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## EAGLEVILLE CHAPTER OF FFA—WINNING TRADITION CONTINUES

The Eagleville Chapter of FFA has a strong tradition of competition and excellence. FFA chapter activities actually begin in the summer before the school year begins. Students spend a week at Camp Clements Leadership camp, involved in all aspects of FFA. Activities include sports, competitions, talent show and workshops to train these students for the various leadership roles they will assume. At the conclusion of camp, awards are given

During the school year competitions involve a large number of students and offer a wide variety of experiences. For freshman students, reciting the Creed is always challenging and Eagleville students have a strong reputation in this competitive event. In school year 2003-04, the Chapter representative in Creed is Erika Grocock and she placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the District. She competes at the State in May. In addition to Creed, the Opening and Closing Team,

made of freshman students is competitive at the District and Regional Level, this year placing 1<sup>st</sup> in the District, 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Region and are competing in the State competition May 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>. This team has members portraying each of the elected offices as well as the advisor by demonstrating the various roles and dialogue of a Chapter meeting. Team members include Erika Grocock, Mac Jones, Chad Green, Kendra Harrell, Chelsea Doss, Bridget Monroe, and John David Proctor.

Other successful teams from the Eagleville School FFA chapter include the Horse Judging Team which placed in the top ten of Middle Tennessee. Members include Dustin Lamb, Josh Bolden, Sarah Hedgepath, and Maggie Jackson. The Soil Judging Team, whose members include Dustin Lamb, Luke Reynolds, Jesse Emery, Skye Stelter, Sarah Hedgepath, Molly Burrows, Brittney Houser, Ashley Bolden, Nick Alcorn,



FFA Officers for 2003-2004. Front Row L-R: Jessica Harrell, Skye Stelter, Katie Shapcott. Back Row L-R: Josh Bolden, Brandon Harper, Dustin Lamb, Jesse Emery.

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## EAGLEVILLE SAILPLANE—OFFERS A BIRDS EYE VIEW

If you look towards the horizon at Bedford County, Rutherford County line on a sunny Saturday or Sunday afternoon, you can see what looks like "follow the leader" in the sky. A closer look reveals that actually the illusion is a tow plane with a glider following, climbing higher in the sky. Against the blue sky with the sun shinning, the planes are a peaceful picture. And from their birds eye view in the cockpit, Glider Pilots enjoy the serenity of non- motorized flight and the views they capture.

Eagleville SailPlane has been operated by Bill and Kathy McFarlane since 1984. Located on Highway 41, at Russell Puckett Field, the facility includes an office, hangers for the planes and gliders, and a grass runway, perfect for smooth

take offs and soft landings for the gliders. The gliders or sailplanes themselves are made from a combination of carbon composites, fiberglass, aluminum, wood and special fabric stretched over steel tubing. Gliders can seat one person and weigh as little as 250 lbs, or accommodate up to three people and weigh as much as 1000 lbs. Wing spans can vary from just under 40 feet to over 90 feet from tip to tip. While some people chose to purchase a manufactured glider there are also kits available for the "do it yourself" types.

Rather than using an engine, glider planes flown in Tennessee utilize what is known as thermals

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Lliam McFarlane - Ready for take-off.

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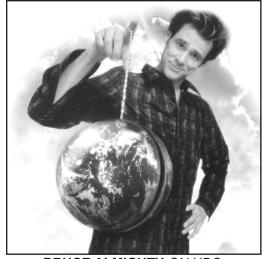
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## **Eagleville City Election**

Vice Mayor Ronnie Hill, Councilman Terry Zumbro and newcomer M.A. Smitty won seats in the recent Eagleville City election.

Ronnie Hill received the most votes, 95 of the 324 votes cast in the election on Tuesday, April 20th, completing his second consecutive term and beginning a third. Terry Zumbro received 86 votes, and was elected to a second term on the council. Newly elected, M.A. Smitty, a local barber, received 82 votes.

The officials will be sworn into office of the Council on Tuesday, May 4, 2004.









City Election workers L-R: Ginger Lamb, Lela Rooker, Jane Jackson, Fakie Bracey. Below, Fakie Bracey assisting Mr. & Mrs. Pete Tucker and at left, Mr. & Mrs. Grandville Underwood on the new Microvote Voting System used for the first time at the Eagleville polls.





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Athletes & Jr. Beta Club - Front row L to R: Charles Thomison-Hall, Cameron Decker, Levon Mastin, Michaela Weatherington, Sarah Farmer, Cameron Lounds, Keith Ivey. Back row L to R: Justin Keith, Tiffany Sirikoun, Chris Croutch, David Uselton, Misty Davenport, Megan Snoddy, Whitley Hapson, Amanda Stall, Ryan Colbert, Drew Gentry

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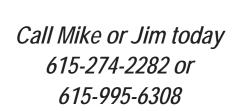
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The Parliamentary Procedure Team, which demonstrates correct Rules of Order used in formal meetings practices a great deal proceeding competitions. Team members Josh Bolden, Dustin Lamb, Ashley Bolden, Kinsey Doss, Sarah Hedgepath, and Skye Stelter placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Sectionals. Speaking contests highlight the skills of students and include Prepared, Extemporaneous, and Job Interview. Skye Stelter placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Sectionals in Prepared Speaking, Josh Bolden placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Sectionals in Extemporaneous Speaking, and Kinsey Doss placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District, 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Sectionals, and 4<sup>th</sup> in the Regions in Job Interviewing.

During the spring, the Skills Team sharpen their tools and skills in preparation for a series of contest. This spring the Team competed in the District contests with extraordinary results. First place winners included Jesse Emery for Plumbing, Mac Jones for 3 -Way Switch (Electricity), Matt Mitchell for Arc Welding, David Jones for Rafter Cutting, John Jones

for Board Fitting, and Dustin Lamb and Josh Bolden for Land Measurement. Molly Burrows and Sarah Hedgepath placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the District for Land Elevation, Darren Shanks placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the District for Tool identification, and Katie Shapcott placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the District for Masonry.

The Dairy Judge Team, consisting of students Rebecca Blackwell, Sarah Hedgepath, Maggie Jackson, and Molly Burrows placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District and 9<sup>th</sup> in the Region. Dustin Lamb, Josh Bolden, Dustin Manning and David Jones are members of the Livestock Judging Team and placed 1<sup>st</sup> in the District and 11<sup>th</sup> in the Region.

For the chapter there are 4 State Degree Winners and 1 State Proficiency Equine Finalist. The Chapter is the Mid-state District Overall Champion for the 19<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Year and received the State of Tennessee Superior Chapter Award.

May brings State Convention in Gatlinburg where the Eagleville Chapter meets other Chapters from around the state, attends meetings, competes, learns and enjoys the fellowship FFA provides. State degrees are awarded for those who have earned them.

The culmination of the Eagleville Chapter FFA

year is the annual FFA banquet held at the school. The officer team does a good job creating a scrap book to highlight the year, a slide show for presenting at the banquet and convening the meeting for members and guests. The banquet offers the sponsor of FFA, Mr. Haley, the opportunity to recognize individual, team and chapter accomplishments and to say farewell to his seniors. The new officer team is also installed at the banquet. The Jeremy Jones Memorial Scholarship is awarded at the banquet as well.

GOOD LUCK AT STATE. GREAT JOB EAGLEVILLE CHAPTER OF FFA--- THE TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE CONTINUES AND WE SALUTE YOU!

### From Page 1 GLIDER

to remain aloft. A small engine tow plane takes the glider to the sky. Once the plane reaches optimal height, the tow cable is disconnected and the glider is on its own, gliding. By steering the glider and catching the strong warm air that rises from the earth known as thermals, the gliders can stay aloft for hours. One flight Kathy McFarlane recorded lasted 8 ½ hours. Gliders can soar to 40,000 feet but the average height of local gliders is 1 mile high.

Flying a glider is a learned skill. In order to safely stay aloft and safely land, the pilot must understand aerodynamics and learn to control the glider. It takes approximately 24 lessons to be proficient in knowledge and

skill to "solo". Lliam McFarlane, Bill and Kathy's son soloed at age 14.

Eagleville Sailplane offers Glider excursions for those who want to fly as the birds do, but with someone else on the controls. The cost for a ride in the glider is \$50.00. Lessons are also available for those who are hooked on the sport and want to eventually solo. These cost \$56.00. To contact Bill or Kathy about the Eagleville Sailplane call the airport on weekends at 615-274-6341 or during the week at their home at 931-294-2280.



(Above) Don & Melany Alexander, preparing for take-off.





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Highway 96
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(615) 395-7521
Morning Worship: 10:00 am
Evening Worship: 6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening: 7:00 pm

**Apostolic Faith Church** 6764 Arno Allisona Road College Grove, TN 37046 (615) 368-7555

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Sunday School: 9:30 am
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Pastor: Ken Sharp
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Morning Worship: 11:00 am
Sunday School: 10:00 am
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Wednesday Evening: 7:00 pm

Rover Baptist Church 202 Baptist Church Road Eagleville, TN 37060 (931) 294-5840 Triune Baptist Church Pastor: Lloyd Lawrence 8094 Horton Highway Arrington, TN 37014 (615) 395-4079



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College Grove First Baptist Church 8813 Horton Highway College Grove, TN 37046 (615) 368-7892 Sunday Worship: 11:00 am Sunday School: 9:45 am Sunday Evening: 6:00 pm Wednesday Evening: 7:00 pm

Rockvale First Independent
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Sunday School: 10:00 am
Sunday Evening: 6:00 pm
Wednesday Evening: 7:00 pm

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Sunday School: 9:45 am
Wednesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm

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Sunday School: 9:45 am
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Wednesday Bible Study: 6:00 pm

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### Eagleville & Chittlin Supper, March 13, 2004

A Saturday afternoon trip to Eagleville - By Woodrow Luttrell

This is an e-mail by Woodrow Luttrell to his Maryland grandson, Darren Crowe. Woodrow is the husband of Gladys Carlton Luttrell, who grew up in Eagleville and died recently. She was in the Eagleville High School class of 1935, and a member of the championship girls basketball teams.

