

Greensburg is a full circle of big changes

Things are happening in our little town.

Monday afternoon, to enjoy the beautiful spring weather, I took a break from judging the mountain of NCAA brackets the R-H received, and went for a run.

Following my normal route, I crossed the walking bridge and ... surprise! The Bottling Plant was coming down. Literally. I stood there for a little while, watching a part of my childhood crumble the rest of the way to the ground.

A Green County alumni, my most memorable field trips were walking to the Ski & Double Cola Plant in elementary school, and drinking a Double Cola out of a tall glass bottle, eating a package of "nabs."

Those Double Colas were amazing (this was pre-diabetes, of course) and the Ski, well, it just tasted different out of a glass bottle.

If you're from here, you know what I'm talking about.

(My kids recently had their first soft drinks out of a glass bottle from Phillips IGA in Hiseville. They thought it was magical as well.)

I snapped a few photos of the demolition (see the front page), and headed up by the Intermediate School.

I am so thankful we have Ms. Donna [Young]. She is the epitome of a great principal and a true go-getter.

Case in point: As I turned to go up by the left of the school, I paused to look at the new playground Ms. Donna initiated.

Drive by there. I am covering that playground next week—the grand reveal is set for Tuesday and it is truly an exciting thing. Those kids NEEDED a playground in the worst way... and the new one is state of the art with something for every student.

Directly across the road were kiddos practicing on the new tennis courts. How cool is it that our district now offers tennis?

My favorite small stretch to run is the sidewalk in between the ATC and the football field. It's flat. Ha.



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But also because I grew up over there, and then came back and raised my babies there. I walked that road when I was a child, and there were many early morning and midnight strolls for my kiddos that couldn't sleep as babies.

Now, looking down, the new green track is boasted to passers-by and I hope it has a promising season. I have a little boy who is counting down til he can run track... and he also has big plans to "be a track star like daddy." (To be determined!)

Industrial Park Road has been a flurry of activity in recent weeks.

Across the road from Bobrowski Dentistry, the new medical facility for Central Kentucky Primary Care/pediatrics office appears close to completion.

The ground was officially broken for the new Jane Todd Crawford Hospital a few weeks ago and the process has started.

Monday was a big day for the owners of My Town Country Store/Ace Hardware. The gas tanks were inserted into the ground for the future full service gas station. From what they've advertised on social media, they plan to have a Spirit Pump, which gives 1 cent per gallon back to Green County Schools.

And coffee. They plan to have good coffee.

I'm assuming Ace Hardware will please a lot of people... 'Yay' for that. The signs also lists Stihl and Hallmark—it will be interesting to see that combination.

I'm meeting with owner Correy Goff this week; more to come on the progress.

I turned onto Tunnel Lane before checking out the old IGA building. There has been a lot of work over there as well.

The shortcut by the Post Office reminds me how lucky we are with that new facility. We have one of the best



Tim Edwards Crane Co. put the gas tanks in the ground at the future My Town Country Store & Full Service Gas Station on Monday afternoon.



Work has begun on the new clubhouse at the Green County Country Club. While golf can still be played on the course, the clubhouse will allow for many more activities when completed.

Photos by Angelina Alcott and Dale Curry

USPS staffs and postmasters around. [Don Ingram personally delivered light bulbs when we were renovating our house— what a guy!]

Coming back, I jogged around the square and through the alley to make the circle a full three miles.. there's quite a bit of renovation there, too.

Plus, the new country club should be up by November.

Our town may be small enough to run around, but there sure is a lot to see while making the circle.

It's spring. The weather is nice. Go out and look at the progress.

We need some positivity around here.

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