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## Election too close to call

As of press time....Incumbent Gov. Matt Bevin overwhelmingly carried the Green County vote yesterday in the 2019 statewide General Election.

Bevin, and Democrat candidate Andy Beshear remained neck and neck as numbers began rolling in late Tuesday night.

Bevin led the way for a strong Republican showing as the party's candidates swept all races in Green County and appeared en route to victories in all state races.

Vote totals in Green County for each of the races were:

- Governor — Bevin 2743, Beshear 997, Libertarian John Hicks 67.

- Secretary of State — Republican Michael Adams 2744, Heather French Henry 1028.

- Attorney General — Republican Daniel Cameron 2981, Democrat Greg Stumbo 774.

- Auditor of Public Accounts — Republican Mike Harmon 2877, Democrat Sheri Donahue 733, Libertarian Kyle Hugenberg 53.

- Treasurer — Republican Allison Ball 3041, Democrat Michael Bowman 670.

- Commissioner of Agriculture, — Republican Ryan Quarles 3001, Democrat Ropbert Conway 676, Libertarian Josh Gilpin 67.

- Judge of the Court of Appeals — Jacqueline Caldwell 1392, Michael Caperton 931.

Voter turnout in Green County was just below 46 percent.

See next week's edition of the RH for totals from each precinct.



Photo by Crystal Cecil

East Greensburg Precinct voters stopped by the Green County Board of Education to cast their votes yesterday. Kagney Knight, above, at left, watches as mom, Cherub, signs in with poll workers Jill Whitlow, Glenda Simpson and Josh Morgan, while others wait their turn.



## Rotary Radio Auction is Sunday

CRYSTAL CECIL  
R-H STAFF

The Greensburg Rotary Club Annual Radio Auction will be held this Sunday, Nov. 10 from noon until 5 p.m. CT on K-Country 105.7 and live on Facebook.

The annual event provides gifts at Christmas-time to local children who are less fortunate.

Last year, \$8,324 was raised for this worthwhile endeavor. "The Greensburg Rotary Radio Auction uses the proceeds collected to have 'a hands on approach..'" Rotary

Club president Gaye McCubbin said. "Rotary members personally purchase the items listed on each students wish list. The information is given through the Angel Tree Program. The gifts will then be wrapped and delivered to the school."

The auction will be live streamed on the Greensburg Rotary Facebook page so bidders can view the items if they so wish.

A partial list of items to be auctioned this year include:

Two UK vs. Utah Valley tickets, Lindsey Wilson College Holloway Health and

Wellness Center 6 month membership valued at \$240, Downtown Louisville Marriott one-night stay, Green River Live tickets, numerous gift cards for area services and restaurants including oil changes, tax services and more.

More items can be found on page 12A.

A number of items may be viewed prior to the auction on the Greensburg Rotary Club Facebook page and bids can be made prior to the telephone auction.

Bidders will telephone bids to 270-299-2600.

## County receives funding for building project



Photo by Clevis Jeffries

Commissioner Gray Tomblyn II, Kentucky Department of Rural and Municipal Aid, Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, was in Greensburg October 30 to announce that Green County will receive state funding for the construction of a bridge over Russell Creek on Russell Creek Road. The total cost of the project is \$562,000. Pictured are front row seated from left: Commissioner Gray Tomblyn, Judge-Executive John Frank, State Senator David Givens, and Magistrates Tim Darnell, Terry Aaron, and Steve Lewis. Second row seated from left: Magistrates Andrew Parson and Charles Judd, Scott & Murphy Contractor Scott Taylor, Pitman Green Civil Engineers Brian Ferguson and Grayson Bills. Third row standing from left: Local residents Donna Pierce, Elaine Simpson, Renea Hancock, Claudie Hancock, Billy Hancock, Rita Hancock, and Doug Keltner. Fourth row standing from left: Local residents Jimmy Ferguson, Brian Keltner, Marc Kessler, John Pike, and John DeSpain.

## Veterans Day events to be held Friday and Monday

FROM STAFF REPORTS

Veterans Day is Monday, Nov. 11.

Several events will be held in Green County to honor those who have served in the United States Armed Forces.

The Green County School District is hosting a district-wide Veteran's Day assembly Friday, Nov. 8 in the Green County High School gymnasium.

Students from local schools will be presenting the program at 9 a.m. CT to pay tribute to local veterans and to honor all those who have served our country.

All veterans, their family members, and community members are invited to attend. The Green County High School Unite Club will also be hosting a reception with light refreshments for veterans and their families at 8 a.m.

For questions or more information, contact Karen Marcum at 270-932-6601.

On Monday, Nov. 11 at 11 a.m., the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5813 will conduct a service inside the Old Courthouse.

The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

More Veterans Day can be found on pages 13-18A in this week's Record-Herald.

## Holiday Bazaar is this Saturday

SPECIAL TO THE R-H

The Green County Extension Homemakers will have the annual Holiday Bazaar Saturday, Nov. 9 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. CST at the Green County Extension Office located at 298 Happyville Road, Greensburg.

There will be many booths available featuring handmade crafts, holiday decor, pictures with Santa and more.

A soup and sandwich cafe will be open for purchase for all attendees.

For information, contact the Green County Extension Office by phone at 270-932-5311.

Additionally, the Green County Extension Homemakers are helping out the local food pantry. For every dollar donated at their booth, the donor's name will be entered in a drawing for one of five prizes. Nonperishable food items are accepted as well. For every three items, a name is entered.

Prizes are: \$25 Cuppycake Creations certificate, 30-minute Photography by Tammy (\$30) session, \$50 value gift basket by Kindlight Blessings, handmade home decor item (\$25) by Anita Shoe, or a wooden Kentucky cutout by Shane and Felicia Judd (\$25).

## Property tax bills mailed last week

By CLEVIS JEFFRIES  
STAFF WRITER

This year's county property tax bills have been mailed as of Oct. 31.

Property Valuation Administrator Sean Curry indicated that property owners will receive a two percent discount if taxes are paid by the end of November.

Taxes paid by the end of December will accrue no penalty, he said.

Sheriff Robby Beard said that the projected county property taxes to be collected for the 2019 tax year will be some \$3.76 million.

The PVA mentioned that tax dollars received will be distributed among the following entities — state, Fiscal Court, school, library, cooperative extension, ambulance, and health department.

He said, "If you have not received your tax bill, contact our office or the sheriff's office."