#### Darren.

An obituary of Gladys was printed in the March issue of The Eagleville Times and our longtime friend, Linda Marable on Rocky Glade Road, mailed me a copy. Immediately I read the frontpage story about the big Chittlin Supper to be on Saturday, March 13. That motivated me to go see the Town and to the Community Club House to eat Chittlins - for the first time in my life.

In the event you "know not" what chittlins are, consult Webster. I believe the correct spelling might be "chitterlins or chitterlings. I took them fried rather than boiled, for fear the boiled ones would slide down before being chewed. It was good to have Louisiana Hot Sauce readily available on each table. The white beans, "'freedom" fries, slaw, & fried hoecakes (fried cornbread) all tasted real good. My eyes were closed and taste buds turned off when I ate the chittlins. Missing on tables was Alka-Seltzer.

So, Saturday was a "Now When" Luttrell History time, rather than a "Back When" experience as 4-H Club and County Agent, 1946, 47 & 48. But the Back When part came - which was seeing my four

Rutherford County former 4-H (or YF&H) Dismukes boys (brothers from the Leana Community). who were there, and active in my Rutherford County Back When days. Former 4-Her Ed Jordan, Leana, still on his farm for which I have heard, he has refused to sell for a big pot of money, was with them. He's now a big wheel on the local County School Board. Former 4-Her, Dan Mitchell & wife, still living in the family farmhouse in which he was born, in the Christiana Community, sat at my table. And I got to see former 4-Her, John Ed Turner, who now may be considered one of the most important & influential "wheelers" in Eagleville. So, it was kind of a pleasant reunion for me.

And before that, while in Charles Ralston's Antique Shop, in came a lady who blasted out, "why you're Mr. Luttrell - I was one of those 4-H girls from Possum Trot Community who you had trouble keeping quite when we went on that summer 4-H picnic to Cedars of Lebanon State Park" (that was in the summer of 1946). She was Jo Anne Morris, who married Joe Shelton, basketball coach/principle in her day. Joe was sitting in the car, still recovering from heart surgery, but remembered Gladys and me. Jo Anne's mother taught school at Possum Trot (really Patterson, but everyone called it Possum Trot), with Georgia Lee Marable Tate, sister to Goffrey Marable, and the one who kept Goffrey in her home the last months of his life. Goffrey, the well-liked barber in the Murfreesboro Tip Top Barber Shop, married

Gladys' Aunt Ola, twin to Ora. Gladys and I were married in their house on North Maple over 62 years ago. Ora & Ola Carlton - another set of Eagleville twins. (Is it something in the swamp water in Eagleville causing twins?).

Chittlin Supper serving started at 4 PM and there must have been 100 in line at that time, with at least that many already seated in the Club House dining room. Ahead of the big feed I toured Eagleville. The town appeared a bit dead except for the Chittlin Supper, and the one grocery store, Henry's & Al's super market. Henry Ghee's wife now operates a Day Care in Gladys' old home-place right across from the school that is well preserved. The Eagleville High School is spread out - covering a big territory. They even have a football team and a band. Many nice new dwellings are now all around Eagleville in all directions. So, Eagleville is really alive and growing.

And that's enough Back When rambling by me for this time.

Love, from your Pa.

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## Harp & Matthews

Claudia Trantham of Smyrna and Ricky & Marsha Love of Murfreesboro would like to announce the marriage of their daughter, Melissa Kay, to Timothy Joe Harp of Portland, Tennessee.

The bride is the mother of Christopher, Courtney and Caylea Love, and the granddaughter of Margaret Ryan of Eagleville.

The groom is the father of Brittany Harp of Hendersonville and nephew of Alice Marie Mayes of Portland.

The marriage took place on April 12, 2004. Melissa and Tim are making their home in Portland.

## Happy Birthday "Martha Mosley"

May 9, 19?????

You are the best friend a person could ever have except for "Jesus "

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Love Ya, Liz Bonner



HAPPY 6<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY
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May 31<sup>st</sup>
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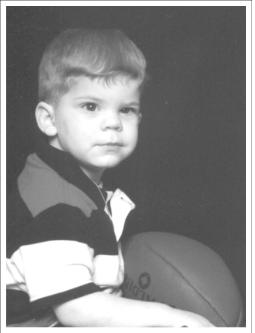
Happy Birthday
Donald McClaran
69 years old on May 2
Donald has 3 children and
6 grandchildren. Picture taken

when Don was in 1st grade.

# Can you identify this boy & girl?

Answer on Page 23





Happy 5th Birthday
Isaiah Haggard
Love, Mommy & Daddy





Millie Haynie Proud grandparent of Graduate Lliam McFarlene

You may see this lady on the streets of Eagleville this month. Like many other proud grandparents she has traveled to middle Tennessee, in this case from Wyoming, to see her grandchild Lliam McFarlane graduate from Eagleville High School. Her name is Millie Haynie-- give her and the other family visitors a smile and wave.

If you would like to announce, your wedding, engagement, new birth, anniversary, birthday, memorial or any important date that you would like to share with the community, mail to Eagleville Times, P.O. Box 72, Eagleville, TN 37060 or e-mail to news@eaglevilletimes.com. If you have questions or comments, feel free to call (615) 274-2749. We would like to continue to receive military photographs throughout the year for anyone that didn't get the pictures in on time for this past Veteran's Day feature. When sending these photographs, be sure to include the full name, branch of service, rank, date served and war served, if any.

#### May 1

Jack Paar (1918) Glenn Ford (1916) Kate Smith (1909)

#### May 2

Donald McClaran Lesley Gore (1946) **Engelbert Humperdinck** (1936)

Dr. Benjamin Spock (1903) Catherine the Great (1729)

#### May 3

Isaiah Haggard Debra Lawrence Whack Perrell Joe Riggan Frankie Valli (1937) James Brown (1928)

Bing Crosby (1903)

#### May 4

Deborah Lamb **Blossom Kelley** Audrey Hepburn (1929) Heloise (1919)

#### May 5

Matt Vaughn Tammy Wynette (1942) Tyrone Power (1913) Karl Marx (1818)

#### May 6

Ronnie Hill George Clooney (1961) Willie Mays (1931) Orson Welles (1915) Rudolph Valentino (1895) Sigmund Freud (1856)

#### May 7

Trish Hayes Johnny Unitas (1933) Gary Cooper (1901) Gabby Hayes (1885) Johannes Brahms (1833)

#### May 8

Hillard Crick, Jr. Melissa Gilbert (1964) Don Rickles (1926)

#### May 9

Kelly Redmon Martha Mosley Billy Joel (1949) Candice Bergen (1946) Mike Wallace (1918)

### May 10

Fred Hobbs

## BIRTHDAYS

Tami Patterson Bono (1960) Fred Astaire (1899)

#### May 11

James Maupin Irving Berlin (1888)

#### **May 12**

Emilio Estevez (1962) Burt Bacharach (1929) Yogi Berra (1925)

Katharine Hepburn (1907) Florence Nightingale (1820)

#### **May 13**

Stevie Wonder (1950) Richie Valens (1941)

#### **May 14**

Billy Crick Courtney Vaughn Julia Taliaferro George Lucas (1944) Bobby Darin (1936)

#### **May 15**

Eddy Arnold (1918) Joseph Cotton (1905)

#### **May 16**

Jerry Jones Janet Jackson (1966) Debra Winger (1955) Liberace (1919) Henry Fonda (1905)

#### **May 17**

Sugar Ray Leonard (1956) Dennis Hopper (1936) Maureen O'Sullivan (1911)

#### **May 18**

Kim Merchant

Perry Como (1912) Frank Capra (1897)

#### May 20

Jean Tate Cher (1946)

Jimmy Stewart (1908)

#### May 21

**Peggy Taylor** Raymond Burr (1917)

### May 22

Laurence Olivier (1907)

#### May 23

Joe Shelton

Drew Carey (1958)

Rosemary Clooney (1928) Douglas Fairbanks, Sr. (1883)

#### May 24

Kaylee Ann Resha Ola Geeboone

Gabriel Fahrenheit (1686)

#### May 25

Anne Heche (1969)

#### May 26

**Christopher Matthews** Sally Ride (1951) John Wayne (1907)

#### **May 27**

Aaron Reed Vincent Price (1911) Wild Bill Hickock (1837) May 28

Jim Thorpe (1888) Joseph Guillotine (1738)

#### **May 29**

Annette Bening (1958) John F. Kennedy (1917) Bob Hope (1903)



## Anniversaries

May 2 - Richard & Geraldine Moffitt

May 5 - Terry & Faye Bennett

May 5 - Kelly & Shawn Fernandez

May 6 - Jerry & Joyce Jones

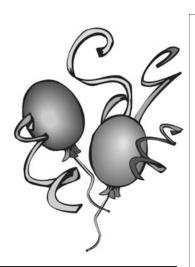
May 12 - Kerman & Theresa Atchley

May 16 - Edward Lee & Marie Manier

May 16 - Peter & Margaret Tucker

May 17 - Gregg & Rence Shinn

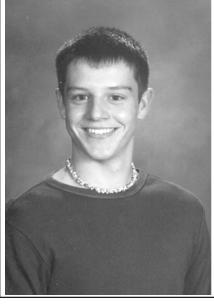
May 27 - Alvin & Linda Sledge





## Nicholas Tyler Williams

Parents, Melanie & Jack Williams, Jr. of Danville, Kentucky, grandparents, Shirley & Jack Williams, Sr., aunt, uncle & cousins; Roxann, Howard, Chance & Dalton Ghee of Eagleville.



