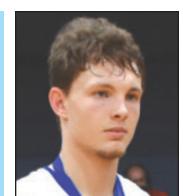
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**IRVINE & RAVENNA, KENTUCKY 40336** 

# Judge announces road work at court meeting

Judge/Executive Kevin the district. Williams gave his first ad-January 1.

He described the first 50 days as a whirlwind.

The Main Street road project will be completed this spring, but Williams expects three other projects to

Projects he mentioned include the straightening of of Emergency Management, Hinkles, the company which Highways 82 and 89 from said the drill will be at 10:07 filed a lawsuit over an un-Palmer to the county line, a.m. He added this comes on paid bill. along with a hairpin curve the first anniversary of severe near the golf course.

decking.

He congratulated the high

dress Monday night since one to wear blue to support for the Mushroom Festival. being appointed judge on the varsity ball team, which gional match on Wednesday. have elections," he stated.

> He asked everyone to get involved with the Read election materials and rents America project at Estill the voting machines to Estill Springs on March 2.

be put on the six year road Thursday was a statewide 2017. tornado drill.

The Irvine bridge will be till County last March 1. The day has been scheduled for repainted after it gets new damaging storms were not the lawsuit the county has considered to be tornados.

school cheerleaders and boys been some trash picked up. on March 22. basketball team for winning He encouraged everyone to

pick up in front of their prop-He encouraged every- erties and get things ready

"We are paid up with plays Wolfe County in a re- Harp Enterprises so we can

Harp Enterprises prepares County. There was no elec-Williams stated that tion in Estill County during

Williams also added the Ronnie Riddell, director county has paid \$169,000 to

County Attorney Rodney storms that came through Es- Davis announced a court against the landfill over TE-Williams said there has NORM. It will by at 9 a.m.

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Tom Bonny, Nelle Williams, and Ernest Farmer led the Pledge to the Flag at the Community Prayer Service Saturday. Each of them gave a short speech.

# **Many attend Community Prayer Service, Saturday**

Several hundred people at- in Kentucky and Florida. tended a Community Prayer Service Saturday afternoon which was organized by Pastor Bill Wesley of the Body of Christ Ministry in Irvine.

Wesley serves as Chaplain of the Ravenna Police our leaders. Department.

after recent school shootings

for making threats.

service was for police offi- of Christian values." cers, military, students, and

The prayer service came music. Multiple speakers ons. gave short speeches.

Former Irvine Mayor Last week, two Estill stu- Ernest Farmer received a dents were also sent home standing ovation when he said, "It's time we elected Wesley stated the prayer officials that have some kind

Tom Bonny, former superintendent of Estill Schools, is The program began with now a member of the Gide-

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Connie Witt, chairperson of the Estill County Republican Party. asked the many children in attendance at Friday night's rally to help her lead the Pledge to the flag. Another rally is being planned for closer to the election.

## School board delays choice of 2018-19 school calendar

by CATHY DAWES **Tribune Staff Writer** 

Members of the Estill County school board met in special session on February 22nd and began by recognizing the Mountain Movers for the month of February.

recognized as the Community Mountain position. Mover because of the volunteer work that she does within the school system and for also being a distinguished citizen of Estill County.

Samantha Rawlins was recognized as the Rawlins has worked as a clerk at the Estill County Middle School for three years and was nominated for her positive attitude and excellent service to the Estill County schools.

the Estill County High School and has built in the fall of 2018. the program from the ground up.

Superintendent Jeff Saylor also recognized Board member Rhonda Hardy for serving as director at large for a 3 year term for the KSBA (Kentucky School Boards Association). Saylor said that there are only nine directors across the state, and it's a Estine Tipton, mayor of Ravenna, was huge honor for Hardy to be chosen for the

> After the recognitions, the board moved on to discuss the construction time-line and project updates that will begin soon throughout the district.

"The people blessed this school district Classified Mountain Mover of the month. by passing the recallable nickel," stated Saylor.

Board members Donna Isfort and L.W. Beckley volunteered to serve on the steering committee for the new technical center.

A reduction in staff was discussed at Jason Bowles was recognized as the Cerlength by the board. Saylor explained that tified Mountain Mover of the month. Bowles six teaching positions would be eliminated was nominated for his creativity and strong next fall. He said that he had until May 15th leadership skills. He is the band director at to notify those that would not be returning

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### I County Engineers Win 56th District Titles



The Estill County Engineers, coached by Jon Bentley, won the 56th District basketball tournament last week with an easy opening-round win over the Lee County Bobcats, 62-22; then took a 64-45 victory over the Powell County Pirates in the championship. Estill will play in the second game of the first round of the 11th Region Tournament at Perry County Central on Wednesday, February 28, 2018, against the Wolfe County Wolves. Estill also won the regular season 56th District trophy and is undefeated, 8-0, against district teams. They are 23-7 overall.