running out and jump into the back seat telling the driver they need a ride downtown. The taxi driver notices they are wasted and just wants them out of his cab before one of them gets sick. So, he starts the motor and lets it run a few minutes, then switches it off and says, "We are here," hoping neither will realize that the cab hasn't moved an inch.

Trixi gets out of the cab and thanks the driver. Their friend gets out of the cab, thanks the driver and gives him \$20.00. Bambi gets out of the cab, slaps the crap out of the driver and says, "Next time, watch your speed. You nearly killed us!"

Trapped!

Trixi, Bambi and their friend decide to spend the night in a hotel. The next morning the desk clerk gets a call. It's Trixie. crying hysterically, saying, "We can't get out of our room!"

"Why not?" the clerk asks. "Is the door stuck?" Trixie sobs, "It has a sign on it that says 'Do Not Dis-



Letters To The Editor Thanks to Members of Estill Board of Education

To the editor:

the administrators and the are more than just elected service workers of the Estill officials. They are the link chosen to join other states in County School System deserve praise for working hard in their roles. But equally deserving of praise are the members of the district's Board of Education, not only for their able students to succeed. In work but for their leadership.

The students and teachers, bie Starling and Amy Thomas munity. between the school district's citizens and its schools. They make some tough decisions, set policy for their district and create the conditions that entheir individual walks of life L.W. Beckley, Jonathan as residents here, they are also

The state of Kentucky has observing January as School Board Member Recognition Month, the 20th year in which it has done so. Our local school board members merit this appreciation.

As the demands of highstakes accountability have increased for our schools, the job of our local board members has likewise become increasingly complex, requiring more time, training and knowledge. They also must ensure the safety and maintenance of school buildings and buses, support teachers by making sure

Bicknell, Patricia Hood, Rob- part of the fiber of our com- they have adequate professional development, lead the charge for programs that help students of every ability level and closely monitor the finances of the school system. There is not a single aspect of overall district operation that isn't tied to the work of our board members.

> I am pleased to join with other community members in thanking the members of our Estill County Board of Education this month for what they do on behalf of our children. Sincerely,

Randall Christopher Interim Superintendent, **Estill County Schools**

Thanks to City of Irvine Departments I would like to thank the they are doing for the City

Irvine Police Department, of Irvine. the Irvine Fire Department, street workers and other city employees for the fine work

We appreciate the hard work and dedication.

Thanks, Harry Crowe

Thank You For The Fruit Basket

Bonnie and Lloyd Stone Christmastime. of Cressy Road would like nola Baptist Church for the you in every thing you do. fruit basket you sent us at

Your thoughtfulness and to thank Bro. Marvin Neal kindness are certainly apand the congregation of Pa- preciated. May God bless Bonnie & Llovd

The 2015 festival dates

NÉW FOR 2015 – We

Now Available "Save the Mack" T Shirts

are now available.

Short Sleeve XL & smaller es: \$20. Long Sleeve: \$20.

Visit our booth at the EAC 2015 Mountain Mushroom Festival Arts and Crafts show De- Bank if you would like to

"Save the Mack" T-shirts a "share" on a set of Longaberger Santa Belly baskets.

Shirts will be sold at both sizes: \$15. 2XL & larger siz- RCP performances December 13th & December 14th.

Visit Citizen's Guaranty cember 6th to buy a T-shirt, a order T-shirts in sizes we do

turb'!"

Everything But The Kitchen Sink

As they approach the line at the airport, the husband glances at the pile of luggage and says to the wife, "Why didn't you bring the piano, too?"

"Are you trying to be funny?" she replies.

"No," he sighs. "That's where I left the tickets."

Here To There

Trixieisplanningavacation, so she call sup the airport and asks 'How long does it take to fly from Lexington to Las Vegas?' The busy attendant says, "Just a minute, madam . . ." and lays the phone aside.

"Wow," says Trixie, as she hangs up the phone. "They make planes faster every year."

How Old Are You?

A lawyer stands in front of the judge, charged with overbilling the clients he has represented over the years.

"How old are you?" asks the judge.

The lawyer replies, "56!" "That's odd," says the judge. "According to the number of hours for which you have billed your clients, we had estimated your age to be about 178."

Dental Pain

A dentist, after completing work on a patient, comes to him and asks, "Now, can you let out your biggest scream?"

The surprised patient says; "Why doctor, it wasn't that bad!" The dentist says, "Yeah, but I've got a full waiting room, and ny son is expecting me at his ball game in about 45 minutes.'

Seeing Double

"Doctor," says Ed, "I'm seeing double!" "Letme look at you," says the doctor. "Sit down on that chair !" "Which one?" replies Ed.

Overheard In A Doctor's Office

"That's my 3-IN-ONE® Oil. I put it on everything!"

The Sky Is Falling

One day the first grade teacher is reading the story of Chicken Little to her class. She comes to the part of the story where Chicken Little tries to warn the farmer.

She reads, "... and so, Chicken Little goes up to the farmer and says, "The sky is falling, the sky is falling!"

The teacher pauses, then asks the class, "And what do you think that farmer said?"

One little girl raises her hand and says, "Holy Crap! A talking chicken!"

Is It True?

Junior asks, "Is it true, Pa? I heard that in some parts of the world a man doesn't know his wife until he marries her."

"That happens here, too, son!"

Where Are We At Now?

Two guys are riding in a car, arguing about how to say the name of the city that they are in.

One says "Louieville" and the other "Louiseville."

They go on arguing and arguing, until they come upon a fast-food restaurant.

They pull up to the drive-thru and say, "Tell me the name of the place where we are right now ... really, really slow ly."

The worker goes, "Bur-ger-King."

Food Court Applications Are Now Available

723-4235.

Food Court applica- food booth space plus a tions for the 2015 Moun- \$75.00 Early Departure/ tain Mushroom Festival Closing fee, if applicable. are now available at Irvine For more information, you City Hall located at 101 may call Kim Williams at Chestnut Street.

Food vendors must carry a minimum \$500,000 com- are Saturday, April 25th & mercial vendor liability in-Sunday, April 26th. surance. Application, fees and proof of liability in- will accept one food vensurance must be submitted dor to set up at the car by deadline date of Friday, show on Saturday ONLY. January 30, 2015 at 4:00 The fee for the one day p.m. Mailed applications setup will be \$75. All must be postmarked by the rules/guidelines apply. If deadline date. No late en- more than one application tries will be accepted. The is received for that space, application fee is \$150 per a drawing will be held.

Third Week of each Month

Congressman Barr's Staff To Hold Traveling Office Hours In Estill Co.

To better serve the people of central and eastern Kentucky, Congressman Andy Barr's staff conducts traveling office hours in every ule and location for each county of the Sixth Congressional District each month. A member of Congressman Barr's staff will be holding traveling office hours in Estill, Madison, and Powell Counties on the following scheduled in two weeks.

Monday, January 19 Madison County Courthouse

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. 101 W. Main St. Richmond, KY 40475 **Estill County** Courthouse 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. 130 Main St. #207 Irvine, KY 40336 Wednesday, January 21 **Powell County** Courthouse

525 Washington St. Stanton, KY 40380 The full monthly schedcounty can be found on Congressman Barr's website by date or by alphabetically by county. Constituents may also obtain assistance by contacting

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Congressman Barr's District Office at 859-219-1366, during the hours of 8:45 a.m. and 5:15 p.m., Monday through Friday.

This is a responsible, inexpensive way for constituents to voice their opinion on legislative issues or seek assistance with federal agencies. During these office hours, Congressman Barr's staff will be available to provide assistance to constituents on a variety of services.

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