### Lliam McFarlene HAPPY 18<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY Love Mom and Dad

For You and the Class of 2004 a Celtic Blessing.

May there always be work for your hands to do; May your purse always hold a coin or two; May the sun always shine on your windowpane; May a rainbow be certain to follow each rain; May the hand of a friend always be near you; May the wind always be at your back; May God fill your heart with gladness to cheer you. William H. Lamb, age 86, of the Rover Community of Bedford County, died Monday, April 26, 2004 in Nashville after an extended illness.

Mr. Lamb was a son of the late John Richard and

Mr. Lamb was a son of the late John Richard and Mary Eva Tucker Lamb.

Mr. Lamb is survived by his wife of 63 years, Mrs. Ruby Lamb; daughter, Mrs. Peggy Vaughn of Eagleville; son, Rev. Thomas (Tom) Lamb of the Rover Community; brother, Thomas L. Lamb of Augusta, Georgia; four grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

He was a retired carpenter and farmer and a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church in the Rover Community.

Lawrence Funeral Home, Chapel Hill

**Sam Cox Farris**, 79, of Rockvale died Thursday, April 23, 2004 at Baptist Hospital.

A native of Rockvale, Mr. Farris was the son of the



late DeWitt Hopkins Sr. and Nettie Woodson Farris. He was a member of the Eagleville Baptist Church as a deacon for more than 50 years. He was the fourth generation owner of Farris Lumber Company for 44 years out of 188 years of service; a former director of the Eagleville Bank; veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army; a charter member of the

Rockvale Ruritan Club; and a devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and community leader.

He was preceded in death by his infant daughter, Betty Jane Farris, and seven brothers.

Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Sammie Carlton Farris; daughter Nettie Ann (Randy) Throneberry of Shelbyville; son William "Billy" Hopkins (Sue) Farris of Rockvale; grandchildren William Hopkins (Jean) Farris Sr., Margaret Beth Farris, Linda Kelli (Michael) Lamb, Samuel Jerome Farris and Barry Ryan Throneberry; great-grandsons Alex Christopher Farris and Matthew Cole Farris; stepgrandchildren Chris (Wiley) Sherburne and Doug (Amanda) McCune; stepgreat-grandsons Cody Sherburne, Morgan McCune, Tyler Lamb, Nathan Lamb and Jeremy McAnally; stepgreat-granddaughter Katie Lamb; and brothers Limuel Fount (Gladys) Farris of Unionville and Robert Ervin (Sara) Farris of Rockvale. Woodfin Memorial Chapel, Murfreesboro, Tn.

**Grace Monette Thomas**, 48, died Monday, April 19, 2004. She was preceded in death by mother Eva Mai Spain. Mrs. Thomas attended Jefferson Pike Church of Christ and was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and friend.

She is survived by husband James Ray Thomas, of



La Vergne; daughter Robin Clement, of Murfreesboro; son Tommy P. Manus II, of Smyrna; grandchildren Chris and Cheyenne Clement and Taylor and Peyton Manus; father George Spain, of La Vergne; sisters Frankie Poole, of Murfreesboro, Susie Thomas, of Nashville and Kim Fultz, of Murfreesboro; brothers Michael Weist, of Lebanon, Marvin Weist, of Murfreesboro, and Greg Spain, of College Grove; and many nieces and nephews.

Woodbine Funeral Home, Nashville, Tn

**Rosemary Elizabeth Norris**, 65, of Smyrna died Tuesday, April 14, 2004.

A native of Nashville, she was the daughter of the late Robert Dickerson and Annie Lee Parman Eddy. She was a retired bookkeeper.

Survivors include sons Chris Norris of Rockvale and David Norris of Smyrna; daughters Julie Smith of La Vergne and Celeste Wright of Smyrna; sister Diane Eddy of Nashville; brother Buddy Dickerson of Memphis;, stepfather F.R. Eddy of Nashville; and grandchildren Jason and Briana Huckaby, Jeremy Norris, Travis Piercy, Gavin Wright, Cynthia Cox and John W. Norris.

Woodfin Chapel, Smyrna, Tn

**Terry Lee Frost**, 48, of Christiana, died Saturday, April 12, 2004, at Baptist Hospital. A native of Rutherford County, he was the son of Harold and Earlene Burns Frost, of Rockvale. In addition to his parents, he is survived by wife Cindy DePriest Frost; daughter Jensi Frost, of Murfreesboro; sons Jeremy Frost, of Murfreesboro, and Jared Frost, of Rockvale; sisters Diane Williams, of Rockvale, and Dawn Jones, of Murfreesboro; granddaughter Ashleigh Fucci.

Mr. Frost was an electrical engineer, an electrical contractor, member of North Boulevard Church of Christ, a Mason, a Shriner and member of the York & Scottish Rite and also a member of Local IBEW #429. He was a graduate of Eagleville High School. Woodfin Memorial Chapel, Murfreesboro, Tn

Alma Williams Scott, 72, of Eagleville, died Sunday, April 11, 2004, at her residence. She was a native of Rutherford County and a daughter of the late Marvin Henry and Arlene Burgess Williams. Mrs. Scott was a retired physical therapy assistant at NHC Murfreesboro. She was preceded in death by husband Thomas L. Scott, who died in 1997, and a sister, Mrs. Hazel Demonbreun, who died this year. She is survived by son Thomas L. Scott Jr., of Eagleville; grandchildren Jason Lee Scott, of Smyrna, and Jeania Elizabeth Scott, of Murfreesboro. Lawrence Funeral Home, Chapel Hill, Tn

**Ewing A. 'Red' Johnston,** 85, of College Grove died Thursday, April 8, 2004.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Taimie Johnston, and his son, Ewing A. Johnston Jr. He is survived by his son, Harry (Carmine) Johnston; daughters Joyce (Howard) Jackson, June Jakes, Judith (Dave) Sulentic and Janice Mason; 16 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; brother Louie Johnston; and sister Ruth Norfleet.

Mr. Johnston was a former police officer with Metro -Davidson County and a member of Beacon Baptist Church.

Cole and Garrett Funeral

**Ann Lambert Maxwell,** 71, of Murfreesboro, died Monday, April 5, 2004.

A native of Rutherford County, she was the daughter of the late Mort and Mollie Holt Lambert.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, J.A.

Maxwell; sons James Kenneth Maxwell, of Summitville, and Tony Maxwell, of Rockvale; daughters Melissa Maxwell, of Murfreesboro, Barbara

Trussell, of Estill Springs, and Diane Lokey, of Murfreesboro; eight grandchildren; and six greatgrandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Maxwell was a member of Oaklands Baptist

Church and a devoted wife and mother.

Woodfin Memorial Chapel, Murfreesboro, Tn

Frank G. Pickel, 61, of Smyrna, died Sunday, April 4, 2004.

A native of White Bead, Okla., he was the son of the late John Garvin and Hattie Lowball Pickel. He is survived by wife Charlotte Pickel; sons Robert Pickel, of Murfreesboro, and William Pickel, of Smyrna; daughter Lisa Haynes, of Eagleville; sister Johnnie Frances Martin, of Jefferson City, Mo.; four stepsisters; one stepbrother; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Mr. Pickel was a retired truck driver. Woodfin Chapel, Smyrna

**Thelma Irene McClaran,** 79, of Eagleville, died Saturday, April 3, 2004, at her home after an extended illness.

Mrs. McClaran was a native of Sallisaw, Okla., and was the daughter of the late Clarence and Bessie Shields Wadley. She was a retired bookkeeper and a member of the Eagleville Church of Christ. She is survived by husband John W. McClaran, of Eagleville; daughter and son-in-law Deborah and Griffin Wyatt, of Nashville; stepsons and stepdaughters-in-law John S. (Johnny) and Suzanne McClaran, of Eagleville, and Jerry A. McClaran, of Franklin; sister Mrs. Bertha Gregory, of Roseburg, Ore.;

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## Obituaries Cont.

grandchildren Cullen and Lauren Wyatt, of Nashville; stepgrandson Davey McClaran, of Chapel Hill; stepgreat-grandson John Riley McClaran, of Chapel Hill.

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Hazel W. Demonbreun, age 79, of College Grove, TN died Friday, March 26, 2004 in Nashville. Mrs. Demonbreun was a native of Williamson County and daughter of the late Marvin Henry and Arlene Elizabeth Burgess Williams.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Loftin Demonbreun and an infant daughter, Barbara Jean Demonbreun.

