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ECCHS Lady Engineers take 3rd Place at West Jessamine Citizens Classic



Estill County Lady Engineers

Left to right, front: Sarah Wiseman, Britney Mason, Kiely Flynn, Savanna Wallace, Taylor Young, Meagan Bellamy, and Savannah Brewer. Back: Mary Robinson, Amelia Farmer, Taylor Duechle, Sidney Danyeur, McKenzie Flynn, Sarah Barnes, Shelby Danyeur, and Kaley Treadway.

KSP arrests man after another is assaulted Thurs.

A Wisemantown man has been arrested and charged with assault on the morning of New Year's Eve.

KSP Trooper T. Robinson said he responded to a call from Post 7 to go to Wisemantown Road Apartment #2. A person at that apartment had called state police and said that a male victim was at their door. He was bleeding and said someone was trying to kill him.

Upon arrival, Trooper Robinson said he located the victim, Michael Arvin, in front of Apartment #2. He said that Arvin was bleeding extremely bad.

Arvin told the trooper that Larry White and Bobby White had assaulted him inside Apartment #11.

Arvin said the Whites assaulted him with objects, including an Ale-8 bottle, a broken piece of an ash tray, and a coffee mug, and sev-

eral other items.

The trooper said that Larry White was outside Apartment #11. He had his hands in the air and was placed under arrest for second degree assault and public intoxication of a controlled substance (excluding alcohol).

Larry White, 31, gave Wisemantown Apartment #11 as his address.

The trooper added that Larry White admitted he was intoxicated on loratabs, percocets, mephamphetamine, and marijuana.

Larry White was arraigned in Estill District Court on Monday. He pleaded not-guilty to both charges.

A preliminary hearing has been scheduled for Larry White on January 13.

His bail was set at \$10,000 cash.

As of press time, Bobby White was not arrested.

Deputy arrests man for charging auto parts on 2 local businesses

A man from the Hargett area was arrested on a theft related charge on Monday, Dec. 28 by Deputy Sheriff Russell "Doc" Morris.

The man was identified as Edward Roberts, 44, of Tuttle Road, Irvine.

The deputy stated that Roberts went to O'Reilly Auto Parts on Richmond Road between December 26 and 27. He allegedly charged several items to the account of Estill Wood Products without permission from the business' owner or management.

Deputy Morris said the value of the items charged came to \$774.10. He charged Roberts with theft by unlawful taking or disposition over \$500, a felony.

Roberts was arraigned in

Estill District Court on December 29. He pleaded not-guilty to the charge.

A preliminary hearing for Roberts was scheduled for Monday, January 4. At this time, Roberts waived his right to a preliminary hearing and the case was bound over to the Estill County Grand Jury.

District Judge Bo Leach ruled that Roberts' bail remain the same at \$10,000 until the grand jury makes a decision.

Court records say that Roberts was arrested on a new offense while he had a case pending. If he is released from custody on bail, he is to have no contact with the alleged victims, O'Reilly Auto Parts and Estill Wood Products.

Upcoming Meetings

The Estill County School Board will meet in special session on Thursday, January 7, 6 p.m. at the ECCHS Library.

Items on the Agenda include Electing a Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of the Board, selecting meeting dates and times for 2016, first reading of revised policy 01.421 public participation for open meetings; and SBDM Summit (School Improvement) work session.

The Ravenna Council will meet at 6 p.m. on Monday, January 11 in city hall.

The Irvine City Council will meet at 7 p.m. on Monday, January 11 in Irvine City Hall.

Monday, January 18 is a holiday, Martin Luther King Day. The regular meeting of the Estill Fiscal Court on the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m. will be rescheduled.

All government meetings are open to the public unless a governing body goes into closed session. The body must cite the KRS which gives them authority for the closed session.

The deadline to file for Irvine City Council is 4 p.m. on Tuesday, January 26. Irvine residents may file to run for a two year term in the office of County Clerk Sherry L. Fox.

Couple, injured in wreck on the Richmond Road, transported to hospital

Two people were injured during a two-car collision on the Richmond Road during the afternoon of Sunday, December 27.

Deputy Doc Morris said the wreck occurred about a mile from Irvine on the Richmond Road.

The deputy stated that a vehicle driven by David Rose of Berea was traveling east on the Richmond Road, while a vehicle driven by Wanda Isaacs of Irvine was traveling west. He added that Isaacs' vehicle was in the turning lane. She was attempting to make a left turn

into the parking lot at Burger Barn.

The report states that Isaacs turned left into the pathway of Rose's vehicle. Rose's vehicle struck Isaacs' auto in the passenger side front wheel.

