



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

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Oct. 21, 2009
Gokarts approved
- Green County Fiscal Court approved an entertainment permit for a go kart track and arcade on the property of Murray and Sue Stevens at Summersville.
Accident injures two - A 3-car crash on Columbia Highway injured Shirley Thomas and Adele Briggs.
Fire safety - County Fire Chief Lawrence Gupton recently spoke to GCIS students about fire safety.
GCIS Fall Festival
- The students, parents and faculty of Green County Intermediate School enjoyed music, food and games at their Fall Festival.
Oct. 20, 1999
Mills hurt at Park
- American Legion Park Director Tom Mills was seriously injured when a tractor ran over him as he prepared to mow at the Park.
Rally on the Square - Detective Dan Durham will be the guest speaker at

the Citizens United For a Drug Free Community Rally on the Square.
Festival at the Park - The Heritage Festival, sponsored by the Green County Historical Society, will offer history and entertainment at the American Legion Park Oct. 23-24.
Shuffett injured in wreck - Greensburg Deposit Bank President Joe Shuffett was injured in a two-vehicle accident on the Bert T. Combs Mountain Parkway.
Oct. 19, 1989
Burley sales date set - The Greensburg tobacco market will open for sales Nov. 20.
Shuffetts visit Russia - Dr. and Mrs. Robert Shuffett visited several Russian cities with a tour group this summer.
Child injured - Eight-year-old James Bowlin, Summersville, was injured when he was struck by a car in a church parking lot.
Reading the wooly worm - Folklore claims a solid black wooly worm indicates a very cold winter.
Oct. 25, 1979

Truck and trailer overturn - A tractor-trailer loaded with 35 tons of sand turned over against a building at Taylor-Green Ready Mix.
Two injured - Michael Lynn Reynolds and Patty Reynolds were injured in a single-vehicle accident on Hwy. 68.
Marijuana destroyed - Paul Ennis planted some seeds that were left in Ennis' place of business. The two seeds that sprouted produced marijuana plants. Ennis called Sheriff Elam Perkins to come destroy his "crop".
Farmers grow more grain - Statistics show that Green County farmers grow 1,800 acres of soybeans and 16,000 to 18,000 acres of corn per year.
Oct. 23, 1969
Long Hunters celebration - The 200th anniversary of the Long Hunters coming to Green County will be celebrated the 2nd weekend in October, 1970.
War hearings begin - On Oct. 27, the Senate Relations Com-

mittee will begin a week of hearings on the Vietnam War.
Bank construction begins - Workers have started construction of the new Peoples Bank building to be located on the North East corner of Main Street and Hodgenville Street.
Hideaway Farm Sale - Buyers from five states, who attended the 1st Annual Angus Cattle Sale at the Robert Dowell Hideaway Farm, spent \$44,160.00.
Oct. 23, 1959
Business break-in - The Shuffett Motor Parts building was entered and the thieves left with \$30 in cash.
Halloween Carnival - The annual school Halloween Carnival will be held Oct. 3 with food, games and entertainment.
Annual light bulb sale - The Greensburg Lions Club members will go door to door this weekend selling light bulbs.
Obituaries - Teddy Leon Parker, 29, Oct. 16; Frank Lee Sweeney, 64, Tuesday.

Vaughn Cemetery restored, will have historical marker installed Oct. 26

Vaughn Cemetery, located in Gabe near the Green River, has recently been restored and a historical marker will be installed Oct. 26.
The cemetery has been restored by seventh generation descendants of Thomas Vaughn, Sr.: Dennis Henry Vaughn, Bobby Williams Vaughn, Jay Fielding Vaughn and Annabell Milby Henderson along with her husband William Henderson and son James (Buck) Henderson.
Thomas Vaughn, Sr. came to Kentucky from Virginia and was listed as a resident of Green County, formerly Lincoln County, in the first census of Kentucky in 1790. The great grandson of Thomas, Sr. was Fielding W. Vaughn who operated Vaughns Ferry in Gabe during the Civil War era. Fielding W. and his wife Eliza Gum Vaughn are buried in Vaughn Cemetery along with 29 other descendants

and family members.
The marker will be placed during a dedication ceremony Saturday, Oct. 26 at 11 a.m. The marker will honor Thomas Vaughn, Sr. and his descendants.
"Special thanks to Nan Montgomery of the Green County Historical Society and Virginia Graves of the Taylor County Regional Archive Center for their invaluable contribution to research," the family said. "We also want to thank Teddy Dillard of the Monroe Community for restoring and repairing many grave markers."
Vaughn Cemetery is located on the William Henderson farm in Gabe. Follow Gabe-Henderson Road approximately four miles west of Summersville to Sweeney Rd.
The public is invited to attend.
For questions, contact Jay Fielding Vaughn at 813-293-9791 (leave message) or email jvaughn1@tampabay.rr.com.



