

Candidate Forum

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"You can't send them to rehab for a week and say you're cured," stated Bush.

Muncie said there was no drug treatment facility close by. He would like to see one closer.

On economic development, Farmer encouraged everyone to start shopping and eating at home.

Snowden said Ravenna is fortunate to have small businesses and she named them off.

Flinchum addressed low voter turnout due to apathy on both sides. She stated voters didn't see anything but turmoil.

"If you're eligible to vote, you should," stated Farmer.

Tipton said the biggest complaints in Ravenna were on abandoned homes, and the streets in bad shapes.

The candidates were asked what were the duties of the mayor and council.

Snowden stated the mayor oversees running the city, while the council's main job is creating laws and ordinances to make the city better and safer.

Flinchum said it was okay for a mayor and council to disagree, but hug each other and go home.

Farmer stated that unity was important. He said a city will not move forward unless the mayor and council work together.

"The mayor needs help too. It takes all of us working together to make a body," Tipton said.

Bush mentioned a great resource for mayors and councils, a handbook used all across Kentucky that was written by Estill native, J.B. Chaney.

The next forum will be held Thursday at the high school auditorium. It will feature jailer and county clerk candidates.

Local Police Activity Report

• **Brian K. Jones**, 47, of Church Street, Irvine was arrested Sept. 20 by Officer Colton Lewis. He was charged with tampering with physical evidence, possession of a controlled substance, first degree and second offense (methamphetamine), and public intoxication.

The officer also served a bench warrant on Jones.

• **Jessica Dawn Marcum**, 30, of Wagersville Road, Irvine, was cited Sept. 19 on Richmond Road for operating on a suspended or revoked operator license, failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, and failure to wear seat belts by Officer Lewis.

• Four bench warrants were served Sept. 21 on **Timothy L. Powell**, 44, of Noland Creek Road, Irvine by Officer Jason Conrad. Two warrants were from Madison County and one each from Estill and Fayette counties.

• On Sept. 22, **Kenneth W. Gibson**, 40, of Highway 89, Irvine, was charged with no tail lamps, one headlight, reckless driving and operating a motor vehicle under the influence by Officer Lewis.

• A bench warrant was served on **Christy Henry**, 33, of Rosebud Avenue, Irvine by Officer Lewis. It charged her with criminal trespassing third degree on July 11.

• **Brian Keith Howard**,

30, of Fairborn, Ohio, was cited for failure to wear seat belts and operating a motor vehicle under the influence on Sept. 22. Officer Lewis was the arresting officer.

• **Deloris A. Dunn**, 44, of London, Ky. was cited for one headlight and failure to maintain insurance on Sept. 19. The citation was issued by Officer Sean Davis.

• Officer Conrad served a Madison District Court bench warrant on **Erica J. Sizemore**, 39, of Ridge Road, Irvine on Sept. 24.

• An Estill District bench warrant was served on **Jessica Moses**, 37, of Ravenna on Sept. 20 by Officer Conrad.

• Officer Davis served a criminal summons and an arrest warrant from Madison District Court on **Austin W. Morris**, 20, of Raintree Court, Irvine.

• **Anthony Scott Arvin**, 36, of Kirkland Avenue, Irvine was served with an arrest warrant from Estill District Court on Sept. 24 by Officer Conrad.

• The same officer served a warrant from Estill District Court on **Danny G. Smith**, 50, homeless on Sept. 24.

• **Brooke Ann Jones**, 37, of High Street Irvine was charged with alcohol intoxication on Sept. 19 by Officer Lewis.

• **James Allan Combs**, 29, of 8th Street, Ravenna was charged with no brake lights and no registration

plates on Sept. 19 by Officer Lewis.

• **Denny L. Farley**, 40, of Main Street, Irvine was served with an Estill District Court bench warrant on Sept. 29 by Officer Lewis.

The bench warrant accuses Farley of failing to appear for a pre-trial conference on charges of operating on a suspended or revoked license and failure to give an improper signal.

