

Community News

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The Week of June 6-12

National Garden Club Week

The Four Seasons Garden Club is joining with other Garden Clubs all across the country to celebrate National Garden Club Week, June 6-12. To recognize the week members made 12 flower arrangements and delivered them to community partners, Mercy Marcum-Wallace Hospital, Estill County Library, Irvine and Ravenna city halls, Estill Schools Central Office, Estill County Judge, Irvine Nursing & Rehab, and CSEPP to recognize them for all what they do for the citizens of Estill County.

The club is part of the National Garden Club organization, which has headquarters in St. Louis, Missouri. There are currently nearly 165,000 members nationwide. They promote the NGC objectives of beautification, environmental efforts, gardening, and involvement of Garden Clubs in the community. If interested in joining, please contact Francine Bonny regarding the Four Seasons Garden Club.

Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 5:30pm

Flooding Assistance for Residents

For residents who were impacted by flooding in March, there are two very important events happening this week to help you with recovery.

DISASTER ASSISTANCE FOOD STAMPS

- When: June 7th-June 11th (8am-6pm)
 - o Saturday, June 12th (9am-2pm)
 - o Monday, June 14th (8am-6pm)
 - Where: Estill County Board of Education Gym (Central Office)
- **If you receive food stamps you are not eligible for this benefit.**

FEMA SUPPORT CENTER

- When: June 10th-12th (8am-6pm)
- Where: Senior Citizens Center, 100 Golden Court
- FEMA representatives will be able to assist with FEMA registration, answer questions about appeals and scan documents into applicants' case files. Masks or face coverings are required for entry and service.

Thursday, June 10, 2021, beginning at 8am

St. Elizabeth Basement Sale

After a year and a half, St. Elizabeth Church will be having a Basement Sale on Thursday, June 10, 2021, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

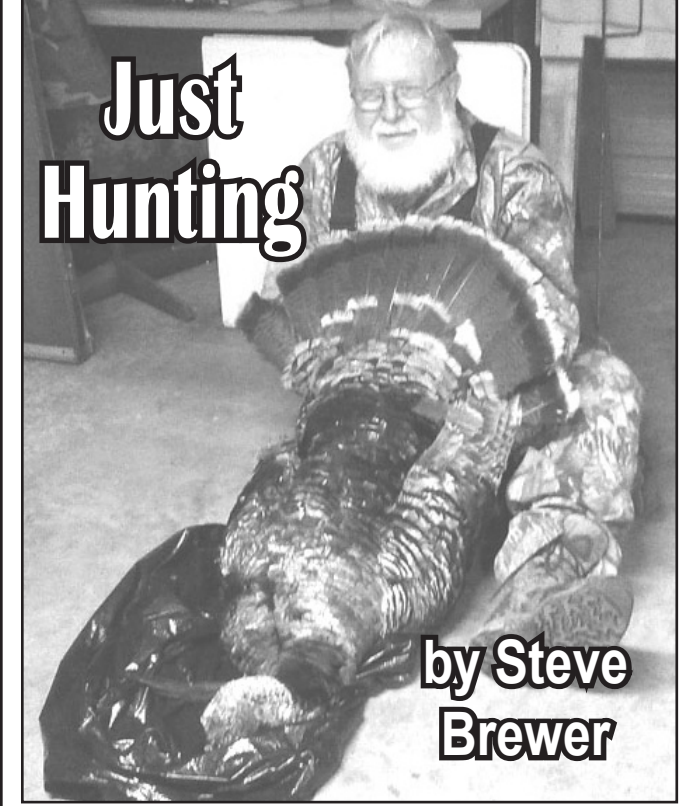
You are asked to come wearing a mask, since shoppers are in a confined area. Hopefully in another month, we will not have to require the mask. But to be on the safe side, it is a requirement this time.

We have collected many things during these months; clothes, shoes, household items, pictures frames, greeting cards, books, jewelry, etc. etc.

Our prices are still reasonable. Come and take your time to shop.

