



Color Guard Competition - from left: Erik Stallsworth, Josh Robbins, Rebecca Steele and Derrick Hensley.



Female Tug-of-War Team, front to back: Sherri Glover, Sarah Steele, Samantha Dees, Jessica Toothman, Rebecca Steele, Carla Hensley and Amanda Reed.

JROTC compete at Whitley Co.

Rockcastle County High School's JROTC competed at Whitley County High School at the Daniel Boone League competition on Saturday, October 27th bringing home three trophies.

The Rifle Team placed first out of six teams competing. Shooters were: Team Captain, Tim Tyler, Shannon Bullock, Zach Shepherd and Erik

Stallsworth.

The P.T. (Physical Fitness) team placed second out of six teams. Team members were Jonathan Noe, Josh Whicker, Adam Stallsworth, Joe

Husband and Eric Miller. The Rope Bridge team also placed second out of six teams. They were

Josh Whicker, Johnathan Noe, Sherri Glover, Jacob Helton, Ronald Willey,

Joe Husband, Adam Stallsworth, Eric Miller, Jesse McCollum and Andy Coffey.

The Color Guard placed fourth in the competition. Those members were Josh Robbins, Erik Stallsworth, Derrick Hensley, Rebecca Steele and the Color Guard Command Sergeant Major was Jacob Helton.

The Tug-of-War teams competing were: Female Team - Sherri Glover, Sarah Steele, Amanda Reed, Jessica Toothman, Samantha Dees, Rebecca Steele and Carla Hensley. Male Team members were: Ronald Willey, Chris Eldridge, John Phelps, Josh Robbins, Jesse McCollum, Cody Owens, Tommy Ralls, Andy Coffey, Derrick Hensley and Chris Amaral. The teams were coached by SGM Keith Taylor and Major Jim McGuire.

Blanton named to Who's Who

The 67th annual edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges includes 40 students from Georgetown College. Angela Blanton of Mt. Vernon is among those students. Selection was based on academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.



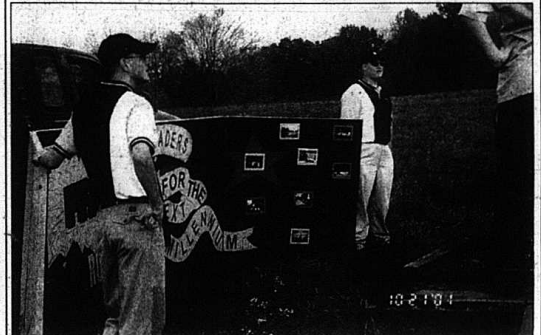
Joe Husband, center, running the 2 mile in the P.T. competition.



Rockcastle County High School's JROTC cadets are proud to have been asked to participate in the "Salute to our Veterans" at Renfro Valley four separate nights August through October. The cadets posted the Colors at the end of the 9:00 show at the New Barn. Pictured above are four of the cadets who participated along with Mr. Billy Keith Russell singing "God Bless the U.S.A." Left to right: Josh M. Hayes, Adam Stallsworth, Zach Shepherd and Joe Husband. Other cadets who have participated were Timothy Tyler, Johnathan Noe, Joshua Whicker, Justin Cornelius, Josh Robbins and Chris Eldridge. Many thanks to these cadets who proudly volunteered their time. The cadets were accompanied by Sergeant Major (Retired) Keith Taylor and Major (Retired) James McGuire.



The Ninth Annual Farm Field Day was held on October 22, at the farm of Bill Gene and Nancy Sigmon. This event is sponsored by Sigmon Farms, Rockcastle County Conservation District and USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service. Above John Parrish with Kentucky Department of Ag shows a slide show and talks with students on farming in Kentucky.



Members of the Rockcastle County FFA Chapter share with the students information about their organization.



Randall Templemann, District Conservationist watches as students enjoy the "Hay Maze."



Mrs. Jean Gabbard's class from Roundstone Elementary



Nineteen students from the Rockcastle County FFA chapter recently attended the National FFA convention held in Louisville, Kentucky. There were over 40,000 students from across the nation exploring the wonders of FFA. The Rockcastle County chapter discovered that there were many exciting things to see and do at the convention. The guest speaker for the 74th annual National FFA convention was Dick Vitale. There were many valuable lessons to learn from the speech that Dick Vitale presented on Thursday, October 24, 2001. The students from Rockcastle learned that no matter who you are, you could still make your dreams come true, by setting goals, then striving to achieve them. Dick Vitale told us how he went from teaching 6th grade in 1971 to coaching in the NBA in 1978 to being unemployed that same year. He explained how he worked hard and set high goals to achieve his dreams. The students also had the opportunity to explore several acres of career displays at the convention. Those attending the convention are pictured above, from left: Adam Paquette, Phillip McFerron, Matthew Faulkner, Tiffany Hopkins, Matthew Whitaker, Ryan Graham, Chastity Deborde, Chris Childress, Courtney Alexander, Brad Russell, Robert Mink, Rachelle Riddle, Chris McGuire, Daniel Bustle, Heather Adams, Josh Mullins, Chris Alexander, Jessica Alcorn, Brandon Robinson, Mark Dyehouse, Nathan Doan and Roy Reynolds.