

Jenkins High School: Reflections of the Past

By BENNETT WELCH

1993
Jenkins High School said a sad good-bye to one of its most talented players at the end of the 1992-93 school year, even though the surrounding circumstances were extremely positive. Kristi Sexton signed a contract with Marshall

University to play for the Thundering Herd under a full basketball scholarship. Since her junior high years, Kristi has had a great impact on Jenkins High School. From her athletic ability to her outstanding academic quality and leadership, she has been a standard to which all other ath-

letes in the school strive to achieve. She always finds a way to win and help her teammates get into the game. Everyone benefits from Kristi's play, Jenkins High School, her teammates, and friends have all benefited from knowing her. Good-bye, Kristi! (and thank you) — by Karrah Sampson.

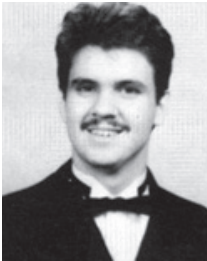


SEXTON SIGNS WITH MARSHALL UNIVERSITY

Some of the members of the Senior Class were:



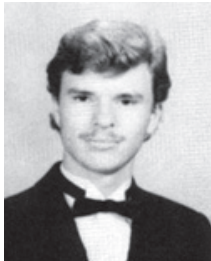
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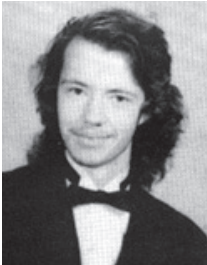
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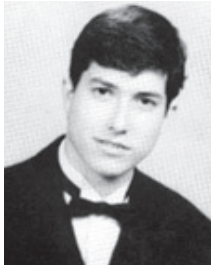
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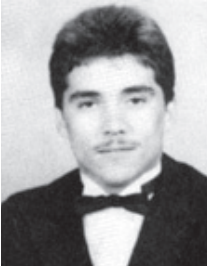
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By FREDDY GROVES

Have you wondered what exactly is included in the Senator Elizabeth Dole 21st Century Veterans Healthcare and Benefits Improvement Act? There's one way to find out: Scroll through it. There's more to the Act than you might imagine, and all of it is to benefit you.

Sec. 301 calls for burial benefits for veterans who were under hospice care at the time of their death. It concerns those veterans who pass away between July 1, 2025, and Oct. 1, 2026 and who are receiving VA medical or nursing care before receiving hospice care -- they will receive full VA burial allowance. That was not the case before, if a veteran went from VA medical care to home. To read all the details about VA burial benefits, see www.va.gov/burials-memorials. Should you also wish to apply for pre-need eligibility to make it easier for family when the time comes, there is info on that page as well.

Sec. 143 addresses the reimbursement of ambulance cost for veterans in rural areas. This might be by ambulance or air ambulance, to the nearest hospital that can meet the needs of the veteran. Be sure of the details on this one if you might use this service. Read the definitions in the text because

Bible trivia

By WILSON CASEY

1. Is the book of Ecclesiastes (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
 2. From Luke 17, when Jesus healed 10 lepers, how many came back to thank Him? 1, 2, 5, All 10
 3. Who had seven sons who always celebrated their birthdays with a feast? Eli, Job, John, David
 4. From Genesis 32, whose thigh went out of joint while wrestling with an angel? Adam, Moses, Jacob, Lot
 5. The pool of Bethesda is/was near which gate to the city of Jerusalem? Sheep, Camel, Horse, People
 6. Who was Caiaphas' father-in-law? Annanias, Annas, Pilate, Nicodemus
- ANSWERS: 1) Old, 2) 1, 3) Job, 4) Jacob, 5) Sheep, 6) Annas
- “Test Your Bible Knowledge,” a book with 1,206 multiple-choice questions by columnist Wilson Casey, is available in stores and online.
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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS Professional Architectural / Engineering Services Raven Rock Resort Lodge AMLER Project

EKY Heritage Foundation Inc is requesting proposals from architectural / engineering firms with previous experience in all phases of design and construction of the Raven Rock Resort Lodge project. The selected consultant will be responsible for the design of an 8,500 square foot Lodge containing, conference room, restaurant, administrative oSice space and apartment with a 3,500 square feet deck, Site preparation, Landscaping, Access Road Improvements, Trailhead for mountain biking and hiking trails, Design five (5) miles of soft surface mountain bike / hiking trails construction, Trail Wayfinding Signage, Vaulted Toilet, Parking Lot with one hundred (100) parking spaces, and the required Infrastructure. Minimum requirement shall be previous experience in the design and construction of commercial building projects.