She is survived by daughters Mrs. Kay Johnson, Mrs. Vicki Bentley and Mrs. Vanessa McMurray, all of Murfreesboro; one sister, Mrs. Alma Scott of Eagleville; and seven grandchildren

She was a former employee of Genesco, Inc. in Chapel Hill and attended College Grove United Methodist Church.

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## FFA Scholarship Awarded to Local Youth

Alexander Ford and Ford Motor Company Award FFA Scholarship to Local Youth Skye Stelter, a senior at Eagleville High School, has been awarded a \$1000 Built Ford Tough Trucks/FFA scholarship by Alexander Ford, Lincoln-Mercury in Murfreesboro and Ford Motor Company. Skye's parents are Kevin and Dena Stelter of Eagleville. She will graduate from Eagleville on May 21 and then plans to study Agriculture Communications at Austin Peay State University.

The scholarship is one of 626 awarded by the Ford Division, the Ford Motor Company Fund and individual Ford Dealers to FFA members who are high school seniors planning to attend college in the fall of 2004. The Built Ford Tough Trucks/FFA Scholarship Program recently celebrated its seventh full year. There are 621 scholarships being awarded on behalf of participating Ford Dealers. Additionally, five \$1000 national scholarships are being awarded on behalf of the Ford Division. The Built Ford Tough Trucks/FFA Scholarship Program is designed to recognize FFA members' talents and accomplishments while encouraging their past and future academic achievements. Built Ford Tough Trucks and Ford Motor Company Fund sponsor these scholarships as a special project of the National FFA Foundation.

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FFA is a national youth organization of over 460,000 student members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture with approximately 7,300 local chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. FFA strives to make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education. Visit



L-R: Ford Dealer Don Alexander; scholarship recipient Skye Stelter; mother Dena Stelter; Bruce Haley, Eagleville High FFA sponsor.

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## **Annual Pancake Breakfast at Concord UMC**

**By Emily Austin** 

The Annual Pancake Breakfast was held at Concord United Methodist Church in Rockvale on April 24th. The crew of pancake flippers and sausage sizzlers, led by Talley Arnold arrived at 5 a.m. to set up the grills and begin the first of the many breakfasts served. Talley, Frank Hayes, "Slick" Elmore, Jay Arnold and Ken Lagrand provide their cooking skills about 16 or 18 times a year to area churches, senior centers and the Boy Scouts.

The Fellowship Hall at Concord filled up quickly this year and stayed busy until late Saturday morning with church members and Pastor Trey Lambert serving plates of pancakes and sausage to many local citizens.

A special thank you to all who supported us and joined us for breakfast. We enjoy serving our friends and neighbors and look forward to an even better event next year.



The first customer of the day, Bob Farris, talking things over with Ruth Manning and Brandi Lambert



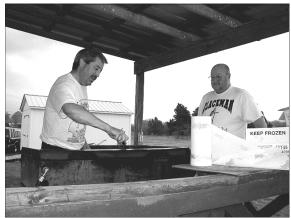
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The crowd in Fellowship Hall at Concord



Frank Hayes at the sink and "Slick" Elmore lining up the first batch of pancakes



Jay Arnold and Ken Lagrand cooking sausage



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## **Mary Euroller Graves Powell**

**By Mary Ann Powell** 



Mary Euroller Graves Powell was born January 12, 1909 in a house that was located behind her present residence on the Bedford-Rutherford County line. The land was part of a plantation dating back to before Tennessee was a state. She is the 4th generation to live on the 100 acre farm her great grandfather, Stephen Wood purchased in 1846. Her father, Robert Neal Graves was a Primitive Baptist preacher for over 50 years. Her mother was Bessie Hyde Wood Graves. She had a brother, David Franklin Graves born July 27, 1911 and a sister, Ruby Neal Graves born July 8, 1915. Mary was named for her grandmother, Idora Euroller Toombs Graves which could explain why her older friends call her M.E.

Her early memories as a child were of taking care of the farm animals, milking cows, gathering eggs and attending church meetings

with dinner on the ground. Preachers in those days were the host to visitors who attended their church, offering food and lodging in their own home. Many times so many people spent the night that straw with sheets over it was used as extra beds for the men in the barn. Her brother, David and some visiting boys decided to climb the walnut tree and shake the limbs that were hanging over the barn. It was quite a rude awakening for those who were trying to sleep in the barn. (Energy has always been wasted on the youth!) Bessie, Ruby and M.E. were too busy cooking on a hot wood-burning stove to be very amused by the boys' antics. It was a hard job cooking for that many people.

She remembers riding to church in a horse drawn buggy trying to get over Giles County hills. (For those unfamiliar with Giles County, it's like going to the Smokey Mountains.) The dirt road was so steep that her father was walking beside the horses pulling them up the hill. Three teenagers jumped on the back of the buggy rather than walk. Her mother dressed for church complete with a hat and hatpin to hold it on decided, enough was enough. She took matters in her own hands and pulled the hatpin from her hat and used it as a weapon to dislodge one of the boys. Needless to say, a sharp prick in his rear made him jump from the back of the buggy and the others immediately followed not really sure what had happened from behind.



A very young, M.E. Powell

M.E. always had a great enthusiasm for sewing. She will tell you that she loves to sew. Her mother and sister were also accomplished seamstresses. She pieced her first quilt even before starting to school.

Her formal schooling began in Rover where she walked to school. She attended school there until the 5th grade. The school burned, and she went to Eagleville until she graduated with honors in 1929. She helped build the house she resides in that same year. She did not go to college because of the 'Depression". Times were hard. Eggs were bringing .03 a dozen in trade. The price of a cow dropped to \$5.00. It was not a time to think about the future. The hopes of becoming a dress designer and college graduate turned into the need for survival. She continued to sew which made a little money. The family continued to milk the cows and eat a lot of eggs. Her father continued to preach and sometime was rewarded by a gift of a chicken for his services. Somehow they survived.

She met Earlie James Powell in Giles County and they were married December 24, 1937. He moved to the county line where they continued to farm and milk cows. She continued to sew not only for the neighbors but for the Natalee Company of New York. She received \$1.00 a garment. She made the bridesmaid dresses for the Dupont - Ford wedding.

Ten years after their marriage on April 27, 1947, a daughter, Mary Ann Powell was born. M.E. always wanted a girl. Her friends told her it was a good thing because she would have made a boy too "sissy" with all those fancy clothes. Her daughter proudly wore those home made clothes through college and most of her teaching career.

M.E. continued to work on the farm as well as 16 years at Model Sportswear and White Stag Garment factories



Earlie and M.E. Powell with daughter, Mary Ann

Her husband, Earlie, died in September, 1998. They would have been married 61 years the following December.

Congestive heart failure, emphysema, arthritis and other age related problems have limited most of her activities. She still misses her daily telephone conversations with Virginia Comstock and Louise Bennett. Mrs. Virginia Jackson, a schoolmate and lifelong friend remain close. They celebrate their January birthdays together and communicate on the phone almost daily. Myrtle Hobbs, Elaine Freeman and Alma Scott have also been good telephone buddies. Estel Beasley stays with M.E. whenever her daughter has an appointment. We certainly could not do without her.

For the last two years, outings have been limited to attending monthly Senior Citizens Day and the doctor's appointment. Old age turned into both a blessing and a curse. She

credits her long life to hard work. She always believed people would rust out quicker than they would wear out. She gives praise to her cardiologist, Dr. Loyda Tacoque and her valuable staff, Madelaine and Sparkle, her daughter and principle caregiver, and the "Good Lord" for her 95 wonderful years.



M.E. and Earlie, Wedding photo

## EAGLE STRUT - 2004

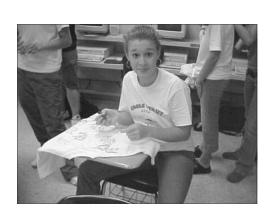




Spring is known for its traditions: blooming flowers, chirping birds, green trees, baseball and the annual Eagle Strut.... The EAGLE STRUT ??? Yes, the continuing tradition of Eagle Strut successfully raises funds to support Eagleville school activities. Despite the threat of rain, on April 23 approximately

75% of students participated in the Strut. Each student raised a minimum of \$20.00 per student in sponsor money which is donated to the school. This year the theme was "Shake Your Tailfeathers" and the students complied as elementary and middle school students strutted on the newly finished track and high school students strutted to downtown Eagleville.

Following their trek, elementary and middle school students enjoyed an afternoon at Barfield Park complete with picnic lunches. High School students returned to school after their strut for a pizza party and then enjoyed an early dismissal from school. Each student who participated was given a Eagle Strut T-shirt which doubled as an autograph book as students covered front and back with a variety of colorful signatures. It was a great day to be out and about strutting your stuff and shaking your tailfeathers. Thanks to all the faculty, students, and parent volunteers who made this day a successful and fun











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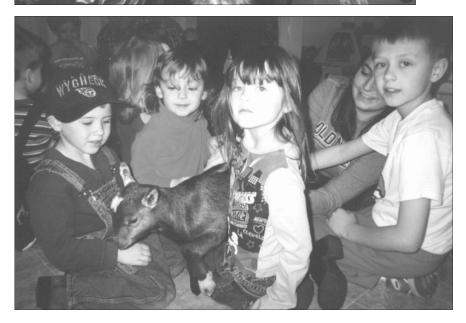
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## Visit for the Kids







Just Like Home Daycare welcomed some new "kids" for a visit last month. Don Lamb was kind enough to bring some baby goats to the daycare to share with the children.

