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Little Miss and Mister



Benton Williams, 6, and Raelynn Snowden, 6, were crowned Little Mister and Little Miss Estill County on Saturday night. They will represent Estill County at the Kentucky State Fair pageant on August 19.

KSP charges Ravenna man with trafficking in heroin

A Ravenna man was charged with drug trafficking on August 3 by KSP Trooper Ty Robinson. The citation states that on July 30, the trooper and Sheriff Chris Flynn went to 175 Daisy Lane to serve a warrant for Possession from Estill District Court. Trooper Robinson announced to Robert Bryon McIntosh that he had a warrant of Possession, and that McIntosh had to leave the residence. The citation states that McIntosh asked to go back inside the residence to collect a few things, and he then left the scene. According to the citation, the plaintiff/owner on the paperwork requested the trooper and sheriff to secure the inside of the residence for any illegal items/substances.

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Citizens tell Irvine council that footers are too close

by CATHY DAWES
Tribune Staffwriter

It was brought to the attention of the Irvine council on Monday night that a contractor who recently purchased properties on Broadway has been digging footers extremely close to the property line of a church. Jim Webster and Regina Robertson spoke to the council about the issue and said that the contractor has dug approximately four feet from the property line. Council member Kris Lee said that when the contractor had spoken to the council a month or so ago, he had stated he would be building back in the same location of the homes that were previously there. City Attorney Rodney Davis said the contractor should have a permit whether it be from the city or from the state. He should've also issued plans to the city council about what he would be building at that location.

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Ravenna passes budget; appoints Babb to council

by CATHY DAWES
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The Ravenna council met on Monday night in regular session. No financial report was available for the meeting because the city clerk is out due to an illness in the family. Mayor Sharon Snowden stated that she was not familiar with the computer program that is used for the city's finances, but would provide the council with a report at the next meeting. Police Chief Ken White said that he had been to a few locations in Ravenna and made several arrests. Things were slowing down in that area. Fire Chief David Harvey reported that he had responded to a fire on Chamberlain Branch where the resident was burning old recliners. Council member Chris Smyth asked Harvey if there were any current burn bans, and Harvey said no. The council read and approved the new budget for the second time. Mayor Snowden asked the council to approve the payoff of a loan in the amount of \$20,093.10.

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Runners up for Little Miss and Mister Estill County were Waylon Gabbard and Ellory Newman, both five years old.

Fiscal court announces funding for roads, bridge, other projects

Judge/Executive Donnie Watson stated at Monday's special meeting of the Estill Fiscal Court that repair work on the Irvine bridge will begin this fall. He added that the bridge will be painted next year. Estill County is receiving \$278,371 from the transportation cabinet for resurfacing roads. The county has applied for funds from the Rural Secondary Program to reconstruct a bridge on Jake's Heavenly Highway. Watson said the bridge is estimated to cost \$95,000, and the county's share will be only \$19,000. He announced that Estill County has received \$1.3 million from the American Rescue Act. Estill County is one of 17 counties in the Bluegrass Area Development District which has offered to be the administrator of those funds. County Attorney Jason Riley said the one percent fee from BGADD is a really good deal.

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Ellie Webb purchased a bouquet of flowers from Whitney Hamblin at the Estill County Farmers Market on Friday. Ellie arranged her flowers in a vase.

Covid Cases
August 9
by Estill Co. Health Dept.
Active 38*
Recovered 1236
Deaths 14
Total 1288
* Includes 7 Fully Vaccinated and 4 Partially vaccinated
Estill Co. is in the Red
39 New Cases Since 8-02

Obituaries

Jerri Lynn Brooks, 41
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