

# Marching Engineers named Reserve Champion at Madison Southern

This Estill County Marching Engineers traveled to Berea this past weekend to compete in the Madison Southern Eagle Classic where they for the second week in a row were named the top band in their class. In addition, Estill was named Reserve Grand Champion behind one of the top 4A bands in the state.

The band turned in another strong preliminary performance and received best Color Guard, and 1st place in class AA, beating Garrard County for the second straight week.

After advancing to finals, the band had their best performance yet and finished in second place overall out of a fifteen band field. The scores later revealed that they were only 1.3 points away from Grand Champions Madison Central.

Madison Central has been one of the strongest bands in the state over the years in their respective class while Estill County has continued to be at the top of their class for several years. One year, both the Central and Estill bands won the state in their respective classes.

The Marching Engineers will be honing up their skills on the practice field this week in preparation for competition at Pulaski County in Somerset next week against some west-central bands. Estill will be competing in Class AAA against Wayne County, Marion County, and Glasgow. Two 4A bands, Southwestern and Barren County, will also be competing. Somerset, Danville, and Harlan will be competing in Class A, while Knox Central will be the only 2A band scheduled.



The Estill County Marching Engineers perform in front of the home crowd at Hoover Niece Field in Irvine.

# Engineers take it on the chin at Breathitt County, 50-13

The Estill County Engineers traveled to Jackson last weekend to face an old foe in the Breathitt County Bobcats and came home on the losing side in a lightning delayed contest, 50-13.

Estill stayed pretty close during the first half but following a lightning delay, the Bobcats pulled away easily.

"Breathitt County is a good football team," remarked Estill head coach Jordan Marcum, "probably the 2nd best team we will play all year and top 10 in all of 2A. So hats off to them."

"Our kids played a really good quarter and a half, until the lightning delay and that is where things turned for the worst. We were only

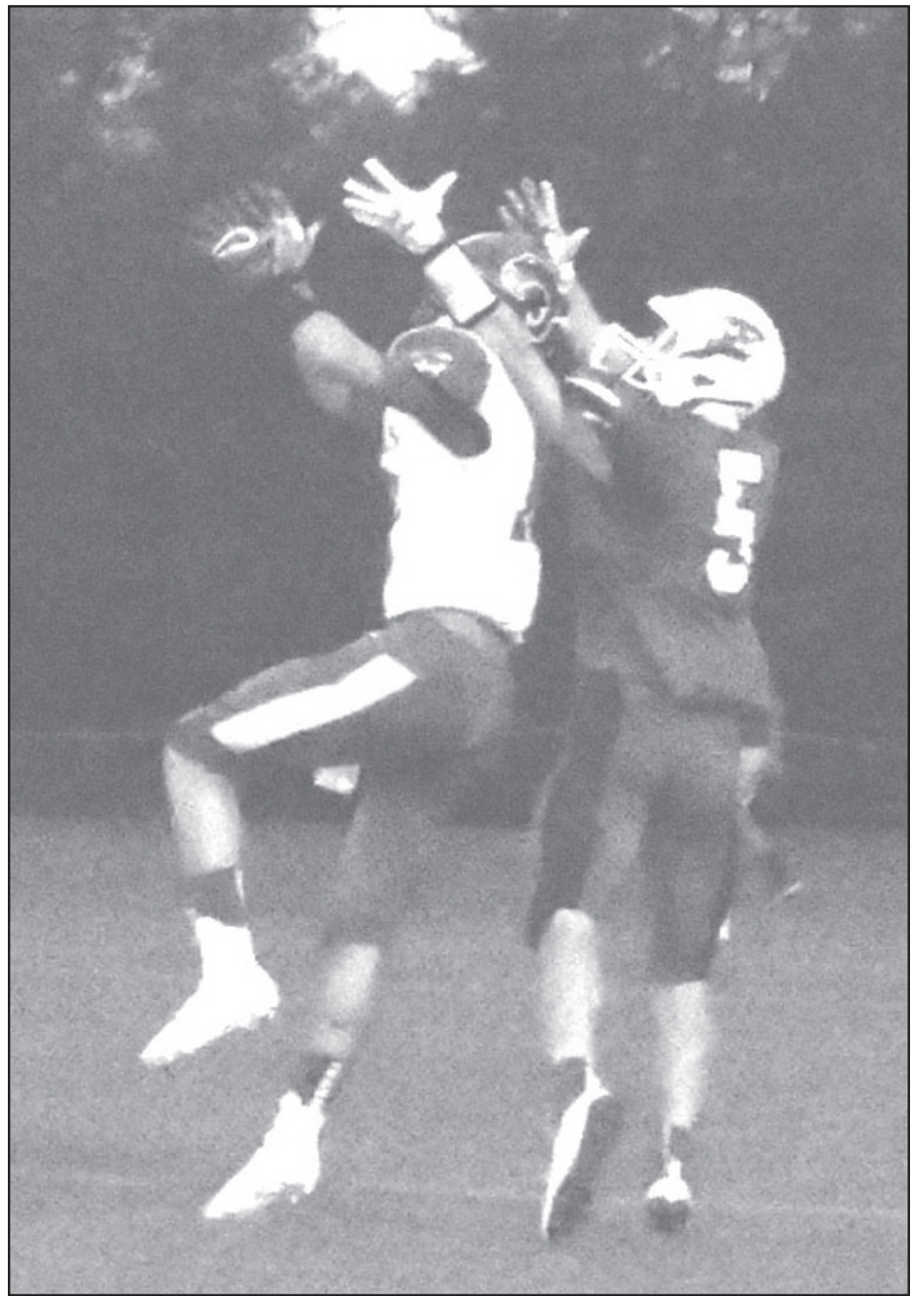
down 8 and we were driving the ball down the field with 4:24 to go in the half with the possibility to score before half and maybe tie the game. Instead we mentally broke down, turned the ball over and they score twice to go in at half up 35-13. We were done after that.

