

# School News

Thursday, August 1st, 5-8 p.m.

## Estill Middle School Open House

Estill County Middle School students and parents/guardians are invited to our annual open house activities Thursday, Aug. 1 from 5 to 8 pm. Schedules will be available at this event. Make plans to meet your teachers and obtain needed information for the upcoming school year. We hope to see each and every student at this event.

## Guess Who?????



One is deceased, another preaches; and the other is an Irvine business owner. Call 723-5012 or 723-2404 if you think you know who they are.

## School Volunteers Need Confidentiality Training

Criminal background checks are required for volunteers who may be in supervisory positions with students. The conviction of a crime (felony or misdemeanor) will not automatically disqualify a person from volunteering in a school. Each situation will be considered individually. Completed forms are maintained in a confidential manner at the district office. The district requires criminal checks on any volunteers (including parents) who meet the following criteria:

- the volunteer will have unsupervised contact with students;
- the volunteer has a regular and ongoing assignment at the school;
- the volunteer will be off campus with students in an unsupervised situation, including driving students on field trips;
- the volunteer is a mentor to a student or students;
- the volunteer is a coach or activity director; or
- the volunteer is unknown to the school or department staff.

Criminal background checks are administered through the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) at the Estill County Board of Education, room 108. AOC charges a \$10.00 processing fee for ser-

vice. Some schools will incur the cost, but this is determined by the level of volunteerism and the discretion of the building principal. Volunteer background checks are repeated every three years. If you had a volunteer background check during the 2011, 2012 or 2013 school years, it will not be necessary to submit another background check with the exception of probable cause for reevaluation. This information is only available at the district office. Please contact Estill County Community Education Director, Teresa Dawes with background check concerns and questions.

### Confidentiality Training

School confidentiality training outlines a school's plan to protect student information. Schools put these workshops in place to help ensure that parents, caregivers, teachers, administrative staff, and all other faculty understand their responsibilities. Having this training in place helps schools become better prepared and better capable of meeting legal and professional standards that may apply and ensures your child's information is protected. School principals require that ALL school volunteers and consistent visitors have this training at the beginning of each new school year. This consistency helps parents, teachers, and caregivers understand what to expect in various situations and provides reassurances that personal identifiable information is being handled appropriately. It is very important to check with your child's school or the Community Education Office for available training dates and times.



**Nifty-Nifty!**  
**Look Who's**  
**50 on**  
**July 18th**

With love, Sue, Mom & Dad, Rita, Savannah and Michaela.

# School News

Monday, July 22nd, 9am-2pm

## South Irvine P-K Registration

Preschool Registration/Screening will take place at South Irvine P-K Center, Monday, July 22, 2013, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Call South Irvine P-K Center at 723-4700 to schedule a screening appointment.

Monday, July 22nd, 6pm

## South Irvine SBDMC Meeting

The South Irvine P/K Center will be having their regularly scheduled meeting at South Irvine on Monday, July 22, 2013 beginning at 6:00 p.m. The public is welcomed to attend.

Thursday, August 1st, 4-7 p.m.

## West Irvine Elementary Open House

West Irvine Elementary is hosting Open House, Thursday, August 1, 2013, 4-7 p.m. Open House is an opportunity for all students and parents to meet their teacher and ask important questions for the upcoming school year. West Irvine Elementary's back to school theme is "Wild About West." We look forward to seeing everyone soon!

Monday, August 5th, 3-6 p.m.

## Estill Springs B-to-S Open House

Estill Springs Elementary will host a Back-to-School Open House on Monday, August 5th from 3-6 p.m. for students and families of all Estill County first and second graders! Bring your child to see our exciting changes the night before school starts and sign up to volunteer this year! Confidentiality Training will be offered on the hour at 3 p.m., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. Parents may also wish to bring school supplies in as well. ESE Staff hope to see you there! Go Bulldogs!

## ESTILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

246 Main Street, Irvine, KY – Call 723-3030  
*If school is cancelled due to icy roads, the book-mobile will run two weeks after the scheduled date.*

Week of July 22-25, 2013			
BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE			
MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
Old Fox Road Furnace Jct. Miller's Creek Cow Creek	SI Elementary Winston Trotting Ridge Sandhill	NWIsamantown Station Camp Red Lick Crooked Creek	Spout Springs Hudson Mill New Fox Road Hargett-Parvin Road
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Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. and Fridays at 10:30 a.m.			

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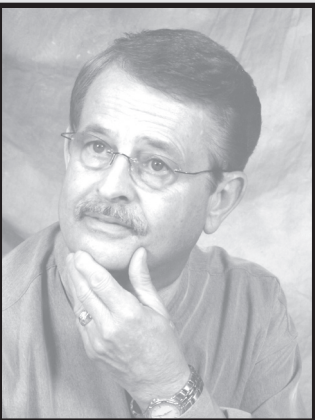
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