

Foster Parents of the Month



Doug and Bertha Newton have been fostering for 2 years and feel that fostering has changed their lives. Doug and Bertha have always worked with children in some capacity and feel that fostering has given them an opportunity to help children and families. They enjoy working in partnership with others and meeting the needs of the children. The Newtons make every child feel special and a member of their family. They enjoy watching the children grow and experience new things. The Newtons are an asset to the community and to all the children they foster. If you would like information about becoming a foster/adoptive parent, contact the Cabinet for Health and Family Services at (606) 723-5146 or (859) 245-5488.

Relay for Life was "Frosted Over"

Three young ladies from Georgetown, Ky introduced "Frosted Over" to raise nearly \$400 for Estill County Relay for Life. Ashley Patrick Marsh attended kindergarten at Hargett Elementary before moving. Ashley's aunt and cousin, Freda Stamper and Rhonda Neal, have a Relay for Life Team. The ladies all worked together to make Saturday's event enjoyable. Girls had photos made with the adult princesses, sang and danced, colored photos, had frozen refreshments, and participated in other activities. Ashley dressed as Anna. Her friend Annie Turner was Elsa, and Becca Hughes was Belle.



Katelynn Alcorn, daughter of Crystal Fields and Alek Sieger with Ashley Marsh (Anna) and Annie Turner (Elsa).

ECMS "Student Of The Week"



Ryan Pasley

Ryan Pasley is the son of Tina Pasley. Ryan is currently in the 7th grade, and he enjoys playing his

saxophone. Ryan was nominated for Student of the Week by Mrs. Worrell. She says that Ryan "goes above and beyond in band. He is always prepared and paying attention in class. He gives 100% and his best effort everyday." In addition to this, Mrs. Worrell added that Ryan "is a good leader!"

Students receiving this recognition are nominated by staff members at the Estill County Middle School for exemplary behavior, attitude, and/or citizenship.

This week, Joe Benton was also nominated.

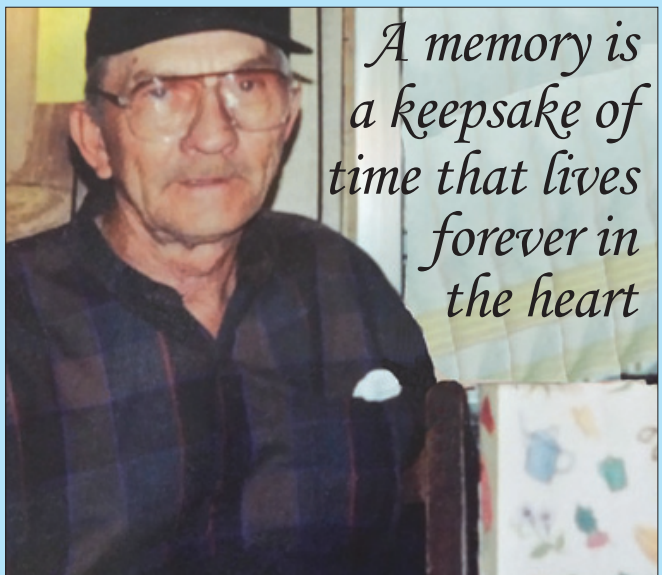
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Shalee Puckett, daughter of Eric and Staci Puckett, with Ashley Marsh (Anna) and Annie Turner (Elsa).

In memory of Edward "Pop" Willis

September 19, 1937 - March 28, 2009



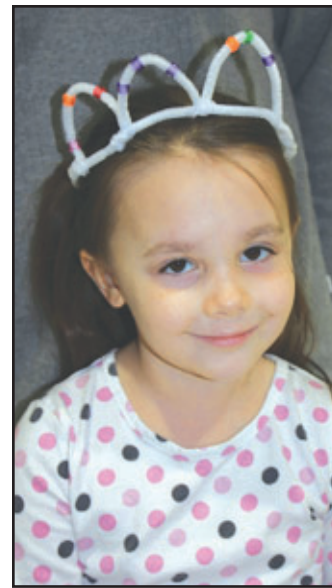
A memory is a keepsake of time that lives forever in the heart

We love and miss you every day!

Love, Ethel Willis, Elizabeth & Dennis Coffey, Crystal, Donnie & Austin Gordon, Kimberly, Greg, Shana & Kaitlyn Young



A drawing was held Friday at West Irvine Elementary for students with perfect attendance the third nine weeks. Winners of a new Ipad, sponsored by Carhartt and Citizens Guaranty Bank, was chosen from the girls and boys. Pictured are: Principal Loretta Cruse, winners Cheyann Eldridge and Malachi Begley, and Loretta Reese, attendance clerk.



Lyrice Rogers wore her princess crown that she made Saturday at Relay For Life's "Frosted Over."

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