Just Like Home will be having its first ever graduation on June 5th at Eagleville United Methodist Church. The entire daycare will be performing in honor of our graduating class going into kindergarten. The children have already started practicing their parts. "Come join the fun".

We have been so blessed during this past year and we are proud to say that we have only a few spots left to fill to be at capacity. For more information about our daycare, contact Mary Neill Ghee or Sharon King at 274-2073.

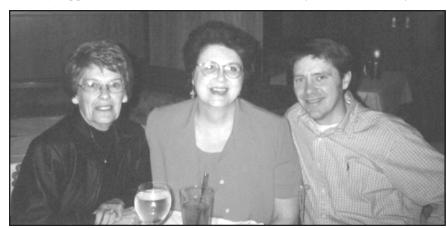


Bottom to Top: Jakob Taylor, Hannah Goodwin, JC Lyons, Morgan Perryman, Haly Sanders, Christopher Elrod, Karlee Lyons, Martha Jean Burris



at the

- Barbara Owens' guest for a weekend in April were Lessie Young and Vivian & Amanda Buggs of Lincolnton, Ga. They joined up with Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Mitchell of Murfreesboro for a trip of antiquing throughout Gatlinburg.
- The Eddie Cunningham family recently enjoyed a weekend getaway to Fall Creek Falls State Park April 2-5, in celebration of grandson Ian's spring break. In attendance were Eddie, Elaine, Michael, Suzanne, Danny, Chastity, Ian, Cameron, Eric & Cassie. Fishing was enjoyed by all. Ian and Cameron experienced their first horseback ride. The best fish award went to Cassie who caught the only fish, best cooking to Michael with the best ribs. All enjoyed the nature and wildlife in the park. Many deer, squirrels and birds were enjoyed by all.
- Lynda Sledge and Sherry Bellenfant left for Washington D.C. on April 3<sup>rd</sup> to visit Lynda's youngest son Jeff Smotherman. While there Jeff carried them on numerous tours of Washington and Alexandria Va. They saw the Washington Monument, Vietnam Memorial, Arlington Cemetery, Lincoln Memorial, Smithsonian, Georgetown and all the beautiful cherry blossoms. They also met with Congressman Bart Gordon; who gave them a wonderful tour of the U. S. Capitol. They arrived back home April 8<sup>th</sup>. Lynda and Sherry say they are ready to go back, but they aren't sure Jeff is ready for them (below).
- Erika (Wiggins) Stuard was honored with a baby shower Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup>



Methodist Church. Baby girl Stuard is due in June. Father, Eli Stuard is on duty in Iraq.

- Michael McClaran and Elizabeth Holton vacationed in Hilton Head S.C. where they spent time with Elizabeth's friends, Rich Reed and Laurel Zinn. Rich is the son of Nita Crosslin and Tom Reed. While there Michael and Elizabeth biked on the beach, visited a wildlife preserve and went kayaking on the May River. Before returning home they stopped in Savannah Georgia and toured some historic homes and churches.
- Congratulations to **Julia Taliaferro** on retirement from State Farm after 41 years.

- John and Susan Crick from Pompano Beach Florida recently visited John's parents Hillard and Shirley Crick. While they were here John ran in the Music City Marathon in Nashville.
- The **Harper family** and **Courtney Simon** took a trip to Florida over spring break. They went to Disney World, MGM Studios, Universal Studios and Islands of Adventure. They also traveled to Daytona Beach on the way home. A great time was had by all.
- Eleven Eaglevillians enjoyed spring break by cruising the Caribbean on the Carnival Sensation Cruise Ship. Chad Lamb, John, Cheri, Sarah, Rachel and Johnson Hedgepath, Bill, Deborah, Tiffany, Brandon and Chelsea Lamb snorkeled and shopped in Cozumel Mexico. They also visited Caymen Islands. When the ship arrived back in Tampa six members of the group went to Bush Gardens and spent a few hours on Anna Maria Island before returning to Eagleville. Everyone had a great time together (below).



What's happening around you? Don't forget to send your Who-N-Where information in by the 25th of the month to appear in the next issue of the Eagleville Times. Send your e-mails to bettyjaneshelton@aol.com or telephone at 274-6228.

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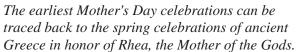
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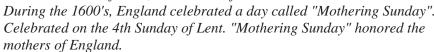
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## History of Mother's Day





During this time many of the England's poor worked as servants for the wealthy. As most jobs were located far from their homes, the servants would live at the houses of their employers. On Mothering Sunday the servants would have the day off and were encouraged to return home and spend the day with their mothers. A special cake, called the mothering cake, was often brought along to provide a festive touch.

As Christianity spread throughout Europe the celebration changed to honor the "Mother Church" - the spiritual power that gave them life and protected them from harm. Over time the church festival blended with the Mothering Sunday celebration . People began honoring their mothers as well as the church.

In the United States Mother's Day was first suggested in 1872 by Julia Ward Howe (who wrote the words to the Battle hymn of the Republic) as a day dedicated to peace. Ms. Howe would hold organized Mother's Day meetings in Boston, Mass ever year.

In 1907 Ana Jarvis, from Philadelphia, began a campaign to establish a national Mother's Day. Ms. Jarvis persuaded her mother's church in Grafton, West Virginia to celebrate Mother's Day on the second anniversary of her mother's death, the 2nd Sunday of May. By the next year Mother's Day was also celebrated in Philadelphia.

Ms. Jarvis and her supporters began to write to ministers, businessman, and politicians in their quest to establish a national Mother's Day. It was successful as by 1911 Mother's Day was celebrated in almost every state. President Woodrow Wilson, in 1914, made the official announcement proclaiming Mother's Day as a national holiday that was to be held each year on the 2nd Sunday of May.

While many countries of the world celebrate their own Mother's Day at different times throughout the year, there are some countries such as Denmark, Finland, Italy, Turkey, Australia, and Belgium which also celebrate Mother's Day on the second Sunday of May.

The carnation, which has become a familiar part of Mother's Day, was introduced and supplied at the first church service held by Ana Jarvis. Carnations were chosen by Ms. Jarvis because of her mother's fondness for them. The flowers were immediately accepted as appropriate for the occasion. In time, red carnations became the symbol of a living mother, while white ones were worn as a sign that one's mother had died.

Mother's Day is the second most popular floral holiday behind Christmas/ Chanukah. Flowers continue to be an ideal expression of love and appreciation for Moms, wives, grandmothers, daughters, sisters and friends for this holiday. Cut flowers, outdoor bedding and garden plants, and flowering houseplants are among the most popular gifts.

## Margaret's Helpful Hints



Stickers, Decals and Glue. To remove them from furniture, glass, plastic, etc., saturate with vegetable oil and rub off.

Run your hands under cold water before pressing Rice Krispie treats in the pan, the marshmallow won't stick to your fingers.

To clean the rack from your grill after a cookout, rub the rack with crumbled up aluminum foil. It will scrap the buildup right off.

Clean a vase. To remove a stain from the bottom of a glass vase or cruet, fill with water and drop in two Alka-Seltzer tablets.



#### **BANANA PUDDING**

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#### Dressing:

3 tbsp. vegetable oil

3 tbsp. red wine vinegar

2 tsp. sugar

3 tbsp. unsweetened orange juice

1/4 tsp. dry mustard

1/3 tsp. poppy seeds

1/2 tsp. grated orange rind

#### Salad:

1/2 lb. spinach leaves, torn

2/3 c. mandarin oranges

1 1/2 c. chicken, seasoned with garlic salt

2 c. strawberries, halved

Place all ingredients for dressing in a jar.

Shake and store in refrigerator for 2 hours.

Assemble salad and chill.

Shake dressing before pouring over salad.

**EMILY AUSTIN** 

If you would like to submit a favorite recipe to share with the community, mail your recipe to: Eagleville Times, Attn: Favorite Recipe, P.O. Box 72, Eagleville, TN 37060. Or, send your e-mail to: news@eaglevilletimes.com. If your recipe doesn't appear in the next issue, check future issues.

## NMRA 4th Annual Ford Nationals 2004

Silver Dollar Raceway Reynolds, Georgia



#### **Congratulations to Jody Brannon.**

Jody attended his first professional NMRA Ford Nationals Drag Race Event in Reynolds, Georgia. Out of the twenty five in his class, Jody qualified fifth. He plans to attend several large races this year, including the finals in Bowling Green, Kentucky. If his first race is any indication on how the season will end, we will be watching him on ESPN. Good Luck through the season and congratulations on your qualifying.



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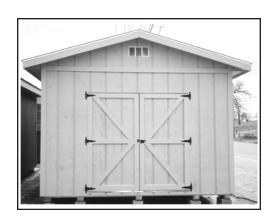
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## CITY HALL

Continuing from the previous month's discussion on the Zoning and with the Assistance of our City Planner, Bryan Collins, here are some ideas relating to Zoning to share with you:

- > Zoning helps protect property values by establishing predictable development patterns.
- Zoning helps promote compatibility among various activities by minimizing offensive or incompatible land use activities.
- Zoning helps protect the public health by assuring development patterns that assist in safe disposal of sanitary waste.
- Zoning allows local citizens have a voice in restricting possible intrusions of operations such as landfills, prisons, etc.
- Zoning helps protect and stabilize the tax base thereby minimizing rapid increases in local taxation.
- Zoning provides for local review of development proposals which impact upon water systems, road, and schools.
- Zoning helps promote economic development by identifying suitable areas for such use and encouraging wise

investment of public funds.

