

Bush plays in All Star games



Gunner Bush recently joined other stand-out sophomores as part of the 2019 East/West All Star team in an exhibition game at PRP. Right, Gunner Bush steps up to the plate to bat for his team. Bush was the starting catcher for the West team. He caught for three innings and also played left, center and right field during the game. The West won 11-8. The incoming Junior was the only player that attended from our Region. There were several college baseball coaches in attendance.



Photos submitted

Taylor competes in Australia

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Recent GCHS graduate Faith Taylor started her summer with a number of new experiences. Taylor boarded a plane for the first time Sunday, July 7 and flew overseas 9,998 miles to Gold Coast, Australia where she will represent Green County, USA in shot put at Down Under Sports.

Taylor, who signed with Lindsey Wilson College track and field team this Spring, will have one last high school representation. She was recruited and invited to compete from her 2017 KHSAA State Track and Field performance.

“I decided the end of September I wanted to go to Down Under Sports,” said Taylor. “It is a once in a lifetime opportunity and it’s everything I have enjoyed doing for seven years.” The GCHS graduate will spend 10 days



2019 GCHS graduate Faith Taylor traveled to Gold Coast, Australia recently where she will compete against throwers from 38 countries in Down Under Sports.

away from home. She will compete against athletes from 38 other countries. Taylor is one of the four athletes from Kentucky who traveled to Australia to compete.

UV rays on the eyes

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The sun can be both friend and foe. A warm, sunny day can improve mood and increase levels of vitamin D in the body. Exposure to sunlight during the day also can help regulate the body’s natural sleep-wake cycle, known as the circadian rhythm. However, overexposure to the sun can be dangerous as well.

Many people recognize that exposure to the sun can lead to sunburn and long-standing skin damage, but they may not realize that the eyes also are susceptible to damage caused by the sun. The eye health resource All About Vision warns that extended exposure to the sun’s UV rays has been linked to significant eye problems, including cataracts, macular degeneration, pinguecula, pterygia, and photokeratitis. UV rays come in three types: A, B and C. The atmosphere’s ozone layer blocks virtually all UVC rays, which are the most potent, but UVA and UVB can be dangerous when exposure to the sun is significant.

Exposure to excessive amounts of UV radiation over a short period of time can cause photokeratitis, which is essentially a sunburn of the eye that can cause pain and redness. Prolonged exposure to UV rays without adequate protection may cause lasting damage, says the American Optometric Association. UV rays come from both the sun

itself and tanning beds. Here’s a look at some of the common UV-induced eye conditions.

- **Cataracts:** A clouding of the eye’s natural lens, or the part of the eye that focuses the light a person sees.

- **Macular degeneration:** UV rays may lead to macular degeneration, which is a leading cause of vision loss for older people. The macula is the center portion of the retina, essential for vision.

- **Pterygium:** This is a growth that begins on the white of the eye and may involve the cornea. The growth can eventually impede vision, says the organization Prevent Blindness America.

Sunglasses and other protective lenses are essential to keeping the eyes healthy. AOA says that for sunglasses to be effective, they should:

- block out 99 to 100 percent of both UV-A and UV-B radiation;
- screen out 75 to 90 percent of visible light;
- have lenses that are perfectly matched in color and free of distortion and imperfection; and
- have lenses that are gray for proper color recognition.

In addition, people can wear wide-brimmed hats to protect their eyes from the sun and harmful UV rays. This will shield the eyes and the delicate skin of the face.

Learn more about protecting the eyes at www.allaboutvision.com, www.aoa.org, or www.preventblindnessamerica.org.

Kaos wins big



Photo submitted

Kaos Softball won the 14U Girls 2019 Adair County Heat Classic July 13, winning four games with no losses. Kaos outscored their opponents 42-5 on the day and defeated Oneida, Tenn. Express in the Championship game. The team leaves Wednesday for the Fastpitch World Series in Johnson City, Tenn. The team consist of girls from Green County, Campbellsville, Cumberland County and Metcalfe County.

