



Greensburg-Green County A proud past — A promising future Way Back When

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SPECIAL TO THE R-H

Jan. 14, 2009
Crime rate falls - Greensburg Police Chief John Brady credits the hiring of an extra policeman with the drop in crime during 2008.

Robertson struck and killed - Jack E. Robertson was fatally injured when he was struck crossing the street in front of Cowherd and Parrott Funeral Home.

Grant for park - A \$100,000 grant will be used to improve arena seating at American Legion Park.

One injured - Ivan "Russell" McClellan was injured when his vehicle collided with a dump truck near the Hwy. 61 and 68 intersection.

Jan. 13, 1999
Two officials resign - Two county officials, Green County Solid Waste Coordinator Bobby Curry and Transportation Officer Thomas Marcum, have resigned their positions.

Estimated budgets approved - Green County Fiscal Court approved an

estimated budget of \$1,113,450 for the Green County Clerk's office and the estimated budget of \$102,000 for the Green County Sheriff's office.

Dedicated blood donors - The Kelly brothers, Udell, Forrest and Clinton, have given over 42 gallons of blood over the past 50 years.

Post office window service - The local post office will start offering full window service on Saturday starting Jan. 16.

Jan. 12, 1989
Accident injures one - Mary M. Moss was injured in a two-vehicle accident on Hwy. 61.

Home damaged by fire - A mobile home, the property of Paul McFarland, was damaged by fire.

Junior Miss competition - Green County Junior Miss Angela Slinker was 4th runner-up in the State Junior Miss Pageant.

Diaper Derby winner - Katelyn LaShae Hunt, daughter of Kevin and Veronica Hunt, was born Jan. 1 and is the 1989 Diaper Derby winner.

Jan. 18, 1979
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis recognized - Woodson and Geraldine Lewis were presented a plaque by the Chamber of Commerce in appreciation of the 150 years the family has been in business in Greensburg.

Groves home burns - The home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Groves on Chestnut Ridge Road was destroyed by fire. The house was the property of Rollin Gardner.

Best basket of burley - Clell Milby sold a basket of tobacco at the local market that was labeled C1F (choice lug, 1st. quality, tan color). The basket of burley sold for \$140.00 per hundred pounds.

A sticking collection - Rodney Landis is a collector of cactus plants. He has 178 plants.

Jan. 16, 1969
Donkey Ball - The local Jaycees will entertain with a Donkey Ball game.

Fire destroys garage - The Green County Fire Dept. and the Taylor County Fire Dept. battled a blaze that destroyed the F.

H. Smith Garage in Summersville.

Clark is international president - William E. Clark of Clark Casual Furniture has been elected president of the International Association of Rattan Manufacturers and Importers.

Obituaries - Zephie McMahan, 54, Jan. 15; Bobby Gene Foster, 41, Jan. 14; Lelia Mabel Ogle, 84, Jan. 14; Eunice M. Givens, 77, Jan. 14; D. D. Sandidge, 82, Jan. 8.

Jan. 16, 1959
New parking lot - The City Council has voted to build a parking lot at the end of Court Street.

School enrollment increases - Over 150 new students have enrolled at the Greensburg School since the beginning of the school year.

Named vice president of bank - T. Z. Leachman was named 3rd vice president of The Peoples Bank.

Little Barren - The snow, ice and slush have given way to mud which doesn't seem to have any bottom to it.

Snowglobe-making



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Parker Mitchell and Ella Mills show of their newest creations at the Green County Public Library Friday. Ms. Kayla Bradshaw helped a group create their own snowglobes.



Ms. Kayla Bradshaw helps Conleigh Cecil add snow to her snowglobe Friday at GCPL.

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BBB gives warning for the New Year

BETTER BUSINESS
BUREAU

A local consumer received a call from a scammer claiming to be with BBB and offered her lower interest rates on her credit card. While BBB offers many services, lowering credit card interest is not one of them.

Beware of the grandparent scam. One consumer told BBB he received a call from his "granddaughter" who needed help after being in an accident. Her "attorney" asked for cash to be sent to an address in New York as a way around the bail system.

If you are looking for a new furry friend, don't fall for a puppy scam! A consumer told BBB she was searching for a pug and found a website with affordable puppies. The scammer wanted money through wire and eventually stopped responding to calls and emails.

A Louisville consumer responded to an online post for a personal assistant job. She was told she could make up to \$1,000

monthly to print and mail out checks. Instead, the scammer sent the consumer a check with instructions to send money elsewhere.

Don't fall for a Publisher's Clearinghouse scam! Consumers are receiving phone calls saying they have won money and new cars. All you have to do is purchase a "prize registration license" before you receive their prize. Don't fall for it!

Watch out for the latest Netflix scam. This phishing email says your Netflix account is unavailable due to "trouble with your current billing information." If you click the provided link, you may be handing over your login information to a scammer.

If you get a threatening phone call from "law enforcement," hang up the phone! These con artists are using scare tactics to convince consumers they have been linked to drug trafficking and need your personal information or your personal assets will be frozen. This is a scam!

Be wary of free

product trial offers. Many of these products boast false endorsements by celebrities without their permission and may charge you additional fees. Be sure to read the fine print before signing up for any trial offer.

Do your research before you hire a tax preparer. Find out what their service fees are upfront, avoid those who base their fee on a percentage of your refund, and never sign a blank tax form. Check out companies at bbb.org.

The new year is a great time to check your credit report for free at annualcreditreport.com. This can be done up to three times a year, once from each of the credit reporting agencies. Look over your

report for anything suspicious.

For more consumer tips, visit bbb.org or call 800.388.2222

Dues Notices are being mailed

Green County Volunteer Fire and Rescue !!! FIRE DUES !!! ATTENTION GREEN COUNTY PROPERTY OWNERS

Fire dues run from January 1st to December 31st of the current membership year. By paying your fire dues, you are avoiding a charge should you need the services of the fire department. NON-MEMBERSHIP FIRE CALLS ARE A MINIMUM OF \$500 PER CALL.

Property Owner:	_____	Dues are payable by 1) mailing a check or money order to P.O. Box 1, Greensburg, KY 42743; 2) dropping it in the secure dues box attached to the fire department in Greensburg; or 3) paying the dues to any Green County firefighter. \$60 for 1st deed + \$20 for each additional deed
Phone Number of Property Owner:	_____	
Mailing Address:	_____ _____ _____	
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