- Zoning helps to minimize public expense for road repairs and improvements by assuring adequate initial construction and availability of rights of way for future expansion.
- Zoning contributes to protection of agricultural activities and agriculturally based communities by minimizing activities which intrude and compete for space.
- Zoning provides a local forum for citizens to express their concerns and make suggestions concerning the future direction of their communities.

The Recreation / Park ad hoc committee has really been busy collecting data and donations for the new park. Other important information is being organized by City Hall. The grant information will be submitted before the deadline of May 7<sup>th</sup>. Then, we wait for several weeks.

Congratulations to *Ronnie Hill* and *Terry Zumbro*, who were re-elected to the Eagleville City Council, and to newly elected *M. A. Smitty*. They will be sworn in at a special City Council meeting at 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 4, 2004.

Councilman Bobby Turner will be leaving The City Council after serving for eight (8) years. He has fully supported the new ball park and recreation trail, the sidewalk connectivity program, the one-half

million dollar housing grant, the traffic grants and signage. There have been many positive contributions while he served as Chairman of the Police Board. However, his major contribution to Eagleville occurred while overseeing, along with Ronnie Hill, the construction of the Ambulance Building. For many weeks it nearly was a daily occasion to visit the facility while it was under construction. After the Ambulance Building was completed, the City not only had a beautiful, wellfunctioning facility, but the city had saved over \$84,000.00. As you leave this important position as Councilman, please know that the citizens of Eagleville appreciate your time of service and your numerous contributions.

Thanks to all of you who completed surveys and / or contributed in other ways to help our City. Also, thanks to all of you who voted in our last election. There are many cities and countries who would like to have 42.6% of their citizens voting. I am very proud of you!

Dr. Nolan S. Barham, Sr Mayor

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#### EAGLEVILLE TIMES

# Eagleville Easter Egg Hunt



Silver Egg Winner - Danielle Manier

The Eagleville City Beautification Committee sponsored their 1st Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 10, 2004. Even though the weather wasn't the best, it didn't stand in the way of some serious egg hunting. Balloons, games and the Easter Bunny was part of a fun filled event for the children. Shown below is some of the prize winners and some of those attempting to find the Golden Egg.



Golden Egg Winner - Matt Beard



Golden Egg Winner - Dakota Rakes









Jelly Bean Winners—Kurtis & Kaylee Young and Kayelen Batey







## IS IT TIME FOR A LITTLE FOOTBALL....?



It may seem odd to have the football stadium lights on in May but that is exactly what is happening May 27<sup>th</sup>. Following two weeks of spring practice the 2004 Eagleville High School Football team will have an inter-squad Maroon and White game. The contest promises to highlight the 2004 football team and will be a great contest to watch for fans. In addition to the Maroon and White Game, a powder puff game fea-

turing some of our best young women athletes will commence during half-time. Prior to the game, a Punt, Pass and Kick competition will allow younger youth to test their football skills in age bracket competitions and win prizes. Youth can sign up for the competition that evening at the stadium. The Eagles Nest Booster Club will offer a full menu from the concession stand. The gate will open at 5:15, the Punt, Pass and Kick competition will begin at 5:40 and kickoff for the Maroon and White game is set for 6:30. Cost of the game is \$4.00 and the Punt, Pass and Kick competition will cost \$4.00 per event or \$10.00 for all three.

Yes! It is Football Time in Eagleville. See you at the game.

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## A Step Back in Time - EARLY SCHOOLS

#### By Bobbie Sue Shelton

#### POSSUM TROT SCHOOL

The first Possum Trot School existed from 1878 to 1896. It was located in the western part of Rutherford County on a dirt road about 1½ miles south of the old dirt Franklin Road and west of the present Coleman Hill Road. The school was a one-room log building about twenty by twenty-four feet. The seats were eight feet long benches. Equally long slant-top desks about 3½ feet high faced the benches. The tops of the desks could be raised and the ink and copybooks could be stored inside the desk. There was usually a writing period just before noon when pupils stood and had their writing lesson. The nearest well was about ½ mile away and the building was surrounded with cedars with no other building in sight.

In 1882 Thomas Morgan Patterson came to Possum Trot to clerk in the country store and to teach in the one-room school. Sometime later he wrote to Washington, requesting a post office and suggesting a name. Because the name he proposed had already been given to a post office in Tennessee, the government gave the community the name of Patterson in 1888.

When a new road was built, the old road on which the school was located became almost abandoned. In 1896, a new school was erected west of the old Possum Trot School. This school was called Patterson School.

#### PATTERSON SCHOOL

Patterson School established in 1896 and disband in 1953, was first located on the south side of the present Coleman Hill Road about ½ mile east of the Patterson Road and Coleman Hill intersection. On October 31, 1896, R. L., W. G., and Evie Pate signed a deed for two acres for a school in the 47th District of Rutherford County to J. I. Dyer, W. I. Pate and T. J. Wary, Jr., school directors. This was a one-room building with a bell tower. In 1911 or 1912, the school building was moved to its second site near the southeast corner of the intersection on land owned by W. I. Pate.

Moving the school building to its new location caused excitement in the community. Mr. Grey of Murfreesboro pulled the schoolhouse down the road with a mule. Former students remembered that nothing could deter the teacher, Mai White from teaching her classes in the school while it was being moved. By 1917 a room had been added.

In 1929 Jimmie D. Vaughan erected a modern two-room building with a kitchen. Florence Maxwell was the first cook when hot lunches began being served. Louise Maxwell also was the cook at one time. The students had to bring their own plate, cup, knife and fork to school each day. Water was drawn from an outside well, carried inside and poured into a water cooler. The school built in 1929 was converted into a home and is still used as a residence.

Patterson School had several teachers over the years. Maggie Floyd was the teacher in



Mrs. Myra McCrory Morris

1907; Minnie Floyd, in 1908; Abbey Floyd Beasley, in 1909; Mai White in about 1911. Others were Lula Tolbert, Annie Ashley, Daisy Adams Wray, Bessie Tolbert Holden, Pauline Scales, Ray Donnell, Miss Tilford, Ophelia Elam, Margaret Brandon, Georgia Lee Marable Pate, Christine Couch, Vera Maxwell, Vera Covington, Louise Beasley, Mary Carlton, Wilma Bean, Virginia Cobb, Miss Gardner and Myra McCrory Morris. Many of the teachers boarded at the homes of Molly Pate Snell and Eulalia Vaughn Patterson.

Ray Donnell, a teacher at his first school, was the basketball coach. During tournaments, the teams would played all day until, at the final game of the night, a champion was announced.

Mrs. Myra McCrory Morris, a former student returned to teach at the Patterson School soon after her graduation from State Teachers College in Murfreesboro in 1931 and stayed until the school was closed in 1953 Miss McCrory, a single lady at the time, boarded with the Robert Patterson family when she began her teaching career at Patterson. Mrs. Morris was a respected disciplinarian by her former students. One former student, Buddy Pate, principal of Eagleville School, remembers one day during the last year at Patterson School, the students all agreed that the next day, they would dress as cowboys and bring their cap guns to

school. Mrs. Morris confiscated all their play guns and didn't let them have them back till the end of the school year. After the school closed at the end of the 1952-53 school year, Mrs. Morris taught the following year at Middleton School. In 1954, she came to Eagleville School, replacing Mr. D. L. Manier, who had retired. Mrs. Morris retired from Eagleville School in 1970. Mrs. Morris was the mother of Joann Shelton of Eagleville

In the early school years some of the children often rode ponies to school and kept them in a barn on the property. They would bring corn from home to feed their ponies at noon. Many of the students walked several miles to school. A lot of the students had chores to do before they even came to school in the mornings.

Some of the early family names of students were; Watson, Snell, Morris, Hill, Pate, Patterson, Windrow, Jordan, Maxwell, Heaton, Neal, Frost, White, Wilson, Lamb, Dyer, Barnes, Ghee, and Wray.

The last class in 1952-53 had thirteen students, six grades and one teacher. Most of the students transferred to Eagleville School. The last students were: Annette Ralston (Chick), Edwina Anderson (Cundiff), Ronald Ralston, David Ralston, Butch Hewitt,

Patty Deford, Tommy Scruggs, Charles Scruggs, Sammie Scruggs, Buddy Pate, Mary Ann Pate (Langley), Marvin King, and Roy Mears (?).

On July 9, 1955 the Rutherford County School Commission deeded to R. H. Patterson the two acres of school property.

#### STUDENTS AT PATTER-SON SCHOOL





**1st. Row**: Raymond Pate, Grady Patterson, John Hill, Howard Thomas, Sammy Watson, Edward Hawkins, Grady Thomas, Thomas Patterson, Bill Patterson, James Hill, Thomas Hill, Hershey Wray, Willliams Wray.

**2nd Row**: Jesse Morris, Ruby Hill, Usia Pate, Ruby West, Mary Carlton (Ralston) Teacher, Myra McCrory (Morris) Teacher, Georgia Snell, Gladys Morris, Thelma Watson, Willie Dyer, Jimmy D. Walls.