"On the bright side, we did do some things really well. We forced Breathitt County to having to drive the field twice against our defense to make a scoring drive last longer than 4 or 5 plays which is usually how quick they can score. We also led the game at the end of 1st quarter and no one has been able to do that all year against them. So there is a lot of little things to take away from the game. But indeed we have a long way to go still. We will get back on track this week against Lynn Camp before we begin district play."

Senior Justin Stampfer picked up 117 yards rushing and one touchdown to lead Estill, while sophomore Jonothan Short gained 43 and quarterback Ty Niece carried for 35. Estill had 195 total yards rushing. Senior Wyatt Francisco had one fumble recovery for a touchdown.

Short led on tackles with 8 and Niece added 4 for the Engineers.

Estill travels on Friday night to take on Lynn Camp at Corbin. The 1A school is located in Knox County near Corbin which is at the corner of three counties. Last year, they had one of their best seasons ever with a 10-2 record. They are 2-2 in this season.



Estill County senior wide receiver Noah Lutes (#5) narrowly missed a touchdown reception during the Engineers game with Letcher County Central.

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## OBITUARIES

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Sunday, September 15, 2019

### Daw Miller Jr., 72



Daw Miller, Jr., age 72, of Stacy Lane Road in Irvine, Kentucky, passed away Sunday, September 15, 2019, at the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond, following a short illness.

He was born September 19, 1946 in Estill County and was the son of the late Daw Miller Sr. and Kate Edmonson Miller. He served in the United States Army during the Vietnam Era. He was a retired instructor with the Bluegrass Community and Technical College and was a member and deacon of the Valley View Baptist Church. He had lived in Estill County all his life.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife of 50 years, Mildred "Midge" Murphy Miller; two sons: David Miller (Audrea), Estill County; and Toby Miller (Adriana), Madison County; four sisters: Helen Woolery, Loretta Crowe, Mary Logsdon and

Judy Lynch, all of Estill County; and three grandchildren: Devin, Deron and Jacquelynn Miller.

He was preceded in death by seven sisters: Odie Bishop, Cleo Bishop, Joyce Riddell, Dolly Crowe, Bonnie Riddell, Ruth Norton and Curlean Riddell.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, September 18, 1:00 p.m., at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Todd Blevins and Bro. Ricky Powell. Burial will be at the West Irvine Cemetery. Military Rites will be provided by the American Legion Post 79 Honor Guard. Friends called between 6 and 9 p.m., Tuesday, September 17th at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, donations are suggested to the Compassionate Care Center in Richmond, KY.

<TolerFuneralHome.com>

### Estill County Engineers 2019 Boys Soccer

Sep 17	Bath County	H	6:00
Sep 19	Jackson City	H	8:00
Sep 21	Berea	H	12:00
Sep 23	Bluegrass United	H	8:00
(Lexington Ky. Home School)			
Sep 24	Menifee County	H	6:00
Sep 26	Powell County	H	6:00
Sep 30	South Laurel	A	6:00
Coach: James R. Sutter			

### Estill County Lady Engineers 2019 Girls Soccer

Sep 18	Menifee County	H	6:00
Sep 19	Whitley County	H	6:00
Sep 23	Bluegrass United	H	6:00
(Lexington Ky. Home School)			
Sep 24	Fleming County	H	8:00
Sep 26	Powell County	H	8:00
Oct 3	Morgan County	A	6:00
Coach: Emily R. Walton			

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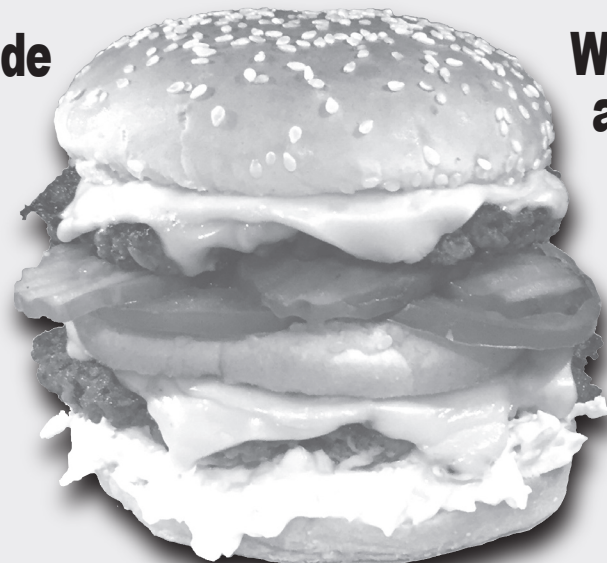
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Savage Omelet

Catfish Dinner

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