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Alert: Burn Ban

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Green County Judge-Executive John Frank issued a burn ban for the county on Monday.

The county is currently in a D-1 Moderate Drought category. Almost 40% of the commonwealth is in this category. Parts of McCreary County and Wayne County are in a severe drought.

Neighboring Metcalfe County already has a burn

ban in existence, but other counties may issue similar bans this week.

Violation of a burn ban is a misdemeanor punishable by law. Burn bans generally prohibit burning of forests, croplands and grass including leaves and debris. Campfires and warming fires are often included in a burn ban.

For more information please contact the county judge's office with questions or to get specific information.

Election results in Green County

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Green County voters gave overwhelming support to all the Republican candidates who were running for statewide office in last week's election.

While incumbent Governor Andy Beshear won re-election with a 53%-47% margin across the commonwealth, Daniel Cameron, the Republican candidate for governor, took Green County with a 71%-29% margin.

Cameron accumulated 2,305 votes while Beshear collected 922 votes. Brian Fishback, an independent candidate, had one vote in Green County.

In this election, there were 1,690 voters who marked a straight Republican ticket

and 303 who voted straight Democrat.

With all ten precincts reporting, there was a total of just over 42% of registered voters who cast a ballot, according to Green County Clerk Jessica Shofner Baker.

"That 42% was higher than we had in the primary election," said Baker. "In the primary there was only 33% of the registered voters who voted."

Green County also went heavily Republican in the remainder of the offices.

In the Attorney General's race, Republican Russell Coleman gathered 2,612 votes compared to Democrat Pamela Stevenson's 541 votes.

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Community warned of new phone scams

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STAFF WRITER

Most people are aware of some kind of scam involving money being taken from unsuspecting individuals. This may be internet related or telephone connected.

There are some fairly new scams that are now going on around our area.

According to Green County Sheriff Robbie Beard, people in Green County are receiving phone calls from someone pretending to be a sheriff's deputy.

In one scenario, the caller tells the innocent party that there is a warrant for the person's arrest and to prevent the warrant from being served, the person should immediately follow the instruc-

tions that are given about sending money to take care of the warrant.

In the other scenario, the bogus caller tells the person on the phone that he or she has missed jury duty and now owes a fine for that. The caller then gives instructions on what to do to avoid the fine. Beard said that people are even being told, "We're coming to pick you up if you don't pay the fine."

If anyone receives these calls, please check them out before sending any money anywhere. Please call the sheriff's office at 270-932-5641 to get more information.

The sheriff or deputies will not make phone calls to request money from people to cover warrants or fines.

Peoples Bank to have ribbon cutting today, Wednesday

Peoples Bank, 202 N Main St, Greensburg, will celebrate its entrance into Green County at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 15 with a ribbon cutting and a donation to Green County Food Pantry. On May 1, 2023, Peoples Bancorp announced that it had completed its acquisition of Limestone Bancorp, Inc. effective as of April 30, 2023.

The public is invited to

stop by and enjoy the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony with the Peoples Bank team.

Peoples Bank now has 45 locations in the Commonwealth. Peoples Bank is an award-winning community bank recognized by Newsweek as one of America's Best Banks 2023 and by American Banker as a Best Bank to Work For in 2021 and 2022.

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Thank You Veterans



Photo by Dale Curry

A group of men who had served in the US Army stood as The Army Goes Rolling Along was played. Hundreds and hundreds of students, veterans and their families, and community members filled the GCHS gymnasium for this year's Veterans Day Assembly. The day is a moving event for all attending or viewing. More photos are on page 14A.

DRAGONS WIN ROUND 2



Photo by Dale Curry

Head Coach Colt Phelps and senior Koltyn Milby perform their post-game traditional chest-bump after the Dragons won their playoff game against Metcalfe County. Heading into the region finals game Friday night against Owensboro Catholic, the Dragons are 10-2.

Greensburg's Christmas parade, events is Dec. 2

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Miracle on Main Street is the name of the annual Christmas Parade in downtown Greensburg, Saturday, December 2, 2023.

The parade is set to begin at 3:00 p.m. with Greensburg Church of the Nazarene serving as the staging area prior to the parade. Entries may begin lining up at 1:30 p.m. that day.

Various activities will take place throughout the day, including Light Up Greensburg at dark,

around 5:30 p.m. CT. All events during the day are being planned by the Green County Arts Council.

Haydon Materials is the corporate sponsor of this year's parade and is offering cash prizes for first place in each of the two divisions.

First place in the general entry category will receive \$125 and the second and third place winners will each receive a plaque.

The first prize winner for the float entry will receive \$500 cash with second and third place winners each receiving a plaque.

Churches, civic organizations, businesses, school groups and clubs are encouraged to be part of this perennial event.

The deadline for registering for the parade is Monday, November 27 at 4:00 p.m. Each entry in the parade must complete a registration form and sign a liability waiver. There are regulations pertaining to the parade that each entry must know about as well.

For questions or to register, contact City Hall at 270-932-4298, Diane Hall at 270-299-6683 or Jackie Bennett at 270-932-0023.