

Jackson Energy Volunteers help out at Ronald McDonald Houses

Last week, volunteers from Jackson Energy Cooperative helped Ronald McDonald House Charities brighten the day for families attending to a child who is in the hospital.

"Kentucky's Ronald McDonald Houses provide an invaluable service to families at one of the most stressful times of their lives—when their child is sick in the hospital," said Renita Fox, one of the volunteers. Renita is the Jackson Energy North District Manager and works from the Beatyville Office. Also volunteering was Lynne House, a Member Service Representative in Manchester Office. "It is an honor for Jackson Energy to help provide a bit of comfort to those families," House said.

They joined volunteers from other Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives in lending a hand at the Ronald McDonald House in Lexington, where they prepared breakfast, lunch and dinner for residents.

During 2018, Jackson Energy, along with the other Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives, will sponsor Ronald McDonald Houses in Lexington and Louisville, providing funds to support the facilities and also lending a hand to provide that "home" for families during their time of need.

Throughout 2018, cooperative employees and their families will volunteer occasionally to assist with providing meals, restocking supplies, cleaning and decorating at both of Kentucky's Ronald McDonald Houses.

"We are so grateful for the generosity of Touchstone Energy Cooperatives and the commitment they have shown in their time, talent, and treasure," said Nate Graham, Executive Director of RMHC of the Bluegrass. "This is a great example of a strategic partnership that will allow both Touchstone Energy Cooperatives and RMHC of the Bluegrass to have a greater impact on the children and families we serve from all over Kentucky. Without the love, passion, and commitment from our community partners and friends we could not serve these children and families when they need us most."

"On behalf of the families we serve at Ronald McDonald House Charities of Kentuckiana, we thank Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives for your generous support," said Hal Hedley, Chief Executive Officer of RMHC of Kentuckiana. "We proudly provide a loving, caring "home-away-from-home" for families of seriously

ill children, regardless of their ability to pay, and we could not do so without supporters like you."

Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Bluegrass in Lexington create and support programs that directly improve the health and well-being of children and to strength-

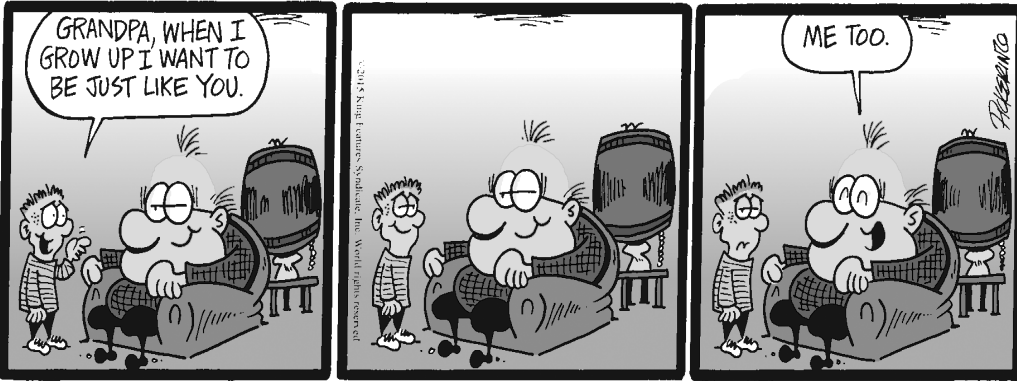
en families by keeping them together in times of medical need. Lexington's Ronald McDonald House is located adjacent to the University of Kentucky's Kroger Field football stadium. Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives will be Best Friend of the House during 2018.



Jackson Energy's Lynne House, left, and Renita Fox, right, recently helped prepare meals as volunteers at the Ronald McDonald House in Lexington. Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives are sponsoring Ronald McDonald Houses in Kentucky during 2018. (Photo courtesy of Karen Combs, Member Services Manager, Jackson Energy)

The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

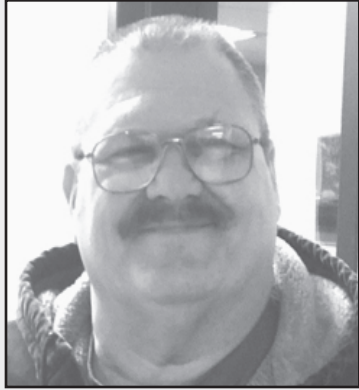


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**I look forward to the opportunity to serve my community
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Paid by James E. Gross



Ken White for Estill County Sheriff

My name is Ken White and I am a candidate for Estill County Sheriff. One of the main reasons I want to be Sheriff is because I care about Estill County and the people in it. I want to make this county safe for all families to live in. I now have grandchildren that are going to grow up in Estill County and I want it to be a safe environment for them as well as your children.

After graduating from the police academy, I've worked many years in law enforcement including over 14 years as Chief of Police in Ravenna. I have been the chairman for the Estill County Toys for Tots program for 16 years, so I have been able to talk to numerous people throughout the years and have heard their concerns and complaints. I look forward to working with everyone to make any necessary changes.

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