**3rd Row**: Georgia Lee Walls, Evie Mae Dyer, Maggie Mae Dyer, Pearl Lee Patterson, Mable Patterson, Elizabeth Patterson, Viola Pate, Elizabeth Hill. Elrie Windrow.

## **Eagleville PTO News**

**By Dawne Davis** 

PTO Elected 2004-2005 officers:

President - Crissy Houser 1st VP - Angel Parker 2nd VP - Kayre Driver Secretary - Terry Wilson Treasurer - Alisa Jack

Congratulations to the new leaders and thank you for being willing to serve your school and most importantly, all our children. After three years of serving as President and Vice President, respectively, Dawne Davis and Karen Brown are "retiring" from PTO. Both stated their appreciation and enjoyment of having served with the PTO and are looking forward to staying involved from the "sidelines".

We will have the final PTO Meeting of the year, Monday, May 10 at 6:30. Please plan to attend as we will recognize Mr. Pate prior to his retirement this summer. Musical performance to be announced.

The Kids on Stage equipment (lights and sound) has been shipped and should be installed in the Cafetorium prior to the end of the year. We hope to be able to "demo" our new performing arts area at the May 10 meeting. Thanks again to everyone who contributed time, talent and money to make this dream a reality for our kids. Many, many will benefit in the years to come.

Finally, thank you to everyone who contributed items and volunteered for the Spring Yard Sale. All proceeds will go toward he PTO general fund to assist with special projects and purchases for the school.

This year the Eagleville School PTO is sponsoring a fund raiser we think you will all like. It is a Summer Read-a-Thon program. All the kids have to do is read as many books as they can over the summer and record them in a log. A committee will work on getting corporate sponsors. All parents are encouraged to try to help get family and friend sponsors for your children. But if you do not wish to do this or do not know anyone to ask, that is okay. Just get your kids reading. We felt this would be a good program to help encourage the kids to keep reading during the summer plus help them feel like they were doing something to raise money for their school. We hope to raise enough money to replace most other school sponsored fund raisers. (This will not replace Booster Club fund raisers.) The students will be coming home with information in the next week or two. Don't forget that Eagleville is having a half-price Scholastic book sale the week of May 3<sup>rd</sup>. The students will also be coming home with information about this. This book sale is a great way to get great books at low prices and to kick off our summer reading program. Thanks for your support. Alisa Jack, PTO Treasurer

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Cherishing this touch of heaven
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Happy Mothers Day
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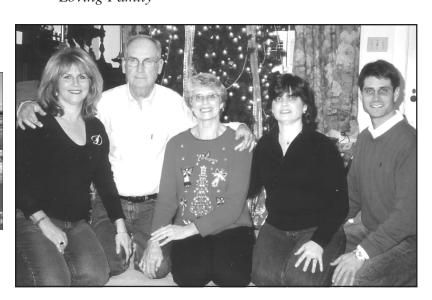
Happy Mothers Day Brandy Love, Josh & Caleb



Happy Mothers Day Kim Robinson Love, Kasyn & Tyler



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From, Hannah



Happy Mothers Day to Nancy McClaran From Donald and children Deborah, Ginger & Michael.

# MTSBOA Solo and Ensemble Festival Held at Eagleville School

By Courtney Simon



**Courtney Simon and Brandon Harper** 

The MTSBOA Solo and Ensemble Festival has been a big event for band students throughout the years. This event has been held at Eagleville High School for the past two years. Brandon Harper and Courtney Simon worked the head information table, where students participating were instructed to find out where to go and when. The concession stand consisted of different items brought in by Eagleville Band Director, Mrs. Kelly Medford, band students, and parents. Overall the profit was a huge success. Eagleville band students were in the library tallying up the scores to post while others were judge assistants. There was over

were judge assistants. There was over 600 students roaming the halls of Eagle-ville High School on the day of April 17th 2004. These band students were from the following Rutherford County Schools: Roy Waldron, Christiana Middle, Eagleville, Thurman Francis, St. Rose Catholic, Rockvale Elementary, McFadden School, Riverdale High, Rock Springs Middle, Siegel High, and Blackman High. Almost everyone participating from Eagleville received a superior rating.



In front of the library, students that have already au-

# SCOUTS FIND ADVENTURE CAMPING LOCALLY

March 26-28<sup>th</sup> was a picture perfect weekend. The weather brought everyone outdoors as temperatures reached over 70 degrees, although spring had just begun. Members of Scout Troop 123 and Webelos from Cub Scout Pack 123 took advantage of the conditions to enjoy a local camping adventure.



Boys and parents spent the two nights and three days camping on private property off Floyd Road. Following an evening of cooking their dinner over propane stoves, the boys enjoyed a campfire and star gazing. Sleeping in tents promises a great night's sleep especially when the weather is mild. Saturday was a day of fun. A five mile hike took the scouts across 99 to the Tractor Club property and then back to their campsite. Tired as they were, they found the energy to cool off in the pond with an early season swim and play on the paddle boat. The rest of the day Scouts tried their camping skills including fire building, lashing poles, and pioneering (building structures with poles and rope.) Meals cooked outdoors kept the energy level high.

Sunday morning gave Scouts time to eat a hearty breakfast and break camp, being careful to leave no trace of their time spent camping. A Big THANKS to all the parents who attended and to the Wilson family for use of their land for camping.

Scout Troop 123 meets each Tuesday evening at the Eagleville Community Center from 7:00 p.m. until 8:15. For more information on Boys Scouts or Cub Scouts, contact Don Davis at 274-3439 or Mike Hayes at 931-364-4744.

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# Earth Day for Rockvale Elementary

Earth Day was celebrated across America on April 22, and Rockvale Elementary took a part in this important day. While the kindergarten classes created "dirt" cups and planted bushes, the fifth grade teachers organized the planting of a tree by the playground area. Students were taught the value in preserving nature and its surroundings.







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## Nashville Artist Paints for U.S. Capitol



Nashville Portrait Artist, Michael Shane Neal, son of Eagleville residents Wayne and Donna Neal, has been selected by the United States Senate to paint Senator Arthur Vandenberg's portrait for the United States Capitol; the first such commission of its kind in nearly 50 years.

Neal's portrait of Senator Vandenberg will be added to "The Famous

Five," a series of portraits gracing the Senate Reception Room of the U.S. Capitol. The room, designed by 19<sup>th</sup> Century Italian artist Constantino Brumidi, contains eleven ovals which are to be filled throughout the history of the United States. Senators are considered who, for acts of statesmanship transcended party and state lines and exemplified leadership in national thought, constitutional interpretation, and legislation. Currently, portraits of Henry Clay (KY), John C. Calhoun (SC), Daniel Webster (MA), Robert Taft (OH), and Robert La Follette, Sr. (WI) are included in medallions throughout the room.

Selected as a role model for future Americans by the U.S. Senate, Senator Arthur Vandenberg (1884-1951) was chosen from approximately 1500 senators whose service has ended prior to 1979. Vandenberg, of Michigan, delivered a celebrated "speech heard around the world" in the Senate chamber on January 10, 1945, announcing his conversion from isolationism to internationalism. As Republican Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, he forged bipartisan support for the Truman Doctrine, the Marshall Plan, and NATO. His

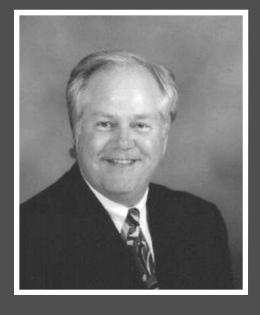
Senate career stands as a monument to the benefits of bipartisanship in American foreign policy.

Michael Shane Neal has been painting portraits since 1990. He received the prestigious Grand Prize Award at the 2001 Portrait Society of America's International Portrait Competition. His work is included in private, corporate, and institutional collections throughout the country. Other recent portraits include former Secretary of the Navy and presidential advisor Paul Nitze for Johns Hopkins University and former Secretary of State Christian Herter for Johns Hopkins University. Neal is a member of the National Arts Club of New York City, the Allied Artists of America, the Artist's Fellowship of New York, the Portrait Society of America, and the Cumberland Society of Painters. His studio is located in the historic Hillsboro Village district of downtown Nashville, Tennessee.

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## 98th Birthday Celebration



On Sunday, March 28, 2004, the descendants of Jim and Susie Taylor and their extended families celebrated the birthday of 98 year old Ella Taylor Moore of Nashville.

The families gathered at the Eagleville Community Center for a potluck lunch and festivities. When the party was over, the birthday girl let everyone know she'd see them again next year!

Ella Taylor Moore 98 Years Young March 27, 2004



**The 80/90 Club** - **Seated L-R:** Maye Bennett Taylor (92), Mary Steagall Taylor (94). **Standing L-R:** Ella Taylor Moore (98), Willie White Taylor (89), Ruth Taylor Fite (91), Bennie May Lamb Taylor (80).



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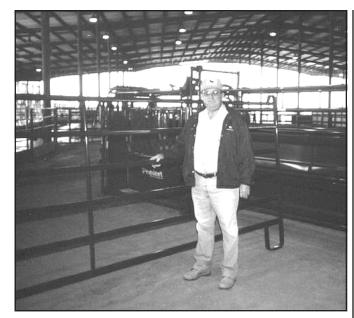
Teams entrance fee \$240.00 \$60.00 per person Hole sponsorship \$100.00 Mulligans available for purchase. Prizes for the winning team. Hole in One for a Neil Sandler Toyota.

