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Miniard Wins Lindsey Idol

Chloe Thomas
from Russell Springs
LWC Public Relations
Assistant

A Lindsey Wilson College freshman won the 20th-annual "Lindsey Idol" Thursday night at V.P. Henry Auditorium.

Freshman Nicholas Miniard from Russell Springs, Ky., won the singing competition which included five LWC students in the event's final round. Junior Keely Dennis of Greenville,

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LWC freshman Nicholas Miniard of Russell Springs, Ky., won 2020 "Lindsey Idol" Thursday night, February 13 at V.P. Henry Auditorium.

Grace Anna Joins Wee School Students



Grace Anna pictured with RC Schools Superintendent Michael Ford.

Cheyenne Popplewell
The Times Journal

Grace Anna and her Mom, Angie Rodgers, joined Wee School Stu-

dents in January. She also visited Kindergarten and First Grade Classes at Salem Ele-

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Local Real Estate, Auction Company receives award



Accepting the awards are Broker and Auctioneer Chris Wilson (left) and Auctioneer Alex Popplewell (right).

Submitted

The Kentucky Auctioneer's Association held

its annual convention in Bowling Green, KY

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KFB Insurance's 2019 District Four Walker named Agency Manager of the Year



Ryan Midden, KFB Insurance Agency Support & Marketing Manager for District Four (left), and Chuck Osborne, KFB Insurance Vice President of Agency Support & Marketing (right), present Philip Walker (center), with the 2019 District Four Agency Manager of the Year Award.

Submitted

Philip Walker, agency manager for the Russell County agency of Kentucky Farm Bureau Insurance, has been named 2019 Agency Manager of the Year for District Four. The award was presented during the company's 65th annual sales con-

ference, held in Louisville on Feb. 10.

The District Four Agency Manager of the Year award recognizes the agency manager who displayed the highest level of excellence in overall sales production, satisfactory loss-ratio, service to policyholders and an affirmative atti-

tude. District Four is a 24-county region consisting of agencies in the following counties: Adair, Bell, Boyle, Casey, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Estill, Garrard, Jackson, Jessamine, Knox, Laurel, Lincoln, Madison, McCreary, Mercer, Owsley, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Russell, Taylor, Wayne and Whitley.

Walker is a native of Allen County. He contracted as an agent in the Allen County agency in November 2000 and then contracted as agency manager of the Russell County agency in November 2008. He and his wife, Lorri, have two children, Lucas and

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A Night With the Stars Honoring Mary McGowan and Anna Mae Grider



Star Theater Legacy Award recipients were Mary McGowan (left) and Anna Mae Grider, (right).

Brittany Emerson
Russell County Arts Council
Member at Large

"Anyone can be a star."

That has been the philosophy of the Russell County Arts Council and The Historic Star Theater for decades. And two ladies who brought that idea to life at the local community theater 25 years ago were celebrated in the heart of Russell County's arts community on Main Street in Russell Springs.

"A Night With the Stars," an inaugural event hosted by the Russell County Arts

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