PUBLIC NOTICE			
Ordinance Number 2019-0708			
AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE AMOUNT OF SALARIES AND COMPENSATION TO BE PAID TO ALL EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF GREENSBURG WITHIN THE FYE 2020 ANNUAL BUDGET.			
WHEREAS , the City of Greensburg is required by various statutes in effect to establish salaries and compensations for various departments, and WHEREAS , the City of Greensburg has fulfilled their statutory obligation regarding the establishment of Salaries and compensations for all employees; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED , by the City of Greensburg:			
ADMINISTRATION		PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT	
City Clerk/Treasurer	15.00 - 20.08	Public Works Director	17.54 - 21.00
Assistant City Clerk/Tax Clerk	12.00 - 15.69	Laborer, Maintenance II	10.50 - 15.73
Utility Billing Clerk	10.50 - 14.00	Laborer, Maintenance II	10.50 - 15.73
Director of Economic & Community Development	Salary	Laborer, Maintenance II	10.50 - 15.73
Office Clerk	9.00 - 12.02	Laborer, Maintenance II	10.50 - 15.73
		Maintenance I	9.50 - 12.75
POLICE DEPARTMENT		E-911	
Chief of Police (Salaried)	40,638.00 - 47,500.00	911 Dispatch Operator II - Supervisor	11.50 - 13.33
Patrol Officer	10.00 - 17.25	911 Dispatch Operator II	11.00 - 13.33
Patrol Officer	10.00 - 17.25	911 Dispatch Operator I	10.00 - 12.03
School Resource Officer / Patrol Officer	10.00 - 17.25	911 Director & GIS Manager/Community Activities	12.75 - 16.32
Patrol Officer	10.00 - 17.25		
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WATER TREATMENT PLANT		WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT	
Water Plant Director	17.00 - 20.40	Waste Water Plant Director	17.00 - 20.40
Water Plant Operator II	13.00 - 17.34	Waste Water Plant Operator II	13.00 - 17.34
Water Plant Operator II	13.00 - 17.34	Waste Water Operator I	12.00 - 14.79
Water Plant Operator I	12.00 - 14.79		
THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE was introduced at a Special Called meeting of the Greensburg City Council held on the 24th day of, July 2019, and thereafter passed and adopted at a special called meeting of said City Council held on the 8th day of, July 2019, by the following roll call vote: Final reading of said Ordinance shall be in full effect upon publication. By: CITY OF GREENSBURG			
John M. Shuffett Mayor		ATTEST: Kimberly Henderson City Clerk/Treasurer	
First Reading 06/24/2019 Second Reading 07/06/2019 Publication 07/17/2019			

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE 2019 -0708.01

AN ORDINANCE RELATED TO THE USE OF GOLF CARTS ON DESIGNATED PUBLIC ROADWAYS

Narrative Summary of the Ordinance:

Ordinance 2019 -0708.01 replaces the current City of Greensburg ordinance regarding the use of golf carts on roads within the City of Greensburg that have a posted speed limit of thirty-five (35) miles per hour or less (“Designated Roadways”). The new Ordinance continues with the requirement of first obtaining a permit from the City of Greensburg (after inspection by the Green County Sheriff), but sets the fee for such permit at twenty five dollars (\$25). Further, the new Ordinance revises the existing ordinance to ensure compliance with Commonwealth of Kentucky’s statute regarding golf carts operated on public roadways, which statute was revised effective as of June 27, 2019. These changes revised the requirements for a golf cart operating on Designated Roadways to have the following: headlamp, tail lamps; stop lamps; front and rear turn signals; one (1) red reflex reflector on each side as far as to the rear as practicable, and one (1) red reflex reflector on the rear; an exterior mirror mounted on the driver’s side of the vehicle and either an exterior mirror mounted on the passenger’s side of the vehicle or an interior mirror; a parking brake; for each designated seating position, a seatbelt assembly that conforms to the federal motor vehicle safety standard provided in 49 C.F.R. sec. 571.209; meets the federal motor vehicle safety standards for low-speed vehicles set forth in 49 CFR 571.500; a horn that meets the requirements of KRS 189.080; and a slow-moving vehicle emblem in compliance with KRS 189.820. Finally, the new Ordinance exempts (i) those golf carts used by a commercial parcel delivery service operating in accordance with KRS 189.283 and (ii) golf carts used by individuals or entities which have applied for exemption with the City of Greensburg during a time the normal traffic flow will be interrupted, but such exemption shall not for a period greater than four (4) days. The Ordinance, in its entirety shall be on file in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Greensburg, being marked and designated as Ordinance No. 2019-0708.01