• An arrest warrant obtained by Chief Brad Smith of the Irvine Police Department was served by Officer Sean Davis, Sept. 29, on **Randall Anglin**, 39, of Main Street, Ravenna.

The warrant says that Anglin took a purple Motorola cell phone from Patricia Jones on August 17. Jones reported the theft to IPD.

After an investigation, IPD says the department recovered the phone from Anglin, who was charged with theft by unlawful taking under \$500. The charge is a misdemeanor.

• A parole violation warrant was served Sept. 27 on **Shellena Stone** by Officer Davis. The warrant says that Stone was convicted in Estill Circuit Court of two counts of criminal possession of a forged instrument in the second degree. She was paroled on July 17.

The warrant was issued because the Parole Board says that Stone has abscond-

ed parole supervision, failure to complete treatment for substance abuse, and failure to report to her parole officer as directed.

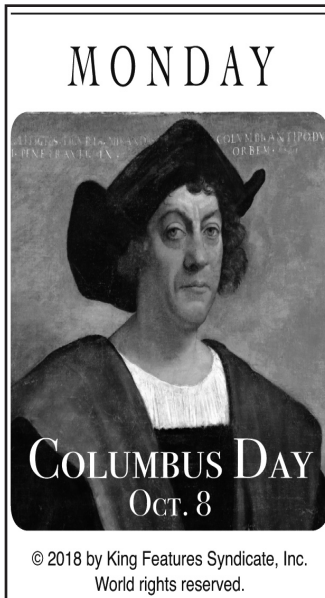
• Estill District Judge Wm. Leach issued a bench warrant for **Misty D. Wilson**, 37, of Henry White Road, Irvine. It says she failed to pay fines.

Wilson had been found guilty in Estill District Court on Feb. 21 of theft by unlawful taking or disposition under \$500 and assault fourth degree.

Judge Leach set her bail at \$273 cash.

• An indictment warrant was served on **Monty Steelman**, 33, of Winchester Road, Irvine on Sept. 26 by Officer Lewis.

The indictment charged Steelman with receiving stolen property under \$10,000.



Woman arrested for theft of many lawn ornaments

An Irvine woman has been charged with the theft of lawn ornaments in decorations throughout Irvine and Ravenna.

Alicia June Strange, 27, of Cantrill Street, Irvine was arrested Sept. 27 by Officer Colton Lewis on a felony charge of receiving stolen property under \$10,000.

The warrant was obtained by Chief Ken White. It says between August 23 and 27, Strange had items in her possession that were stolen from various victims.

The victims were reported stolen from Tony Murphy, Masrha Coleman, Charlotte Brown, Deanna Witt, Beverly Hall, Woody Embry, Debra Combs, Linda Estes, and Charlie Henry.

The warrant says during the investigation, Chief White discovered that Strange had the items in her possession and later sold them.

The items were valued at a total of \$1,200.

Bail for Strange has been set at 10% of a \$5,000 cash bond.

She was arraigned Friday in Estill District Court where she pled not-guilty. Judge Wm. Leach scheduled for her to be in court on Oct. 5 for a preliminary hearing.

Irvine Officer Jason Conrad served a bench warrant from Fayette County on Strange.

She was found guilty on May 10 in Fayette County of theft by unlawful taking or disposition under \$500.

The warrant was issued because Strange failed to appear. Her bail was issued at \$364.00.

Test Scores

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The district will review the plan in 30, 60, and 90 days.

"If any school doesn't improve, they become a CSI," he stated.

CSI stands for Comprehensive Support Instruction, and schools in that category receive state assistance.

"We have made some great improvements over three years, but we've got some work to do," Saylor stated. "We are going to be focusing on teaching and learning."

Reece commented on the changing of the tests. The tests given in the spring were given for the first time.

She doesn't yet know if high school students will be tested on the ACT test this year or another test.

Next year's tests will give students and schools ratings of one to five stars.

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