Firms will be evaluated by the following factors:

- Experience of personnel assigned to project team.
- Project approach and proposed procedures to accomplish services for project
- Experience with similar projects
- Familiarity with the project area and site criteria
- OSice where work will be performed and availability of local support

To be considered responsive, the minimum must be provided:

- A transmittal letter that notes the understanding of the scope and the approach to be utilized to accomplish the requested services
- An organizational chart with resumes of the key personnel to be assigned to this project
- A list with summaries (minimum of 3) of representative projects that are similar in scope and technical complexity, clearly highlighting the firm's capabilities and previous success on similar projects.
- A list of 3 references

Emphasis should be placed on completeness and clarity of content. All proposals must be submitted no later than 4:00PM on Friday, August 29, 2025. Responses received after this time will not be considered.

The response can be emailed to clauda@ekyheritage.foundation or mailed to:

EKY Heritage Foundation
PO Box 632
Whitesburg, KY 41858

If mailed, the submittals should be placed in a single envelope marked “Raven Rock Resort Lodge AMLER Project”. Any related questions or information should be directed to Claude Little at (606) 634-7859 or email address clauda@ekyheritage.foundation the subject line should state “Raven Rock Resort Lodge AMLER Project”.

The Dole Act: Benefits and improvements

coverage varies by disability rating, distance to hospital and so on. This benefit is likely to change after September 30, 2026, and is worth paying attention to because the total accumulative benefit is \$46,000 of coverage.

Sec. 208 concerns the payment of full monthly housing stipend for those who are in their final semester of education assistance under the Post-911/ Educational Assistance Program. Read the details

if this applies to you.

And in a topic that's near and dear to the hearts of many of us, Sec. 304 ensures that only licensed health care professionals do the medical disability exams.

To get the most out of the 97 pages of the Act, start at the top and scroll through the Table of Contents (www.congress.gov/118/plaws/publ210/PLAW-118publ210.pdf).

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Check you trivia knowledge

By FIFI RODRIGUEZ

1. U.S. STATES: Which is the only state named after a president?
2. MYTHOLOGY: Which goddess is queen of the Roman gods?
3. LITERATURE: Who wrote the poem “Paradise Lost”?
4. HISTORY: Which monarch was known as the Sun King?
5. MOVIES: How many movies did Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers make together?
6. GEOGRAPHY: The country of Malta is on which continent?
7. CHEMISTRY: What is a substance that speeds up a chemical reaction?

8. FOOD & DRINK: What is tzatziki?
 9. TELEVISION: What is the name of the family in the sitcom “Arrested Development”?
 10. ANATOMY: What part of the brain converts short-term memory into long-term memory?
- Answers
1. Washington.
 2. Juno.
 3. John Milton.
 4. Louis XIV of France.
 5. 10.
 6. Europe.
 7. Catalyst.
 8. A cold condiment of yogurt, cucumbers, garlic and seasonings.
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 867-5377,
Renewal #8

(1) In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Mark Energy, LLC, 75 Isom Plaza, Jeremiah KY 41826 has applied for renewal of permit 867-5377 for a surface/auger/ underground coal mining operation located 1.85 miles southeast of Eolia in Letcher County. The proposed operation will disturb 212.47 surface acres.

(2) The operation is approximately 2.79 miles southeast from US 119's junction with KY 806 and located 0.38 miles south of Franks Creek.

(3) The proposed operation is located on the Whitesburg and Flat Gap U.S.G.S. 71/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the Contour/Auger/Underground method of mining. The permitted surface and underground areas are owned by ACIN, LLC.

(4) The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Hazard Regional Office, 556 Village Ln, Hazard, KY 41719. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard; Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.