All proceeds benefit the Eagleville Football program. To support the Golf Scramble, sponsor a hole, donate a prize or field a team, contact Jason Scharsch at 274-6887 or 931-224-9134 or Bonnie Monroe at 274-3133.



## **Livestock Seminar**

## Donation to "Locks of Love"



Eagleville Cattleman, Fred Hobbs recently attended a two day Cattle Raisers event in Austin, Texas. Topics dealt with at this event were low stress livestock management techniques and chute-side manners. Fred said that this was one of the most informative livestock seminars he has attended in recent years. As the owner of over 200 head of beef cattle, Fred feels that it is important to stay informed about the latest trends in the industry.

Locks of Love is a non-profit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantage children under age 18 suffering from long-term medical hair loss. Meeting a unique need for children by using donated hair to create the highest quality hair prosthetics. Most of the children helped by Locks of Love have lost their hair due to a medical condition called alopecia areata, which has no known cause or cure. The prostheses provided helps to restore self-esteem and confidence, enabling them to face the world and their peers.

Tiffany Lamb recently decided to have her long hair cut and made the decision to donate it to Locks of Love. Local hair stylist, Leslie Lamb, cut Tiffany's hair.





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## MORE THAN A MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE EAGLEVILLE TIM

By Susan Nolan

I am amazed at how smart kids are today. So smart in fact that I am looking into updating my dictionary as soon as possible. Like most parents, I was so nervous and excited at the same time when my son, Randy, started kindergarten this year at Community School in Unionville. After the first couple of weeks my fears and concerns melted away. I almost cried when he came home from school one afternoon and was so proud of himself for learning the Pledge of Allegiance. He has a wonderful teacher Mrs. Beth Ganues, who lets the parents get involved and welcomes any help they give. When I found out that she was going to do a lesson on ocean life, I ask to help as I have collected shells and have family on the coast of Maine and in Florida. It was Randy's idea to call his great grandparents Staples to see if they would send some sand and seaweed from Maine for his classmates to see. We then wrote to





are so excited about the possibility of receiving a reply from someone finding a bottle. This project has been more than a just putting a message in a bottle, it has been a learning experience and has put young minds to work Special thanks to Jill McDiarmid from the Rutherford Boulevard, Walmart Seafood Dept. and Michelle Petty, manager of Long John Silvers in Murfreesboro for their help. Don't forget Teacher Appreciation Day.

his great uncle Paul in Florida to see if he would also send some sand and shells. Before long packages came in the mail full of ocean goodies; sand, shells, starfish and even some sharks teeth, for Randy to show and share with his classmates. Soon, the excitement of this project spilled over into

two other kindergarten classrooms. Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Murphree are including their students in this project also. Special guest, a live lobster, crab and fish will also be visiting the classes on a special day, April 30th and also they will be having fish for lunch, a special delivery from Long John Silvers in Murfreesboro. A statement was made at the beginning of the school year, "It takes a community to educate a child" and that is so true. Help for this project started coming in from community friends also. The class decided it would be fun the put messages in bottles and the bottles in the ocean. Jessica Cobb, a friend, who works at a veterinary office, saved small bottles for the class to use.

The students will be working on messages and preparing 59 bottles to be mailed to Randy's great grandparents in Sprucehead, Maine and his great uncle and aunt in Lane o Lakes, Florida. They have agreed to get the bottles to the ocean. The students



## **Eagleville School News**

Miss Audra's First Grade Class—Both First Grades went to The Discovery Center and took a tour at the Barfield Wilderness in Murfreesboro on April 16th! We had a blast! The children experienced Hands on Science experiences! Both First Grades enjoyed performing with Mrs. Candace Williams for a Music program at the PTO Meeting on April 19th! The First Graders are looking forward to all upcoming events: Field Day, Eagle Strut, Awards' Day, AR Carnival, and The Talent Show! We have been doing various Art projects too and will do some with Parents! We are going to end the year with a blast!

Brags From Ms. Hill's Fourth Grade

Kyle Lynch's Earth Day poster placed third in the 3-5 grade division of the Tennessee State Contest. He was honored April 22 at a reception and took home \$25.00 for his accomplishment.

Jonathan Waggoner's art work was picked to be displayed in City Hall from now until May 14. Jonathan's picture was of a person playing a flute. Jonathan attended a reception on April 26 in honor of his work.

Brittney Parker and Jenna Houser were honored at a reception and book signing April 26 for having their writing published in <u>Reflections, Seeing Ourselves Through Writing.</u> Brittney's composition was entitled *Memories of the Past*. Jenna's composition was entitled *My Family.* 

Four students have read all the Harry Potter Books making 95's and 100's on their test. These books are 5th-7th grade reading level. These eager readers are Emily Philburn, Emilee Wilson, Elizabeth Davis and Jenna Houser. Ryan Ghee also read and made a 100 on the first Harry Potter Book.

E.J. Patton has climbed almost three years on his reading level this year! We are so proud of his hard work and desire to learn.

Our student athletes that are participating in team sports this spring and summer are Matthew Bingham, Jonathan Waggoner, Josh Tucker, Ryan Ghee, Kyle Lynch, Brittney Parker, and Jenna Houser.

Melinda Dickens, K-8 Art - Recently some art students participated in 3 contests.

One was the "Show Me You Care" about Children's Mental Health contest. Winners in the Pre-K category, 1st place is Isaac Sizemore; 2nd is Lexi Loveday; 3rd is Luke Hicks. In the 2nd and 3rd grade category: 2nd place is Kaiti Grisham. In the 6-8th grade category, 1st place is Courtney Philburn; 3rd place is Caitlin Philburn. All 1st place winners will receive \$50; 2nd placers will get \$25, and 3rd placers will get \$10. In addition, all of the winners and their parents are invited to a day of fun and games and free admission to the Nashville Zoo at Grassmere on Sat., May 8. The awards ceremony will be at the zoo that day.

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The second was the Murfreesboro City Hall "Jazz is Art, Art is Jazz" contest.

The third was the Earth Day "Clean Air in Tennessee" poster contest. Four students had their artworks sent to the City Hall exhibit: Nathan Jernigan (4th grade); Jonathan Waggoner (4th grade); Mallory Shanks and Austin Ellis (both 6th graders). The "Jazz" exhibit will be on display through May 14 and will also be at JazzFest on May 1 in the Arts Alley. These four students were among those honored at a reception at City Hall on April 26.

Eagleville had 2 winners in the Clean Air poster contest: Jessica Coleman (8th grade) placed 1st in the 6-8th grade division and will receive \$100; and Kyle Lynch (4th grade) placed 3rd in the 3-5th grade division and will receive \$25. These students were honored at a reception at the Frist Center on Thursday, Apr. 22.

The Eagleville High School Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America participated in the FBLA State Leadership Conference in Chattanooga on April 19, 20, and 21. Ms. Sara Ann Gannon and Mr. Joseph Reed, Advisors for the Eagleville Chapter of FBLA and the following students attended the conference: Katie Leverette, Alicia Layhew, Nikki Sholey, Jerrod George, and Erika Grocock. The students participated in competitive events and attended meetings. The students represented EHS well; we had a great adventure!

On April 23, 2004, Eagleville High School participated in the annual Drive-A-Rama sponsored by MTSU. Students from all Rutherford County High Schools participated in the competition. Representing Eagleville School in the Driver Education contest were Jessica Simms, Mary Alice Porter, Terry Poteete, and Wesley Mize. Each student received a bronze plaque for their placement. James Ray Gannon, Driver Education teacher, represented EHS as their advisor.

April 22nd, Mrs. Stikeleather's English Honors and Drama classes and Mrs. Cantrell's History classes took a field trip to the Belcourt Theatre to see the Bell Witch Haunting. This movie was made by local Nashville actors and was based on the true story. The movie was shot in Rock Castle. Two of the actors from the movie were present in the theatre and the class was able to meet and talk with them. Ric White played Mr. Johnson and Linda Thornton played Mrs. Johnson. The movie told the entire story of the Bell family.

Student Comments on the movie

"I thought it was a very good movie and I enjoyed it very much." -Kirkpatrick Smith

"The movie was really scary. I almost wet myself!" -Whitney Philburn

"Sometimes scary as crap and sometimes so funny I cried. A perfect combination." -Kristen Musser

"The scariest movie I've ever seen." -Courtney Simon



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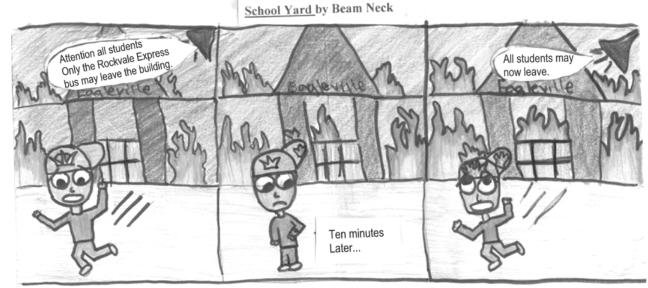
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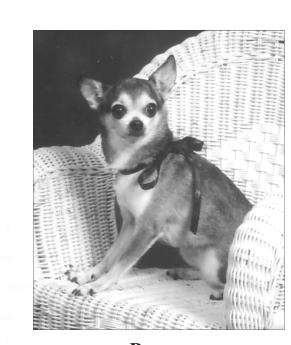
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