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Homecoming Queen and King will be crowned on Friday night during the football game against Morgan County at the Estill County High School. Candidates for Homecoming Queen are: Ashleigh Dozier, Zoe Deaton, McKeely Muncie, Taylor Young, Cheyenne Young, McKayla Henry, Lillian Conner, Emily Walton, Devin Frazier, Sarah Barnes, Caley Judge, and Aimee Powell.
Homecoming photos by Cathy Dawes

Former Estill Countian killed in Georgia wreck

A former Estill County resident was killed Saturday morning during an automobile collision in Walker County, Georgia, near the Tennessee state line.

The man was identified as 29 year-old Scotty "Scooter" Slawson.

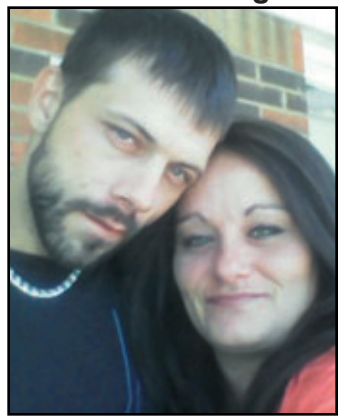
When Slawson was killed, he was allegedly driving a vehicle which had been reported stolen from Ran Richardson's Auto Sales in Irvine. Acquaintances say the vehicle turned over several times.

His girlfriend, Crystal Hatton, received only minor injuries. She was arrested in Georgia after the wreck.

The Irvine Police Department plans to extradite Hat-

ton back to Estill County. The exact charges are not known at this time. Irvine Chief Brad Smith said that he is also waiting for reports from the Georgia State Police.

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Scotty Slawson and Crystal Hatton



Candidates for Homecoming King are: Kordel Day, Chance Hall, Caleb Turner, Cameron Walters, and Richard Horn.

Fund-raising continues to buy diabetic alert dog for local girl

by CATHY DAWES
Tribune Staff Writer

The weather was perfect on Saturday as friends and family gathered at the Estill County Fairgrounds to support Rayna Goosey on her journey to get a diabetic alert dog. Goosey's mother Jill said that this was the first big event that she has organized and that she is very thankful for the amount of people that showed up to help on Saturday.

A beauty pageant was organized by Emma Day and Goosey reported that there were girls from as far as Georgetown that participated in the pageant as well as many local girls. Several local bands performed throughout the day as well as two different clogging groups. Goosey said that some of

her husband's coworkers cooked the meal for the day which consisted of pulled pork, baked beans, and potato salad and donated one hundred percent of the profits to Rayna.

Goosey said that the highlight of the day was when the Peacemakers showed up. She said that the club donated \$100 to Rayna bringing the total up to almost \$5,000.

Goosey said that they plan on setting up an informational booth at Court Day this weekend and that they will be accepting donations at that time. She is also still selling t-shirts and anyone that would like to purchase one can contact her at 606-975-4686. Goosey said they will continue raising money until they meet their goal of \$25,000.



The Peacemakers showed up at the benefit that was held for Rayna Goosey on Saturday to raise money to purchase her a diabetic alert dog.

Annexation just won't go away

by CATHY DAWES
Tribune Staff Writer

Jim Walters approached members of the Irvine council again on Monday night about the benefits the city would have if they decided to annex Richmond Road into city limits. He said that there are numerous businesses along Richmond Road that gross over a million dollars each year and the city stood to gain \$50,000 each year from each of those businesses if they would take the annex into consideration. Walters said that he had been told by two council members that they would not support the annex simply because the mayor had not discussed it with them before bringing it out into the public.

Walters reprimanded the mayor for not communicating with members of the council and urged council members to look over the proposal and take it into consideration.

"You all are elected officials and it's time to put petty issues aside and stop acting like school children," stated Walters.

The council met in special session on October 8th to set the property tax rate. There

was much confusion about the time of the council meeting but City Clerk Robin Powell said that after she had spoken with Rodney Davis she realized that the advertisement that was ran in the newspaper for two weeks stated that the time of the meeting was to be at 9 am.

Powell also said that she wanted to clarify the situation that was brought up during a meeting last month in regards to Tim Burkhardt's retirement fund. She said that a check was returned to the city in the amount of \$3,500 in which \$750 had been paid by Burkhardt himself. She said that money was returned to him and the balance given back to the city.

Rodney Davis said that council members can choose to take the retirement plan through the Kentucky state retirement system, however, two active retirement plans couldn't be held through the state by the same person. He said the situation was resolved immediately and refunds were issued back to the city and to Burkhardt.

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Another new home may be built in Ravenna with leftover funds

by CATHY DAWES
Tribune Staff Writer

Resolution #12 pertaining to the home renovations within the city was approved by members of the Ravenna council on October 12, 2015.

Bryan Kerby also asked to approve a change order for one of the homes in the amount of \$8,650. Kerby said that the home had to have new sheeting put on the roof as well as many other problems that weren't anticipated when the initial bid was placed for the renovation. He said that after the council approved the change

order that would bring the total up to \$59,608.50. The home is completely finished minus the 'punch list' which will be completed in the near future.

Kerby said that he is always very cautious with money that is left over and that there may be enough left to do another home rebuild, if not then possibly a renovation of an existing home.

"I want to know exactly how much money we have left before we take the next step," added Kerby.

He continued by saying that he receives phone calls

almost daily from people who are interested in participating in the project. Mayor Estine Tipton said that she had received a phone call from someone last week that was interested in having her home renovated but the caller didn't live in Ravenna city limits.

Trick or Treat night will be observed in Ravenna from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 29.

Tipton also reported that city workers have been busy cleaning up all they alleys within the city. She said that the project is now complete but it is actually the hom-

owner's responsibility to keep the alleys around their property clean.

Councilwoman Betty Hisel complained that there have been lots of stray dogs running loose in the city. She said that one dog in particular that is a Jack Russell has shown signs of aggression. Police Chief Ken White said that he had provided the owners of the Jack Russell a copy of the ordinance pertaining to dogs. He was under the impression that the owner of the dog had been keeping it put up but assured the council that he would return to the home and speak

with them again. He added that there is a possible fine of \$25 up to \$500 per day to anyone that does not comply with the ordinance.

Mayor Tipton said that she had received a letter from former council member William VanCleve in regards to the picnic that was held last month for volunteer fire fighters and emergency personnel. In the letter Mr. VanCleve asked for an itemized statement of expenditures for the picnic including all donations that were made as well as gifts that were given out during the picnic.

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