Swim Named to President's List

In recognition of academic performance, the University of the Cumberlands has announced Micah Swim of Irvine has been named to the President's List for the Spring 2021 semester. To be eligible for the President's List, students must be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours (a full course load), maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 4.0, receive an "A" grade in UC Engage, and be in good academic standing. All students who are named to the President's List at Cumberlands are automatically listed on the Dean's List as well. Well done, Micah!



At seventy-five years of age, I wonder just how much longer I can endure? I have traveled probably over 6000 miles already this year, hunting; now I am heading to St. George Island, Florida, on a fishing trip with my daughter, Nema Brewer-Candy. Add on another 1500 miles round trip, and it makes me tired

Thursday & Friday, 9-12 God's Outreach Food Pantry

God's Outreach Estill County Food Pantry is open from 9 -12 on Thursday and Friday mornings in the parking lot across from the Irvine First Church of God on Broadway. Anyone in need of supplemental or emergency food is welcome.

Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 5:30pm

Kiwanis Club of Irvine-Ravenna

The Kiwanis Club will meet Thursday, June 10, 2021, at 5:30 p.m. at the Ravenna Christian Church. Members will have an in-house auction with all proceeds going toward the many community projects of the club. New members are welcome. Anyone interested can contact any Kiwanis members. "Kiwanis—it does a community good."

Sunday-Thursday, June 13-17

Mt. Carmel Vacation Bible School

Mt. Carmel Christian Church on Furnace Junction in Ravenna, will be having a "Rocky Railway" Vacation Bible School for elementary age students, Sunday-Friday, June 13-17; Sun. at 6pm, Mon.-Thur., 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. If questions, call 606-726-9342.

Monday, June 14th at 7:00pm

SEKY Gem, Mineral & Fossil Club

The Southeast KY Gem, Mineral, & Fossil Club will have its annual meeting on Monday, June 14 at 7:00 p.m. at the Wisemantown United Methodist Church's pavilion, 1358 Wisemantown Road, Irvine. The program will be "Reptiles, Amphibians and Herbivores" presented by Taylor Pfanstiel. There will be a potluck meal for current dues paid members, with the club furnishing barbeque from House of Cue, drinks, and paper products. Members or potential members can make reservations by contacting Mary Reed or Francine Bonny. Plans will also be discussed for the Rock Show on September 25 at the Estill County Fair Barn. Anyone interested in joining is welcome to attend. Yearly dues are \$20 per family and \$15 per individual.

Friday, June 18, 2021, 11-1 and 6-8

Eastern Star Fish Fry

The Order of Eastern Star will be having a Fish Fry on Friday, June 18 at the Lodge Hall on Broadway. Lunch will be served in, or carry outs are available from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 per meal. Dinner will be served from 6-8 p.m. for \$10.00 per meal. Dine in or carry out.

Friday, June 18th at 6:30pm

Estill Arts Council Annual Meeting

The Estill Arts Council will celebrate its 20th year of arts activities and support in Estill County at its annual meeting Friday, June 18th at 6:30 p.m. It will be at the Wisemantown United Methodist Church pavilion, 1358 Wisemantown Road, Irvine. Members, families, friends, and potential members are invited to attend. Entertainment will be provided by local musicians.

EAC will furnish barbeque and side dishes from House of Cue, drinks, and paper products. RSVP by June 12 to Mary Reed, 723-4678, or Francine Bonny, 723-5694. Members will provide desserts. Membership in EAC helps to present a variety of art forms, provide educational opportunities and support, and promote area groups and artisans in Estill County.

Terry Named to UC Dean's List

In recognition of academic performance, the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs at the University of the Cumberlands has announced Kelly Terry of Waco, Kentucky, has been named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2021 semester. To be eligible for the Dean's List, students must be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours (a full course load), maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.50 and be in good academic standing. Well done, Kelly! University of the Cumberlands is one of the largest and most affordable private universities in Kentucky

Saturday, June 19, 2021 at 1:00pm ECHS Class of '70 Reunion

The Estill County High School Class of 1970 will be having their 51st class reunion at Smokehouse Grill located in Berea, Kentucky. This event will take place on Saturday, June 19, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. You will be responsible for your own meal. For more info and to RSVP, contact Linda McIntosh Howell @859-588-2904 by June 14.

