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Eggs were plentiful at numerous egg hunts throughout the county on Saturday and Easter Sunday. This little girl's face shows the excitement at the egg hunt at Veterans Memorial Park in Ravenna. Over 5,000 eggs were "hid" by members of the Kiwanis Club. The club members had also filled the eggs with Nissan swerving across the The officer said that she was also charged with candy. Kiwanis donated many of the eggs, and Councilwoman Amy Crowe lane while it was traveling McKinney admitted that endangering the welfare of donated 900. The egg hunt is in memory of Joan Hunt Richardson, a council- west on River Drive. The she had taken suboxone and woman who organized the first egg hunt at the Ravenna park.

Head-on crash closes road down for hours

Drivers are transferred from M&W Hospital to UK

Two women were injured in a crash which shut down the Richmond Road for hours Saturday. Then, westbound traffic continued, but eastbound traffic was detoured through Winston back onto Highway 52.

The wreck occurred around the Picnic

Deputy Randy Farthing said that Mary Martin of Richmond was traveling east toward Irvine, and Arzella Crawford of Irvine was traveling west toward Richmond.

He stated that Crawford was attempting to turn left around 10:35 a.m., and her vehicle to the children. entered the eastbound lane. The two vehicles collided head-on in the eastbound lane.

After the impact, Farthing said that Martin's vehicle continued about 150 feet before which also was severely damaged in the it left the roadway and stopped in a ditch.

Crawford's vehicle spun around and came to rest in the eastbound lane, also fac-

Both drivers were transported to Marcum & Wallace Hospital for treatment of their injuries. They were both transported to UK Hospital for further treatment.

The report states that Crawford was traveling alone. There were three children in Martin's vehicle ages 4, 6, and 9. According to the report, the nine year old's birthday was on Saturday. No injuries were reported

Crawford was driving a 99 Dodge Neon, which received severe damages to the front. Martin was driving a 2013 Dodge Charger

IPD says woman was driving while on drugs with a child in her car

The Irvine Police De- vehicle was pulled over at also admitted to taking oxypartment says a woman had Shell Mart. her child in the car with her while she was driving drunk the driver failed field sobrion Friday night.

According to the officer, ety tests. She was identified ence of drugs. Officer John Sturniolo as Ginny McKinney, 31, of said he observed a red 2001 Cow Creek Road, Ravenna.

officer activated a traffic neurotin earlier on Friday. Tribune Photo//Delores Rowland stop at 10:19 p.m., and the He stated that McKinney sisted with the arrest.

codone two days earlier.

McKinney was charged with driving under the influ-

Because her 11 year old daughter was in the vehicle. a minor.

Officer Sam Hensley as-

Friday's flood closes school and covers roads

Estill County received flooding this year after four inches of rain fell during five hours late Thursday and early Friday.

"We had roads flooding that normally don't flood,' stated Melissa Neal Jessie, the public information officer at Estill Emergency Management Services.

While Estill was geTting four inches of rain, Jessie said Lee County was getting six inches.

"We got all that runoff from them," she stated.

She said with flash flooding, the waters would come up fast, and it would go down fast.

This caused Estill Schools to be placed on a two-hour delay on Friday.

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Once waters were disits second round of severe covered inside Estill Springs in EStill County in 2015, Elementary, school was cancelled for the 20th day this year.

The school board is expected to vote on making up that day at their April 16 board meeting.

Jessie said the Irvine Fire Department pumped water from a lot of basements.

Jessie said the Kentucky River crested at 26.8 feet on Saturday morning. The river's normal stage is 17 feet.

Jessie said the flood on the Kentucky River was not as high as the flood in early March.

The Kiwanis ball fields in Ravenna lie in a flood plain. This time the floods brought in a lot of mud and debris. Volunteers are asked to help clean the fields fror this season's play.

The basement at Helping Hands on Richmond Road also flooded. The charitable organization had to throw away the wet items. Donations are being accepted to replace those items.

Judge/Executive Wallace Taylor said the county road department is continuing to survey roads for damages. So far, knock on wood, the county crew has found only one break-in caused by the flooding and some black top which peeled back on Little Doe Creek Road.

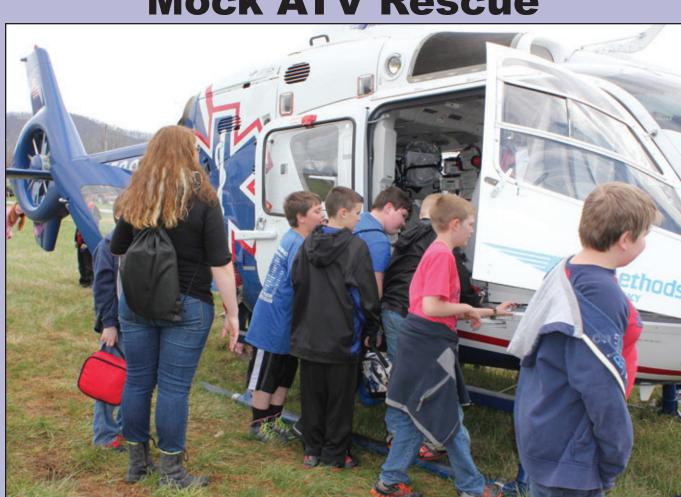
This is the fourth disaster flooding.

by flooding, the big March counties to be reimbursed snow, followed by this latest with federal funds.

Taylor said Monday that ing. Governor Steve Beshear FEMA requires a threshold starting with the snow on has declared states of emer- of \$52,000 over a 24 hour of regulations, and he is not President's Day, followed gencies, which may allow period for each disaster. He sure how much money the wasn't sure that Estill will county will be reimbursed qualify for the latest flood- for the earlier disasters.

He said FEMA has a lot

Mock ATV Rescue



Fifth graders from West Irvine Elementary participated in a safety day presented by Estill County 4-H and Extension Service on Thursday. The day concluded with a mock ATV accident and a visit from UK's medical helicopter and team. Students were allowed to walk around the medical chopper, which made a surprise landing because of the rainy weather. **Tribune Photo//Delores Rowland**