

Some interested parents may have been left out



We all know how hectic it is this time of year - so hectic that on Monday night elections for three site based councils were held at the same time.

Parent members of three site based decision making councils were elected at 6:30 p.m., at the high school, middle school and Mt. Vernon Elementary.

There was no doubt scheduling is a problem with everything that goes on these days - and most will say that not many people show up for these elections anyway so it shouldn't be that big of a deal.

There within lies the problem.

Granted not many people do show up - but the ones that do show up, are usually interested enough in all of their children to want to be at each election to cast their ballot for their choice.

It is unlikely that many par-

ents have children attending all three schools - but there are situations where that is the case.

For example - if Roundstone School had of had their election at the same time as the others did on Monday night, RCHS council member, Paul Abbey and his wife Ann would have had some tough decisions to make.

The Abneys have children at Roundstone, the middle school and at the high school.

The Abneys are obviously involved parents because Ann is a council member at Roundstone.

The point is - there should be some type of master schedule, in which conflicts such as occurred Monday night are avoided.

I would almost rather have a tooth pulled without anesthesia as attend a meeting because of the fact that I have to attend so many and have attended so many in the past twenty years.

Being an SBDM member is something that only a concerned parent or teacher would do because of the time it takes and because of the unpopular decisions that sometimes have to be made.

But there are a lot of important decisions councils make.

For example, the council at RCHS is in the process of selecting a second principal in three years.

The Mt. Vernon council will also have to make such a decision in the near future and this year, all of the councils in the county had to decide how reward money from the state was

spent at each school.

At some schools, feathered was a little ruffled and in the end the council's took the heat.

There are many important decisions councils must make so it would be in the best interest of everyone - if each council election - was held at a different time.

At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be "What is Hell?" Come early and listen to our choir practice.

Eight new choir robes are currently needed, due to the addition of several new members and the deterioration of some older ones.

The senior choir invites any member of the congregation who enjoys singing to join the choir. Scouts are saving aluminum cans, bottles, and other items to be recycled. Proceeds will be used to cripple children.

The Lutheran men's group will meet at 6 P.M. Steak, mashed potatoes,

green beans, bread and dessert will be served for a nominal fee. For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

Please place your donation in the envelope along with the deceased person(s) you want remembered.

Attend and you will hear an excellent speaker and have a healthy lunch.

The church will host an evening of fine dining, superb entertainment, and gracious hospitality.

Football supper Sunday at 5:00 P.M. - prayer and medication to follow.

The ladies of the Church have cast off clothing of every kind. They may be seen in the basement on Friday afternoon. This evening at 7 P.M. there will be a hymn sing in the park across from the Church. Bring a blanket and come prepared to sing.

Ladies Bible Study will be held Thursday morning at 10. All ladies are invited to lunch in the Fellowship Hall after the B.S. is done.

The pastor would appreciate it if the ladies of the congregation would lend their electric griddles for the pancake breakfast next Sunday morning.

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Tract 1 measures approximately 1.94 acres and has approximately 275 feet of frontage along Hwy. 39. This tract is all cleared, has city water available and an excellent building or mobile home site.

Tract 2 measures approximately 2.43 acres and has approximately 301 feet of frontage along Hwy. 39. Again this tract is all cleared, has city water available and would be excellent for building or mobile home site.

This tract is improved with the above pictured combination barn measuring approximately 30'x40' with a 12'x40' shed. The barn is in need of some repair.

Tract 3 consists of 2.21 acres and measures approximately 270 feet or road frontage along Hwy. 39. This tract has city water available and several mature shade trees.

This tract is improved with the above pictured 1 1/2 story vinyl sided house. This house has living and dining rooms with hardwood flooring, kitchen, two bedrooms, and bath on the main floor and two bedrooms upstairs. The house is heated by fuel oil furnace, has storm doors and windows, shingle roof, built in cabinets, large front porch and much more.

Tract 4 has 2.25 acres with approximately 273 feet or frontage along Hwy. 39. This tract has a pond for stock water and city water available. This tract would also be an excellent building or mobile home site.

Tract 5 measures approximately 2.43 acres and has approximately 269 feet of frontage along Hwy. 39. This tract also has city water available, is bordered by a creek, and would also make an excellent building or mobile home site.

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Retired teachers and students attend theatre

On Friday, April 27, students of the Rockcastle County Alternative School and members of the Rockcastle County Retired Teachers Association attended the national touring theatre production of "Spirit of the Dance" at Centre College in Danville. The Theatre Buddies partnership between the teachers and students was part of the Rockcastle County High School/Rockcastle County Area Technology Center 21st Century Community Learning Center Fine Arts Series.

Several weeks prior to attending the production, the students were paired with a retired teacher and wrote letters describing their grade level, hobbies and interests. The retired teachers responded with letters regarding their interests, when and where they began teaching and information about themselves in order to develop a mentor type partnership.

In addition to the production, the "Theatre Buddies" directed Reno's in Danville and toured Constitution Square. According to Steve Bullock, principal RCAS, it is essential that our students receive support from all areas. Our retired teachers have a wealth of talent and compassion that needs to be utilized. Even in retirement, these educators respond to teaching as a profession not simply a job. The "Theatre Buddies" project has developed a bond which will continue far into the future.

Students and retired teachers attending were Chris Barron with Elvora Burke, Russell Jackson with Betty Glover, Shane Cox with Sue Hamm, Jamie McClure with Carol Pybas, Jeremy Kirby with Kathryn Payne, Mickel Seals with bus driver Keith Coffey, Rudy Hailing with Kathleen Stevens, Brandy Hammonds with Bobbie Durham, Billy Hines with Laura Durham, Heather Perrin with Aslee Bray, Heather Didonato with Shirley Martin, John Taylor and Brian Alcorn partnered with staff.

Chaperones included Steve and Dana Bullock, John and Nancy Hale, Glen and Donna Roberts, Roger and Janet Robinson, Natalie Mullins, Terry Hinkle and Debbie Montgomery.



Retired teachers, students and chaperones on a pre-show tour of Constitution Square before attending "Spirit of the Dance" at Centre College in Danville.

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