



Despite the sweltering heat on Friday night, many people hit the track to walk the survivor's lap during Relay for Life. (Photo by Cathy Dawes)



Officers from the Irvine and Ravenna Police Departments participated in the Policeman Memorial that was held on Thursday night on Main Street in front of the courthouse. (Photo by Cathy Dawes)



Dr. Tammy Horn Potter, state apiarist, spoke at the Estill County Historical & Genealogical Society for the second Moonlight Market. Above, she is holding a Mason bee house. A decreasing bee population is threatening the food supply. Potter, an alumni of Estill County High, recommended using liquid insecticides and spraying after 5 p.m. to help protect bees.



Live music is part of the Moonlight Market. Four more are scheduled on the third Friday of each month, through the fall.



Vendors set up at Friday night's Moonlight Market. Among the vendors were the local Boy Scout troop and River City Players. Vendors had jewelry and T-shirts for sale.



Major Brett Ringger in the Air National Guard, front, was one of the optometrists working with Operation Bobcat on Monday in Lee County. Major Ringger has a practice in Texas. His first visits to Eastern Kentucky were because of Operation Bobcat. He said this operation was what he liked to do best. Multiple optometrists work in a row on patients, similar to the dental patient set-up. Operation Bobcat offers free medical, dental, and vision services through Sunday. Weekday and Saturday hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and Sunday's hours are from noon to 4 p.m. Anyone can use the service located at Estill County High School. Residents do not have to show insurance or ID cards.

Estill Spartans win Stanton Tournament



The Spartans 8U travel baseball team out of Estill County, brought home the championship while playing in the Summer Slam Tournament in Stanton over the weekend. Great job, Spartans! Left to right, front: Colt Carter, Ian Weekley, Frankie Muncy, Ian Tipton, Kandon Crowe. Middle: Hunter Bingham, Connor Gregory, Parker Johnson, Lindon Haggard, Logan Kenney. Back: head coach Josh Bingham, assistant coaches Stephen Gregory, Jason Johnson, Josh Carter. (Photo courtesy of Josh Bingham)