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## Motion to be heard on closing landfill

A motion filed by the Estill Fiscal Court will be heard today (Wednesday) in Estill Circuit Court to close the local landfill operated by Advanced Disposal.

Judge Wallace Taylor stated Monday that the landfill has violated the terms of the host community agreement.

The hearing is open to the public and will be held in the Estill Circuit Court Room, upstairs in the courthouse.

Special Judge Jean C. Logue from Madison County will be presiding.

After the fiscal court filed a lawsuit last year when TENORM was brought into the landfill, Judge Michael Dean recused himself and Judge Logue was appointed as the special judge.

Next week's Tribune will print the outcome of the hearing. If the landfill is ordered to close, a story will also tell how this will affect Estill Countians. For example, the city of Irvine does not pay to dispose of their garbage in the local landfill. The county also receives tipping fees from the landfill.

## Holiday begins with Picnic in the Park

Labor Day weekend gets started Friday evening with "Picnic in the Park," a fundraiser for River City Players. The event will be held at Veterans Memorial Park on Main Street in Ravenna.

The band, Faded Blue, will start performing at 6 p.m. They are a top vocal, variety band in Central Kentucky.

There will also be dancing during the event. Cloggers will be there, and the audience is invited to join in.

If you would like to make a tie-dye T-shirt, please take a plain white T-shirt that you wish to tie-dye with you.

The tie-dye shirts will be led by Jocelyn Lee, a tie-dye artist, who is a member of the Estill Arts Council.

Tables for the event have



Faded Blue Band will be performing Friday at Picnic in the Park, at Veteran's Memorial Park in Ravenna. Picnic in the Park is a fundraiser for River City Players. Admission is \$10 per person ages seven and over.

all been reserved, but general admission of \$10 per person ages seven and up is available. Children six and

under are admitted free.

You are welcome to bring a blanket or a chair.

You can also bring a pic-

nic lunch, but several food trucks will be on site.

All proceeds will go to "Save the Mack" fund.

## 5th Annual Revive River Drive is Saturday Law enforcement will be enforcing regular rules of the road

by CATHY DAWES  
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Labor Day weekend is just around the corner and for those of us who grew up in the 80's and 90's it's probably one of the most anticipated holidays of the entire year.

Back in the day, long before cell phones and social media were around people gathered on River Drive and hung out with their friends and cruised up and down the strip until it was time to go home. Now River Drive is somewhat of a ghost town at night with the exception of one Saturday night a year when people from all over the state come back home to Estill County to Revive River

Drive. Six years ago a group of friends put the plan into action and organized the event and with each passing year it has grown and become one of the most anticipated events of Estill County.

Most people have a three day weekend and find that it's a good time to come home to visit relatives and reunite with friends that they haven't seen in years as well as show off their vehicles.

Joe Crawford, of Estill Development Alliance, said this year is going to be just as great as it has been in the past with just a few minor changes to the night.

The grandstand where the

music will be has been moved down to Court Street to allow the traffic to flow more freely along River Drive. Chelsea Nolan, Josh Nolan, Nick Jamerson, and Kris Bentley will be performing some of their wonderful music during the night.

Fireworks are set for 10 o'clock like they have been in the past with weather permitting. Crawford said that there has always been terrific weather for the event but remnants of Hurricane Harvey are predicted to move into the area that day.

Crawford added that while they want everyone to have a good time during Revive River Drive he also wants to

stress that safety is the number one concern and that this is not a 'burn-out' event and that it never has been. Regular rules of the road will apply during the night just like they do at all other times and that the EDA and Chamber fully support the local law enforcement.

"We have a good thing here, so let's enjoy it," stated Crawford.

The first annual Color Run/Walk sponsored by the Estill County High School cheerleaders will be held on Saturday morning. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. with the 2K color walk starting at 8:30. The 5K color run will begin at 9:00.



Above is this year's new design for T-shirts. T-shirts were pre-ordered, but a limited quantity of shirts will be available for sale during Revive River Drive.

## IPD arrests driver, passenger for trafficking and possession



James Adams  
Three Forks Jail Photo



Tonia Rogers  
Clark County Jail Photo

A driver and passenger were arrested Thursday night by the Irvine Police Department and charged with trafficking in drugs.

Sgt. John Sturniolo says that a confidential informant told him the driver was selling drugs at Advanced Auto Parts on Richmond Road.

The citation states that James Adams, 50, sold heroin to the confidential informant on three separate occasions. Those transactions were allegedly audio and video recorded.

A search turned up one 4mg tizanidine pill from under the driver's seat and a round plastic case with white powder residue.

Sturniolo charged Adams with three counts of trafficking in a controlled substance, first degree (heroin), illegal possession of a legend drugs, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Adams' passenger was Tonia Rogers, 41, of Wiseman Road, Irvine.

Sturniolo says that Irvine's K-9 officer, Fritz, alerted on the vehicle.

The citation states that

Rogers had three packages of a powdery substance wrapped in yellow paper inside a chewing gum container.

It adds that Rogers sold heroin to a confidential informant on three separate occasions.

The officer stated that Rogers had eight yellow sticky pads. This was the same paper used in packaging of the powder, which field tested positive for heroin.

A digital scale was found in the truck along with yellow paper pads in a case.

Rogers' citation states that she made drug deals while being audio and video recorded.

She was charged with three counts of trafficking in a controlled substance, first degree (heroin), possession of a controlled substance (heroin), attempt to traffick in a controlled substance, first degree (heroin), and possession of drug paraphernalia.

They were arraigned Monday in Owsley County.

Adams' bail was set at \$20,000 cash, while Rogers' bail was set at \$10,000



Mary and Roscoe Rucker of Winchester Road in Irvine, took advantage of the nice weather last week to pick beans from their garden for canning and freezing.

### Obituaries

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