Sunday, June 20, 2021 at 11:00am

South Irvine Holiness Dedication

South Irvine Holiness Church, pastored by Bro. Philip Smith, will be having a dedication service on Sunday, June 20, 2021, starting at 11:00 a.m. at 185 Sugar Hollow Road in South Irvine.

Bro. Jimmy Deckard from Louisville, Ky., will be preaching. Dinner will be served after the service.

A revival will follow the dedication service, on Monday, June 21, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. nightly. Bro. Johnny Hopgood from Arkansas will be preaching.

Pastor Smith and the congregation welcome everyone to these services. "Come, expecting a move of God."

Saturday, June 26, 2021, 10-1

Ky. Native Plant Fundraiser Sale

A Kentucky native plant fundraiser sale will be held on Saturday, June 26, 2021, 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., rain or shine, at Memorial Park on Jefferson Street in Berea, Kentucky.

Over 200 Kentucky native plants will be for sale, including over 20 species and a collection of milkweeds. All proceeds benefit non-profit nature groups. Call 859-985-0309 for further information.

Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at 6-7:30pm

Estill Woman's Democratic Club

The Estill County Woman's Democratic Club will resume meeting on Tuesday, July 13, 2021 (2nd Tuesday of every month) at the Estill County Golf Club, from 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Come join us. Together we can make a difference.

Friday, July 23, 2021 at 2:30pm

Estill ATC Grand Opening

Estill County Schools has announced the following upcoming grand opening.
Tech Center Grand Opening:
 Friday, July 23rd 2:30pm

VETERANS OFFICER TO ASSIST VETERANS

Mike Miller, field representative for the Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs for Estill County is limited to work electronically and cannot meet in person due to COVID restriction. However, veterans and their families will still be provided assistance in filing claims for state and federal benefits. This is a free service provided by the state of Kentucky. For more information, or to answer any questions you may have please call Mike Miller, Field Representative II for the KDVA, at (859)-531-9144.



Thinking Outside the Box

just thinking of it.

If I finally get drawn for the Maine moose hunt, which I have applied for 34 out of 35 years, that will add another 5000 miles on my old broken body. But remember, we only take this journey we call life once; my advice to you is make the most out of it. Again, it all settles on thinking outside the box. Not once during this bigger than a dream life of mine, have I ever had any regrets of thinking outside the box. I am sure I could have just hunted, or fished local, but I knew early on there is a great big world out there, and I was going to hunt and fish it. If you don't want to live life to the fullest, then live in your own little world, and leave the big time to people like me.

This next statement has nothing to do with hunting or fishing, but like I said once before, a person is not writing unless they can relate about the things they see in this life. Have you noticed, it is all about the dollar now days? Always remember this, the victim always is the one who pays the price, not the person who makes you the victim. Case in point, we have a cat that came here as a feral, and our other is a rescue, from the Lexington Human Society. Both stay inside, have been spayed, and their shots are up to date. I have complained from day one since moving here about the feral cat problem, to no avail. This past week, the problem came home to roost. A mommy

and daddy feral cat had a litter under our porch, the runt came to us in a weakened state, coughing eyes matted together, and nigh onto death. We got our vet to look at it; and with medicine and loving care, she is coming around. The vet told us to keep it away from our cats, because she was probably contagious. I noted today her litter mates also had the cough and matted eyes. So I called our vet to see if she could sell us some more of the medicine she had sold us for our adopted kitten. Answer nope, she had to see the other kittens. Now let us take a look at what that would mean. First, catch them; next, take them to the office at 4pm on a Friday, office closes at 5pm. Next, and here is the clincher, pay for two more cats that somebody let run loose and don't give a da-- about. We have used this vet almost from the start; now in my opinion, we will be looking for another vet, one that has compassion about the animal and will do some pro-bono work when needed. What a world we are living in. Those two kittens will probably die, but we have done our part, I think.

If we catch some grouper on our fishing trip, we will have a fish fry, that I promise. For the ones of you that thinks inside the box, the fishermen are smoking the big catfish at Ray's Holler Pay Lake. It is a really nice place to go; even take your family. Till I return from St. George Island, Florida, have a blast.