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ACCIDENT CLAIMS TEEN



CASHTON WARREN

Warren killed in one-vehicle crash

Staff Report
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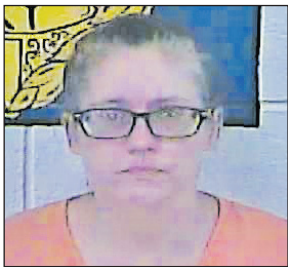
A longtime magistrate and feature writer for the Enterprise is mourning the loss of their son due

to a tragic vehicle accident Saturday. Cashton Warren, 19, son of Fifth District Magistrate Bill Warren and Enterprise Feature Writer and Columnist Melissa Garrison, was killed in a one-vehicle accident in Laurel County Saturday. No details have been released

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CLINTON HAHN



AMANDA DAVIS

FUGITIVES CAUGHT!

Marshal’s find Missouri couple living in tents at Otter Creek

Staff Report
ENTERPRISE NEWS

MANCHESTER, Ky. — Two fugitives from Missouri were taken into custody in Clay County after U.S. Marshals and the Clay County Sheriff’s Department staged a raid in the rugged Otter Creek area. Clinton Everett Hahn, 51, and Amanda Davis, 46, were wanted on fugitive warrants out of Missouri. Authorities said Hahn was convicted in 2005 of raping a 15-year-old girl in Hannibal, Missouri, and was wanted for failing to register as a sex offender. Deputies described the couple’s makeshift camp as being deep in the woods, accessible only by off-

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Deputy Dewey Grubb escorts Elisha Couch up the steep embankment following her arrest. Couch was over a bluff at a coal tippel screaming for help, then attempted to hide in a coal shute from the deputy. Photo by Mark Hoskins

Woman Screams: ‘HELP ME!’

Delta Gas employees hear woman pleading for help over embankment

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MANCHESTER, Ky. - Sheriff’s Deputy Dewey Grubb is just like a bloodhound dog. When he gets on your trail-it’s over. Last week, employees at Delta Natural Gas, located at old U.S. 421, were outside working when they heard a woman screaming for help. They looked over the bluff that leads to Little Goose Creek river and heard

the woman pleading for help. They immediately called 911, not realizing what was wrong with the woman. Deputy Dewey Grubb and Asst. City Police Chief Antonio Dodson arrived within minutes. “We spotted her at the old coal tippel behind Smith Wholesale Auto Parts,” Grubb said. “We yelled repeatedly, but she would not answer us.” Like the bloodhound he is, Grubb

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City receives positive audit

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MANCHESTER, Ky. — The City of Manchester has received a clean bill of financial health following the completion of its most recent independent audit, city officials announced this week.Abner & Cox, PLLC, a certified public accounting firm based in London, conducted the audit for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023. The report concluded that the city’s financial statements “present fairly, in all material respects” the financial position of the City of Manchester, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. The auditors found that the city’s governmental activities, business-type activities, and component

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Clay County Named Community of the Year

Will be honored at SOAR Summit

Staff Report
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Manchester and Clay County are taking center stage this month after being named Community of the Year at the upcoming Shaping Our Appalachian Region (SOAR) Summit, set for Aug. 26-29 at the Corbin Arena. SOAR Executive Director Colby Hall said the recognition reflects the county’s collaborative

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Margaret Rogers, Whitney Sizemore, and Nelson Shaffer place the 1,410 purple pinwheels at Dismas Charities on Muddy Gap Road. Photo by Mark Hoskins

Honoring Lost Lives

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In recognition of Overdose Awareness Day on August 31st, Dismas Charities Manches-ter has placed 1,410 purple pinwheels outside its facility—each one symbolizing a life lost to drug overdose in Kentucky in 2024. The visual tribute is

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