Isaacs told the deputy that she did not see the oncoming vehicle and turned left.

According to the collision report, Isaacs and her passenger were uninjured.

Rose and his passenger, Tammy Rose, were transported to Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital for treatment of their injuries.

Transportation Cabinet sets snow and ice removal priorities

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has established priority routes for snow and ice removal for the upcoming winter season in the 10 counties that make up the Department of Highways District 10.

KYTC is responsible for keeping more than 1,800 miles of state-maintained roadway in the district passable in inclement weather.

This amounts to nearly 3,800 lane-miles of highways that must be treated and plowed during each snowstorm. (One mile of two-lane road equals two lane-miles; one mile of four-lane highway equals four lane-miles). KYTC sets snow removal priorities according to the amount and nature of traffic on the routes within each individual county. Maps showing the snow removal priority routes may be viewed at <http://go.usa.gov/gmDe>.

Priority A routes include major through routes and are those most heavily traveled in each county. They include parkways and other major arterial routes. Under normal winter weather conditions, the goal is for non-Interstate Priority A routes to be plowed and treated within two hours of the beginning

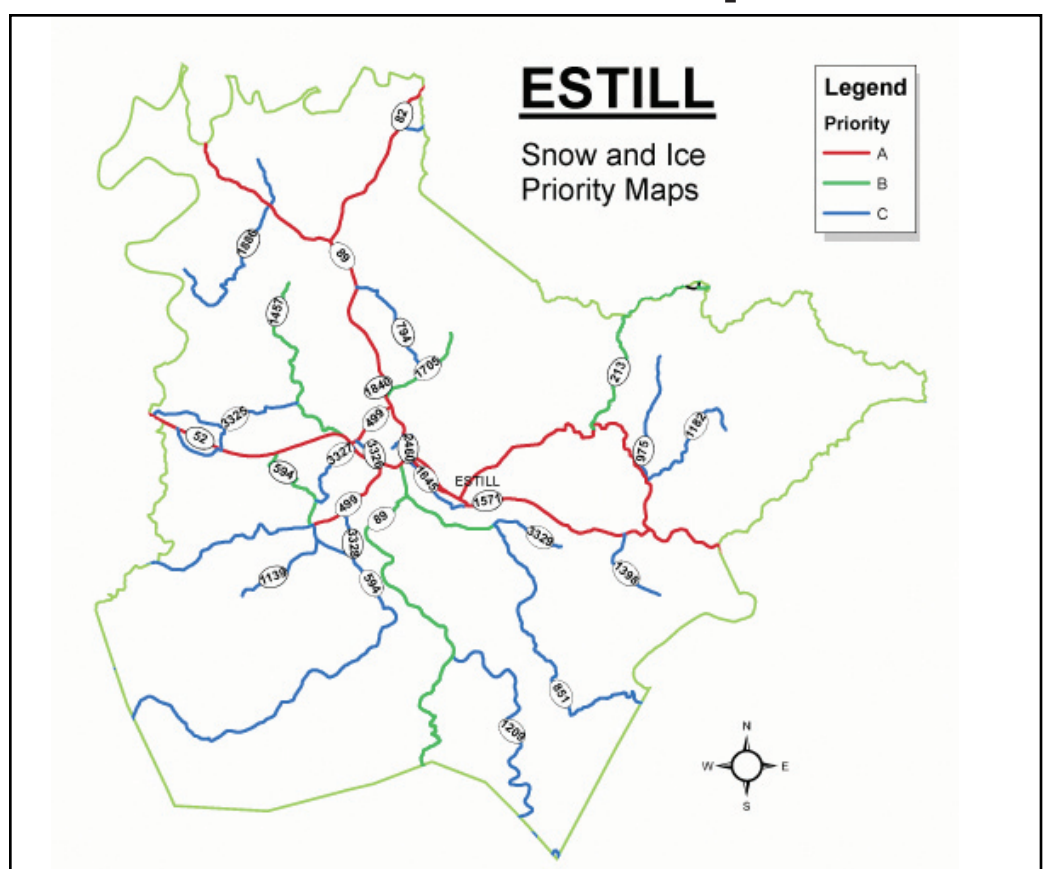
of the storm, with the process repeated every two hours.

Priority B routes include other important but lesser traveled routes in each county. The goal for plowing and treating these highways is every four hours.

Other state-maintained roads not fitting into either of the two higher categories fall into Priority C. The goal for these roads is to plow them at least once every eight hours, and to treat problem areas in the same time span. In some cases, Priority C routes may not be completely treated until other higher priority routes are cleared.

These turnaround times are goals established in Transportation Cabinet policy, but individual circumstances relating to each weather event may impact

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