Joshua Yancey

Yancey joins Orthodyne PT staff

Orthodyne Physical Therapy is pleased to announce that Joshua Yancey, PTA, recently joined its outpatient clinic staff.
Yancey is a 2012 graduate of the Somerset Community College Physical Therapist Assistant program and is the recipient of the 2012 American Physical Therapy Association's prestigious Mary McMillian Award.
"I am excited to join this compassionate and knowledgeable team and to have the opportunity to learn and grow as a professional at this clinic," Yancey said.
Kyle Salisbury, PT, DPT, and Administrator of Orthodyne, said, "Josh is knowledgeable, experienced and compassionate. He is a perfect fit for the Orthodyne team."

Class of 1979



Photo submitted

The Green County Class of 1979 celebrated their 40th Year Class Reunion Saturday, Sept. 21 at the Greensburg/Green County Fire Department. Pictured are, front row, from left: David Taylor, Gary Russell, Tim Buchanon, Sharon Keltner Jagers, Mike Davis; second row: Jerry Bale, Jackie Gumm Bennett, Saretha Meadows Sallee, Becky Blevins Jessie, Sandra Mouser Walkup, Shirlene Wright Sallee, Susan Paxton, Vicki Warren Edwards, Sheila Parker Wright, Sheila Ervin Matney, Sherry Reeves Sprowles, Sherry Curry Aaron, Laura Hancock Beard, Libby Blakeman Cissell; third row: Susan Bishop Kelly, Charlotte Wright, Robin Jones Davis, Ann Christie Lewis, Nancy Parrott Smith, Leslie Lobb Teague, Carol Simpson Marr; back: Rod Moore, Joey Houk, Buddy Davenport, Britton Ford, Barry Blakeman, Jeff Wright and Dale Harmon.

SCRTC recaps Oct. 3 annual meeting

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South Central Rural Telephone Company's Annual Meeting was held at the Cave City Convention Center Oct. 3 with a large crowd in attendance.
Entertainment was provided by Kentucky Just Us during the registration process.
The results of the mail ballot trustee election were announced.
In District II (Canner and Horse Cave Exchanges) candidates were Incumbent Director Billy Smith and Gada L. Denton with Smith receiving 489 votes and Denton receiving 448 votes. Billy Smith was declared re-elected in District II.
In District V (Temple Hill and Glasgow Exchanges) candidates were Incumbent Director Stanley C. Greer and Jackie L. Perkins with Greer re-

ceiving 493 votes and Perkins receiving 292 votes. Stanley C. Greer was declared re-elected in District V.
In District VI (Fountain Run, Gamaliel and Lucas Exchanges) candidates were Incumbent Director Zack Kender and Robert Greer with Kender receiving 363 votes and Greer receiving 155 votes. Zack Kender was declared re-elected in District VI.
During the Business Session the Co-operative's Secretary-Treasurer, Ralph Thompson reported on the Co-operative's positive financial status. The Co-operative's General Manager Jeff Eaton urged members to get family members and friends involved with the Co-operative in order for future generations to continue the cooperative way of business which

benefits all members. President Zack Kender gave some company highlights reached in 2019.
Mr. Kender also announced that \$1.5 million in capital credits was to be refunded this year.
Following the Business Meeting, drawings were held for a grand prize of a 65-Inch Smart TV which was won by Carol Barrett of the Summer Shade Exchange with a \$100 Wal-Mart Gift Card going to Dale Kessler of the Munfordville Exchange and a \$100 cash prize going to Marty Bryant of the Center Exchange. Cash prizes were also drawn in each exchange, along with several children's prizes given away which included two small riding toys, two bicycles, two Amazon Fire tablets and two Beats Earbuds.

Congratulations to all winners.
At the Board's Annual Re-Organizational Meeting Zack Kender was elected as President, Ronnie R.

Tucker was elected as Vice President, Ralph J. Thompson elected as Secretary-Treasurer, and Billy Smith was elected as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

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